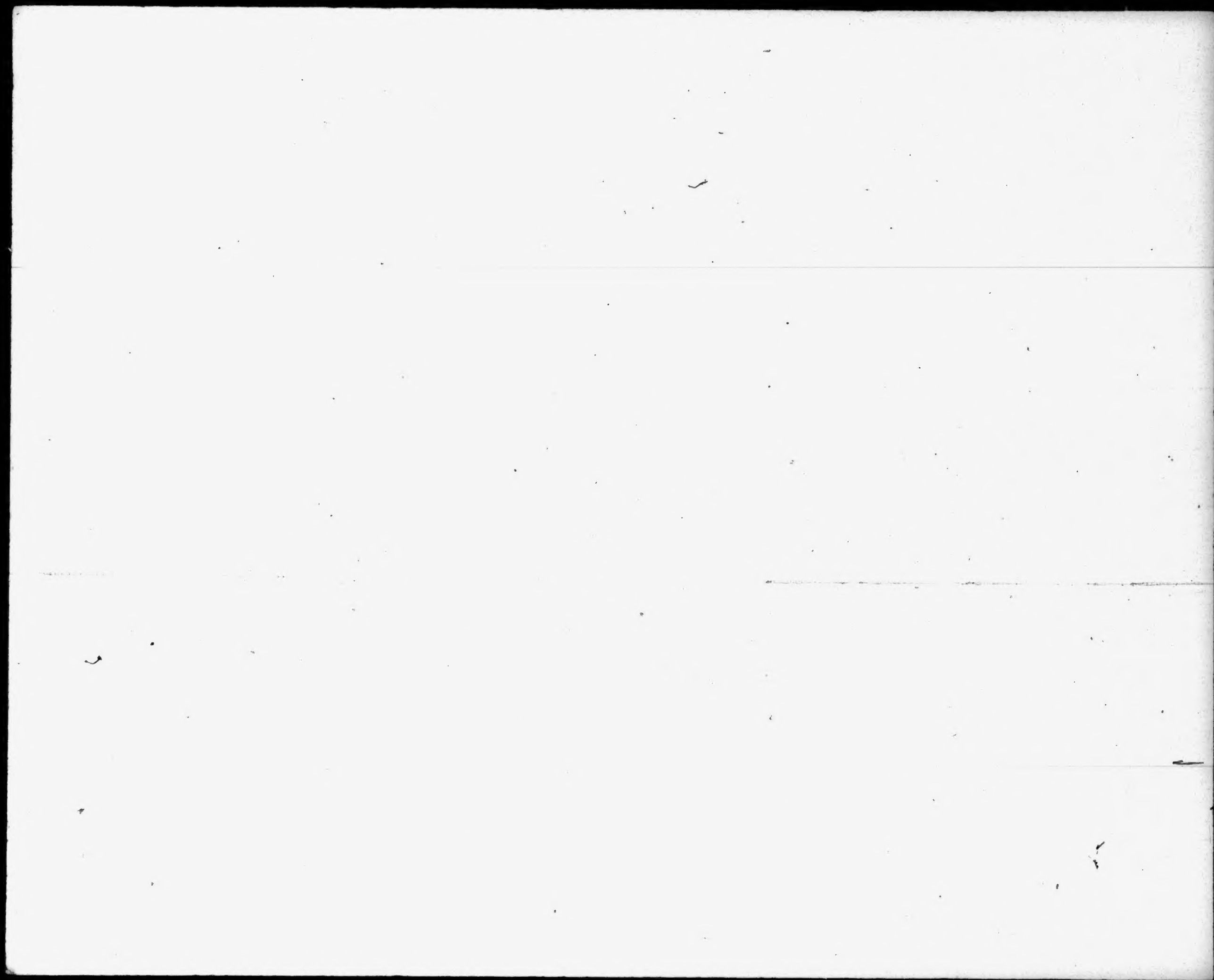
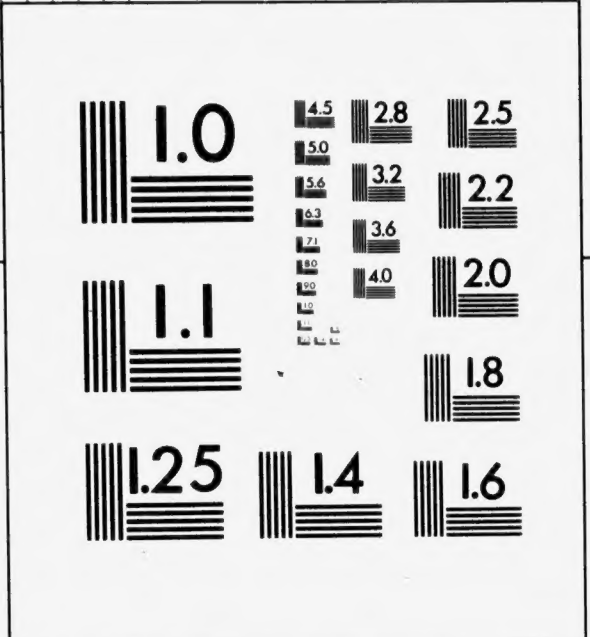
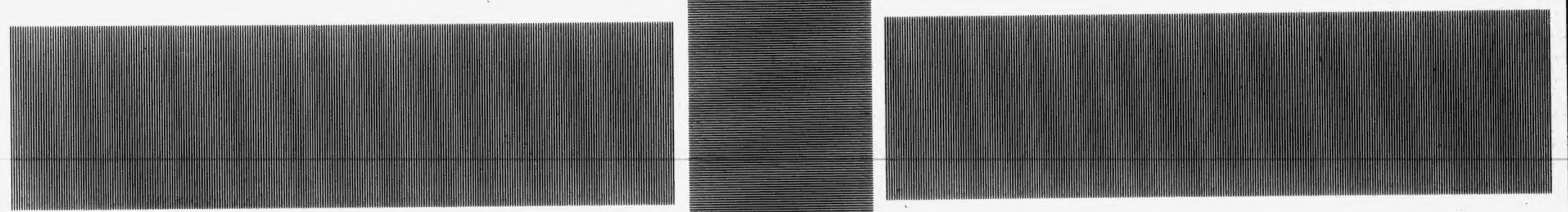
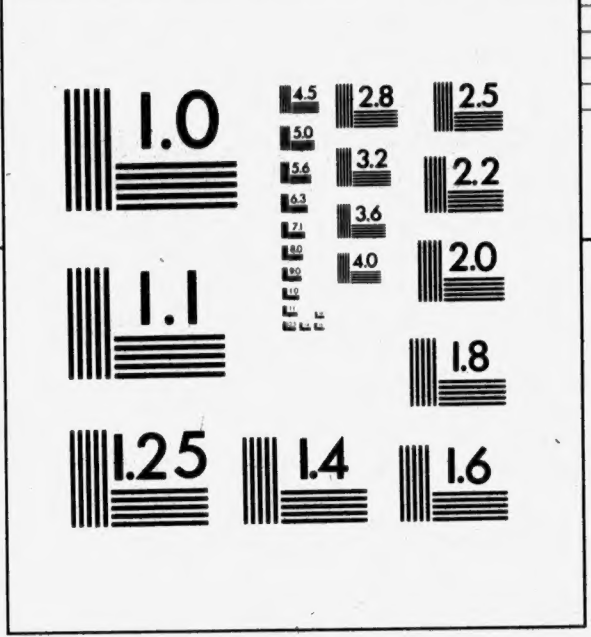


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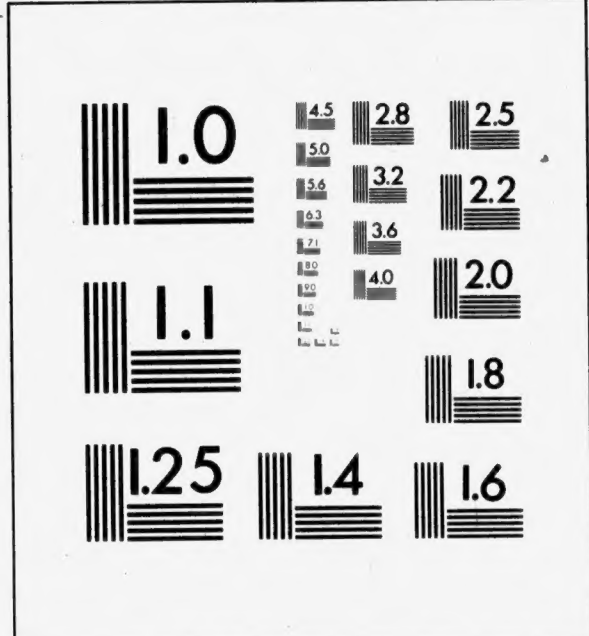
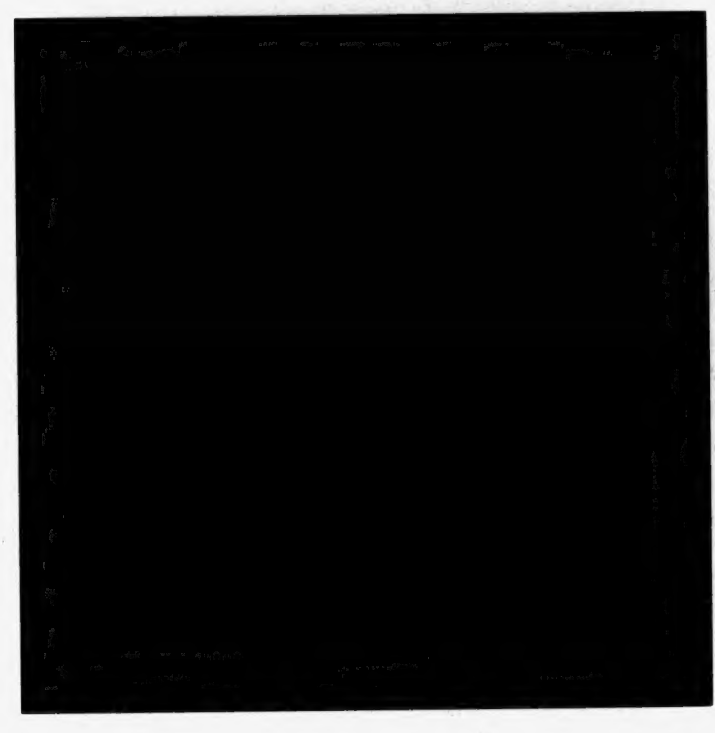




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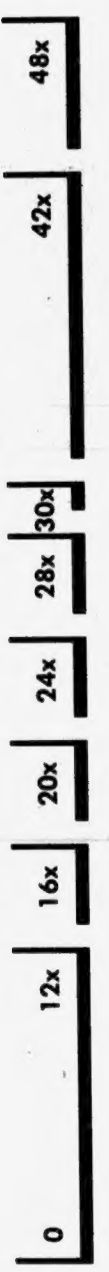


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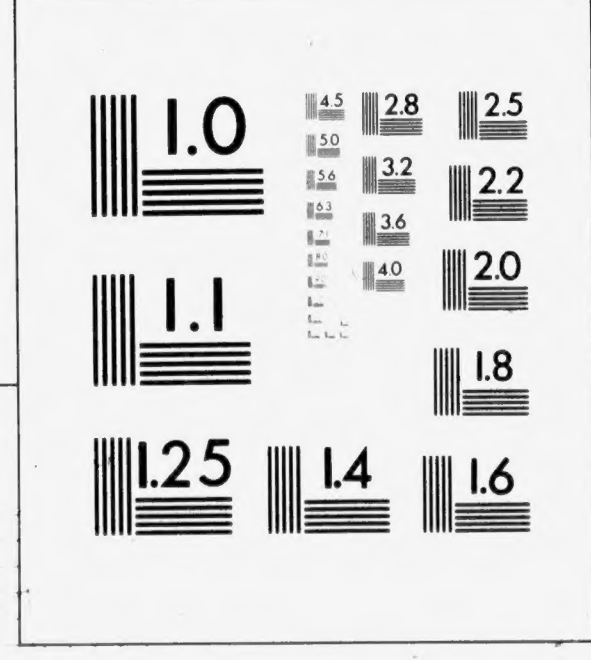
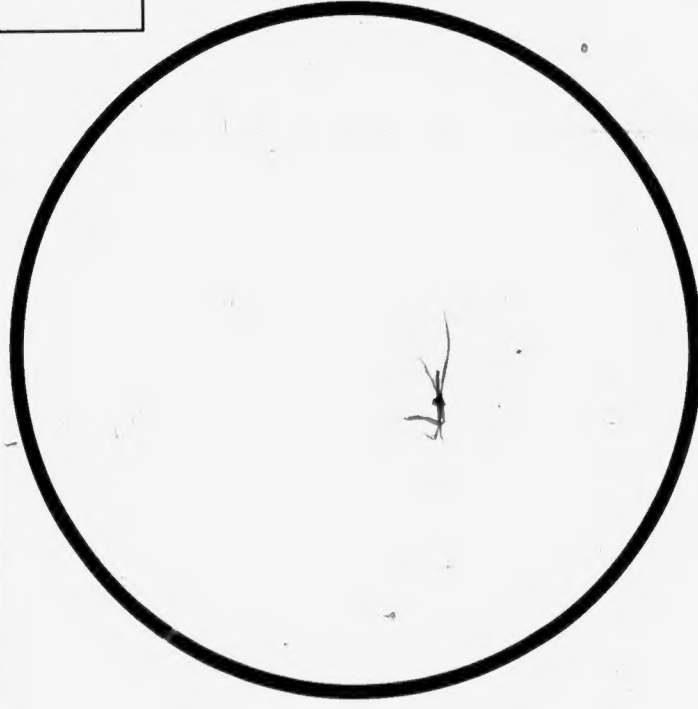
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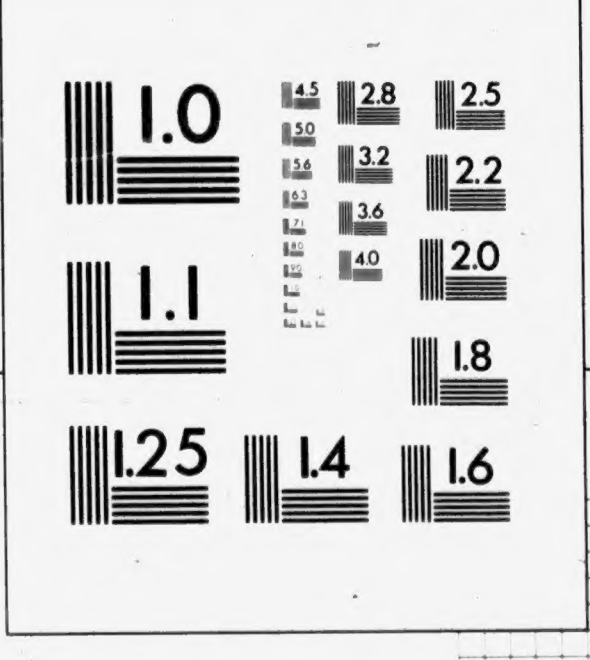


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U.S. COURT OF CLAIMS

1906-1909

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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.

Images

No. 44301

Action: *Reject*

Name *Elmer Estep* and *2* children. Residence: *Richwood, W. Va.*

Reasons: *Claims thru same source as # 33011; rejected for same reasons.*

44301

No. 4301

Name

With No.

Remarks:

No. 44301

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Wm. E. Estep

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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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44301

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Elmer Estep

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Richwood Nicholas Co W Va

3. County: _____

4. State: West Va

5. How old are you? 33 years Born Sept 1 1874

6. Where were you born? in Kanawha Co W Va

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Minnie L Estep

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? No 12

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Martha Florence Estep</u>	<u>8 yrs</u>	<u>Oct 28. 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Howard Junison Estep</u>	<u>4 yrs</u>	<u>June 8. 1903</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Cornelius Thomas Estep

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Ona Francis Estep

Indian name: No 12

Maiden name: Ona Francis Turner

12. Where were they born?

Father: in Kanawha Co W Va

Mother: in Virginia

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

Father: in Kanawha Co W Va

Mother: in Virginia

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)	Lydia M Belcher	aug 31 1869	
	Walback blay Co		
(2)	Sarah E Boggs Tigeon W Va	march 15 1871	
	Robert L Estep	sept 22 1872	
(3)	Nancy Belcher	June 26 1876	decd
	George E. Estep Tigeon W Va	May 23 1878	
(4)	Leavit S Estep	anglin Va 20 1880	
	Ethie Burdett Tigeon W Va	June 25 1885	
(5)	Thomas H Estep	anglin Va 10 1885	
	Lula Cook	anglin blay Co Dec 7 1887	
(6)	Julie Forman	Porter blay Co Dec 4 1889	
	Florence Estep	Tigeon W Va Oct 17 1890	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Turner Estep	Jeffrey G Turner
Cherokee	English
Jane Estep	Nancy Turner
English	English

18. Where were they born? I do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? my father's side in Kanawha Co mothers side in Va

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

	mothers side
(1) Mary Burk	decd Robert Turner
(2) Rachel Underwood	Walback blay Co Sarah A Nichols blay Co W Va
(3) Mrs Grayson	decd Mary Jarrett
(4) Nancy Belcher	Crown Hill Va Samuel Turner
(5) Letty Oreyer	decd Oma Francis Estep Tigeon
(6) Rhoda Belcher	malden Va Martha Mason
	Martha Baldwin sides from
	boanclius Thomas Estep Tigeon W Va
	Elen Blackard
	Eliyy Gardner
	decd Julie E Welch
	Jeffrey Turner

21. Have 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 Born in 1845 and his Grandmother's maiden name was Ann Tary

REMARKS.

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

that the Braunum Family may
for my Family these Grandmother
Grandmother this for the benefit of my
that is under age

foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and

(Signature) Elmer Estep

Subscribed and sworn

before me this 24 day of December, 1907.

L. P. Eddy
Notary Public.

My commission expires continued during
life or good behavior as long
as I reside in Nicholas County, 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 J. S. Taylor
and G. E. Taylor, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Elmer Estep
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.

J. S. Taylor
G. E. Taylor

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

My commission expires at death or
until removed by bad behavior
unless vacated by removal
from Nicholas County, W. Va.

L. P. Eddy
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44302

Action: Reject

Name Hudson Huffman and 2 children.

Residence: Nida, Okla.

Reasons: Brother of 27085.

44302

No. 44302

Name Henderson Huffman

With No. 27085

Remarks:

no

No. 44302

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Remondan Th. Loman

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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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44302

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Henderson Huffman.

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Nida Okla.

3. County: _____

4. State: Okla.

5. How old are you? 57 years. Born March 16th 1851

6. Where were you born? Dearborn Co. Indiana.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Henderson Huffman. 57 years old

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>Sarah H. Huffman</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>Sept 24 1877</u>
(2)	<u>Amer Huffman</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>June 24 1877</u>
(3)	<u>Armanda J. Huffman</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>June 24 1877</u>
(4)	<u>Jake H. Huffman</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>April 3 1888</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Henderson Tecumseh Huffman.

Indian name: Tecumseh.

Mother—English name: Sarah E. Huffman

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Sarah E. Johnson.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Henderson Tecumseh Huffman in Mo.

Mother: Sarah E Huffman. in Indiana.

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

Father: Henderson Tecumseh Huffman, ^{side} Dearborn co Indiana 1854
Mother: Sarah E Huffman reside in Dearborn co Indiana 1851.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Henderson Tecumseh Huffman Died Feb 24th 1897
Mother: Sarah E Huffman Died May 2th 1861

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 W. Huffman	Nov 29th 1848	
	San Francisco Cal		
(2)	Thomas J. Huffman	Nov 23th 1849	
	Siola Okla		
(3)	Amanda J. Snyder	Dec 31th 1853	
	Alva, Okla		
(4)	Sarah E Huffman	Aug 20th 1854	
	Harrow Smith Canada		
(5)	Commodore P. Huffman	April 24th 1857	
	Madill, Okla.		
(6)	Col Eliza Huffman	May 13th 1863	
	Dillsboro, Indiana.		

17. 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>Benjamin Huffman.</u>	
<u>Susanna Huffman.</u>	

18. Where were they born? Louisiana

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

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

- (1) Henderson Tecumseh Huffman, Ind.
- (2) Sarah Ann Gray, Dead
- (3) Mary Huffman, is Dead
- (4) Clifford Huffman, went to Texas years ago.
- (5) Abraham Huffman, went to Oregon years ago.
- (6) Elias Huffman, is Dead.
- William Huffman, is 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: not 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: Benjamin Huffman Back to 1835
Susanna Huffman Back to 1835 Henderson Tecumseh Huffman.
Abrah Elizebeth Huffman.

REMARKS.

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

Coonrod Huffman my Greate Grand Pa. married
a full blood Eastern Cherokee Indian Woman in
Louisiana. Benjamin Huffman a son of Coonrod Huffman,
Henderson Tecumseh Huffman a son of Benjamin Huffman.

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

(Signature)

Henderson Huffman

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

Columbus C. Gathie
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Mich 2, 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

Jerry Neal

Mr C. J. Neal, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Henderson Huffman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 3 years and

3 years, respectively, and know him 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.

Jerry Neal
C. J. Neal

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

My commission expires

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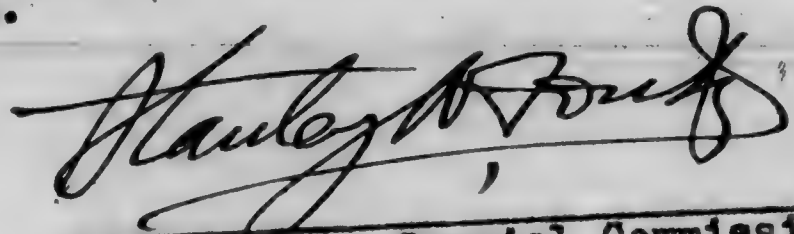
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Henderson Huffman, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Henderson Huffman; my post-office is Nida, Okla.; I was born in Dearborn Co., Ind. in 1851; I claim relationship to the Cherokee Indians through my father, Henderson Tecumseh Huffman, who was a quarter Cherokee; my father was born near Jefferson City, Mo. in 1819; my father claims through his father, Benjamin Huffman; my people were never enrolled and they never got any money or land from the government.

Henderson Huffman (Signed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of August, 1908, at Tishomingo, Okla.



Assistant to Special Commissioner
of Court of Claims.

*Reject
copy.*

No. 44303.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Florence K. Degraffewried* and *3* children. Residence: *Lewyetta, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Niece of #11688, and claims through
the same ancestors.*

44303

No. 44303.

Name Florence R. DeGraffius

With No. 44005!

Remarks:

X
No. 44363

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

Florence R. Degraffened

For share of money appropriated to the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress of June 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: Florence R. Degraffenried

Indian name: None used

2. Residence and post office: Henryetta,

3. County: Adair

4. State: Oklahoma,

5. How old are you? 28 years Born Oct. 12, 1879

6. Where were you born? Camden County, Mo.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John A. Degraffenried, age 34 years

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Earl Degraffenried</u>	<u>9 years</u>	<u>Feb. 9, 1898</u>
(2)	<u>Cicil Degraffenried</u>	<u>7 years</u>	<u>Feb. 18, 1890</u>
(3)	<u>Archie E. Degraffenried</u>	<u>3 year</u>	<u>Dec. 19, 1904</u>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

Father—English name: Eli Edwards

Indian name: (He is white)

Mother—English name: Juliette J. Edwards

Indian name: (She is Cherokee)

Maiden name: Juliette J. Ussery

12. Where were they born?

Father: Green County, Ind.

Mother: Dallas Camden County, Mo.

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

Father:

Mother: Born after 1851, about 1857

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Henryetta, Okla.

Mother: Living at Henryetta, Okla.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: My Mother was not on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Floyd I. Edwards	Nov. 22, 1877	Henryetta, Okla.
(2)	Mary B. Ballard	Nov. 23, 1881	Cookson, Okla.
(3)	Easter E. Neff	Apr. 13, 1884	Boliver, Mo.
(4)	Luvina J. Morse	Dec. 17, 1886	Henryetta, Okla.
(5)	Robert A. Edwards	Mar. 12, 1893	Died Oct. 1893
(6)	Laura G. Edwards	Sep. 3, 1893	Henryetta, Okla.

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

They were white

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Anual and Levina Ussery

nee Gunter.

(Think he was white)

After his death she married Godfrey M. Taylor

18. Where were they born? Grand-mother in Cherokee Nation, Tenn.

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

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

(1)	John F. Ussery	Ketchum, Okla.
	Jesse Peter Ussery	Vinita, Okla.
(2)	Juliette J. Edwards (Mother)	Henryetta, Okla.
(3)	Martha Jane Shadwick	Wyandotte, Okla.
	William A. Ussery	Damsel, Mo.
(4)	Anual Luther Ussery	Wyandotte, Okla.
(5)	Rose Ann Williams	Henryetta, Okla.
	Drury C. Taylor	Neosho, Mo.
(6)	Elnora Anderson	Damsel, Mo.

The last three were the children of Godfrey M. 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: Not on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Not on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation
Maternal Great Grand-parents were William and Emaline Gunter nee Phelps, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835 but died before 1851

REMARKS.

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

My Grand-mother, Levina Ussery had brothers and-sisters, Columbus C., Thomas, Allen T., and William Benton Gunter.

For further information refer to the application of my Mother, Juliette J. Edwards, No. _____

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

(Signature) Florence R. Gegraffenried

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

Julia B. Sullins
Notary Public.

My commission expires July 12th 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Robert L. Hayne
and Mattie Baker, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Florence R. Gegraffenried

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Robert L. Hayne
Mattie Baker

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

My commission expires July 12th 1910. Julia B. Sullins
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44304

Name John P. Plemons and 6 children.

Action: Rejected.

Reasons:

Residence: P.O. #2, Sweetwater, Tenn.

Neither applicant nor ancestor ever enrolled.
Does not establish fact of descent from a
person who was a party to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846.
Filed too late - Dec. 26, 1907.

44304

No. ~~44304~~ 44304. ?

Name John P. Reunions

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith
are nos. 44305, 44306,
44307.

Filed too late.
Ancestors not on rolls.
Investigate as to
minor children.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 41304

John L. Collet
No. 4350

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

William P. Flemons &
6 children

For share of money appropriated for
Indians by the Act of Congress 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. DEC 28 1907
No.

41304

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

SIR:

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

Indian name: " " Taylor

2. Residence and post office: Sweetwater R R 2

3. County: Winn

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 51 Born May 5 - 1856

6. Where were you born? Sweetwater Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Linda Plenums 48

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)	Hoyt - Plenums	18	Jan 17 - 1889
(2)	Dix "	16	March 1 - 1891
(3)	James "	14	Apr 5 - 1893
(4)	Relat "	12	June 1 - 1895
(5)	Emmer "	10	March 20 - 1897
(6)	Ora Lee "	8	Sept 12 - 1900

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

Father—English name: John Plenums

Indian name: " " Taylor

Mother—English name: Adaline Plenums

Indian name: " " Taylor

Maiden name: " " Irons

12. Where were they born? (V. G. 1)

Father: (V. G. 1) Sweetwater Tenn (North Carolina)

Mother: (Tenn)

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

Father: Tenn

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1893

Mother: 1900

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Wm Plemons		

no record

(2) James 11 dead

(3) Margaret 11 11

~~4308~~ (4) Mary 11

(5) Bessie 11 dead

(6) Millie 11 11

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Amos Irons

11 11
11 11

11 Taylor

18. Where were they born? N.C.

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

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

(1) Adaline Irons

(2) James 11

(3) Sarah 11

(4) 11 11

(5) 11 11

(6) 11 11

Father's Name John P. Plemons his mother Matilda Plemons maiden name Matilda Rogers & her mother Matilda Rogers maiden Taylor a daughter of Richard 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 The Taylors were

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

Plemons his mother Matilda Plemons
maiden Matilda Rogers his mother Matilda Rogers
matilda Taylor his father Richard Taylor

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint W. Morris Harrison of Madisonville Tenn my true & lawful attorney and allow him a commission of 15%

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

(Signature) John P. Plemons

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

Scott Esbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1 1908.

AFFIDAVIT:

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

Personally appeared before me G. W. Tallent

and A. J. Jones, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with John P. Plemons

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.

G. W. Tallent
A. J. Jones

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

My commission expires

Jan 1

Scott Esbill

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian

before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before and not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Appln. No. 44304.

June 10, 1908.

John P. Plemons,
Sweetwater, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim the right to share in this fund? Was that ancestor a party to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? You state in your application that "the Taylors were enrolled." Please state what relative you are to the Taylors, and give the full name of the Taylor ancestor through whom you claim?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WV/40.

No. 44305

Action: Deposit

Name: Joe P. ... and 1 children.

Residence: ...

Reasons:

Blanche ...

44305

No. 44305-44306, 44307.

Name Gus Plenums etc

With No. 44304.

Remarks:

No. 41315

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Gus Plenum
* 1 child

For share of money appropriated for the Cherokee
Indians by the Act 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. DEC 28 1907 No.
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41315

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Guss Plemmons

Indian name: " Taylor

2. Residence and post office: Bradisonville

3. County: Tenn

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 23 Born 15 June 1884

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Plemmons 19

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>Ethel Plem</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Aug 2 - 1905</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: John P Plemmons

Indian name: " " " "

Mother—English name: Linda Plemmons

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: " Irons

12. Where were they born?

Father: Switzerland Tenn

Mother: Tenn

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

Father: not born

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: "

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

and with what tribe of Indians: The Taylors were

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Bert Pimm	see father's	see father's
(2)	Wice	"	"
(3)	Hay	"	"
(4)	Ray	"	"
(5)	James	"	"
(6)	Selar	"	"
(6)	Emma	"	"
	Anna	"	"

17. 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 Pimm
	" Taylor
	Abeliah Pimm
	" Taylor

18. Where were they born? NY " Ill

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

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

(1)	John Pimm	Ill
(2)	James	"
(3)	Emma	"
(4)	Wice	"
(5)	Anna	"
(6)	Ray	"

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

Grand Father Richard Taylor 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: Father's Name John P

Plemmons his father John P Plemmons his mother
Matilda Plemmons maiden Roger & her mother Matilda
maiden Matilda Taylor a daughter of Richard Taylor
REMARKS. all cherokees

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

I hereby appoint W Morris Harrison ^{of Madisonville Tenn} my true &
lawful attorney & allow him 15 of commission

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

(Signature) John Plemmons

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

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me John P Plemmons
and Bert Plemmons, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Guss Plemmons
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.

Eula Isbill

Geo W Isbill

Signatures of Witnesses,

John Plemmons

Bert Plemmons

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

My commission expires

Jan 1 1908

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

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

No. - 4310 -

Action: *Revised*

Name: *West 7th Avenue* and 4 children.

Residence: *3000 7th Ave. S.W. Seattle, Wash. 4*

Reasons:

to be transferred to same address as...

44306

No. 44306

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Bert Plemons
& 4 children*

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. DEC 28 1907
No.

44306

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Bert Plemons

Indian name: " Taylor

2. Residence and post office: Sweetwater RR 1 box 44

3. County: Murray

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 28 Born May 15 - 1878

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah 26

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Carrie Plemons</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Jan 31 - 1898</u>
(2)	<u>Hattie "</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Feb 15 - 1900</u>
(3)	<u>Earnest "</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Jan 15 - 1903</u>
(4)	<u>Adney "</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Sept 20 1905</u>
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: John P. Plemons

Indian name: " " Taylor

Mother—English name: Linda Plemons

Indian name: " Taylor

Maiden name: " Jones

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: "

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

Father: not born

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: " "

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Gus Plenums		
(2)	Alsie	"	
(3)	Hoyt	"	
(4)	Tex	"	
(5)	James	"	
	John	"	
(6)	Emma	"	
	Ara Lee	"	

17. 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 Plenums</u>
	<u>" Taylor</u>
	<u>Adaline Plenums</u>
	<u>" Taylor</u>

18. Where were they born? W. Va.

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

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

(1)	John Plenums	
(2)	James	"
(3)	John	"
(4)	Margaret	
(5)	Mary	
(6)	Alsie	"

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no Grand Father 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: Father John P. Plemons his
Father John P. Plemons his Mother Matilda Plemons
Matilda Rogers her Mother Matilda Rogers Matilda
Taylor Daughter of Richard Taylor
REMARKS. All cherokees

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

I hereby appoint W. Morris Harrison of Madisonville
Tenn my true & lawful attorney & allow him
15% commission

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

(Signature) Bert Plemons

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

Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me John P. Plemons
and Guss Plemons, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Bert Plemons
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.

Geo W Isbill
G W Isbill

Signatures of Witnesses.

John P. Plemons
Guss Plemons

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908 Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

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

No. 44307

Action: *Completed*

Name: *John Doe* and 1 children. Residence: *123 Main St, New York, NY*

Reasons:

Reasons for the above are as follows:

44307

No. 4307

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Allee Hall &
1 child*

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

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. DEC 28 1907 No.
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4307

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Allie Hall

Indian name: " Taylor

2. Residence and post office: Smootwater RR 1

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 20 Born June 10—

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Tom Hall

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>Lucy Hall</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>June 10 - 1904</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: John P. Plummer

Indian name: " " Taylor

Mother—English name: Linda " Plummer

Indian name: " " Taylor

Maiden name: " " Plummer

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn

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

Father: see Father's application #0

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)	<u>Gus Plummer</u>	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Bert</u> "	_____	_____
(3)	<u>Hayt</u>	_____	_____
(4)	<u>Tey</u>	_____	_____
(5)	<u>James</u> <u>Sedar</u>	_____	_____
(6)	<u>Emma</u> <u>Orna Lee</u> "	_____	_____

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

_____	<u>John Plummer</u>
_____	" <u>Taylor</u>
_____	<u>Adaline Plummer</u>
_____	" <u>Taylor</u>

18. Where were they born? N.C.

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

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

- (1) Wm Plummer
- (2) James
- (3) John
- (4) Margaret
- (5) Mary
- (6) Lillie

21. 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: _____

See Father's application

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint W Morris Harrison of Madisonville Tenn my true & lawful attorney & allow him a commission of 15%

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

(Signature) *Allitt Hall*

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

Geo W Sobell

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Guss Clemens*

and *Bert Clemens*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Alice Hall*

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Eula Sobell

G W Sobell

Signatures of Witnesses.

Guss Clemens

Bert Clemens

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

My commission expires

Jan 1, 1908

Geo W Sobell

Notary Public.

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

No. 44308

Action: Reject

Name Mary Plummer, and 1 children.

Residence: Madisonville, Tenn.

Reasons: Grandson of # 6380

44308

No. 44308

Name Mary Plevous

With No. 6380

Remarks:

X
No. 41308

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Jimmy Plemons
& 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. Rec. DEC 28 1907 No.
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41308

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

SIR:

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

2. Residence and post office: Mariettaville

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 19 Born 23 March - 1888

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Guss Plenums 23

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>Ethel Plenums</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Aug 2 - 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: Oress Sargan
Indian name: W Gallet
Mother—English name: Ellen
Indian name: W Gallet
Maiden name: W Gallet

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn
Mother: Tenn

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

Father: Tom

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: died 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: The Collets were

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Emma Morgan	no record	
(2)	Gordon	11	
(3)	Bruce	11	
(4)	John	11 dead	
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
	See your Collett's application
	is my grandfather
	NO 6380

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) See your Collett's application
- (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: _____

*See Grand Father's application
No 380*

REMARKS.

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

*I hereby appoint W. H. ... son of Bradshawville
as my true & lawful attorney & allow
him 15% commission*

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

(Signature) *Mary Plemmons*

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

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Bert Plemmons*

and *John P. Plemmons*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Mary Plemmons*

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

E. W. Isbill
Geo W Isbill

Signatures of Witnesses.

Bert Plemmons
John P. Plemmons

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

My commission expires

Jan 1 1908. *Geo W Isbill*

Notary Public.

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

No. 44309

Action: *Reject*

Name *Lottie L. Eades* and *3* children. Residence: *Sulphur City, Ark.*

Reasons:

Daughter of #44065, and claims through the same ancestors.

44309

No. 44309

Name Lottie L. Eades

With No. 44071

Remarks:

No. 4309

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lottie L. Eades

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Ind. by Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. DEC 28 1907 No.
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44309

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Lottie J. Eades.

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Sulphur City.

3. County: Washington

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? Twenty seven Born Sept-11, 1880.

6. Where were you born? In the State of Virginia

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Ed Eades.

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>Mable Eades</u>	<u>Six years</u>	<u>Feb 6, 1901.</u>
(2)	<u>Evert J. Eades</u>	<u>Four years.</u>	<u>Feb 4, 1903.</u>
(3)	<u>Gracie Eades</u>	<u>three ,,</u>	<u>Oct 20, 1904.</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Peter Nelson Ketron

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Sarah F. Ketron.

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Sarah H. Spurrier

12. Where were they born?

Father: State of Virginia

Mother: State of Virginia

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

Father: In the State of Virginia

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
Belong to the Cherokee Tribe

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
44071 (1)	Maggie J. Long Afton, Ind-Tery.	Aug-16, 1873.	Living
(2)	Mary E. Laman Fairland Ind-Tery.	Nov-6, 1875.	"
(3)	Thomas T. Ketron. Geneva Mo.	Feb-28, 1878.	"
(4)	Lora A. Ketron. Geneva Ind-Tery.	July 16, 1885.	"
(5)	William M. Ketron Afton, Ind Tery.	Nov-29, 1882.	"
(6)	Harwood J. Ketron Afton Ind-Tery.	Mar-6, 1888.	"

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Allen Ketron	Theophilus Spurrier
Elisabeth Ketron	Lottie Spurrier
Peter Ketron	Thomas Spurrier
	Elisabeth Spurrier

18. Where were they born? Either in Tennessee Georgia or Alabama

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In the State of Virginia

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

(1)	Martha Coradiamanchia	Jane Morgan
(2)	Syddia Harbor	William Ketron
(3)	Elish Burton	John "
(4)	Mollie Spurrier	
(5)	Mary C. Hart	
(6)	Martha Godsey	

21. 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 been enrolled
But belong to the Cherokee Tribe

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mary Elisabeth or
Mary or Elisabeth Wagover.
and L. D. or D or L. Hancy

REMARKS.

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

I claim citizenship as descendants of my Great Grand
Parents, whose names were Mary Elisabeth Mary or
Elisabeth Wagover and L. D. or D or L. Hancy who were
Cherokees and I have been informed they are on the old Cherokee Rolls.
as such.

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

(Signature)

Lottie L. Eades

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

J. L. McConnell

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Feb. 7

1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me

J. A. Fincher

and

J. S. Colclasure

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Lottie L. Eades

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. A. Fincher

J. S. Colclasure

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

My commission expires

Feb 7

1908.

J. L. McConnell

Notary Public.

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

No. 44310.

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Prince Albert Myatt* and children. Residence:

Reasons:

Duplicate of # 1112831.

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No. 44310

Name *James A. Haylett*

With No. 44784

Remarks:

No. 44310

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Prince Ueber Myall

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. DEC 28 1907 No.
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J. C. DEPUTRON,
Attorney at Law
WASHINGTON, D. C.

44310

**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:

Prince Albert Inyatt for minor children

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

Marion

3. County:

Perry

4. State:

Alabama

5. How old are you?

49

Born

in 1848

6. Where were you born?

Marion Alabama

7. Are you married?

Yes but wife dead.

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Florence Inyatt died at 77

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)	Carlina Inyatt	19	1888
(2)	Mamie Inyatt	17	1880
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name:

Enoch Inyatt

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Lucinda Inyatt

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Lucinda Harris

12. Where were they born?

Father:

near Xenon, Tennessee

Mother:

" " " " " " Alabama

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

Father: Marion, Alabama

Mother: Marion, Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: February 1886

Mother: October 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)	Charles Henry Myatt Alabla, Alabama	1830	
2-940 (2)	Georgia Dickerson Birmingham, Ala.	1832	
(3)	Gilra Parish Marion, Ala.	1834	
(4)	Lucinda Beuford Birmingham, Ala.	1836	
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

Wm. Brown

MOTHER'S SIDE.

George Harris
Lucy Harris

18. Where were they born? Unknown

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

Jacksonville, Ala.

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

(1)	Minerva Harris	Think dead
(2)	Ignes Harris	dead
(3)	William Harris	dead
(4)	Bury Harris	dead
(5)	Lucinda Myatt	dead
(6)	Henry Harris	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: 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 - Amos Myatt and Lucinda Myatt nee Harris
Grand " George Harris and Lucy Harris

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
Understand that the father of Lucy Harris my grandmother was a freed man & the other side also

~~J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. and Sharp & Sharp of R. M. Ga. are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim.~~

This claim is filed for my minor children.

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 Princess Avert Myatt

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.

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.

Sue Owens, No. 44311

Action: Admitted

Annie Owens, Mary Owens

Name: Sarah Owens by their and children.

Residence: Cherokee City, Ark

grandmother. H. W. Wofford, Ed.

Reasons:

1st Cousin once removed of #6562 - claims

How name source - ~~XXXXXXXXXXXX~~

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No. 44311

Name. Susie Owens et al

With No. 339

Remarks:

No. 41311

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

[Handwritten signature]

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. DEC 30 1907
No

11311

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

Sir:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Ms Mona Wafford

Indian name: oni Wafford

2. Residence and post office: Delaware Co Okla Cherokee City Ark

3. County: Benton Res Delaware Co Okla

4. State: formerly Cherokee nation I. T.

5. How old are you? 56 Born 1851

6. Where were you born? Cherokee nation I. T.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: William Wafford

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: _____

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	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lohas Wafford</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>Apr 7-1871</u>
(2)	<u>Mellie Wafford</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>Dec-15-1873</u>
(3)	<u>Arch W</u>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Ned Davis

Indian name: Ned Parr

Mother—English name: Pally Davis

Indian name: Ma. lei

Maiden name: Pally Jack

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

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

Father: Cherokee Nation
Mother: Cherokee Nation

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Don't Know
Mother: " "

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Joe Davis</u>	<u>Don't Know</u>	<u>Don't Know Dead</u>
(2)	<u>Walter Davis</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>" " Dead</u>
(3)	<u>James Davis</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>" " Dead</u>
(4)	<u>Beartatey Davis</u> <u>Cherokee citizen</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>1905 - Dead.</u>
(5)	<u>Sarah Davis</u>	<u>" "</u>	<u>1906 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.

Don't Know

18. Where were they born? Don't Know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't Know

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

(1) _____
(2) _____
(3) _____
(4) _____
(5) _____
(6) _____
Don't 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: for money only with the Cherokee Indians in I.T.
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Don't know

REMARKS.

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

Nellie Owens Nee Wafford is my child & I am trying to get her children on this roll for their share of eastern money.

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

witnesses, belief. J. M. Wilks (Signature) Nona Wafford
 to mark. Chas. Swope her
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of Dec 1907.
J. H. Dickson
 Notary Public.

My commission expires

Mar - 9 - 1912

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Johnson Davis
 and Jas Phagan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
 that they are well acquainted with Nona Wafford
 who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
 knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark

Signatures of Witnesses.

Johnson Davis
Jas R Phagan
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th day of Dec 1907.

My commission expires

Mar - 9 - 1910 J. H. Dickson
 Notary Public.

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

Albion Dickson
J. R. Horn
Jabson Down
Michael & Davis
Subscribed and sworn to before me this *11th* day of *December*, 1907.
J. H. Wilson
Notary Public.

My commission expires *Mar-9*, 19*10*.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the 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. *44311*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. DEC 16 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. _____

1. State your full name: Nellie Wolford Dred.
2. Residence and post office: Cherokee Nation now Oklahoma P.O. Cherokee City Okla.
3. County: Delaware
4. State: Oklahoma
5. Date and place of birth: Cherokee Nation T. T.
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: State Ours about 35
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokees
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
DC 28483	(as Wolford)		
DC 28484	(1) <u>Nsie Ours</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Aug. 9-1892</u>
DC 28485	(2) <u>Annis Ours</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>May- 1894</u>
DC 28486	(3) <u>Mary Ours</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Jan. 1897</u>
DC 28487	(4) <u>Sisla Ours</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Jan 1899</u>
	(5) _____		
	(6) _____		

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

REMARKS

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

The signature below is Mrs. Wm. Wolford's Grand mother of the above children & Mother of Nellie Ours

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

witnesses
to Mark
G. R. Huron
Orlando Dickson
(Signature) Mrs. Wm. Wolford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of December 1907.
J. H. Dickson
Notary Public.

My Commission expires
Mar-9, 1910

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me Johnson Davis and Nicholas Davis who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs Wm Wafford who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 25 years and 16 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, ~~the~~ the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Orlando Dickson
G. R. Hamm

Johnson Davis
Nicholas ^{his} Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of March, 1907.

J. H. Dickson
Notary Public.

My commission expires Mar-9, 1910.

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

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No. 44311

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

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

No. 44312

Action: Reject

Name: Fancy Fisher and 1 children.

Residence: 73rd Street La-

Reasons:

Residence through the same source as 32365-

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No. 44312

Name Nancy Belcher

With No. 44069

Remarks:

Belcher

X Wyoming

No. 44312

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Nancey Belcher

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

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44312

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Nancy Belcher

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Boyd

3. County: Wyoming

4. State: West Va

5. How old are you? Twenty two Born _____

6. Where were you born? Wyoming Co. W. Va

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy Belcher age 22

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Dorahell Belcher</u>	<u>2 years old</u>	<u>ok</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Charlotte Bishop

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Charlotte Lester

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: Wyoming Co W. Va

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

Father: _____

Mother: not born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: living

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

and with what tribe of Indians: Charles I think my grater grater

gran father had some kind of a Reservation in N.C.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>R. B. Bishop</u>	_____	_____
	<u>Luitza Bishop</u>	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Floyd Bishop</u>	_____	_____
	<u>Wally Bishop</u>	_____	_____
(3)	<u>Archie Bishop</u>	_____	_____
	<u>Alonzo Bishop</u>	_____	_____
(4)	<u>Dave Bishop</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>Abner Lester</u>	<u>Mariah Lester</u>
<u>Charles</u>	<u>Indian name</u>

18. Where were they born? Do not no

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

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

(1)	<u>John Lester</u>	<u>Bud Nwa</u>
(2)	<u>Wally Lane</u>	<u>.. ..</u>
(3)	<u>R. B. Lester</u>	<u>.. ..</u>
(4)	<u>Floyd Lester</u>	<u>.. ..</u>
(5)	<u>Luitza Neal</u>	<u>.. ..</u>
(6)	<u>Charlotte Bishop</u>	<u>.. ..</u>
	<u>Rebecca Shreve</u>	<u>.. ..</u>
	<u>Matilda Bishop</u>	<u>.. ..</u>

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

where, and with what tribe of Indians: Charles I think my great great
grandfather had some kind of a Reservation in N C

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

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Charles Charlotte Belcher &
Daughter Charlott Bishop Charlott Bishop Daughter of
Abner Lester Son of Abner Lester Abner Lester Son of
William Lester That married the Cherokee Woman

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature) Nancy Belcher

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

A. B. Wolman
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 Wm
and Barbey Belcher y sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with the a sant
who makes the foregoing application and statements have known her for 16 years and
no less 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.

Vina Maron
Barbey Belcher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 7 day of Dec 1907.

My commission expires

_____, 190

J. W. Wolman
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, if not

before a notary, etc.

No. 44313

Name Charlotte Bishop

With No. 44069

Remarks:

21 No. 44313

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Charlott Bishop

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

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. DEC 30 1907
No.

44313

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name

English name:

Charlotte Bishop

Indian name:

Cherokee

2. Residence and post office:

Paed

3. County:

Wyoming

4. State:

West Va

5. How old are you?

Twenty one Born

6. Where were you born?

Wyoming Co Wva

7. Are you married?

yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

Charlotte Bishop

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)	Lilliamy Bishop	Two years old	
(2)	W P Bishop	Too small to be a lot	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Luitza oneal

Father—English name:

Wm. oneal

Indian name:

none

Mother—English name:

Luitza oneal

Indian name:

Cherokee

Maiden name:

Luitza Lester

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Wyoming Co Wva

Mother:

'' '' ''

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

Father: mat Boneci

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 I think my grate grate gran father had some kind of a reservation in NC

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Floyd oneal</u>		
	<u>Dan oneal</u>		
(2)	<u>Abell oneal</u>		
	<u>Ada oneal</u>		
(3)	<u>Ida oneal</u>		
	<u>Nancy oneal</u>		
(4)	<u>Andy oneal</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>Abner Lester</u>	<u>Mariah Lester</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Indian name none</u>

18. Where were they born? Mc Dowell Co WVa

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

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

(1)	<u>John Lester</u>	<u>Rud Wva</u>
(2)	<u>P. B. Lester</u>	<u>'' ''</u>
(3)	<u>Polley Lane</u>	<u>'' ''</u>
(4)	<u>Floyd d Lester</u>	<u>'' ''</u>
(5)	<u>Hilda oneal</u>	<u>'' ''</u>
(6)	<u>Charlott Bishop</u>	<u>'' ''</u>
	<u>Rebecca Shrubbery</u>	<u>'' ''</u>
	<u>Matilda Bishop</u>	<u>'' ''</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee of Shins my grate grate grandfather had some kind of a Reservation in NC

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Cherokee Charlotte Bishop Daughter of Luiza oneal Luiza oneal Daughter of Abner Lester Abner Lester Son of Abner Lester Abner Lester Son of William Lester that married the Cherokee Woman

(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) Charlotte Bishop

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

A. B. Workman
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 John Bell and Luiza Bell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Applicant who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years and her years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person. She represents myself to be, 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 + Bell
Luiza + Bell

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

My commission expires _____, 190

A. B. Workman
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 64

Action: 7-2-21

Name: John P. Hill and 3 children. Residence: 121 E. 1st St. St. Paul, Minn.

Reasons:

He is a member of the same church as B. B. Hill.

44314

No. 44314
Name Hulda Gross
With No. 44069

Remarks:

No. 44314

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Hilda Grose

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. DEC 30 1907
No.

44314

**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: Hulda Grose

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Hotchkiss, Slabfork

3. County: Raleigh

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 45 Born 1863

6. Where were you born? McDowell Co., W Va

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Hulda Grose 45

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>Martha A Grose</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>1881</u>
(2)	<u>Barbara J Grose</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>1882</u>
(3)	<u>Henry H Grose</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>1884</u>
(4)	<u>Mary E Grose</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1886</u>
(5)	<u>Katharina Grose</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>1887</u>
(6)	<u>William L Grose</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1893</u>

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

Father—English name: Allen Milen

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Martha Milen

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Martha Lester

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

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

Father: McDowell Co, W Va

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: November 1905

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

William Luster had a claim with the Cherokee Indians in NC

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Rebecca Milen</u> <u>Hotchkiss W Va</u>	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Jane Cook</u> <u>Luster W Va</u>	_____	_____
(3)	<u>Barbara Luster</u> <u>Luster W Va</u>	_____	_____
(4)	<u>Lewis Milen</u> <u>Mullens W Va</u>	_____	_____
(5)	<u>Louisa Smith</u> <u>Mullens W Va</u>	_____	_____
(6)	<u>Thomas Milen</u> <u>Hotchkiss W Va</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>Abner Luster</u>	<u>Rebecca Luster</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	_____
<u>Rebecca Luster,</u>	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? _____

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

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

(1)	<u>Thomas Luster</u>	<u>Deceased</u>
(2)	<u>William Luster</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Susan Luster</u>	_____
(4)	<u>Polly Luster</u>	_____
(5)	<u>Martha Luster</u>	_____
(6)	<u>Abner Luster</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: My great Grand Father I think had some kind of claim with the Cherokee Indians in N.C.

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 Lester, my great Grand Father married a Cherokee Indian as I have been informed in N.C.

REMARKS.

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

My Mothers name Martha Milen her Fathers name Abner Lester his Fathers name William Lester, who married the Cherokee

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

(Signature) Hulda Grose

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

A. J. Mullins
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 W. F. Mullins,
and H. E. Mullins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Hulda Grose who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 5 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 This claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. F. Mullins,

H. E. Mullins.

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

My commission expires

_____, 190

A. J. Mullins
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practical Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it

notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before and executed before a notary, etc.

Louisa Lester
Mathias A Lester
John Lester
Pricie Lester Residence not known

	age	Born
No 7 Thomas C Grose	12	1895
" 8 Virginia L Grose	8	1899
" 9 Eveline Grose	6	1901
" 10 Albert L Grose	4	1903
" 11 James D Grose	" 5 mo	1907

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Rec. DEC 30 1907
EASTERN CHRONICLE
COURT OF _____

my friend and to his
[unclear] [unclear]

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 21 1908
No. 44314

card Recept.

JAN 21 1908

End Wva

Jan, 20, 1908

Guinn Miller
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

What is the
trouble that you
have not sent me
card as per statement
made by me for the
claim arising in the
fund of the Eastern
Cherokee Indians

Respectfully
Thilda Rose,

No. 44315

Action: Rejected.

Name Amanda C. Hinkle and 5 children. Residence: Woodbine, W. Va.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestor ever enrolled.
Was not established part of descent from a person
who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 and 1846.

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~~H. V. Nichols Co.~~ ?

No. 44315. ~~July 2~~

Name Amanda C. Hinkle

With No.

Remarks:

letter July 20/08

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 44315

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Amanda C. Shinkle

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. DEC 31 1907
No.

44315

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Amanda Caroline Hinkle

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Deer Creek, Nicholas Co, W. Va. (P.O. near)

3. County: Nicholas

4. State: W. Va.

5. How old are you? 30 Born 1877

6. Where were you born? Marion Co W. Va.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. M. Hinkle 36 yrs

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>W. C. Hinkle</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Nicholas Co W. Va.</u>
(2)	<u>Virginia E. Hinkle</u>	<u>10</u>	
(3)	<u>H. J. Hinkle</u>	<u>9</u>	
(4)	<u>J. P. Hinkle</u>	<u>8</u>	
(5)	<u>E. J. Hinkle</u>	<u>5</u>	
(6)	<u>T. A. Hinkle</u>	<u>1</u>	

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

J. M. Quinn Elizabeth Quinn

Father—English name: J. M. Quinn

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Quinn

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Elizabeth Quinn

12. Where were they born? father & mother in Marion Co W. Va.

Father: J. M. Quinn

Mother: Elizabeth Quinn

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

Father: Jon Oxien Kanawha
 Mother: Elizabeth Oxien

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____
 Mother: _____

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>C. M. Oxien</u> <u>Webster co W Va</u>	<u>31</u>	
(2)	<u>Marion Knight</u> <u>Curtin P. Nicholas co W Va</u>	<u>28</u>	
(3)	<u>Olin Oxien</u> <u>Curtin</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>Twin Bros.</u>
(4)	<u>Oscar Oxien</u> <u>Curtin</u>	<u>27</u>	
(5)	<u>J. A. Oxien</u> <u>Curtin</u>	<u>24</u>	
(6)	<u>L. M. Steel</u> <u>5 Weston</u>	<u>22</u> <u>W Va</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>Adam Oxien</u>	<u>Adam Cart</u>
<u>Nancy Oxien</u>	<u>Margaret Cart</u>
<u>Charles Oxien</u>	

18. Where were they born? Kentucky State

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

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

(1)	<u>A. D. Oxien</u>	<u>not living</u>
(2)	<u>S. M. Oxien</u>	<u>Woodbine Nicholas co W Va</u>
(3)	<u>Sarah Oxien</u>	<u>not living</u>
(4)	<u>Milton Oxien</u>	<u>Fayette co W Va</u>
(5)	<u>J. M. Oxien</u>	<u>Curtin</u>
(6)	<u>Harvey Oxien</u>	<u>Kanawha co W Va</u>
	<u>Alice Oxien</u>	<u>not living</u>
	<u>A. B. Cutlip</u>	<u>Craigsville W Va</u>
	<u>C. M. Oxien</u>	<u>not living</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: The Perry Blood is the Indian Blood & name upon this application is being made

REMARKS.

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

The name of my great grandfather is miles Perry upon which I obtained my ^{Indian Blood} and this application is being filled for

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

(Signature) A. C. H. [unclear]

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

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 1908.

E. P. [unclear]
Justice of Peace [unclear]
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 Jack Richie
and Don Russell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with A. C. H. [unclear]

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 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 the claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jack x Richie
Don x Russell

Jack Richie
Don Russell

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

My commission expires

Jan 1st, 1908.

E. P. [unclear]
Justice of Peace [unclear]
Notary Public

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

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Appln. No. 44515.

June 11, 1908.

Lucinda C. Hinkle,

Woodbine, W. Va.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1635-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1861? Were any of your ancestors ~~blacks~~? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WTH/ats.

affidavit of
Amanda J.
- Hinkle

BOARD OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Dec. JUN 23 1908
No. 44313.

appn. NO. 44313-

State of West Virginia Nicholas County to wit;

This Day Amanda C. Hinkle

personally appeared before me E. B. Crew a Justice
of said County and being by me first duly sworn
deposes and says

subscribed. I cannot say why they were
not included

see

and location

-Amanda, C. Hinkle

20th

June

7.29.

APP. No. 44315

July 20, 1908.

Amanda C. Hinkle,
Woodbine, W. Va.

Madam:-

On June 11, 1908 a letter was sent to you from this office requesting additional information in regard to your Eastern Cherokee claim. No letter has been received from you in reply to that letter, and unless you furnish the additional information as requested below, your claim will be rejected. The information required is:

1. Why were you, your parents and 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?

Give any other information you can tend to substantiate your right to share in this fund.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

BY

Ass't to Special Commissioner.

FST/LJC

No. 44316.

Action: Reject.

Name Susie Cowden and 3. children. Residence: Konawa, Alaska.

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 Chukchees.

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No. 44316. Field &

Name Lucie Bowden.

With No. Aha abn

Remarks:

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 44316

Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION

OF

Lutie Crowden

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

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent

KONAWA

I. T. *Cagle*

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. DEC 31 1907 No.
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Comissiononer 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 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: *Lusie Cowden*
Indian name: *Kelley And Britton*
2. Residence: *Honawa I. T. Oklahoma*
3. Town and post office: *Honawa I. T. "*
4. County: *Seminole*
5. State: *Oklahoma*
6. Date and place of birth: *Missouri. April 13. th 1880*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: *I claim through my Mother and ^{and} Tilita Kelley Grandmother, ^{Great Grandmother} Her name was Britton. Mother of Tilita Kelley.*
8. Are you married? *yes*
9. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: *Charlie Cowden age 34 yrs*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *Samuel Nicholson*
Indian name: *none*
Mother—English name: *Lucinda Nicholson*
Indian name: *Kelley and Britton*
Maiden name: *Lucinda Kelley*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *In Missouri*
Mother: *In Missouri*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *In Missouri*
Mother: *In Missouri*
13. Date of death of your father and mother:
Father: *Still Living* Mother: *June 19th 1896*

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) Ben Nicholson	age 23.	
(2) Ina Cole ^{nee} Nicholson	30	
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S
Benjamin Nicholson	Silila Kellee
Harriett Nicholson	nee Britton Indian
nee Russell	

17. Where were they born? they lived in Missouri
dont know if they were born there

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

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

(1) English name: Have no aunts or uncles
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:

Parents Lemuel Nicholson
Lucinda Nicholson nee Kelley Cherokee Indian
Tilila Kelley nee Britton Grandmother Cherokee
Indian ^{great} Grandmother Britton dont know her
first name.

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 Jusie Cowden

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

My commission expires

March 17, 1909

J. M. Davis
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me R. W. Trapp and C. C. Cole, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are

well acquainted with Jusie Cowden, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and 8 years, respectively, and know her to be identical person she represents herself to be, 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.

Witness to mark

Signature of witness

R. W. Trapp
C. C. Cole

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

My commission expires

March 17, 1909

J. M. Davis
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.

Lucinda

Senioble

W. C. Cagle
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of December, 1907.
W. C. Cagle
Notary Public.
My commission expires March 17, 1909.

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

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Susie Cowden

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

FILED BY
AND P. CAGLE,
AGENT,
KODIAK, - INDIAN AGENCY.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. DEC 31 1907
No. _____

Susie

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

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

1. State your full name: Susie Cowden
2. Residence and post office: Honawa, I. T. Okla
3. County: Seminole
4. State: Oklahoma I. T.
5. Date and place of birth: April 19th 1880
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Charlie Cowden age 34 yrs
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Lemuel C. Cowden</u>	<u>7 Years</u>	<u>May 30, 1900</u>
(2)	<u>Ed. Cowden</u>	<u>5 "</u>	<u>Sept. 25, 1902</u>
(3)	<u>Gladys Cowden</u>	<u>3 "</u>	<u>Jan 3, 1904</u>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

REMARKS

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

I claim through my Mother Luinda Nicholson nee Kelly and Grand Mother Silila Kelly nee Britton and Great Grandmother Britton

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

(Signature) Susie Cowden

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

W. M. Davis
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

March 17, 1907

Seminole

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. W. Trapp and C. C. Cole who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Lucie Cowden who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 3 years and 8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

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.....

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of December, 1907.

R. W. Trapp
C. C. Cole
W. M. Davis
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 17, 1909.

S. ...

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the 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 CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Lucie Cowden

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

FILED BY
ANTHONY P. CAGLE,
AGENT
KOLANNA, IND.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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Appln. No. 44316.

June 11, 1908.

Susie Cowden,

Nowata, Oklahoma.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

js/mo.

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ANDERSON P. CAGLE,

CLAIM AGENT AND COUNTY SURVEYOR,

SEMINOLE COUNTY.

Appln # 44316

Konawa, Okla., July 16th 1908

Gideon Miller

Special Commissioner

U. S. Court of Claims

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir

In regards to claim for Eastern Cherokee funds for Susie Cowden, No. 44316, Konawa, Okla. she says her Ancestors lived in Missouri in 1851 and in Georgia in 1835-36. none were ever Slaves. I am considered white in community in which I live. My blood is White and Cherokee Indian. Indian Ancestors names as follows. Mother, Lucinda Nicholson, nee Kelly, ^{Born in} Missouri Grandmother Tibila Kelly, nee Britton Indian name. Kelly is Indian name also. Great Grandmother Britton I do not know her Christian name she was the Mother of Tibila Kelly

Yours Truly

Anderson P Cagle

For Mrs Susie Cowden

Konawa, Okla

No 44316

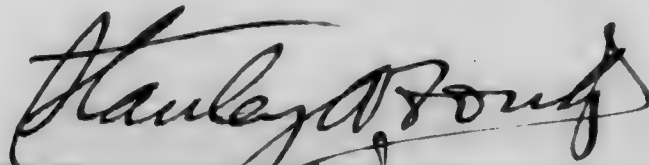
No. 44316

Charlie Cowden, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Charlie Cowden; my post-office is Konawa, Seminole Co., Okla.; I am appearing as a witness for my wife, Susie Cowden, who is unable to appear; my wife claims relationship to the Cherokee Indians through her mother, Telila Kelly who was one-quarter Cherokee; my wife was born in Camden Co., Mo. in 1880; her mother was born in Missouri in 1850; she claims through her mother whose name was Britton, I do not know her given name; her grand-mother Britton was born in Georgia, I do not know what section; she was three-quarters Cherokee; they were never enrolled and never received any land or money from the government.

~~Charlie Cowden (Signed)~~

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



Assistant to Special Commissioner
of Court of Claims.

Reject
S.A.H.

No. 44317

Action: *Rejected.*

Name *Julia Allen* and *1* children.

Residence: *212 Elgin Ave.*
Muskogee, Okla.

Reasons:

applicant was a slave

(See letter, inc.)

44317

~~Reject~~

No. 44317.

Name Julia Allen

With No. ~~44317~~

Remarks: Grouped herewith
are nos. 44451, 44453,
44457, 44468, 44907

Filed too late.
Ancestors not on Rolls.
&
Were Slaves.

No. 44317

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Julia Allen ne Wadley

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. DEC 31 1907
No.

44317

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

Sir:

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

Indian name: Julia Wadey,

2. Residence and post office: 212 Elgin Av. Muskogee,

3. County: Muskogee County,

4. State: Oklahoma.

5. How old are you? about 56, Born about 1851

6. Where were you born? Sequoyah District, Ind. Ter.

7. Are you married? Widow.

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: Dead

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Minnie Offord nee Allen.</u>	<u>24,</u>	<u>Sept, 20, 1883</u>
(2)	<u>Rosie Wilber, nee "</u>	<u>26,</u>	<u>Mch. 15, 1881,</u>
(3)	<u>Johnnie Allen</u>	<u>21,</u>	<u>1886.</u>
(4)	<u>Alice Crook, nee, Allen,</u>	<u>28,</u>	<u>1889</u>
(5)	<u>Mary Allen</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890</u>
(6)			

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

Margaret Wadey, nee Margaret Stanway,

Father—English name: Henry Wadey,

Indian name: Henry Wadey

Mother—English name: Margaret Wadey

Indian name: Margaret Wadey,

Maiden name: Margaret Stanway

12. Where were they born? Near Macon, Georgia,

Father: " " "

Mother: By report, Georgia.

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

Father: Sequoyah District, I. T.
Mother: " " " " ~~Xxxxxxxx~~

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 14 years ago. near Green leaf mountain, Tahlequah district.
Mother: About 40 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: Don't know.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Euna Wadey,</u>	<u>about 1879</u>	<u>1900</u>
	<u>Will Wadey</u>	<u>2 1881</u>	<u>shot, 4 or 5 yrs ago.</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>Henry Stanway,</u>	<u>Henry Stanway,</u>
<u>Jim Brown,</u>	.....
.....
.....

18. Where were they born? Georgia

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

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

(1)	<u>Browns</u>	.....
(2)	<u>Boudinots,</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: _____

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 made in behalf of Julia Allen nee Julia Wadey who is of unsound mind and has been of sound mind about 15 years but worse for last five years, by *Jonah Lewis*

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

Rosa Wilburn
Minnie Offord (Signature) *Jonah X Lewis*
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of December 1907.

Oliver E. Greener
Notary Public.

My commission expires Aug. 4, 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 ~~Oliver E. Greener, Notary Public.~~ Laura Washington
and Louisa Brewer, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jonah Lewis who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and 35 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Rosa Wilburn
Minnie Offord

Signatures of Witnesses.

Laura Washington
Louisa Brewer

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

My commission expires Aug. 4, 1907

Oliver E. Greener
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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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June 18/ 1908.

Julis Allen,
212 Egin Avenue,
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation
in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your
parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were
any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6
and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through
whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835
and 1846? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Are you
now as white or colored in the community in which you
live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Trustee of the 7-3-18.

Guion Miller
Wash D.C.

Dear Sir,

I am answering to your
letter of the 10th inst. by
I hope you will find it
satisfactory. I am
very truly yours
S. W. Miller

and in my
I was not a
General Stan. Waiter was here
in 1835 and was
back to Georgia and
about 1836. My
Waiter was a slave of
and also a daughter of General S. Waiter.
My grandmother on my
side was a colored woman.

General Stan. Waiter resided in
the Chesapeake after 1835
until his death. I claim through
General Stan. Waiter and through Waiter
I am a colored in the community
in which I live.

Very resp.
Julia Allen
212 E. 17th Ave.

COUNTY CLERK
EASTERN CHEROKES
Rec. JUL 10 1908
No. 44317

Handwritten notes:
The
Company
of
the
Eastern
Cherokee
County
Georgia

(Capt. M. H. 317)

Washington
D.C.

Dear Sir,

Referring to my first question, as to how
I was supposed to be in a certain state
of mind for the purpose of the same
name being entered there by the same
agent to serve the purpose of the same
to be done. My grandfather General St. Clair
was a full blood Cherokee Indian, and was
enrolled with the militia at the time of the
war, and was one of my mother's ancestors.
St. Clair was the name of General St. Clair, and
was never enrolled because he was
a colored man, and at that time
they were slaves.

My grandmother was
a slave of General St. Clair.

My grandfather, General St. Clair,
was a full blood Cherokee Indian.

General St. Clair was a full blood
Cherokee Indian from 1855 to 1857
(over)

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My father's name is James Allen
and he was a slave of the State of Georgia

I have for many years been the
owner of the land on which he lived.
Very Respectfully,
Julian Allen

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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send
notice
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Sturpage, Okla May 25th 1939

Mr. [unclear]
Gillon Mills.

Special Commission of the Court of
Claims.

Sir, I wish to call your attention to
Application No 44317 obliging me
to segregate my allotment in
Township 24 range 11. one
portion of my allotment if you
have been in Dec. 1 and the
balance in Dec. 12 of the town
ships.

Yours truly

J. H. S. Julia [unclear]
No 212 [unclear] and
Sturpage, Okla

No. 44318.

Action: *Rejected.*

Name *Alois W. Parrish* and *2* children. Residence: *Meridian, Miss.*

Reasons:

Claims through same source as # 44282.

No. 42311

Name *Alfred W. Smith*

With No. 42715

Remarks:

No. 44318

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Alvis W. Parrish

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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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44 318

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Alvis Wilbert Parrish, for minors

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Meridian

3. County: Lauderdale

4. State: Mississippi

5. How old are you? 29 Born Mar. 18th 1878

6. Where were you born? Marion, Alabama

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lula Parrish, 31 years

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Maud Parrish</u>	<u>8 years</u>	<u>1898</u>
(2)	<u>Flora Parrish</u>	<u>6 "</u>	<u>1901</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Ivory Parrish

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Flora Parrish

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Flora Myatt

12. Where were they born?

Father: Near Marion, Ala.

Mother: " Marion, Ala.

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

Father: Marion Alabama

Mother: Marion Alabama

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.
42-44	(1) Charles H. Parrish	26 yrs. 1881	
	Marion, Ala.		
	(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.
Eli Parrish	Enoch Myatt
Arribelle Parrish	Lucinda Myatt

18. Where were they born? Near Lexington, Ky. & Jacksonville, Ala.

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

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

- (1) Prince Albert Myatt Marion, Alabama
- (2) Charles Henry Myatt Attalla, Alabama
- (3) Gerie Mickerson Birmingham, Ala.
- (4) Flora Parrish Marion, Ala.
- (5) Lucinda Benford Birmingham, Ala.
- (6)

21. Have 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, Ivory Parrish and Flora Parrish nee, Flora Myatt. Grand Parents Enock Myatt & Lucinda Myatt. - Great Parents: George Harris & Lucy Harris.

REMARKS.

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

I have been told that the father of Lucy Harris, my great-grandmother, was a full Cherokee Indian & through my mother, the grand daughter of Lucy Harris, I file this claim in behalf of my minor children.

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

(Signature) Alvis Wilbert Parrish,

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

My commission expires

Thos Curry
Register in Chancery 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 A. C. Webb
and F. H. Parish, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Alvis Wilbert Parrish 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.

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

My commission expires

_____, 190

Thos Curry
Register in Chancery Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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 31 1907
No. 218

Marion, Ala.

Dec. 25 - 07

Mr. Union Miller.

Spl. Comm.

Enclosed find application blank, which has been filled to the best of my ability.

Hope you will give your consideration.

Please send Receipt card to:

Alvin W. Cassish
Marion, Ala.

Marion, Ala.
Dec. 29-07

Mr. Quion Miller,
Spl. Comm. of
Court of Claims
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:

On Dec. 25th

I mailed you an application Blank, thro mistake. Rather I do not know just what I sent to you, but I know that I did not send what I intended to send. Inclosed please find application Blank which I would have sent Dec. 25th ~~and~~ It has been filled to the best of my ability

I hope you will con-
sider and file this claim.
I also hope that you
will Return the other
blank or whatever
it was I sent you
as soon as possible.
Please send Receipt
to Alvin W. Parrish
Marion, Ala.

No. 44319

Action: *Reject*

Name *Harriet L. Eddy* and *—* children. Residence: *Rupert, Arkansas.*

Reasons:

*Grandniece of #529, and claims through
the same ancestors.*

44319

Reject - ?

No. 4-319

Name ~~John -~~

With No. 529.

Remarks: ~~Additional information~~

~~2-2-1916~~

~~529 776~~

~~John~~

Filed too late.

Ancestors not enrolled.

Reject
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No. 44819

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Harriette L. Eddy,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. DEC 31 1907
No.

BENJAMIN WOOD

1872

44819

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Harriet L. Eddy.
Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Rupert

3. County: Van Buren

4. State: Arkansas

5. How old are you? 27 Born 1880

6. Where were you born? NC

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Eddy 28, years

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

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

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

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

Father—English name: John A. Forrester
Indian name: Cherokee
Mother—English name: Elizabeth Forrester
Indian name: none
Maiden name: Willson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Macon Co, NC,
Mother: Yancey Co, NC,

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

Father: do not know

Mother: " - " - "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 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: yes in 1907

Western Cherokee

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lee	1883	
	Rupert		
(2)	Alexander	1885	
	Rupert		
(3)	Henry J.	1889	
	Rupert		
(4)	Kansas M.	1892	
	Rupert		
(5)	Alabama	1894	
	Rupert		
(6)	Hannah N.	1898	
	Rupert		
	John D.	Born 1903,	

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

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
3780	James Forrester	Anna Forrester
	George W. Willson	Nancy Willson

18. Where were they born? can not tell

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) can not tell
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

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

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.

attest Nora Jones (Signature) Harriett L. Eddy

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

Thos. Jones J. P.
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct. 30th, 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 Eliza M. Jones

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

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 2 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.

Eliza M. Jones
Nora Jones

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

My commission expires Oct 30, 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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Appln. #44319.

June 16, 1908.

Marriett A. Bady,
Rupert, Arkansas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in the fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
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Appn no 44319

Respect Ask Aug 22 1 908

Mr quiond Miller Special Commissioner of
The Court of Claims My Dear Sir My Parents were
never enrolled I am in this last enrollment
and ^{my} ~~my~~ grandparents was never enrolled I
cant tell and I would think that the Dear more
and the Miller was in the treaties of 1833-6 of
whom I claim my share of the Cherokee lands
My ancestors Resided in Macon Co Ga
in 1833-6 1846 if any of my ancestors was
ever Slaves I Dont know it and as for
myself I Pass as Whites and not as
Colored

Yours Truly

Harriett F Eddy

Respect Ask

No. 44320.

Action: Reject

Name Louisa Parker and X children. Residence: Waverly, U.S.

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 Cherokee. Application filed too late.

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Sec 41549

No. 4330

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Louis 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.

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RECEIVED EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. DEC 31 1907 No.

BEVERLY A. LOUISWOOD.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Louisa Parker

SIR:

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

names of children, ages, date of birth.

Ida F Allen	was Born	October the 8	1882.
Pettia Gerson	was Born	June the 17	1884
Fenia Dadd	was Born	April the 24	1885
^{William} Elizabeth Dyer	was Born	August the 21	1887
Ileania Parker	was Born	January the 21	1892
Alleganah Parker	was Born	June the 7	1893

was born Cherokee Indian her children name was Daller ^{at ford}

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: F. F. Parker
William H. Parker

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

Father—English name:	<u>Jackson Anderson</u>	age <u>87</u>
Indian name:		<u>72</u>
Mother—English name:	<u>Doller Anderson</u>	age <u>72</u>
Indian name:		
Maiden name:	<u>Doller Metcalf</u>	

11. Where were they born?

Father: Madison 1' 6
Mother: Madison 1' 6

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

Father: Madison 1' 6
Mother: Madison 1' 6

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: dead Mother: living

names of children, ages, dates of birth.

Ida F Allen was Born October the 8 1882.

Rettia Greson was Born June the 17 1884

Fenia Dadd was Born April the 24 1885

^{William} Glenland Decker was Born August the 21 1887

Ileania Decker was Born January the 21 1892

Allaghanian Decker was Born June the 7 1893

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

Louisa Parker

SIR:

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

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence:

3. Town and post office:

4. County:

5. State:

6. Date and place of birth:

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: my Right is Bury The
of parents my grate grand Mother
Dolley Metcalf was a full blood
eastern Cherokee Indian her
Maiden name was Dolley ^{of ford}

8. Are you married?

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

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

Father—English name:

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Indian name:

Maiden name:

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother:

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

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

Mother:

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

*was enrolled in 1851 in Wadsworth Valley Oxford
money or land or benefits ^{in 1851} ~~in 1851~~*

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

- | | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|------------------|------|------|
| (1) | James Anderson | | |
| (2) | Ferie Anderson | | |
| (3) | Gather Anderson | | |
| (4) | Elisabeth Manney | | |
| (5) | Mary Robinson | | |
| (6) | Louinda Manney | | |

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
James Metcalf	Dolley Oxford
This is his wife Nancy Metcalf	
Jacobe Metcalf age 80 died in 1882	
Betsy Metcalf age 87 died in 1880	

17. Where were they born? *in Wadsworth County*

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

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

- English name: *grate grand father children*
Indian name: *binda bharner*
Residence: *same bharner*
- English name: *Charle Marie*
Indian name: *Ramy B. bharner*
Residence: *Gold Cross Road Brothers James*
- English name: *Metcalf Daniel Metcalf Ferie Metcalf*
Indian name: *grate grand father children*
Residence: *Linn Metcalf*
- English name: *Daniel Metcalf*
Indian name: *Ferie Metcalf*
Residence: *Filda Gilles*
- English name: *Lineta Kaulford*
Indian name: *James bharner*
Residence:

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

*I want to be enrolled in on
my own right by my blood right
or my self buy the Oxford right*

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

I have all ways Bine taught that my grate grand mother was a full blood eastern Cherokee indian

REMARKS.

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

my grate grand mother claimed her indian blood she said the indians was her people Buy Right Buy Blood I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D.C. my attorney with a fee of 10%.

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

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

(Signature.) *Louisa Parker*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24* day of *Dec*, 190*7*.

My commission expires *Jan*, 190*8* *J. W. Anderson*
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *J. M. Anderson* and *J. B. Anderson*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Louisa Parker*, 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 *she* represents *her self* and that the statements made by *us* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *said* claim.

Witnesses to mark. *J. M. Anderson* Signatures of witnesses. *J. B. Anderson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24* day of *Dec*, 190*7*.

My commission expires *Jan*, 190*8* *J. W. Anderson*
Notary Public.

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The 23 1907

December
dear miss Belinda
if Dalley of ford
was enrolled unknown
if she reciaed every
Money or every Land
or every Benefits unknown
The Maney's is all
a distant Blood
connection to me But
they aint a close or nie
connection to me
they are a distant off
connection Blood connection
to me Dalley of ford had
a Brother Johnnian
of ford James Metcalf
Married Dalley of ford
& Brought her to Madison N.C.
County they died & is
Bared here in the same
County N.C.

2

my grate grand father
& grate mother was Beard
Just 1 mile from where
I live in maeliso county
N.C.

J. J. Parker to Mrs.
Belt

Behava. Lock. road

1

December the 13 1907

Mrs Belra. a Lock Wood Please
I want you to file my Blank in
fore me I have a Right Buy my
own Bloed To Be enroalled fore
my self I am of the indain
Bloed my self my Right comes
from the Oxford indain
connection to the eastern Cherokee
indains peopel told me gist
to put in on my husband Claim
it would do as well But I want
my Blank filed in fore my own
Bloed Right if it aint to late

2

if it is necessary I will have
my Blank witnessed & the
county seal put on it if yo
want that don or if it is necessary
to yo can send it Back to me &
then I will send it Back to yo
a gain But if yo can with out
do so please oblige if yo can
fix it with out send it Back if
yo can. J. L. Darker To Mrs

Belra. a Lock. Wood.

Please fix my Blank if it aint to late
some peopel calles my Mothers
peopel mad caps But the Right
Name is Metball

No. 44321

Action: *Revised*

2930 Walnut St.,

~~1529 24th St.~~

Name *King Davis* and *5* children.

Residence: *Denver, Col.*

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled.

Does not establish fact of descent from a person who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6th 1846.

Filed too late.

*Ancestors were
See letter - also exceptions*

44321

No. 44321.

~~Rept~~ - ?

Name King Davis

With No.

Remarks:

Investigate as to minor
children -

Filed too late.

Ancestors not enrolled.

4 file

No. 4531

o EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

of

King J. Davis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1896, 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. JAN 2 1906
No.

125-A

Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Please make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 1, 1906, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The certificate of identity is herewith submitted.

1. Name: *King, J. James*

Birth name:

Indian name:

2. Residence: *1329-24 St*

3. Town and county:

4. County: *City of Denver*

5. State: *Colorado*

6. Date and place of birth: *Date 17 of December 61 - 18 61*

7. To whom did you marry? If you have ever been married, state the name of each of them separately.

8. State the date of each marriage.

9. How long have you been married?

10. How long have you been married? *26 years old tall and good all*

11. How long have you been married, and give the date of each marriage.

12. Name of wife: *Bettie Davis Bet S Davis*

13. Name of husband: *Bettie Davis*

14. Name of mother:

15. Name of father:

16. Where was the place of your birth? *Sumpter County Georgia*

17. Name of mother: *Bettie Davis*

18. Name of father: *Bettie Davis*

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19. Where did they live? If you have ever been married, state the name of each of them separately.

20. Name of mother: *Sumpter County Georgia*

21. Name of father: *Sumpter County Georgia*

22. Date of death of your mother and father.

23. Name of mother:

24. Name of father:

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.
1705	(1) Susan Davis		
	(2) Louis Davis		
	(3) Samuel Davis		
30266	(4) Annie Davis		
10543	(5) Oscar Davis		
	(6) Myrtle - Davis		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

17. Where were they born? _____

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

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

(1) English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

(2) English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

(3) English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

(4) English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

(5) English name: _____

Indian name: _____

Residence: _____

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

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

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) *Kingel Davis*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27th* day of *December*, 190*7*

My commission expires

....., 190

Wason M. Stearns
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *John T. Williams* and *Benjamin Lewis*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Henry Joseph Davis*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *him* for *23* years and *25* years, respectively, and know *him* to be the identical person *he* represents *him* to be, and that the statements made by *him* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *the* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

John T. Williams
Benjamin Lewis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *27* day of *December*, 190*7*

My commission expires

....., 190

Wason M. Stearns
Notary Public.

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Signatures of Witnesses.

William Armstrong
John J. Williams
day of *February* 190*8*
Wason M. ...
Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

My commission expires _____, 190 .

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No. *HH 321*

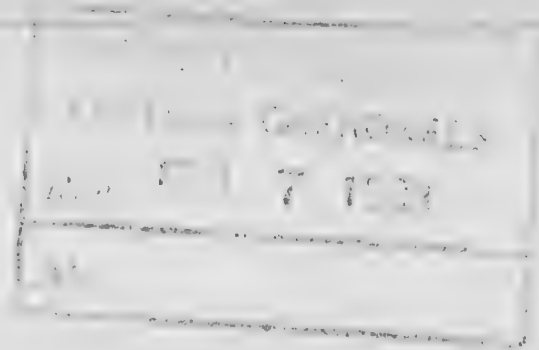
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

King Joseph Davis
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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



Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

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

1. State your full name: King Joseph Davis, age 46 yrs.
2. Residence and post office: 13 29 24th Street
3. County: Denver
4. State: Colorado
5. Date and place of birth: 17th Dec. Walker Co. Georgia.
6. Are you married? Yes.
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Caroline Miller ^{age 36 yrs.} Goodall; wife of King J. Davis
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None.
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Lewis Davis	17	1891
(2)	Claud Davis	13	1894
(3)	Fritabell Davis	8	1899
(4)	Joseph Davis	5	1902
(5)	Naomi Lula Davis	2	1905
(6)			

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

REMARKS

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

Daniel Davis was my master, in Lumpkin Co. Baker Davis, wife of Daniel Davis, all in Georgia

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

(Signature) King J. Davis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of February 1906

W. A. [Signature]
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 William Armstrong and John J. Williams who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with King Joseph Davis who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known 20 ^{years} for 20 years and 28 years, respectively, and know them to be the identical persons them represents them to be, and that on May 28, 1906, them had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by them are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William Armstrong
John J. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

3 day of February, 1906

Wason M. Deary
Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 1906

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No. 44321

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

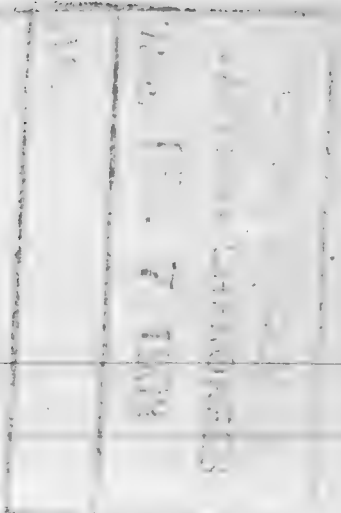
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

King Joseph 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.



COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 44321

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Application No. 44321

Denver, Colo.,

Jan. 20th 1908

Mr. Guion Miller

Special Commissioner:-

Dear Sir:-

I thought I would drop you
me a few lines to inform you that,
that Notary Public made a mistake
in my name, my name is King
Joseph Davis, instead of King J. Long
and he did not put my children's
names on there right, my children's

names are Lewis Davis 17 yrs. old

Clara " 13 yrs. "

Etta " 8 " "

Joseph " 5 " "

Harrietta " 2 " "

What must I do about it, I would
like for you to give me some
information about it, please

and I will be more than obliged you
Obliged Me.
King Joseph Davis
1329-24th Street,

App. No. 44321.

January 27, 1908.

King Joseph Davis,

1329 Twenty-fourth Street,

Denver, Colorado.

Sir:-

In compliance with your request of January 20, 1908, a supplemental application blank is inclosed, herewith, and you should fill out this application in behalf of your minor children, and return the blank to this office at your early convenience.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NDC.

1 inclosure.

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Appln. No. 41321.

June 10, 1908.

Mr. Davis,
1329 24th Street,
Denver, Colorado.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled. Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1845? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1845. Were any of your ancestors slaves? Be you white or colored? In the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 22 1908
No. 44321

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JUN 18 1908

Denver, Colorado

The reason my parents and grand parents never called or applied for a pension they were unlearned in the law and never knew how to come before your honorable body for an ~~new~~ ^{annuity} my father's name was Jeff Davis and my mother's name was Betty Davis they resided in 1835 and 1831 in Lumpkin County, Georgia, and all were slaves, and are all pass as colored King Henry

1329-24 St Denver Colorado

JUN 18 1908

Denver Colorado

Came before me this day King Davis who is personally known to me who signed his name & swore to this paper for the uses & purposes set forth

By Commission Expires Mar 16, 1911

Wm. M. Deane
Notary Public

2728 Larimer St. Denver Colorado

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. DEC 15 1908
No. 44521

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DEC 15 1908

No. 44821

Denver, Colo.,

Dec. 11th 1908

U. S. Court of Claims,
Office of Special Commissioner,
Curay Building,
Washington, D. C.
Mr. Guion Miller:

Dear Sir:

I ~~drop~~ ^{drop} you
of these few lines to ask for some
information in regards of my
rights I am here in Denver working
and did not get the news in time
of that ^{the} Commissioners were there
in Cinita ^{Okl.} until my Uncle Ed.
Davis written me a letter and
said the Court was closed and

if you can give me any information
I will be more than obliged to you, I
intend go there ^(Dinwiddie) this fall, but I was
working ~~hard~~ steady here and did
not realize that court was going to
open up before spring, I am very
sorry I was not there this fall but
times being dull there and I had
a steady job I have just keep on
working.

Oblige

Yours truly

King J. Davis

1329 - 24th Street.

Denver Colo.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
No. FEB 25 1910

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Application #44821

+ Excess with Ref.

2930 Walnut Street,
Denver, Colo.,

Feb. 20th 1910

Mr. Union Miller: - Special
Com. of the Court of Claims
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment.
601 Curay Bldg, Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:

I written to you some
time ago, in regards to the last
affidavit. I send you in reply to a
notice, I receive from you to fill out
some exception, & you told me that
you could not give me answer
untill after 30th of August & I have
not heard from you, & I thought I
would write to you again, & I heard
near in Denver that the enrollment
comes off in March, & would like

to please inform me whether
it would be advisable for me
to go down to Vinita, please excuse
me for interrupting you, but I would
like some advice in regards what
to do, hoping to hear from you soon
as possible

Yours truly
Fling Davis

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No. 44322.

Action: Reject

Name Bulah Long and X children. Residence: Fort Cobb, Okla.

Reasons:

1. no ancestor ever enrolled.
2. " " was party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Application filed too late.
4. Applicant is unable to answer questions regarding ancestry.

44322

~~Reject~~ - ?

No. 44322.

Name Bulah Wong.

With No.

Remarks: Filed. Filed.

Filed too late

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 1122

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

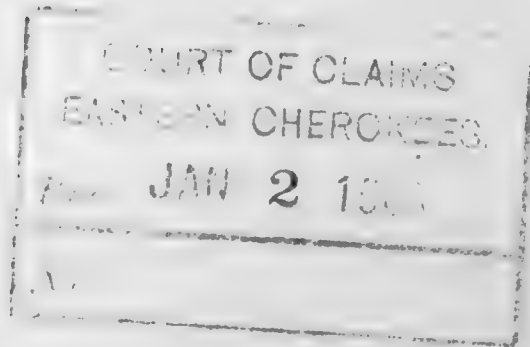
APPLICATION

OF

Bulah Long

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

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C. W. Ludwick
Trustee
Okla.

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: *Bulah Lang, Formerly Bulah Blair*

Indian name: *2*

2. Residence: *Fart Cobb, Okla*

3. Town and post office: *Fart Cobb, Okla*

4. County: *Caddo*

5. State: *Oklahoma*

6. Date and place of birth: *September 2nd 1878*

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

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *Robert Lang*

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

Father—English name: *George W. Blair*

Indian name: *do not know Indian name*

Mother—English name: *Martha Blair*

Indian name:

Maiden name: *Martha Terry*

11. Where were they born? *PA*

Father: *Tennessee*

Mother: *Ringold Co. Georgia*

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

Father: *Cherokee Nation*

Mother: *Cherokee Nation*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *Dec. 28-1891*

Mother: *Oct. 6-1899*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes. I think it was in 1890*

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Dosie Blair</i>	<i>Dec. 23 = 1861</i>	
(2)	<i>Josephine Blair</i>	<i>Oct 1st 1885</i>	
(3)	<i>Sam Blair</i>	<i>June 20th 1877</i>	
(4)	<i>Dora Blair</i>	<i>Mar 18. 1862</i>	
(5)	<i>Sam Blair</i>	<i>Jul 20. = 1867</i>	
(6)	<i>Five Children</i>	<i>Dead. Names unknown</i>	<i>and ages</i>

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>May Bell Keese</i>	<i>16713 Caroline Patts</i>
<i>Calvin Morgan Blair</i>	<i>Bill Terry</i>

17. Where were they born? *I don't know*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Arkansas, near Bates P.O.*

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

(1) English name: *Do not know only my father & mother*
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

(2) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

(3) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

(4) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

(5) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *Yes. 1890 = at Miscoogee. or Vinita*

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

Can not give them

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.

Bulah Long formerly Bulah Rain
(Signature.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19th* day of *December*, 1907.

My commission expires

May 2, 19*11*

C. W. Ludwick

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 *Frank B. Haisington* and *Lula Haisington*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Bulah Long*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *7* years and *6* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Frank B Haisington

Lula Haisington

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *19th* day of *December*, 1907.

My commission expires

May 2, 19*11*

C. W. Ludwick

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. 118.
A.C.T. 118.

Acting Commissioner.

Very Respectfully,

and the matter has been so stated.

This application is sent you for a distributive section

Chief Clerk, Oklahoma, to appear in the Eastern Cherokee Department.

I enclose herewith an application signed by John Turner, of

OKL:

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

To Honorable

Document.
IN DEPARTMENT OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
WASHINGTON, D. C.
RECEIVED JAN 2 1903

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. JAN 2 1903
No.

Winkler, Oklahoma, Dec. 29th, 1902.

REFER IN REPLY TO THE FOLLOWING:

19223-1907

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
COMMISSIONER TO THE FIVE CIVILIZED TRIBES.

Muskogee, Oklahoma, December 26, 1907.

Subject:
Application to
Bulah Lang to share
in Eastern Cherokee
payment.

The Honorable

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Sir:

I enclose herewith an application signed by Bulah Lang, of
Fort Cobb, Oklahoma, to share in the Eastern Cherokee payment.

This application is sent you for appropriate action
and the writer has been so advised.

Very respectfully,

W. M. C.
Acting Commissioner.

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Encl. 118.

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COUNTY CLAIMS
SOUTHERN CHEROKEES.
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Gay Term October the 3-1908

The special Commissioner of Indian Affairs Dear Sir I wish to make the following statements relative to my claim No 28507 I was notified to meet your agent in Madisonville ^{Term} but did not get the notice till the day I was to meet the Examiner I got my notice in the evening that day to late to go but had I had the notice in time it would have been out of my power to have gone for the reason six or 5 days after the date I was to be in Madisonville I was made the brother of 2 boy children so you see from this statement I could not have been there I am now of the white race of people, as to the enrollment cant give no cause, my people are not on the roll my father's name was Andrew Lovel and his mother's name was Mary Matilda Lanell Lovel Maider's name was Mrs. L. Smith some time went by white. I cant explain this but you might find my father on roll he was a live when last heard from last summer he was said to be in Dunlap Ala my sister Liza Lovel is in the Territory or was in the Territory last summer my people lived in N.C. and my Father's mother was killed in N.C. my Grand Father was killed in time of the Civil War my Father's people are his mother's side were Cherokee & lived in N.C. & Tenn all their lives that is his mother

my mother died while I was young & Father married again I cant explain how we are connected through the blood

personally appeared before me Geo W Esbill a
Notary Public for Ansonias County Tenn Sam Laneller
an Freeman who made oath to the above
statements made by her on this the 3 day
of October 1908 Geo W Esbill
a Notary Public

CLERK OF COURTS
ANSONIAS COUNTY, TENN.
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COMMISSIONER TO THE	
No.	Received

Lang, Bulan,
Fort Cobb, Okla.

Application to share in
Eastern Cherokee payment'

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEE
Rec. JAN 2 1963

OFFICERS.

HENRY EVANS, President.
GEORGE E. KLINE, Vice-President.
J. E. LOPEZ, } Secretaries.
E. L. BALLARD, }
C. R. TUTTLE, } Ass't. Secretaries.
J. A. SWINNERTON, }

THE CONTINENTAL INSURANCE CO.

OF NEW YORK.

WESTERN DEPARTMENT
280 LA SALLE STREET, CHICAGO, ILLS.

ASSETS.

JULY 1st, 1907.

Reserve for Insurance in force....	\$7,031,544.00
Reserve for losses and all claims..	583,698.99
Reserve for Contingencies.....	250,000.00
Capital paid in in cash.....	1,000,000.00
Net Surplus.....	8,001,894.59
Total Gross Assets.....	\$16,867,137.58

C. W. LUDWICK, Agent,
Fort Cobb, Okla.

*Advised Bulok Sang
Fort Cobb
Okla.*

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Appln. No. 44322.

June 10, 1908.

Louisa Long,

Fort Cobb, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Western Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1866? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1866? Were you a slave Indian? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you know of any colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund. Answers to these questions will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 20 1908
No. 44372

Fort Cobb, Oklahoma
July 17th, 1908.

Guion Miller Esq
Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Again ~~with~~ relative to application of Beulah Long, formerly Beulah Blair Application # 44322 Cherokee Indian will say that her father was enrolled, as near as she can state in 1886; as George Blair or ~~John Blair~~ G.W.Blair. she also had a brother enrolled by the name of J.L.Blair or John Lee Ondus Blair, and went by the name of Alonzo when a boy. there are three or four of this family, besides applicant, will you kindly send me about 3 applications so we can get these all in together and will be much easier for all and will assist in record. Now none of this family have ever drawn any pay of any kind so they claim. claimant is not able to answer your questions contained in letter of the 10th, (June) but she can so she says get some old acquaintances to make affidavit, as to their residence in 1835-6, They are not Caddo Indians, nor their ancestors, and they go by the name Bair Before marriage and ~~are~~ part Cherokee Indian. kindly address all future letters to me.

Yours Very Respectfully

C. W. Ludwick
Agt, For Beulah Long.

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OFFICERS.

HENRY EVANS, President.
GEORGE E. KLINE, Vice-President.
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Total Gross Assets..... \$16,867,137.56

C. W. LUDWICK, Agent,
Fort Cobb, Okla.

Aug. 13-08

Appn. No. 44322

Gentlemen:

Find Enc. power of atty. in above case
Kindly direct all future correspondence
to me in said case. 44322

Yours
C. W. Ludwick

P.S. Do you file the power of atty. there, or should it be filed
here

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
REC. SEP 28 1908
No. 114507

with five
letters

SEP 28 1908

GEO. W. MONTGOMERY,
Pres't.
M. L. C. FUNKHOUSER,
Vice Pres't.

ADDRESS ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO THE COMPANY

LEONIDAS P. FUNKHOUSER,
Sec'y.
LOUIS E. WETTLING,
Treas.

CHARTER PERPETUAL
STOCK COMPANY.
Farmers and Merchants



COMPANY'S BUILDING.

Insurance Company
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA.

CHARLES W. LUDWICK
Fort Cobb, Okla.

9/20/08

San. J. Union Miller
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:-

Has there been any disposition made of
the Butah Long Claim, # 114377.

will be kindly mail me application
blank for the Broker. and obly.

C. W. Sullivan

L.

August 17, 1908.

App. #44322.

C. W. Ludwick,

Fort Cobb,

Oklahoma.

Sir:

Your letter of August 13, 1908, inclosing Power of Attorney in the case of Bulah Long, is at hand.

The Power of Attorney is returned, herewith, and you are advised that your name has been entered as Attorney in this case.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

1 inclosure.

No. 44323

Action: *Rejected.*

Name *Frankie Millsaps* and *3* children. Residence: *Tellis Plains, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Filed too late.

*Neither applicant nor ancestor ever enrolled.
Does not establish fact of descent from a person who
was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 or 1846*

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No. 44323.

~~Requet~~ -?

Name Frankie Millsaps

With No. Ey file

Remarks: Grouped herewith
is no. 44324.

Filed too late.

investigate as to
minor children.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 141823

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Frankie Millraps
v *2 children*

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 2 1908

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: Frankie Millsaps

Indian name: " Anderson

2. Residence and post office: Tellie Plains R.F.D.

3. County: Winn

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 26 Born March 1-1881

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

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: James Millsaps 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)	Garfield Millsaps	5	May 31-1902
(2)	Alford	3	April 22-1904
(3)	Archie	1	Dec 6-1906

(4) I place in this application my brother's child
my brother's name is Ellsbery Geringer I have it to raise

(5) Frankie Geringer 5 Nov 15-1902

(6) If this child has to be put a blank to itself
please send me a blank but that prints

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

Father—English name: Samuel Geringer

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Jessie "

Indian name: " Anderson

Maiden name: " Farr

12. Where were they born?

Father: Grayham County N.C.

Mother: N.C.

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

Father: N. C. not Barn

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 1889

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

and with what tribe of Indians: The Andersons were

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Garfield baringer		

(2)	Ellsberry "		no record
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(3)	Mat "	dead "	" "
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(4) (I have placed in this application
my brother's child I have it to raise
& take care of so please consider its
claims with mine)

(6) I have placed in my youngest child
I guess it is to young

17 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	Harr
	"	"

	Sally	"
	"	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) Wm. Farr

(2) John "

(3) Elaine "

(4) Bob "

(5) Jindar "

(6) Caroline "

Jessie my mother

Mary "

Sarah "

Ellwina "

Liza all same

21. 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

The Indians are enrolled

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

Caringer & Grandfather ~~William~~ Tennessee
Mr. ~~William~~ Sally Farr Maiden name
Sally Anderson REMARKS. A full Cherokee

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

I here by appoint W Morris Harrison of
Madisonville Tenn my trust lawyer & attorney
& allow him 15% commission

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

(Signature) Frankie Millsaps

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

G. W. Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me S J Gardin
and M E Gardin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Frankie Millsaps
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 13 years and
13 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

S J Gardin
M E Gardin

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

My commission expires Jan 1, 1908 G. W. Isbill
Notary Public.

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

Appln. #44323.

June 10, 1908.

Frankie Millsaps,

Tollico Plains, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents, and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. S. P.

NO 74325

Sept 10 - 1900
Special Commission
to examine the papers of
the late Mrs. Mary Ann
Brown, nee of the late
John Brown, deceased, and
to determine the validity of
her will and the claims
of the children of the late
John Brown, deceased, and
to report thereon to the
Court of Probate for the
County of Franklin, Ohio.
Franklin Millsaps

No. 1000

Action: ...

Name

... and ...

children.

Residence:

... ..

Reasons:

... ..

44324

No. 44324

Name *Jessie Carnegie*

With No. 44323

Remarks:

No. 44321

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Tennessee Garis

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 2 1906 No.

**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: Tennessee Caringer

Indian name: Anderson

2. Residence and post office: Tellico Plains

3. County: Murder

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 47 Born Jan 22-1859

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

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>not married</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: George Caringer

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Caroline "

Indian name: " Anderson

Maiden name: " Harr

12. Where were they born?

Father: Grayham County N.C.

Mother: " " " "

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

Father: not living

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: " "

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

and with what tribe of Indians: Amst. Bureau

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John Paringer		
(2)	Wm "		
(3)	Bob "		
(4)	Hizer "		
(5)	Theodore "	dead	
	Cordele "		
(6)	Carrie "	dead	
	Sidie "	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 Farr
	" "
	Sally "
	" 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)	William Farr	
(2)	John "	
(3)	Wm "	
(4)	Bob "	
(5)	Sarah "	
(6)	Benny "	
	Ellycia "	
	Timmesse "	
	Liza "	
	Sinda "	
	Caroline "	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
The Fours & Andersons
mere

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother's name Caroline
Caringer maiden name Farr & her mother Sally
Farr maiden Sally Anderson a Cherokee

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint Morris Harrison of
Madisonville Tennessee my true & lawful attorney
and allow him 15% commission

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

(Signature) Tennessee Caringer

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

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me James Millsaps
and Frankie Millsaps, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Tennessee Caringer
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.

G. W. Isbill

J. Millsaps

Frankie Millsaps

Frankie Millsaps

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

My commission expires

Jan 1 1908

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

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

No. *44325*
Name: *Mary Scott* and *3* children. Residence: *Monahan Co.*
Action: *Reject.*
Reasons:

*Claim through the same source
with # 22930.*

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No. 44345

Name Nellie E. Keyser

With No. 29230

Remarks:

No. 4835

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. Mary Scott

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JAN 2 1908 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: Mrs Mary Scott

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Honaker

3. County: Russell

4. State: Virginia

5. How old are you? 28 Born 21 May 1879

6. Where were you born? Washington Co, Va, Near Keywood

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: George Scott, 33, July 13, 1874

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Bessie Scott</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>17 Sept 1894</u>
(3)	<u>Jasper G. Scott</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1 Oct 1898</u>
(4)	<u>Charlie W. Scott</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>23 Dec 1902</u>
(5)	<u>Beth A. M. Scott</u>	<u>9 months old</u>	<u>7 April 1907</u>
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: William Frazier 12778

Indian name: Not any

Mother—English name: Cassandra Calwood

Indian name: Cassandra Keywood

Maiden name: Cassandra Keywood

12. Where were they born?

Father: Washington Co, Va.

Mother: Washington Co Va Near Saltville

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

Father: _____

Mother: Nat Rosner

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1888

Mother: Died May 27 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: Nat army

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	<u>Nat army</u>	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Andrew Fraizer</u>	<u>Berry Keywood</u>
<u>Bettie Fraizer</u>	<u>Nancy Keywood</u>
<u>3977</u>	

18. Where were they born? Washington Co, Va. Near Keywood

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) Varr Keywood 711
- (3) Arkansas Keywood
- (4) Leahander Keywood
- (5) Amner B. Keywood
- (6) _____

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

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 Berry Keywood born 1733 his father Moses Keywood Born April 16 1782 Moses Keywood wife Tabitha died 1851 Moses died July 3 1858

REMARKS.

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

Moses Keywood's mother was a full blood Eastern Cherokee Indian she married a tea wood she called his name Keywood that is her language she could read & they still call by the name Keywood there is no other tribe in our family.

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

(Signature) Mary Scott

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of Dec 1907.

J B Hobbs

Notary Public.

My commission expires

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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 B Hobbs
and Geo W Rogers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Scott who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and 27 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J B Hobbs
Geo W Rogers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

4/13

1910

J B Hobbs

Notary Public.

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

under
H. C. ...
...
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COUNT OF ...
EASTERN CHEROKEES
AUG 25 1908
AV 270 55

...
AUG 25 1908

No. 44326

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Lucinda B. Jackson* and *3* children. Residence: *Hubert, Ala.*

Reasons:

application filed too late - Jan. 1908.

applicant was probably born a slave - her mother was a slave and applicant states that she was born 45 or 50 yrs prior to Dec. 17th 1901.

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enslaved.

44326

No. 44326.

Reject

Name Muriel B. Jackson

With No. 17

Remarks:

Reject - Filed
too late - Also
Slaves.

17
28
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Reject
No. 44326.

Name Maria B. Jackson

With No. 517

Remarks:

Reject — Filed
too late — Also
Slaves.

1780
1781
1782
1783

No. 4124

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Lucinda B. Jackson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 3 1903 No.
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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,
Attorney and Counselor
319 F STREET, N.W., 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: Lucinda Bird Jackson
Indian name: Had none

2. Residence and post office: Auburn Alabama

3. County: Lee Co

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 45 or 50 years old Born was born 1st day of May, 1861 ^{recorded in year}

6. Where were you born? In Tallapoosa County - Alabama

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: She Jackson, about 60 years old

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>Currie Harden</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>1881</u>
(2)	<u>Lula</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>1884</u>
(3)	<u>George Georgia</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>1886</u>
(4)	<u>Lena</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1887</u>
(5)	<u>Imie</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1897</u>
(6)	<u>Alce</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1898</u>

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

Father—English name: Alex Bird, half breed Indian

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Vicy Smith

Indian name: was a negro slave

Maiden name: Vicy Smith

12. Where were they born?

Father: Whitesville Georgia

Mother: Don't know

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

Father: Wilmington Ga -

Mother: Wilmington Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Two weeks from 7/1/1884 about 33 year ago

Mother: not dead

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
	(1) Cassie Jackson	Loachepaka	living
	(2) Laura Bufford	Rome, Ga	living
11730	(3) Jesse Bird	Rome	living
1709	(4) John Bud	Loachepaka	
	(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.
36163	Alex Robert	Full blood Indian named in Cindy Lehooka.

18. Where were they born? Do not know

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

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

(1)	Margaret	Dead
(2)	John	Dead
(3)	Leu	In Tennessee
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Do not know
Indians, and only remember
my grandmother - given above

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint Bebra A. Lockwood
of Wash. D. C. my Attorney, with a Com-
mission 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) Lucinda X Jackson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of December, 1907.

J. M. Wright
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 19, 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 Polly Jackson
and Francis Hoffman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Lucinda Paul Jackson
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 12 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.

J. M. Wright
C. P. Wright

Signatures of Witnesses.

Polly Jackson
Francis Hoffman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, 1907.

My commission expires

March 19, 1910.

J. M. 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. AUG 12 1909
No. 44326

W. H. H. H.

Autumn Ala August 9.
1909.

Nov. Lynn Wille Commission
Washington D.C.
Dear Sir,

I write to know what
is necessary to be done and
what papers are required in
Alabama for the same
of the State of Alabama
I am sure you will require
first notice me and I will
forward them to you
Yours truly

Wm. C. ...
Birmingham

No. 44327

Name *Sam'l D. Kennedy* and

Action: *Reject*

Reasons:

children.

Residence: *Arley, Ala.*

Brother of # 33090, and claims through the same ancestors.

44327

No. 41327

Name Louis D. Kennedy

With No. 33090

Remarks:

Brother

No. 44327

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sam'l D. Kennedy

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the act approved June 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. JAN 4 1903

No.

Filed by

*Beckford, Merians & Co.,
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— Samuel David Kennedy
 English name: Kennedy
 Indian name: Hunter
 2. Residence and post office: Orley Ala Winston Co
 3. County: Winston
 4. State: Ala
 5. How old are you? 23 Born Sept the 3 1884
 6. Where were you born? in De Carrell Co Ga
 7. Are you married? Yes
 8. Name and age of wife or husband: Buby Kennedy 22 years old
 9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern 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: my father's name is Thomas Jefferson Kennedy and my mother's name was Hunter.
 Father—English name: Kennedy

Indian name: _____
 Mother—English name: Hunter Mary Ann Kennedy
 Indian name: Tusgron
 Maiden name: Mary Hunter

12. Where were they born?
 Father: in Ga
 Mother: in Ga

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

Father: in Ga

Mother: in Ga

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: _____

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

and with what tribe of Indians: no sir

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
33090	(1) <u>Co. H. Kennedy</u> <u>B. A. Pilgrim</u>	<u>40327</u>	<u>I am the youngest</u>
	(2) <u>S. J. Kennedy</u>		<u>one and can not recollect</u>
44534	(3) <u>L. B. Vind Emu Langford</u> <u>J. W. Kennedy in m. absconded</u> <u>L. J. Kennedy</u>		<u>these ages</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.

Green Kennedy

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Kennedy
Hunter

18. Where were they born? Cherokee Co. 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) _____
- (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 Sir

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 Postonedy's name was Abster Kennedy
General Hunter is my great grand father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
my mother was a Hunter and I claim it from her
and from the Furgersons she is connected with
them

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

(Signature) S G Kennedy

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

Samuel A. Turner J.P.
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Nov 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 S C Alexander
and Alford Turner, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel D Kennedy who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 9 years and 10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no in his claim.

Witnesses to mark

Signatures of Witnesses.

S. C. Alexander Alford Turner James A. Turner

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

My commission expires

Nov 8 1908

Samuel A. Turner 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, if used not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 44328,

Action: *Refect.*

Name: *James M. Turner* and *X* children. Residence: *Verona Ala.*

Reasons: *Son of # 11431,*

44328

No. 44376-9

Name J. M. Turner

With No. 14431

Remarks:

Went to the

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

James M. Luman

For share of money
Indians by the Act of C
accordance with the decrees
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 4 1908

No.

*Filed by
Bridford Winans & Co. Att
City, D.C.*

**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: James Morris Turner

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Vernon R. F. D. #2,

3. County: Lamar

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 32 years, 4 mos. Born May 14, 1875

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

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

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

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

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

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

Father—English name: George H. Turner

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Wah E. Turner

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Wah E. Francis

12. Where were they born?

Father: Lamar County, Alabama

Mother: Palmer County, Georgia

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

Father: Lamar County, Alabama

Mother: Calhoun County, Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: living

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

and with what tribe of Indians: see original application of (Mr.) E. Turner, No. 14431.

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Myrtle E. Turner, Wetmore,</u>	<u>Aug. 19, 1868,</u>	
(2)	<u>Almon, Ala., No. D. 2.</u>	<u>9. 1. 1870</u>	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			
(7)			
(8)			
(9)			
(10)			
(11)			
(12)			

17 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 Turner</u>	<u>John Morris</u>
<u>Minerva Turner</u>	<u>Sidonah Morris</u>

18. Where were they born? Robert Turner, T. C. Minerva Turner, Jr., John Morris, Sidonah Morris (Calhoun County, Georgia)

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Robert and Minerva Turner, Fayette, now Lamar Co. Ala. and Sidonah Morris, Calhoun Co. Ga.

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

- (1) See original application of (Mr.) E. Turner, No. 14431.
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: See original application of Arab. E. Turner, no. 74431

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)

J. T. Maddox

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

J. T. Maddox

Notary Public.

The State of Alabama,
Lamar County.

I, R. L. Bradley, Judge of the Probate Court in and for said county and State, do hereby certify, that J. T. Maddox whose name and genuine signature appears to the annexed certificate, was at the time of attesting the same, a ^{Notary Public} Justice of the Peace in and for said county, duly commissioned and qualified, and that as such, his acts and doings, are entitled to full faith and credit.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, at office, this 18 day of Dec 1907.

R. L. Bradley
Judge of Probate.

himself to be, and that the statements and oaths 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. L. Bradley
R. E. Bradley

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

My commission expires

Jan 1st 1909 J. T. Maddox

The State of Alabama,
Lamar County.

Notary Public.

I, R. L. Bradley, Judge of the Probate Court in and for said county and State, do hereby certify that J. T. Maddox

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: See original application of Arab E. Turner, no. 14431

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)

Arab E. Turner

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

J. T. Madison

Notary Public.

The State of Alabama, }
Lamar County.

I, R. L. Bradley, Judge of the Probate Court in and for said county and State, do hereby certify, that J. T. Madison whose name and genuine signature appears to the annexed certificate, was at the time of attesting the same, a ^{Notary Public} Justice of the Peace in and for said county, duly commissioned and qualified, and that as such, his acts and doings, are entitled to full faith and credit.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, at office, this 18 day of Dec 1907.

R. L. Bradley

Judge of Probate.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me R. L. Bradley
and R. E. Bradley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with J. T. Maddox
who makes the foregoing application and state and have known him for 28 years and
21 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements and oaths 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. L. Bradley
R. E. Bradley

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

My commission expires

Spring 1st, 1908. J. T. Maddox
Notary Public.

The State of Alabama, }
Lamar County.

I, R. L. Bradley, Judge of the Probate Court in and for said county and
State, do hereby certify, that J. T. Maddox
whose name and genuine signature appears to the annexed certificate, was at the
time of attesting the same, a Justice of the Peace in and for said county, duly
commissioned and qualified, and that as such, his acts and doings, are entitled to
full faith and credit.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court,
at office, this 18 day of Dec, 1907.

R. L. Bradley
Judge of Probate.

No. 44329

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Harriet S. Thom* and *1* children.

Residence: *Luna Beach, Tex. Ala.*

Reasons: *Daughter of # 14431.*

44329

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No. 12031
Waughton v. 14431
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Abner J. Thorn

For share of money appropriated for Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 4 1908
No.

Filed by
Brookman Winters Beckett
City &c.

**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: Harriet Seelion Thorn

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Lower Peach Tree

3. County: Hilcox

4. State: Alabama

5. How old are you? 30 yrs. Born Dec. 28, 1877.

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

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Smith Thorn, age 32 yrs.

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>Harriet Smith Thorn</u>	<u>4 yrs. 8 mos.</u>	<u>Apr. 21, 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: George H. Turner
 Indian name: _____
 Mother—English name: Abel E. Turner
 Indian name: _____
 Maiden name: Abel E. Morris

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hilcox County, Alabama,
 Mother: Cochran County, Georgia

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

Father: Lanier County, Alabama

Mother: Calhoun County, Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

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

of Abel E. Turner, No. 14431

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

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>Abel E. Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>Aug. 19, 1868.</u>	
(2) <u>John Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>July 18, 1870.</u>	
(3) <u>John Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>Oct. 31, 1872.</u>	
(4) <u>James Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>May 14, 1875.</u>	
(5) <u>Francis Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>Oct. 28, 1877.</u>	
(6) <u>David Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>Aug. 7, 1880.</u>	
(7) <u>Easter Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>May 30, 1884.</u>	
(8) <u>George Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>Dec. 1, 1886.</u>	
(9) <u>William Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>Sept. 5, 1887.</u>	
(10) <u>Marion Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>Apr. 11, 1893.</u>	
(11) <u>John Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>Nov. 7, 1895.</u>	
(12) <u>John Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.</u>	<u>Nov. 7, 1900.</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>Abel Turner</u>	<u>John Harris</u>
<u>John Turner</u>	<u>Didamat Harris, nee [unclear]</u>

18. Where were they born? Abel Turner, Lanier Co., Ala.

John Harris, Calhoun County, Georgia.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Robert and Wines Turner,

Lanier County, Alabama, John and Didamat Harris,

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

- (1) See original application of Abel E. Turner
- (2) See original application of Abel E. Turner
- (3) See original application of Abel E. Turner
- (4) See original application of Abel E. Turner
- (5) See original application of Abel E. Turner
- (6) See original application of Abel E. Turner

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: See original application of Arab E. Turner, No. 14431

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) Harriet E. Thorn.

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

J. T. Masdon

The State of Alabama, {
Lamar County. }

I, R. L. Bradley, Judge of the Probate Court in and for said county and State, do hereby certify, that J. T. Masdon whose name and genuine signature appears to the annexed certificate, was at the time of attesting the same, a ^{Notary Public} Justice of the Peace in and for said county, duly commissioned and qualified, and that as such, his acts and doings, are entitled to full faith and credit.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, at office, this 18 day of Dec. 1907.

R. L. Bradley

Judge of Probate.

21 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, 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. Bradley
R. E. Bradley

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

My commission expires

Jan 13, 1909. J. T. Masdon

Notary Public.

The State of Alabama, {
Lamar County. }

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: See original application of Arab E. Turner, No. 14431

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) Harriet E. Thorn.

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

J. T. Maddox

The State of Alabama, }
Lamar County.

I, R. L. Bradley, Judge of the Probate Court in and for said county and State, do hereby certify, that J. T. Maddox whose name and genuine signature appears to the annexed certificate, was at the time of attesting the same, a ^{Notary Public} Justice of the Peace in and for said county, duly commissioned and qualified, and that as such, his acts and doings, are entitled to full faith and credit.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court, at office, this 18 day of Dec. 1907.

R. L. Bradley
Judge of Probate.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me R. L. Bradley
and R. E. Bradley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Harriet J. Thorn
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 28 years and
21 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, 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. Bradley
R. E. Bradley

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

My commission expires

July 13, 1908 J. T. Maddox
Notary Public.

The State of Alabama, }
Lamar County.

I, R. L. Bradley, Judge of the Probate Court in and for said county and
State do hereby certify, that J. T. Maddox
whose name and genuine signature appears to the annexed certificate, was at the
time of attesting the same, a Justice of the Peace in and for said county, duly
commissioned and qualified, and that as such, his acts and doings, are entitled to
full faith and credit.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court,
at office, this 18 day of Dec, 1907.

R. L. Bradley
Judge of Probate.

No. 44520

Action: Rejected

Name: Eliza Green and x children. Residence: Caroleen, W.C.

Reasons:

Neither applicant was an entrant ever enrolled.
Was not established fact of descent from a person
who was a party to the Treaty of 1865-6 and 1896

44520

~~Filed with 1000 Reject?~~

No. 44330.

Name Eliza Green.

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith
are nos. 44331, 44332,
44333, 44336, 44337.

Filed too late.

Letter sent 7/20/08. ~~sent.~~

Reject

~~Correcting copy to letter~~

No. 44330-1-2

Name *[faint handwritten name]*

With No. 44330

Remarks: Ex file

Andrew Green

[faint handwritten text]

No. 11031

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Eliza Green

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

6-624

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

Filed by
Bickford, Niclaus & Claggett
Washington, D.C.

03374

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Elija Green
Indian name: man

2. Residence and post office: Carrsboro, N.C.

3. County: Southford

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 48 Born 1858

6. Where were you born? Cleveland Co

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: W. L. Green 44

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>man</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Elija Green

Indian name: man

Mother—English name: Judith Green

Indian name: man

Maiden name: Judith Hambrick

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cleveland Co

Mother: Cleveland Co

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

Father: Cleveland CO

Mother: Cleveland CO

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: 1900

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

Cherokee

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Asaph Green</u>	<u>1855</u>	_____
	<u>Heliah Green</u>	<u>1859</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Malchi Green</u>	<u>1867</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Andrew Green</u>	<u>1867</u>	_____
	<u>Walter Green</u>	<u>1871</u>	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Bengjamin Green & Heliah Green

18. Where were they born? Wellsford CO

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

Wellsford CO

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

(1) Heliah Green

(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: Eliza Green

Judah Green

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature) Eliza Green

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

M A Wulden
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 Robert James

and N. C. Hallfield, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Eliza Green

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 years and

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Robert James

N. C. Hallfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

M A Wulden
Notary Public.

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

9.5.9.

Appln. #44330.

June 10, 1908.

Miss Green,

Caroleen, N. C.

SIR:

Relative to your application for participation in the Western Cherokee fund please state by you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Agent in Charge

W. H. C.

STATE OF
VIRGINIA
JUL 2 1898
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July 8 08

Green Miller

Washington Dc

Dear sir

Yours of June 10th
is hand and will say
in reply, that I do not
know why my ancestors
were not enrolled and
don't know whether they
were parties to the Treaty 1835
& 1841 or not, The Indian
name of my great grand father
was Brookout and resided
in Cleveland Co N.C.
Don't think they were slaves
we were as white
my father's English name was
Elijah Green and when
making application he has

kind, so I can't give
much information, but
you will find the
information in Affliction
that he made before his
death

Yours truly

Eliza Green

No. _____ Action: _____
Name _____ and _____ children. Residence: _____
Reasons: _____

44331

No. 27231

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Andrew Green

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

6-624

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

Filed by
Beekford, Kinans, & Claggett,
of
Washington, D.C.

1897

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Andrew Green

Indian name: non

2. Residence and post office: Forest City Mo

3. County: Southport Co

4. State: Mo

5. How old are you? 42 Born 1865

6. Where were you born? Cleveland Co

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Minnie Green 33

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>non</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: E. Ligah Green

Indian name: non

Mother—English name: Gudah Green

Indian name: non

Maiden name: Gudah Hambrick

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cleveland Co

Mother: Cleveland Co

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

Father: Cleveland co

Mother: Cleveland co

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: 1900

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

& Cherokee

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Asaph Green</u>	<u>1855</u>	
(2)	<u>Elizah Green</u>	<u>1859</u>	
(3)	<u>Malchi Green</u>	<u>1867</u>	
(4)	<u>Andrew Green</u>	<u>1865</u>	
(5)	<u>Wentley Green</u>	<u>1870</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.

Benjamin Green & Elizah Green

18. Where were they born? Wutherford co N.C.

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

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

- (1) & Elizah Green
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

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

where, and with what tribe of Indians: none

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

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature)

Andrew Green

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

M A Walden

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

Rat James

and

M C Hallfield

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Andrew Green

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 31 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.

Rat James

M C Hallfield

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

190

M A Walden

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 112

Action: Revised

Name William J. Smith and 1 children. Residence: Washington, D.C.

Reasons: revised, corrected, the same amount as 4000

No. 44332

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Elijah Green

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 26, 1906.

6-624

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

Filed by
Bickford, Winans, & Claggett,
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: Elijah Green

Indian name: non

2. Residence and post office: Northford, Washington Co

3. County: Northford Co Caroline

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 75 Born 1832

6. Where were you born? Bladen Co

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Geetha Green 75

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
26-30-1	(1) <u>Eliza Green</u>	<u>48</u>	<u>1859</u>
4-3-0	(2) <u>Mabel Green</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>1867</u>
11-3-0	(3) <u>Myrtle Green</u>	<u>56</u>	<u>1855</u>
11-3-0	(4) <u>Anna Green</u>	<u>41</u>	<u>1865</u>
11-3-0	(5) <u>Walter Green</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>1870</u>
	(6) _____		

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

Father—English name: Benjamin Green

Indian name: non

Mother—English name: Eliza Green

Indian name: non

Maiden name: Eliza Hemlock

12. Where were they born?

Father: Northford Co

Mother: Bladen Co

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

Father: Southwest of

Mother: was dead

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Born 1819 1848

Mother: 1815 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)	<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>3 to 9</u>	<u>Henry Grace</u>	<u>Nance Grace</u>
	<u>died 1812</u>	

18. Where were they born? don't know

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

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: cannot

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

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature) Elijah Green

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

M A Walden
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 Robert James

and H. C. Hallifield who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Elijah Green

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 31 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.

Robert James

H. C. Hallifield

Subscribed and sworn to before me th

16th day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires _____

M A Walden
Notary Public.

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lic, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUL 23 1908

No. 44332 ✓

Caroleen NC

July 27 08

Grim Miller
Washington DC

Dear sir

I have just
received your letter
requesting Elizabeth Green
to meet your assistant
in Rutherfordton on July 15 -
He is dead, so I did not
get your letter until the
21st. He is my father
what shall I do in
regard to the matter

Yours Truly

Eliza Green

#44332.

July 24, 1908.

Eliza Green,

Caroleen, N. C.

Madame:

Replying to your letter of July 22, 1908, in which you state that your father, Elijah Green, did not receive notice to appear before my assistant in order to give testimony in the matter of his Eastern Cherokee application, in time to do so, you are advised that in case further evidence is necessary you will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WHA/EGS.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 29 1909
No. 44332

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Caroleum N.C.
March 27th 1909

Mr. Guion Miller
Special Com. C & C.
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:-

I am anxious to know if my papers
have ever passed the court of claims
I have heard nothing from you
since last July on the subject

Will you kindly let me hear from
you at once giving the exact
condition of the matter at present

Yours truly
Eliza Green

Eliza Green

No. 44333

Action: Reject

Name Perry Driver and X children. Residence: Millport, Ala.

Reasons:

Applicant's grandparents through whom he claims
were slaves.

See letter.

Claim was filed too late.

44333

Reject-?

No. 44333.

Name Perry Driver

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late & were
slaves
see letter.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 41333

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Petty
Allen Diver.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 4 1903
No.

*Filed by
Brookford Winters Helge
at 2c*

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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— Perry Driver
 English name: Perry Driver
 Indian name: None
2. Residence and post office: Millport
3. County: Lanier
4. State: Alabama
5. How old are you? 23 Born Dec 25 1883
6. Where were you born? Millport Ala
7. Are you married? No
8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? 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: Allen Driver
 Indian name: _____
 Mother—English name: Gennie Ann Riddle Driver
 Indian name: _____
 Maiden name: Ginnie Riddle

12. Where were they born?
 Father: Pickens County Alabama
 Mother: South Carrolling

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

Father: Lanuar Co Ala

Mother: Lanuar Co Ala

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: December 4 1907

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>John Driver</u>	<u>1877</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Ann Driver</u>	<u>1873</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Ada Driver</u>	<u>1880</u>	_____
(4)	<u>Lillian Driver</u>	<u>1884</u>	_____
(5)	<u>Lena Driver</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>Don Driver</u>	_____
<u>My Grandfather</u>	<u>Billie Lanuar</u>
<u>My Grandmother</u>	_____
<u>My Uncle</u>	_____

18. Where were they born? _____

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

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

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

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

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

REMARKS.

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

My Grand Father Married a full
Blooded Indian of the Cherokee
Tribe

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

(Signature) Perry Driver

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

Jama W. Winston
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June, 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 W B. Berry
and A K Pollock, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Perry Driver
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and
20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W W B. Berry
A K Pollock

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

My commission expires

June, 1908 Jama W. Winston
Notary Public.

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

Appln. No. 44333.

June 10, 1908.

Perry Driver,

Millport, Alabama.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. H. C.

CHEROKEE
JUL 7 1908
No. 44333

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No. 44334
Name *Thos. F. Williams* and 1 children.

Action: *Reject*
Residence: *Albertville, Ala*
RFD.

Reasons:

*Nephew of #41650. Son of
#41652.*

44334

No. *HL33*

Name

Thos. J. Williams

With, No.

41650

Remarks:

No. 11334

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Thomas F. Williams

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

6-624

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

Filed by.

Bickford, Winans, & Clagett.

Washington, D.C.

72877

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 F. Williams
Indian name: Cherokee
2. Residence and post office: Albertville R.F.D. #1
3. County: Marshall
4. State: Alabama
5. How old are you? 23 Born Oct 8th 1894
6. Where were you born? in Harrison County - Georgia
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy C. Williams about 30 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Blackhawk
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Bulah C. Williams</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>Nov 8th 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 L. Williams
Indian name: no
Mother—English name: Nancy J. Williams
Indian name: Cherokee
Maiden name: Nancy J. Umphries

12. Where were they born?
Father: Randolph County - Alabama
Mother: Cherokee County - Georgia

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

Father: Not living then

Mother: Not living then

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 made application for her

part of the Eastern Cherokees some 2 months ago.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
21577	(1) <u>Cloddie L A Williams</u> <u>Albertville Route #1 Ala</u>	<u>May 18th 1890</u>	
X	(2) <u>Wilton M Williams</u> <u>Albertville Route #1 Ala</u>	<u>July 1892</u>	
*	(3) <u>Nora Williams</u>	<u>1880</u>	<u>1897</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>Frank Williams</u>	<u>James Humphris</u>
	<u>Cherokee Indian</u>

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? The Humphris resided
Near Dalton Ga. Williams resided Randolph Co Alabama

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

(1) <u>John Humphris</u>	<u>Way R.F.D. #2 Ala</u>
(2) <u>Lem Humphris</u>	<u>in Texas</u>
(3) <u>Malissie Humphris</u>	<u>in Ga</u>
(4)	
(5)	
(6)	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no, not until this application

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)

Thomas F. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of December, 1907.

My commission expires

November, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me, Henry Kadle
and William M. Mahan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Thomas F. Williams who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 23 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Walter East
Walter Milwee

Signatures of Witnesses.

Henry Kadle
William M. Mahan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of December, 1907.

My commission expires

November, 1908. James A. Milwee
Justice of the Peace

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

No. 1000

Action: 1000

Name

Reasons:

and

children.

Residence:

44335

No. 44330

Name *Alvin P. ...*

With No. 44330

Remarks:

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Albert Pritchard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 4 1903 No. _____

Filed by

Bickford, Winans & Claggett,

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: Albert A. Pritchard
Indian name: mwu

2. Residence and post office: Clippid NC

3. County: Wutherford CO

4. State: NC

5. How old are you? 37 Born 1870

6. Where were you born? Wutherford CO

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy Pritchard 37 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>mwu</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Almer Pritchard
Indian name: Bruck
Mother—English name: Judith Pritchard
Indian name: mwu
Maiden name: Judith Green

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina
Mother: Cleveland CO NC

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

Father: Cleveland Co

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1904

Mother: 1906

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 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>Joseph Pritchard</u>	<u>Haley</u>
<u>no indian name</u>	<u>pritchard</u>

18. Where were they born? South Carolina

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

Eastern Cherokee

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

- (1) Alma Pritchard
- (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: Joseph Pritchard
was a son of Moses or
Monchaff Pritchard

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)

Albert Pritchard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16 day of Dec 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

W.S. Moor

and

J.M. Knight

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

that they are well acquainted with

Albert Pritchard

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.

W.S. Moor

J.M. Knight

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

_____, 190

M.A. Walden

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 7720

Action: 70 10 10

Name: *John C. and 1* children. Residence: *...*

Reasons:

...

44336

No. 42536-7.

Name *Jonathan Green*

With No. 1-530

Remarks:

Acq. Green

No. 41885

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Peatress Green

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

6-624

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

Filed by
Bickford, Winans & Claggett
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: Waters Green

Indian name: non

2. Residence and post office: Cliffside

3. County: Worthford

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 37 Born 1870

6. Where were you born? Cleveland, O.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: G. G. Overcash 28

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>G. non Overcash</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1904</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: G. Ligat Green

Indian name: non

Mother—English name: Judah Green

Indian name: man

Maiden name: Judah Hambrick

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cleveland, O.

Mother: Cleveland, O.

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

Father: Cleveland Co

Mother: Cleveland Co

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: 1900

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

and with what tribe of Indians: no

& Cherokee

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Asaph Green	1855	
	Elizah Green	1859	
(2)	Malcha Green	1867	
	andrew Green	1865	
(3)	Heatress Green	1870	
(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.

Bennyman Green & Lisa Green
mom

18. Where were they born? Cleveland Co

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

Cleveland Co

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

- (1) Elizah Green
- (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: me

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

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature) Neatrus Green

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Dec, 1907.

M A Walden
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 Robert James
and Cass Halliqued, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Neatrus Green who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 years and 8 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

M A Walden Robert James
Cass Halliqued

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

M A Walden
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, if sworn to before a notary, etc.

#44336.

July 24, 1908.

Veatress Green,
Cliffside, N. C.

Madame:

Replying to your letter of July 20, 1908, in which you state that you did not receive notice to appear before my assistant in order to give testimony in the matter of the Western Cherokee claims in time to do so, you are advised that in case further evidence is necessary you will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WMA/RMS.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Recd JUL 23 1908
No. 4063

July 28 1908

Mr Gwion Miller Selib Comis
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir in the letter of
July the 8 1908 I did not
re give it until the 20 after
that - I will let you know
why did not meet you a
gentle at Newthornton D.C.
in delay of getting notices
So please let me know
what to do a route
the matter & so forth

Yours truly
Beatrice Green
Cliffside
N.C.

No. 100

Action: Deceased

Name John J. Jones and 1 children.

Residence: 100 Main St.

Reasons:

deceased

44337

No. 44837

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Asop Green

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

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

*Filed by
Bickford, Winans & Claggett,
of
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: Joseph Green

Indian name: non

2. Residence and post office: Cliffside, no

3. County: Washford Co

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? _____ Born 1855

6. Where were you born? Cleveland Co

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Judah Green 46

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

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

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

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

Father—English name: Joseph Green

Indian name: non

Mother—English name: Judah Green

Indian name: non

Maiden name: Judah Hambrick

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cleveland Co

Mother: Cleveland Co

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

Father: Cleveland Co

Mother: Cleveland Co

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: 1900

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joseph Green	1855	
(2)	Elizabeth Green	1859	
	Malchi Green	1867	
(3)	Andrew Green	1865	
(4)	Walter Green	1870	
(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>Benedict Green</u>	<u>Elizabeth Green</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? _____

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

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

- (1) Elizabeth Green
- (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

Q. Cheekaw
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) Asah X Green

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Dec 1907.

M. A. Walden
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, Notary Public, W. S. Moore
and J. M. Knight, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Asah Green who makes the foregoing application and statements, 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.

W. S. Moore
J. M. Knight

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

_____, 190 . M. A. Walden
Notary Public.

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

#44337-44330.

July 20th, 1908

Asop Green,
Cliffside Post Office,
Rutherford Co., N. C.

Sir:

With reference to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund, please state whether your parents or grandparents were enrolled as Cherokee Indians in 1851, or in 1835 and 1836.

Please state when and where your parents and grandparents were born and where they resided twenty years prior to the Civil War.

Also state how you and your parents or your grandparents were recognized in the communities in which you and they lived; whether as white people, Indians or negroes.

Also state whether your parents or grandparents ever lived among the Indians and were recognized by them as one of their members.

If possible, send us the sworn testimony of any old persons who knew your parents or grandparents and can give their Indian relationship.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner,

Ass't. to Special Commissioner.

MAP/MLB

COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS
EASTERN DISTRICTS
Rec. AUG 21 1908
AD 44337.

file # 44337-44370

Cliffside ne

Aug 19 03

Green Miller Cameron

Washington

Dear sir

In answer to
your favor of July 20th
will say that so far
as I know my
grand parents were not
enrolled. My father, Elzoh Green
was born June 21st 1832
and my grand parents were
born, father, Benjamin Green 1809
and ^{my} mother 1815 - They were born
in Columbus Co N C
My grand mother was regarded
as an Indian but the
others white. I don't know
Indian name
I don't know that anyone

is living that knew
my grand parents

Yours Truly

A safe green

No. 44338 Action: Admitted
Name: John Sharp and x children. Residence: Bluejacket, Okla.

Reasons:

Enrolled with father John W. Sharp (11194)

No. 44339

Name. J. H. Sharp

With No. 1993

Remarks:

1772

X

41333

No. ~~1194~~

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF
OF

John Sharp

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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
JAN 4 1908

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Sharp
 - Indian name: Went know
2. Residence and post office: Blue jacket
3. County: Craig
4. State: Arkansas
5. How old are you? 22 Born 1885
6. Where were you born? Flint Court House
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nellie
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>Harve</u>	<u>None</u>	
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			
11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:
 - Father—English name: John W. Sharp 11/18/18
 - Indian name: Went know
 - Mother—English name: Susan Sharp
 - Indian name: Went know
 - Maiden name: Applehead
12. Where were they born?
 - Father: Washington County, Ark
 - Mother: Washington County, Ark

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

Father: *Not living at the time*
Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:
Mother:

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

*Cherokee Strip
Cherokee Indians*

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
	(1) <i>William</i>	<i>1876</i>	
<i>261-4</i>	(2) <i>Edward</i>	<i>1878</i>	
<i>334-4</i>	(3) <i>Richard</i>	<i>1880</i>	
	(4) <i>Robert</i>	<i>1882</i>	
	(5) <i>Albert</i>	<i>1889</i>	
	(6) <i>George</i>	<i>1893</i>	<i>1902</i>

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

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*
- (2) *Edward*
- (3) *Richard*
- (4) *Robert*
- (5) *Albert*
- (6) *George*

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Don't know

REMARKS.

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

Father already Section
of land

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

(Signature John Sharp)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of January 1908

J. S. Bandy
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 3 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Thomas J. Gumbell
and William H. Doores, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Sharp who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 10 years and 8 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Thomas J. Gumbell
William H. Doores

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of January 1908

My commission expires Oct 3 1908.
J. S. Bandy
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: Manitou Strip
Cherokee Indians
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Don't know

REMARKS.

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

Father has already been in
name of

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

1st

day of

January 1908

My commission expires

Oct 3

1908.

J. S. Davis
Notary Public.

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

Personally appeared before me

Thomas J. Gambell

and

William H. Doores

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

John Sharp

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

Thomas J. Gambell
William H. Doores

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

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day of

January 1908

My commission expires

Oct 3

1908.

J. S. Davis
Notary Public.

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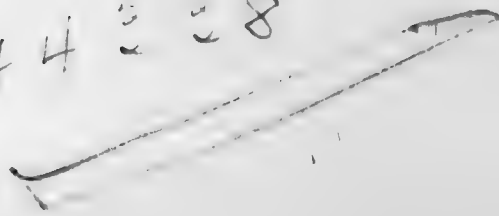
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App. No. 44338.

October 23, 1909.

John Sharp,

1216 Scott Avenue,

Armourdale, Kansas City, Kans.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of October 18, 1909, you are advised that you were enrolled with your father, John W. Sharp, of Tahlequah, Oklahoma, for the reason that you were not of age at the time he filed his application and was therefore enrolled with him as a minor child.

Your own application, filed January 4, 1908, was filed too late, and you would not have been enrolled at all if your father had not included you in his application.

It is impossible for me to state, at this time, when the Eastern Cherokee fund will be distributed, but probably not for some time yet as there have been a large number of exceptions filed to my report, and until these are considered and passed on and the roll finally approved by the Court no money can be paid.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

No. 44389

Action: *Reject*

Name *Jena M. Hughes* and *5* children. Residence *Slabtown, Louisiana*

Reasons:

*Niece to John S. Streetman (13871)
and claims from the same source.
Filed after Aug. 31st 1907.*

No. V4339

Name 176

With No. 13871

Remarks:

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

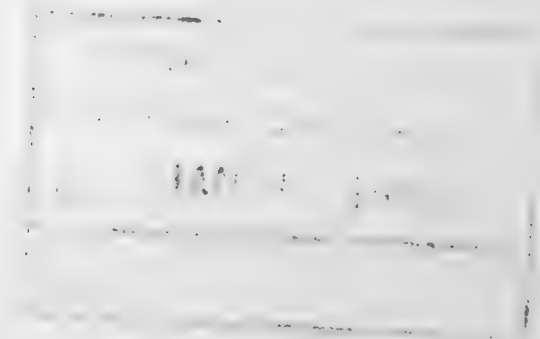
APPLICATION

OF

Rena M. Hughes

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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 Oaray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name:

Lena Mentora Hughes

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

slabtown Slabtown

3. County:

4. State:

Louisiana

5. How old are you?

29

Born

May 3, 1879

6. Where were you born?

In Forsyth County Georgia

7. Are you married?

Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

J. O. Hughes

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>Jesse Hughes</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>Jan 29th 1895</i>
(2)	<i>St Hughes</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>Jan 4th 1897</i>
(3)	<i>L. H. Hughes</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>April 26th 1900</i>
(4)	<i>Edgar Hughes</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>Feb 2th 1902</i>
(5)	<i>Merrill Hughes</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>June 21th 1900</i>
(6)	<i>Clifford Hughes</i>		<i>Sept 12th 1907</i>

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

Father—English name:

John Vandey Bagley

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Mary F. Bagley

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Mary Francis Greenman

12. Where were they born?

Father:

In Forsyth County Georgia

Mother:

In Forsyth County Georgia

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

Father: In Forsyth County Georgia
 Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Alive
 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)	James H Bagley	Apr 12, 1874	Alive Murray Co Ga.
	Lenny C Hall	Sept 16, 1877	" " " "
(2)	Henry C Bagley	Oct 20, 1882	" " " "
	Claude A Bagley	Dec 23, 1884	Aug 28, 1906
(3)	Clarence K Bagley	Nov 18, 1886	Durham Co.
	Herbert W Bagley	Aug 31, 1888	" "
(4)	William H Bagley	Feb 27, 1892	" "
	John H Bagley	Dec 8, 1896	" "
(5)			
(6)			

Cherokee & Floyd Co Ga
 Forsyth County Ga.
 Flossie Adell - Winnett Co Ga
 William Streetman - Atlanta Ga
 John J. Streetman - Forsyth County Ga

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

FATHER'S SIDE: Fletcher Bagley & Lurie Taylor
 MOTHER'S SIDE: John Streetman & Gillian Bagley

18. Where were they born? In Murray County & Forsyth County Ga.

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

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

- (1) Ross A Bagley Forsyth County Ga
- (2) Lillie Bagley Atlanta, Fulton Co Ga
- (3) Monta Bagley Decatur
- (4) Neutra & Victoria (Daughters) Decatur
- (5) Orphan Bagley Dallas, Falls County
- (6) Marinda Bagley " " " "
- Laurenia Bagley Community, Forsyth Co Ga
- Augustus Bagley " " " "
- John Bagley Winnett Co Ia
- Rebecca Bagley Forsyth County Ga

George & John Streetman (Sons)
 Jackson Streetman (Half Brother)
 Emily Streetman, Decatur
 Hermina Streetman
 Gene Streetman
 Dora Streetman

George & John Freeman (Tins)
 Jackson Freeman (Half Brother)
 Emily Freeman, Deceased
 Henrietta Freeman
 Socia Freeman
 Dorey Freeman

Cherokee & Floyd Co Ga
 Forsyth County Ga.
 Florence Adell Lynumett to Ga
 William Freeman, Atlanta Ga
 John Sims Forsyth County Ga.

18. Wm
 19. Wm
 20. Give

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

21. Have 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:

Richard Stickland, Lucretia Bryant
John Streetman, Francis Stickland

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. Lura M. Hughes)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of January, 1908

Wm. H. Gibson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

1st, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me J. L. Weaver

and J. N. Stephens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Lura M. Hughes

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

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

herself to be, 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.

Edward B. Metzger
J. N. Stephens

J. L. Weaver
J. N. Stephens

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

My commission expires

1st, 1907.

Wm. H. Gibson
Notary Public.

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

June 10, 1909.

Lena M. Hughes
Slabtown - La
Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 44339, 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."

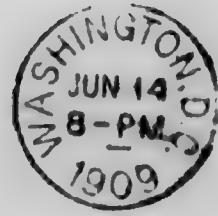
No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

If not called for in 15 days, return to
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OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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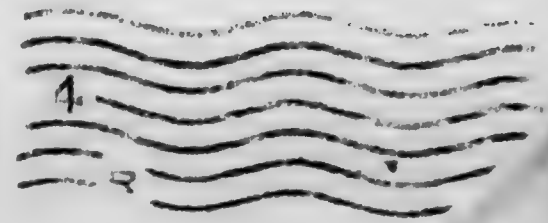
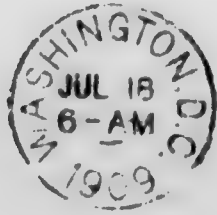
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App. No. 44339.

November 22, 1909.

Mrs. Lena H. Hughes,

Merryville,

Louisiana, Nov. 1909

Madam:

Replying to your letter of November 19, 1909, you are advised that your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund has been reported by me as rejected, and you were so notified on June 10, 1909.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

N C

No. 443410

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Larry Ward*

and *X* children.

Residence: *Muskogee, OK*

Reasons:

*Filed too late Jan 6th 1908 no minors.
Neither applicant nor ancestor ever enrolled.
Was not establish fact of descent from a person
who was a party to the treaty of 1835 and 1846.*

43410

~~Chas. Ryer?~~

No. 44340.

Name Rosey Ward

With No.

Remarks:
Exam. at Muskogee 9/22, 08
74003

Filed too late.
It is a letter
evidence and
should be in the
claim. Examine
at Muskogee on
the matter.

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Awaiting reply to letter.

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Rosey Ward

For share of money appropriated for Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.
JAN 6 1908

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: Rosey Ward

Indian name: _____

2. Residence: 727 Georgetown Ave.

3. Town and post office: Muskogee

4. County: _____

5. State: Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth: October 1869 Creek Nation

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

full blood Cherokee

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Albert Ward 52 years

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

Father—English name: Jack York

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Lucy York

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Lucy Lora

11. Where were they born?

Father: Alabama

Mother: Richmond Virginia

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

Father: _____

Mother: Unknown

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: May 1865

Mother: Jan 4 1903

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)	Marthy Graves		Dec. 25 1900
(2)	Pat York		
(3)	Maryann York		
(4)	William York		
(5)	Luly York		
(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
Solisha York	George Lora
Roseetta York	Susie Lora

17. Where were they born? Unknown

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? On father's side in Alabama, Mother's side in Virginia

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

- (1) English name: Jack York
Indian name: _____
Residence: Alabama
- (2) English name: Lucy Lora
Indian name: _____
Residence: Richmond Virginia
- (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:

Unknown

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.

Witness to Signature by myself
S. M. Killigose (Signature.)

Rosey + Ward
Mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *2nd* day of *Jan.*, 190*8*

My commission expires
Oct-19, 19*10*.

Martha H. Brown.
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *Laura Washington* and *Louisa Brewer*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Rosey Ward*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *8* years and *8* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.
S. M. Killigose
Robert M. Muttman

Signatures of witnesses.
Laura Washington
Louisa + Brewer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *2nd* day of *Jan.*, 190*8*

My commission expires
Oct 19, 19*10*

Martha H. Brown.
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 15 1908
No. 44340

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Miss Roger & Ida

Jan 11, 1908

My dear Mother & Sister

I have received
my card for enrollment as an Eastern
Cherokee application No. 44340.

Please send blanks for enrollment
of my minor children.

Yours respectfully

Rosey Ward

527 Georgetown Ave

Miss Roger & Ida.

429.

Appln. No. 44340.

June 19, 1908.

Money Ward,
787 Georgetown Avenue,
Muskegee, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim to be an ancestor entitled to the fund? Were any of your ancestors slaves? or you were as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

7/13.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 25 1908
No. 44340.

THOS. W. LEAHY

W. F. BLAKEMORE

ED. I. WILLIAMS

Howe Word

LEAHY & WILLIAMS
ATTORNEYS AT LAW
SCALES BUILDING
MUSKOGEE, OKLA.

44340

Miller - Miller
Washington, D.C.
610 Oway Building

Dear Sir -
In answer to your letter of

June 10-1908 all I can say about my
husband and his ancestors not being enroll
if they are not enroll. is it was by their own
negligent or neglect on their part. Albert
Word is my husband none on is a Eastern
Cherokee Indian. and I never heard of him being
denied being a Cherokee. I myself ~~is~~ colored
but the Woods all are Indian by blood. they
close as Cherokee by blood. If the Eastern Cherokee
-ones by the name of words was close as having
any colored blood in them I never heard of it
My husband Albert home was about
Thahlgash on big Creek. I got a notice from
the Dawes Commissioner to come and be enroll.
also from the secretary. to be enroll. But I got the
notice my husband was dead. This is the reason he
was not enroll. - so mine. Respectfully yours
Rosie + Mabel

Miso.

Appl. 44340

Rosey Ward being first duly sworn, deposes and says:
My name is Rosey Ward. I claim for my husband Albert
Ward, who is deceased and died two or three years ago. He was
dead when I filed this application. He died in August, 1906.
His father's name was Ike Ward. His mother's name was Annie Ward.
Her right name was ~~Arneke~~. He was on the Indian roll. I do
not know whether she was a slave or not. ~~Arneke~~ Her name was
Annie Arneke. (Pronounced by claimant Wilkerson, but spelled by
her Arneke) My husband was part Indian and part negro. His
father's father's name was Arch B. Ward.

Rosey Ward

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Muskogee, Okla. this 22nd
day of September, 1908.

Harry C. Black.

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

44340

Rosa Thara

LAW OFFICE OF
SAMUEL V. O'HARE
206-7 IOWA BUILDING
MUSKOGEE, OKLA.

10/27-08

Hon. Guion Miller
601 Amsley Building
Washington
D.C.

Dear Sir:

I was the attorney in the Amalgamation
of Abbeville Ward, et al. & had in my possession
the notice from the Commissioners to Rosa
Ward that they wanted hear her testimony.
This notice was lost in the fire which
destroyed my office & papers. I will
testify to the above fact at any time.

Very Resp.

Geo. H. Powell
Jama Building
Muskogee - Okla.

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NERN CHEROKEES
OCT 20 1908
44340

Muskogee Oklahoma
October 27, 1908

Hon. Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner
601. Amsay Building
Washington D.C.

Sir -

Winnake - ~~Abbord~~ ^{Abbord} Ward, and his mother, Annie
Susie Fields - ~~and~~ ^{grandfather} B Ward, and first wife was
were citizens of the Cherokee
Nation and were enrolled as such.
I do not know if Abbord Ward, my husband
was enrolled or not - but all the rest
above named were on the Cherokee Rolls.
He had a half brother named Thomas
Ward - Enrolled.

I was before Dawes Commission March 4, 1907,
and was informed that my statement
would be heard. I have been there four
or five times - ^{and} but the Commission never heard
my statement - said they would.

I went before Thos Ryan of Acting
Commissioner, and he directed me
to you - said you would fix it
I enclose his letter
Respectfully
Rosa Ward

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 44340

Muskogee Ok. June 24 - 1909
Simon Miller

Reply ~~of~~ to yours
of the 10 inst -

I have told you
all know about my husband's
people either side which the
witness have so testified and
am claiming through my
husband & for he is dead
and I am his wife and
only has he was the father
of 5-children but they are
all dead If you desire
I will meet you at any
time

I will meet

you in

yourself

October 1st

Rosa Ward

day

Annie Weakley

This is his father Arch B Ward

~~His~~ was mother name

COURT OF CLAIMS
 EASTERN CHEROKEE
 JUL 2 1909
 44340

30
 you
 you

I wasn't
 started
 It has been
 No 44340
 I filed my
 husband Albert Ward. I
 know of no relatives that he

know. I will have as
 necessary to the effect that
 of said to the wife of
 I am now that will cost
 about Ward. I over of
 \$5. Let me know denied.
 The case has been denied
 Robert Ward Okla.
 Robert W. W. W.

June 29 - 09.
Garrison Miller Muskegon Ala
601 Quay Blvd.
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir -

Has the case regarding
the application for participation
in the fund arising from the
judgement of the court of
claims in favor of the Eastern
Cherokee been denied - If so
let me know as I asked
several lawyers and two
of them told me yes it had.
I have returned the letter

as the lawyer said I should
would like to understand
the proposition from
beginning to end
am willing to meet you
at such time as you shall
state.

I have told you my
husband's name as far as
I know -

his mother was Annie
Webley - Her maiden name
his father was Ben Ward
his grand father A. B. Ward

I wasn't born the year you started.

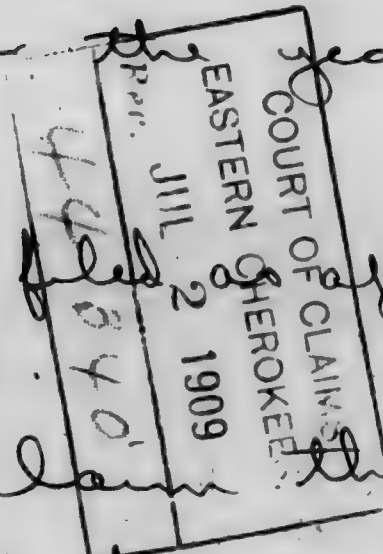
It has been filed as application

no 44340.

I filed my claim thru my husband Albert Ward. I know of no relatives that he has.

If necessary will have an affidavit to the effect that I am Rose Ward wife of Albert Ward. That will cost \$25. Let me know at once if the case has been denied.

Rosey Ward
Muskogee Okla.



Mustloze Okla July 9-1907
Lucien Miller

Your letter of the 2
inst- received. and I reply must-
say I wish you would
have the United Government
look after my interest- the
money is due me I need
it- and I ought- to be
protected

James Indigo
Rosa Ward

No. 44341

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Abbie Mask* - and *2* children. Residence: *Emerson, Okla.*

Reasons: - Claimant's father and grandmother - through whom her claim is Indian descent - were not enrolled in 1835 - nor in 1851. No evidence to show ancestral connection with or recognition by the Eastern Cherokees at the time of the treaties of 1835-6, 1848 - or since.

Claimant filed Application Jan. 6th, ~~1898~~ 1908. - only 6 mos. after the limitation as specified in the Order of the Court.

44341

Field Okla. see ~~not below~~ ^{Rejoice?}
No. 44341.

Name Albie Wash.

With No. For Maurika

Remarks:

Filed too late.

was examined as a
minor child in
answer to letter showing
any merit in case



Field, Okla. ✓

Notified
Maurika, Okla.
but failed to appear.

Awaiting reply to letter.

Amended

No. 1000

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Abbie Mask

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 6 1903
No.

17877

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Abbie Carlisle (now Abbie Mast)

Indian name: Amaze Pace

2. Residence and post office: Homosassa Ind, T. G.

3. County: Ind T. G.

4. State: Fla.

5. How old are you? 32 Born June 5 - 1873 -

6. Where were you born? Talapoosa Co Alabama

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Robert Mast 32

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>Leontis Mast</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Parker Ind. Fla.</u>
(2)	<u>Clifford Mast</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Parker Ind. Fla.</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: August George Carlisle

Indian name: " " " "

Mother—English name: Fredonia Billie Carlisle

Indian name: " " " "

Maiden name: Fredonia Billie Barber.

12. Where were they born?

Father: Chambers Co. Fla.

Mother: Randolph Co. Fla.

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

Father: Alabama

Mother: Alabama

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: _____

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joseph Alexander	Ala.	1850
(2)	George Franklin	Ala.	
(3)	James	Ala.	1850
(4)	Bizabeth	Ala.	1865
(5)	Martha Jane	Ala.	1895
(6)	Nettie	"	1891

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>James</u>	<u>Mary</u>
<u>George</u>	<u>Barnes</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Georgia

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

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

(1)	Joseph	Ala.
(2)	"	"
(3)	"	"
(4)	"	"
(5)	Martha	"
(6)	"	"

21. 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)

Abbie Mask

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, 1907.

J. B. Weiskirch
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 6th, 1909

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Joseph A. Alexander
and Flarence Alexander, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Abbie Mask 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 affiants are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. A. Alexander
Flarence A. Alexander

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of December, 1907.

My commission expires

Jan 6, 1909

J. B. Weiskirch
Notary Public.

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

DEPT. OF CLAIMS
TENN. CHEROKEES.
Rec. APR 1 1908
No. 44341

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Walters & Co
March 27 -- 1908

Special Commissioners
of the Courts of
claims please let me
know if possible
when the Eastern Cherokee
payments will come off
and if my rights proved
up all right
Resp
Mrs Fannie Anash
Walters & Co

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Appln. No. 44341.

June 10, 1908.

Abbie Mask,

Comanche, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W/S.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUL 16 1908

No. 44341

Emerson C R Pa

July 9th - - 1908

Special Commissioner

Sir I dont know

why my grandparents
were never enrolled but
my mother tried it
once before under a
false agent and lost
\$50 and we were
to see my mother
knowing how to get
at it I tried and came to
C R Pa and found out
how to get at it
so we decided to try

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again yes my grand-
parents were in the treaty
but I don't know in
what year my ancestor
is grand mother Mazy
Pace the daughter of
Udal Pace my grandmother
Mazy Pace married a
Mr James Carlisle
and I don't know where
they lived in 1835-36
1851 they lived in
Chambers Co Ala
I am not sure but I
think they were from
Georgia some place

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no. none of my ancestors
were never slaves as
far back as I can
trace

and I am sure
- this is all I can tell
about it Resp
Abbie Mask

address

W. W. Mason
1111
Abbie Mask

Appln. No. 44346.

of the Eastern
Cherokee.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C. Sept. 21, 1908.**

Application No. 44341

Abbie Mask,
Comanche, Okla.

Sir:

In the matter of your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please take notice that J. Edward Tylor one of my duly authorized assistants, will be at Waurika, Okla. on Wed. Sept. 30th, 1908, at 9 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of taking testimony relative to your claim.

You should appear promptly before him, and if you have any witnesses you wish to have testify in your behalf you should also have them present at that time.

You can ascertain where the hearing will take place by making inquiry Principal Hotel.

☛ If you are enrolled on the Final Rolls of Citizens of the Five Civilized Tribes, you should bring with you the number of your enrollment, and also the number of your Census Card.

☛ Bring this notice with you.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

No. 341 Emerson to W. H. R.

Jan 8 - 1842

See of the Indian
Shawnee department
I would like to know
something about my
rights. They say
they are dead and
they can't get it
because of age. I
would like to know
if they need it
now so I would like
to see something to be done
so that I can get it
I know they are
the only ones who
can get it.

I had rather get paid
at a time as to
getting money at all say
5000 but I would
not want to let
anyone else have it
I would not

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 44 341

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No. 44341

Abbie Musk,
Seminole, Okla.
Hastings's Station

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Returned - 10/28*

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Abbie Mask,
Tamanche, Okla.

Hastings Okla.

NOV 1 1908
HASTINGS OKLA.

No. 44342.

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Havello Parker* and *X* children. Residence: *Jackson, Mich.*

Reasons:

Claims through same source as # 10886.

44342

No. 4432 ✓

Name Thompson ✓

With No. 10556

Remarks:

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Havello Packer

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1900, and May 20, 1900

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 6 1908
No. _____

44313

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: 77 Park

Indian name: Robert + David

2. Residence and post office: Jacksonville

3. County: Jackson Co

4. State: Fla

5. How old are you? _____ Born 1885

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)	<u>Charles</u>		<u>1895</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Robert

Indian name: David

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: Rush Co Ind.

Mother: Rush Co Ind.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sept 25, 1874

Mother: May 17, 1888

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>William Robert</u>	<u>Jan 10, 1860</u>	
(2)	<u>John Robert</u>	<u>Jan 27, 1861</u>	
(3)	<u>Charles Robert</u>	<u>May 7, 1862</u>	<u>1893</u>
(4)	<u>John Robert</u> <u>Indianapolis, Ind.</u>	<u>Dec 17, 1863</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.

St. David

Ann

John

John

18. Where were they born? Ind.

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

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

(1)	<u>William Robert</u>	
25212 (2)	<u>Elizabeth</u>	<u>Carthage, Penna.</u>
(3)		
2757 (4)	<u>John</u>	<u>Indianapolis, Ind.</u>
44350 (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: am not sure

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

REMARKS.

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

see Indian blood title in Parker's
Personal Description certificate in your possession
and found in his possession in Chicago

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

(Signature) Harella Parker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of January, 1907.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires February 12, 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 Elizabeth House
and Thomas Albshin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Harella Parker
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for three years and
over one half years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, 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.

Elizabeth House
Thomas Albshin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of January, 1907.

My commission expires February 12, 1908.
[Signature]
Notary Public.

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

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 16 1908
No. 44342

Wm. H. Smith
JAN 16 1908

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et alios

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COURT OF CLAIMS
AND DAMAGES
FOR THE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
JAN 31 1898
No. 44342

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+ note rel. to
att'y*



1. No. 2.

No. 44343

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mary Blackwell* and *X* children. Residence: *Muskogee, Okla.*

Reasons:

Claimant's ancestors were slaves.

See letter herein.

44343

No. 44343.

Rejct. 2

Name Mary Blackwell

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.
&
Slaves.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 11115

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Blackman

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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
JAN 6 1933

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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: Mary Blackwell
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: 727 Georgia Town Ave
3. Town and post office: 71112 Rogel
4. County: _____
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: Hays County Texas May 1869
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: Sofa Sandus
full blood Cherokee
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Columbus Blackwell
28 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Bill Williams
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Catherine M^cGruder
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Catherine Mattis
11. Where were they born?
Father: Georgia
Mother: Georgia
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: H. Markus Hays County Texas
Mother: H. Markus Hays County Texas
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Unknown Mother: August 1902

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)	Cliga Jones		
(2)	Henretta Bullison		
(3)	Julia Steward		
(4)	John Maygrays		
(5)	George Lockaye		
(6)	Tom Lockaye		1903

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.

Sola Sofia maiden name
Lofa Davidus after
marriage

17. Where were they born? Father in Texas. Grandmother in Georgia

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

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

(1) English name: John Williams

Indian name:

Residence:

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(2) English name: Jill Williams

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name: Mary Williams

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name: John Williams

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name: Mary Williams

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:

Unknown.

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) *Mary Blackwell*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires
....., 190

H. D. Dinsley
Clerk U.S. Circuit 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 *A. W. Johnson* and *Carrie Foreman*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary Blackwell*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for 2 years and 4 years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person ~~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.

H. D. Dinsley

A. W. Johnson

H. Bowhay

Carrie Foreman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires
....., 190

H. D. Dinsley
Clerk U.S. Circuit Court, ~~Notary Public~~

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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Appin. No. 44843.

June 10, 1908.

Mary Blackwell,
727 Georgetown Avenue,
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1836 and 1846? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. H. C.

COUNT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 20 1908

No. 24343

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MUSKOGEE, OKLA. *June 29* 1908

Dear Sir,
I have received your letter of June 10-1908 and in reply to you
I have to advise you that the land of the
Muskogee Nation is now in the hands of the
United States Government and is being
sold in small parcels to the highest bidder.
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Sept. 23rd 1908.

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Special Term.

Dear Sir: I have
been waiting to hear from
you but I by some
means don't hear. I
have not hear from you
since June 10th 1908.

As you can see I am
being anxious to hear
all about you & do hope
you will do some thing
in your favor.

me here from you ^{3/10}!
Soz how you wait for
me since June 10th 1908?
while @ that time I had
you to send my mail
to George Fisher but
now I want you to send
my mail to this No. 702.

No. 4 St. Mary Blackwell
I will be most there
to get my mail

Thank to you Sam

Very truly

Harry Blackwell

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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WALLACE C. FRANKLIN
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW
CULBERTSON BUILDING
MUSKOGEE, OKLAHOMA

June 5, 1909.

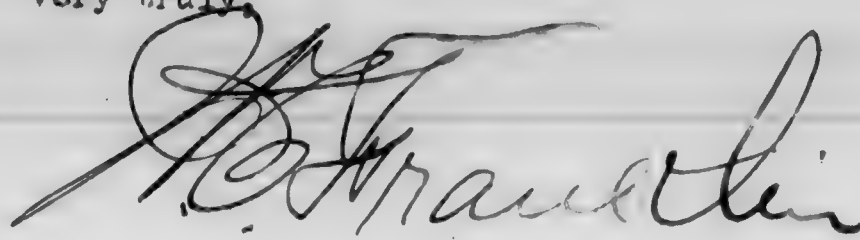
Guion Miller, Special Commissioner,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:--

Referring to the claim of Mary Blackwell of
Muskogee, Oklahoma to participation in the Eastern Chero-
kee enrollment.

Will you kindly advise me what the status of said
claim is at the present time, and the regulations governing
the enrollment of these people. This applicant has been to
see me in regard to this matter, and I deemed it best to find
out from you, whether she has an application and her chances
for enrollment.

Very truly,

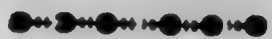


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MUSKOGEE, OKLA.

Oct. 5 1909

Mr. Geo. Miller

Special Commissioner

Sir please send me three blanks
of the new October opening of the
Eastern Cherokee. I want to fill
them and forward them back to you.

Yours

Mrs. Mary Blackwell

No. 44344

Action: Rejected.

Name Mary Jefferson and 6 children. Residence: Muskogee, Okla.

Reasons:

Filed too late - Jan. 1908

Neither applicant nor ancestor ever enrolled.
Does not establish fact of descent from a person
whom a party to the treaty of 1835 and 1846,
applicant is part negro grand mother. Child whom claim
is made was born in Miss. prior to 1835

(Misc. Act. h. 3477)

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Field. Okla. ^{member} - Project. ?

No. 44344.

Name Mary Jefferson.

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary Jefferson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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

1. State full name—
English name: Mary Jefferson
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: 72 - Georgetown Ave
3. Town and post office: Misskogue
4. County: _____
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: Casickana Texas Dec 31, 1873
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: _____
Garriel Roach
Emmaline Roach
Full blood Cherokee
8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Thomas Jefferson 37 1/2 years
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Levi Roach (2)
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Garriet Roach
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Garriet Williams (1)
11. Where were they born?
Father: Jackson Mississippi
Mother: Jackson Mississippi 14 77 3/2
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Jackson Mississippi
Mother: Jackson Mississippi
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: June 16 1898 Mother: March 19, 1902

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
14773 1/2 (1)	Mary Jackson	May 10 1868	
(2)	Woodson Roach	Feb 25 1881	
(3)	Lula Roach	Aug 31 1887	
(4)	Emma Roach	Feb 16 1895	Oct 1899
(5)	Willie Roach		Oct 1896
(6)	Alvin Roach		Nov 1893

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
Lera Roach Sr.	Mary Roach
Emmaline Roach	Ellen Roach

17. Where were they born? Jackson Mississippi

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

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

- (1) English name: Harriet Roach
Indian name:
Residence: Jackson Mississippi
- (2) English name: Lera Roach
Indian name:
Residence: Jackson Mississippi
- (3) English name: Iron Roach
Indian name:
Residence: Jackson Mississippi
- (4) English name: Andrew Roach
Indian name:
Residence: Jackson Mississippi
- (5) English name: Marion Roach
Indian name:
Residence: Jackson Mississippi

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

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

Unknown

REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) Mary Jefferson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1908

My commission expires 6/13, 1909

W. W. Bennett
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 Florida Bonner and Alice Volentine, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Jefferson, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 25 years and 4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1908

My commission expires 6/13, 1908

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Witnesses to Mark.

Robert M. [unclear]
Robert M. [unclear]

Signatures of Witnesses.

Oliver B. Benson
Missouri B. [unclear]

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of January, 1908

[Signature]

Notary Public.

Robert H. [unclear] Eastern
Notary Public Oklahoma

My commission expires

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No. 44344.

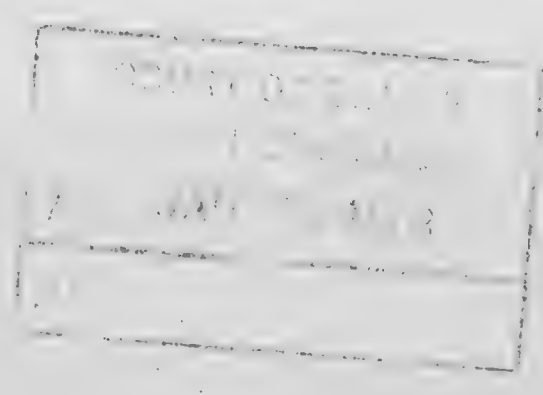
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Mary Jefferson
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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



Supplemental Application for Minor Children

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

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. 44344.

1. State your full name: Mary Jefferson
2. Residence and post office: Muskogee
3. County: Muskogee
4. State: Oklahoma
5. Date and place of birth: Dec 31, 1868, Waco Texas
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Thomas Jefferson 38 years
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Allen Jefferson</u>	<u>15 years</u>	<u>1892</u>
(2)	<u>Willie Jefferson</u>	<u>13 years</u>	<u>1895</u>
(3)	<u>Isaac Jefferson</u>	<u>10 years</u>	<u>1898</u>
(4)	<u>McKinley Jefferson</u>	<u>6 years</u>	<u>1902</u>
(5)	<u>Rosevelt Jefferson</u>	<u>4 years</u>	<u>1904</u>
(6)	<u>Hellen Jefferson</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>1906</u>

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

REMARKS

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

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

(Signature) Mary Jefferson

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

My Commission expires

E. Harrison
Notary Public
Waco, Texas

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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 Missouri Bell and Florida Bonner who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Jepperson who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 15 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Robert Matthews

Signatures of Witnesses.

Florida Bonner
Missouri Bell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of January, 1906

R. Harrison

Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 1906

Clerk U.S. Court Eastern District Oklahoma

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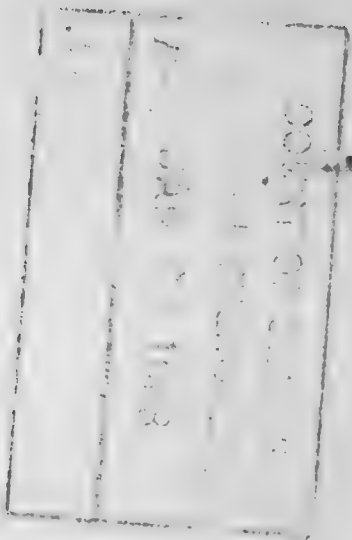
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Mary Jepperson
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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



COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 20 1908
No. 44344

Miss Mary J. Jefferson

Jan. 5. 1858
Mr. Simon Miller Secy -

I am an
Eastern Cherokee I made application
for enrollment of my self I have 3
children minors who are not enrolled
will you please send blanks for
my children. And oblige
yours sincerely,

Mrs Mary Jefferson
727 Georgetown Ave Washington D.C.
Application No. 44344

APP. No.44344.

January 22, 1908.

Mrs. Mary Jefferson,
727 Georgetown Ave.,
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Madam:-

Replying to your letter of January 16, 1908, you are advised that if you have any minor children you should fill out the inclosed supplemental application blank and return to this office, and the same will be filed with your original application.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Appln. No. 44344.

June 10, 1908.

Mary Jefferson,
727 Georgetown Avenue,
Missouri, Oklahoma.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1845-6 and 1845? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and what ancestor resided in 1845 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. J. S.

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Muskogee, Okla.

June, 16, 1908.

Union Miller, special commissioner

Dear Sir, relative
to your letter in asking me
respecting my claim, you
ask me why my parents or
grand parents were never
enrolled. I dont know I
suppose it was ~~my~~
negligence why they was
not enrolled. you ask me
were any of my ancestors
parties to the treaties of
1835: 6 and 1846 I dont
remember, you ask me to
state clearly the name of
the ancestor through whom

I claim my ²rights through
Harriet Roach. and my ~~my~~ mother
grand mother Emmanaline
Roach. I dont know ~~in~~
where they resided in 1835:
but in 1851 they resided
in missippi. I claim
indian through my
^{blood} ancestors my mother and
grand mother Emmanaline
very respectfully
Mary J. Hepson.

and what colored blood
I have in me is through
my father

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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Mary Jefferson being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 35 years of age. I claim my Indian descent through my mother and grand mother. My father was a colored man. My husband is a colored man. My mother was in her fifties when she died. My grandmother was said to be a whole Indian. ~~My~~ She was not a slave. Don't know whether my mother was or not. Emeline Roach was my grandmother's name. My mother and grandmother were always known as Indians. My grandmother has been dead about 17 years. She was born and raised in Mississippi. I don't know whether she ever lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe. She was never on any Indian roll - just kept putting it off, I guess. She never received anything from the government. Neither my mother nor I am on the Dawes Commission roll. This is the only application I ever made. I am recognized as a colored woman in the community but my mother always went as an Indian.

Colored

Mary Jefferson
Signature of witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Muskogee, Okla. this 21st day of September 1908.

FDR

J. D. Ryan
Ass't to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

No. 44345.

Action: Reject

Name Missouri Hill and 2 children. Residence: Muskogee, Okla.

Reasons:

1. no ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. " " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Applicant's mother & Grand-mother were slaves. See letter.
4. Application was filed too late.

44345-

Field Muskego ~~sp.~~

~~Rejct~~ - ?

No. 44345.

Name Missouri Hill.

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

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No. 4315 *Suppl.*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Missouri Hill.

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

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1. State full name—

English name:

Missouri Hill.

Indian name:

2. Residence:

727 Georgetown Ave.

3. Town and post office:

Muskogee

4. County:

5. State:

Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth:

June 3, 1854 Chambers County, Alabama

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:

Ann Tolls

Isabella King

full blood Cherokees

8. Are you married?

Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

Chess Hill, 53 years

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

Father—English name:

Golden Tolls

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Ann Tolls

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Ann King.

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Columbus Georgia.

Mother:

Rome Georgia

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

Father:

Chambers County Alabama

Mother:

Chambers County Alabama

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

March 10 1892

Mother:

July 1875

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ida Sims</u>	<u>Dec 10 1860</u>	
(2)	<u>Nosisie Tolls</u>	<u>May 9. 1852</u>	<u>1852</u>
(3)	<u>William Tolls</u>	<u>July 10. 1862</u>	<u>1863.</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Isebella King

17. Where were they born?

Rome Georgia

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

Rome Georgia

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

(1) English name:

Jim King

Indian name:

Residence:

Chambers County Alabama

(2) English name:

William King.

Indian name:

Residence:

Chambers County Alabama

(3) English name:

Lee King

Indian name:

Residence:

Chambers County Alabama

(4) English name:

Charley King.

Indian name:

Residence:

Rome Georgia

(5) English name:

Alfred King

Indian name:

Residence:

Rome Georgia

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

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Unknown

REMARKS.

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

(Signature.) *Missouri Hill*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *4* day of *January*, 190*8*

My commission expires *6/13*, 190*8*

W. W. Bennett
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *M. A. Valentine* and *Alice Valentine*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Missouri Hill*, 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.

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My commission expires *6/13*, 190*8*

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Notary Public.

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Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Thomas Jefferson

Harry Jefferson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23 day of January, 1908

W. B. Barrick

Notary Public
Wesley Barrick
District of Columbia

My commission expires _____, 190 . District of Columbia.

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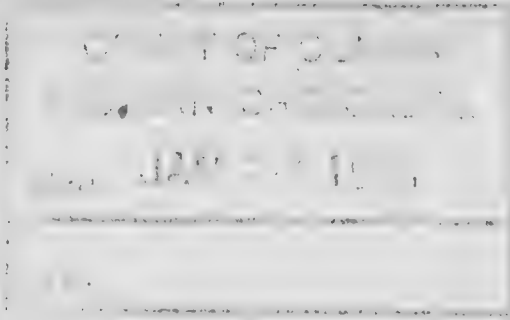
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1. State your full name: Missouri Hill
2. Residence and post office: Muskogee 727 Georgetown Av.
3. County: Muskogee
4. State: Oklahoma
5. Date and place of birth: June 3, 1854 Chambers County Alabama
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Chesley Hill
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Suzesta Hill</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1895</u>
(2)	<u>Roy Chester Hill</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1899</u>
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

REMARKS

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

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

*Witnesses & marks,
Maudie Hill*

(Signature)

Missouri Hill

Mary Hill Subscribed and sworn to before me this

25th

day of

January

1908

My Commission expires

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R. H. Harrison
Notary Public.

*Certs. U.S. District Court
E. Dist., Oklahoma.*

AFFIDAVIT

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Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

+ Thomas Jefferson
+ Mary Jefferson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of January, 1908

T. P. Harrison
Notary Public
Eastern Cherokee
District, Ok.

My commission expires _____, 190 .

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No. 44345

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

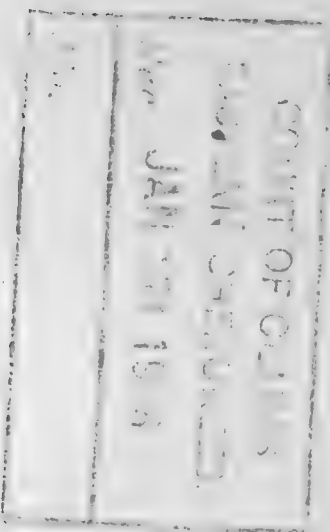
SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Missouri Hill

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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



COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 20 1908
No. 44345

Muskogee Okla

Jan 16, 1908

Mr Guion Miller Dear Sir,

I
have been enrolled myself
as an Eastern Cheoksee on
application No. 44345

I have two minor children
and three children of age
who have not yet been
enrolled. Will you please
send blanks for the same.

Yours sincerely

Wm. Missouri Hill

727 Georgetown Ave

Muskogee Okla

App. No. 44345.

January 22, 1908.

Missouri Hill,

727 Georgetown Avenue,

Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Madam:-

In reply to your letter of January 16, 1908, a supplemental application blank is inclosed, herewith, which you should fill out for your minor children and return to this office, at your early convenience.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

NLC.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. FEB 14 1908
No. 44345

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FEB 18 1908

Mustogus, Okla

Feb 10, 1908

Mr Guion Miller Special
~~The~~ Commissioner of the Court
of Claims.

Dear Sir in regards to
application No. 44,345 -
~~is it~~

is it in my favor, or
has it been

considered in
my favor if so let
me hear from you in
answer.

Yours truly friend

Missouri Hill

9.3.9.

Appln. #44345.

June 10, 1908.

Missouri Hill,

727 Georgetown Ave.,

Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1842? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851. Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

10/10.

No. 44346

Action: *Rejected.*

Name *George A. Bugg* and *4* children.

Residence: *Martin, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Application filed too late.

*Applicant was born a slave of a slave-mother.
Applicant mother, tho. whom he claims, was born in Ky.
in 1826 and resided there in 1835.*

(See letter herein.)

44346

Reject - ?

No. 44346.

Name George Albert Bugg.

With No.

Remarks:

Not file

Filed too late.

also

plans.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 11343

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

George Albert Bugg

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 8 1903 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: George Albert Bugg

Indian name: George Albert Watson

2. Residence and post office: Martin

3. County: Weakley

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? (67) 67 yrs Born June 25-1840

6. Where were you born? Near Clinton, Ky.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Bugg about 60 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Do not know.

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mear Bugg</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>March-1876</u>
(2)	<u>Pearl Bugg</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>Nov. 1881</u>
(3)	<u>Luther Bugg</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>March 1883</u>
(4)	<u>Maynard Bugg</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Nov 1888</u>
(5)	<u>Carrie Bugg</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Dec 1891</u>
(6)	<u>John Bugg</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Apr 5-1893</u>
	<u>George Bugg</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Apr 5-1894</u>

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

Father—English name: _____

Indian name: Ob Watson

Mother—English name: _____

Indian name: Hennieta Hopkins

Maiden name: Long

12. Where were they born?

Father: Do not know

Mother: Christian County, Ky.

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

Father: in Indian Territory
Mother: Hickman Co. Ky

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: do not know
Mother: in 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: do not know

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mary Vincent</u>	<u>1836 or 7</u>	<u>living</u>
(2)	<u>R. B. Bugg</u>	<u>1853</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>cannot</u>	<u>cannot</u>

18. Where were they born?

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) cannot do it
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: cannot give any further back than above

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 Albert Bugg
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Jan, 1908
L C Hanning
Notary Public.

My commission expires Apr 10 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 Ed Lawler
and John H Bondurant who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George Albert Bugg 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.

Ed Lawler
John H Bondurant

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COURT OF
COMMON PLEAS
APR 13 1868

G. A. Bugg
Martins
Tenn

1868
p

Spickman. 100

Whiston N.Y. 9-15-00

I have in my possession
F. R. Bugg has personally
examined with Henry C. Bugg
+ I have in my possession
the document of the
Spickman - [unclear]
[unclear] the mother G. A. Bugg
Robert Bugg + [unclear]
I am 16 years old Samuel
+ Bugg. W. Thorne

Lucy [unclear]
Age 13

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Lucy Leif
This Oct 2nd 1906. G. F. Hill, H. C. Fuller, County
Clerk.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 10 1908

No. .

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1808
y & Buggy
Mason Judson Miller

I have not a tobacco pipe
in my store to sell because I
had paper and he asked me the questions
in regard to them and answered them.
I have my grand father's he died 4/12/17
I hope of the Indian Title at Hopkinton
to a number near the length of the
the Cheshire County they are the
the the my mother's father was the
a man to Hopkinton County then the
in 16 years over my mother's name
I have long but know in 1814
my I have the land in 1814 I have
and my father the land - over to Eli Hutton
with a land by mother's under to know
maintaining also in the land the that to they
the paper and that I you will send to Judson
Judson

... my wife ... my sister ...
... in 1846 ...
... 1866 ...
... 1876 ...
... 1879 ...
... 1885 ...
... 1888 ...
... 1893 ...
... 1896 ...
... 1897 ...

I filed a petition
in 1906 in November
for my children when in court
said case was to set in
November, 1906 and in 1907
in February J. A. Bugg
for it

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. FEB 8 1908
No. 44346

circ. let.

FEB 9 1908

Multon Tenn 1908

February 26

Mr. Quinn Miller

Washington D C

Dear Sir I have been
at pushing on all I get up I have
had some work done every since
last summer still in the process
and Rayburns I am getting some
more than is I will discuss up
in the I have to get them before
it is too late I will be able
to be used I think the fact of the
matter I don't want it to be delayed
I will tell you that I will be
I have sent the paper and I will
try to hold it till you hear from me

Yours truly
J. C. Buggy

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF CUSTOMS
APR 19 1908
#4 346

James R. Bugg
Affiant, ~~James R. Bugg~~, being duly sworn states that he is a resident of (near) Clinton, Hickman County, Kentucky; that his age is seventy eight (78) years; that he was born in the said county; that he is well acquainted with George A. Bugg, at whose request this affidavit is made; that he was well acquainted with Henrietta Bugg, who was born in the year 1825; and died in the year 1832. Affiant states that said Henrietta Bugg was a child at the same time he was (slightly older); that she was a slave of Sherwood Bugg, father of the affiant, and that from the earliest of his recollection the said Henrietta Bugg was reputed to be a child of an indian called Chief Hopkins, who, according to the best of affiant's recollection, was moved from Kentucky to the Indian Territory about the year 1840, and that to the best of his recollection, he was of the tribe called Chickasaw. Affiant further states that the said Henrietta Bugg was the mother of the said George A. Bugg who was born in the year 1842, whose father was named Watson, a half breed Chickasaw Indian, who was moved from Kentucky in (or about) the year 1842. Affiant further states that the said George A. Bugg is now living and resides at Martin, in ~~Weakley~~ Weakley County, Tenn.

Witness the signature of the said James R. Bugg, at Clinton, Ky., this the 24th day of April, 1908.

Attorney J. A. Porter *James R. Bugg*

Subscribed and sworn to before me by James R. Bugg, a person well known to me, at Clinton, Ky., this the 24th day of April, 1908.

.....
Clerk Hickman County Court.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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circ. let

MAY 7 1908

Martin Brown

Nov. 14 1908

St. Louis, Mo.

I had to go Sept Monday
and I have had Kerner and
and I will see the
Department of James Brown and
Lucy Lee at the Kellogg
Place and so I will see the
of Brown and James Brown

Yours truly
M. B.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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No. 44346

File

Western Town

May the 12

Dear friend

See for me

settle called a

I would be

how that

letter at

get out of

and it

of

of

I

and

Yours

J. A. Bagg

6/17/08

Appln. No. 44346.

June 10, 1908.

George Albert Bugg,

Martin, Tennessee.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the common Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1785-6 and 1790? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and when that ancestor settled in 1841 and in 1851. Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to set forth your right to share in this fund.

Any early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. H. C.

CONFIDENTIAL
SOUTHERN CHEROKEES.
JUN 17 1908
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THE CONTINENTAL INSURANCE CO.
 OF NEW YORK.
 WESTERN DEPARTMENT
 280 LA SALLE STREET, CHICAGO, ILLS.

JANUARY 1st, 1908.
 Capital \$1,000,000.
 Total Gross Assets.....\$16,399,452.10
 Reserves:
 For Unearned Premiums \$7,096,277.15
 For Losses and all claims 549,583.59
 For Contingencies..... 250,000.00
 Total Liabilities..... \$7,895,860.74
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C. C. TEMPLETON, Agent,
 Martin, Tenn.

Martin Tenn. 6/15/08

*S. Miller/S/C/
 Washington D.C.*

44346.

Dear Sir! - in reply to yours of Jan 10, inst. will say: - that I will answer your questions to the best of my recollection on information received from my Mother prior to her death. Mother was born in Christian County Kentucky in 1825 & Chief Hopkins was then at that time, & at the age of 3 she was moved to Hickman County Ky by one Long & Long died & that left her ^{mother} in hands of Burgess at age 9 or 10 & why Mother was not married I cannot state before her death she spoke of marriage & never did that I know of. None of my ancestors was parties to the treaty of 1835-6 & 1846 unless it was Chief Hopkins & he was my Mother's Father. In 1835-1851 Mother resided in Hickman County Ky. & she never knew anything of treaty until since the civil war my Mother's brother was a free man & my Mother was made a slave by a man by the name of Long taking her to Kentucky & she was transported to one Burgess at 9 or 10 years of age. I pass on colored in

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C. C. TEMPLETON, Agent,
 Martin, Tenn.

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in community in which I live. My mother's brother Sterling was left of Hopkinsville Ky. when he died in 1867 & why he never registered I don't know, you went to Wisconsin in 1863 & I don't know any thing further about there, mother had a sister living at Columbus Ky & she died last year leaving behind I claim through chief Hopkins, my mother's father, I enrolled in 1906, any further information that you may want or desire will be furnished you with pleasure. Please let me hear from you at once & oblige

Very truly yours
 George Albert Bugg
 Martin Tennessee

State of Tennessee
 Weakley county) George Albert Bugg
 being duly sworn
 made the above statements on oath
 George Albert Bugg
 Sworn to and subscribed before me June 1st 1908
 C. R. McLean, Notary Public

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EASTERN CHEROKEES
Dec. JUN 22 1908
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note.
JUN 22 1908

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C. C. TEMPLETON, Agent,
 Martia, Tenn.

Martin Jones 6/16/08

*Sam Miller
 Washington D.C.*

*Dear Sir: - On or about the 25-th of April I
 sent you a type written affidavit of J. J.
 Bugg in my case or Indian claim
 & I want to know if you received same
 Please let me hear from
 you at once & oblige*

*Very truly yours
 George Albert Bugg
 Martin Jones
 Box 75*

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MARTIN, TENN.

1908

June 11

Mr. Lewis Miller

After seeing I thought it
best to write you a few lines
to let you know that I
am not at all interested in
the matter.

I have not seen anything
of the kind since I
was here. I am not
at all interested in
the matter.

I am not at all
interested in the
matter. I am not
at all interested in
the matter.

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Special Commissioner of the
Court of Claims

601. Army Building

Appn. # 44346

I do not know why my
2d. Parents, were not enrolled. they
were in treaties of 1835-6 + 1846
the names through whom I claim
are Angelina Isbell, Anna
& can not give their Christian
names in 1835 and 1857 My Great
Grand parents Resided in the
E. of G. My Great Parents
in Rome Georgia
My mother's Great mother was
Slav by capture

in the Community where
I Live & Pass as:-
a Creole.

I am satisfied my people know
of them or write in I.S.,
and by me not knowing their
Creole name I can not
my mother & Grand Mother Both
of them being dead this is
the best I can do.

Missouri Hill,
801 N. Allamont

Information in Houston I can
get that I am Parkers in Los Parkers
in the paper & letters

J. G. Parkers

Box 715

COURT OF QUINCY
EASTERN CHESTER
Per AUG 20 1911
No 44346

Martin T. Jones 1908

August 18

Old Quince Miller

I reply to you of June 22

The Testimony I have furnished a good
Testimony and I see the Bugge family
has all died out only J. R. Bugge and 78
his sister Lucy, I suppose he is
about 72 and he will probably tell
the information could be of some service.

I was shot with the practice and I
can not remember any, my mind is
I can not remember any.

Will you think that I have been
Miss Lucy's Testimony taken from
She has been with her father and
her at Hickman Ky I can only state that
my mother told me and she told me that
but I forgot it my father was a Sinner

... 1861 I heard from him in 1861
I have not heard from him since then
that there is the Cherokee Cherokee

... 1825 in the Cherokee
Ky in 1825 in the Cherokee
... 1840 in Hickman Center Ky
the Eastern Cherokee Enrollment

P.S. on the Mother's side

As I am a Partisan I expect
you had bet me how hard I had
been in the Bad Times Jan November 1907
and I can not get a bet head
you Tenby Mile I had
information in London I can
get how I am Partisan in London
in the paper & letters

John P. Pegg

Box 75

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AUG 20 1907

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Washington Term 1908
April 27

Mr. Guion Miller
Special Commissioner

Sir, I have had in charge
James R. Bugg applicant
of the Cherokee Nation
I will try to see that he
has his case taken up and if
I will I will take care of
back of what I have done
concerning the Cherokee
and the Cherokee Nation
Send me a copy of the
law relating to claims in eastern
Cherokee Enrollment I will
be willing of the information
What news do you have to

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. APR 29 1908

No.

*You will please
send the papers
and Return them to me
When you are through with
them the papers are all
I hope Court...*

*Yours truly
J. A. Berry*

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Indian Claim

Martin Tenn 1908

October the 26

Mr. Union Miller of Mt. Pleasant to you a copy
of my Claims Date back October the 23 1906
the No 44346 Now you say that my Claim was
filed January the 8. 1908 I have a copy of my Claims
hear be from me now with and it was written in
Mushogee on the 23 I will with it as it is written
10/23/06 I. T. and I was informed that I was to lat
and on the 4th day or 2. I filed to the Government
and the Government said I was to late but I could file my
Children all that was under 21 years old and I filed my
Children name in December 1906 and that the Roll shall
be fully completed on or before the fourth day of March
Nineteen hundred and seven 1907 and that the rolls of the
Tribes affected by this act shall be fully completed on or
before the fourth day of Nineteen hundred and seven - Now as
to Legonit Children mother was born Christian County Ky
1825 and it was proven by 2 witness that ~~her~~ (Berrett)
Berrett

was kept Hapkins Daughter of Hapkinsville Ky
and I am her son George Albert Berrett and my father
was a half Indian and he left her in 1848
So I inherited 4 child 1847

my Sister 4 a Brother 1 Now I ask to be granted
to the 4 day of March 1907 as the Law does not prohibit
it was left upend for some purpose I have 7 Boys
and I would like to have some place to take them.

One a piece of Land my Mother Was
Bound ~~for~~ free but was Taken away when
15 year old by a man by the name of Long
Bugg bought her from Long She was Indian Child
and was Made to and said for participation in the
fund arising from the Judgment of the Court of
Claims in favor of the Eastern ~~and~~
Cherokees that order of the Court of April 29
1907 all applications required to be filed on or before
August 31 1907 and this I filed my application
on the October the 23 1906 you all so stated I was to be
Except on behalf of minor children or persons of
unsound mind or persons under some other legal
disability and I was all writ on September
so I ask you file this paper and put it in the Records
and write to me you said that I should be
Wanted be some one to come and see how it
you Truly & G of Bugg
Ber 75
Martin Fern

I Was ~~Bound~~ Bound 1840 the 26 June
by Justice of the Peace B. H. Baskers at
Muskogee on the 23 Day
of October 1906

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inc. list.

DEC 7 1959

Martin Tenn

1908

December the 4

Mr Guion Miller Special Commissioner

Dear Sir I write you a ~~few~~ line in regards
to my claim filed in 1906

it has been 2 years now and just it was filed
October 23 1906 and you told me that I was
to take a field for the children under 21 one year old
I did this was December 1906 and I think it has
been getting some kind of answer I have to children
under 21 you my sister 4. my brother has 1

I dont know whether it could be made any stronger
than 2 witness I have introduced I thought get some
another witness were ordering I state the fact in case
most all the people is dead some I have not seen this
since the war and one of R. Bugg Jerry Luff
is now still a part the line a colored I seen made

many colored men in the Indian Territory and they
I know I was held as a slave not don't think the
Government want that the Indian land in a virgin
was beloved but later that be taken in the future
I would like to get some answer
the time is passing of and I getting old

So Mr Guion Miller please give me

some information

if you can write

George A. Bugg

Martin Tenn

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAR 5 1909
No. 44346

in. let

MAR 5 1909

~~Martin~~
Meritt Term 1909
March 3

Mr Guion Miller

Dear Sir I Write you and hope
that you have come to some conclusion
I was a Soldier in Lat War I served in 4th Regiment
of the US and I served with the War was one
and they promised me money of 160 some
So I think it was time to make some
disposition to Mary that I had I shall appreciate
you will mind it on 929369 George A. Buggy's George Bird
it seem that you object my petition and the ~~concern~~
my label and the Indian Court they recognize me
I would like to have home in the Indian Territory
I have a large family and very good in that they will help me
in regards to my children I write you a letter some time
in February 18 1907 on November the 23 1908
and I write to Washington every month so I could this
I keep a copy of my letters I have now I have when I
is now that I involved my children be far April 10
1907 I don't see more away miss understanding
in that will you please give me some understanding in this if
you can I don't think you every told on the
old paper of Ky to ask them and thing about it
the Indian all would me to come out there and stay
If that I may clear you Truly
G. A. Buggy
Pay Bot 75

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. APR 26 1909
No. 44 346

enc. let.

Daniels J. H. 1889

April 14th

Quion Miller

Special Commissioner

Washington D. C.

Dear Mr. Commissioner

I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of the 14th
inst. in relation to the
subject of the same.

I was born in the year

1889 and have since that

time been a resident of

the District of Columbia

and have never before

1906 been engaged in any

business of the kind

mentioned in your letter.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Yours truly,
J. H. Daniels

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 7 1909
No. 44316

enc. 10

Danville National Homes,
Danville Ill. May 6th 1909
Hon. Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment
601 O'Quay Building
Washington D. C.

My Dear Sir:
I written you a letter and
sent you my Card about three
weeks ago, Card dated Nov. 1906
I want to know whether you
recieved. The letter and Card
Yours Very Truly
George A. Buggy.
C. F. National Homes,
Danville, Ills.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 24 1909

No. 44346

Send
notice

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Now I have to say
see my wife ~~is~~ was sick
So you can write to me
and I will
and George & Betty

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 25 1909

No. 44346

Miss [Name] [Address]
23/4/11

Dear Miss [Name],
I have just received your letter of the 12th and am glad to hear from you. I am well and hope these few lines will find you the same. I have not much news to write at present.

I am sure you will be glad to hear from me again soon. I will write again in a few days. Give my love to your mother and father. I am, dear Miss [Name], ever your affectionate friend,
[Signature]

No. 44347 Action: Reject
Name: Siloamma Ship and 3 children. Residence: Sparta, Mo.
Reasons: man

Daughter of #44257
Also filed too late

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No. 44347

Name *Robert H. Nelson*

With No. 44459

Remarks:

No. 44347

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Siloma Freedomia Shipman

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 10 1908
No

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: Silvina Fredona Shipman

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Sparta

3. County: Christian

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 36 Born 14th October 1871

6. Where were you born? Christian Co. Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: Abraham Shipman

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Not known

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Alfonso Shipman</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>3/25 1890</u>
(2)	<u>Gless Shipman</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>5/4 1899</u>
(3)	<u>Bessie Shipman</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>12/2 1901</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: R. F. Nelson

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Louanna Nelson

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Louanna Wright Sanders

12. Where were they born?

Father: Green Co. East Tennessee

Mother: Jackson Co East Tennessee

Robert Saunders in family
p. 178. Roll No 35 - state of Georgia.

21. Have 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:

Robert Saunders and Sallie Wright married in
Indiana Burton S. the Name Saunders and Sanders
are the same as the last No How they spell the name

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)

Silvanna Fredonia Shipman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of Jan 1908

L.R. Beaman

My commission expires

Nov 15th, 1910

Justice of the Peace for State
Christian Co 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 Clara Feathering

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

that they are well acquainted with Silvanna Fredonia Shipman

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known Her for 17 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.

Clara Feathering

Ivy Feathering

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1908

My commission expires

Nov 15, 1910

L.R. Beaman

Justice of the Peace for State
Christian Co Missouri

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

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#44347.

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

July 15, 1908.

Solomon F. Shipman,
Sparta, Mo.

Sir:

With reference to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, you are advised that you will have to furnish the following evidence. State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim participation. State where your ancestors were living in 1835-6 and 1846, and whether or not at that time they were recognized as members of the Eastern Cherokee tribe. State whether any of your ancestors were ever held as slaves. Unless you furnish this information your claim will be rejected. Be specific in your answers and in answering refer to #44347.

Very respectfully,

Guion Miller

Special Commissioner.

By *J.S.P.*

HCB/EGS

#445A7.

July 15, 1908.

Solon F. Shipman,

Sparta, Mo.

Sir:

With reference to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Trail, you are advised that you will have to furnish the following evidence. State clearly the names of the ancestors whom you claim participation. State where your ancestors were living in 1835-6 and 1840, and whether or not at that time they were recognized as members of the Eastern Cherokee tribe. State whether any of your ancestors were ever sold into slavery. Unless you furnish this information your claim will be rejected. Be specific in your answers and in all cases refer to #4317.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEE
AUG 10 1908

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W. W. W.

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Solomon S. Sherman,

~~Agent~~

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EASTERN CHEROKEE
AUG 11 1908

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W. W. W.

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~~Solomon F. Shipman,~~

~~Sparta, Mo.~~

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No. 44348

Action: Admitted / Rejected

Name Jesse F. Couch and 1 children. Residence: Alvord, Okla.

Reasons:

This applicant claims, through his mother who was enrolled as Mary Wright. Grand mother enrolled as Elyse Wright, Uncle enrolled as Franklin Wright. All of whom were enrolled by Drennen in 1851 in Saline District, Group # 477. However this application was filed Jan. 10th 1905, and is therefore rejected. But the claim of his minor child Floy Edward Couch is Admitted.

J.C.B.

No. *4030*

Name *John S. Couch*

With No.

Remarks:

See File

No. 11314

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

James T. Couch

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 10 1908

No.

No. 34374

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Joseph T. Couch

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 10 1908
No.

*Good as To minor child only
Filed to date for applicant*

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Jesse A. Couch

Indian name: No Indian Name

2. Residence and post office: Allure

3. County: Nowata

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 38 years Born January 30, 1869

6. Where were you born? in the Cherokee Nation

7. Are you married? Yes sir

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Elsie Malvin, age 34 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? She is a white woman

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Floy Edward Couch	9 years	Nov. 27, 1898
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Marion Walker Couch and Mary F. Couch, mother's name before marriage, Mary E. Wright

Hook Father—English name: Marion Walker Couch *1896*

Indian name: no indian name

Mother—English name: Mary F. Couch

Indian name: no indian name

Maiden name: Mary E. Wright

12. Where were they born?

Father: was born in Texas

Mother: was born in Georgia

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

Father: Don't Know

Mother: Don't Know

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Still living

Mother: Died in 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: Yes sir, have drawn money every time there was a payment made with the Cherokee Indians

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
#361 (1)	John Franklin Couch	1867	Living
(2)	Nannie Couch	Don't Know	Living
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Don't know	Grandmother was named
	Eliza Wright, died in 1869, no
	Indian name

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Don't Know

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

- (1) Don't Know
- (2) Brother & malin
- (3) Franklin Wright - Information as to this name
- (4) found in Application No. 4666
- (5)
- (6)

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

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

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, 1908.

Albert Stevens
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 Charles J. Weaver and H. F. Couch, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jesse T. Couch

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 5 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Charles J. Weaver
H. F. Couch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6th day of January, 1908.

My commission expires July 23, 1911.

Albert Stevens
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44349

Action: Rejected.

Name Mary A. King and X children. Residence: Chapel Hill, Tenn.

Reasons:

Filed too late.

applicant's parents were slaves - - applicant was born a slave.

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Reject- ?

No. 44349.

Name Mary C. King

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.
&
Slaves.

Awaiting reply to letter.

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mary A King

For the amount appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress of June 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
JAN 11 1908

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name— Manya King.
English name:
Indian name: no
2. Residence and post office: Chapel Hill Tenn
3. County: Marshall
4. State: Tennessee.
5. How old are you? 57 Born November 11th 1841.
6. Where were you born? South Carolina
7. Are you married? Yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband George King.
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Don't no 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: James Marshall.

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Susanna Marshall.

Indian name: Don't no

Maiden name: Susanna Asley

12. Where were they born?

Father: S. Carolina.

Mother: Virginia

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

Father: Georgia

Mother: Georgia

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: march 27 1899

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: Never were

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Marquett Jennings</u>	<u>1844</u>	<u>not dead</u>
(2)	<u>Wmro Marshall</u>	<u>1839</u>	<u>dont no</u>
(3)	<u>Hoyle Marshall.</u>		<u>not dead</u>
(4)	<u>Bobram Marshall</u> <u>Cella Marshall.</u>		<u>dead</u> <u>dead,</u>
(5)	<u>Jamie Marshall.</u> <u>Fannie Marshall.</u>		<u>dead</u> <u>not dead.</u>
(6)	<u>George Marshall</u> <u>Johnnie Marshall</u>		<u>living</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.

John Cannon

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Bobria Cannon

18. Where were they born? dont know

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

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

(1) Jim Marshall

(2) Schollotte Cannon

(3) anohalley Party

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(5)

(6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 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 King
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of June 1907.

Richard D. ...
Notary Public.

My commission expires Oct 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 Caroline White
and Mary Patterson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary A. King who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 40 years and 20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.
W. J. Patterson
H. E. Jones

Signatures of Witnesses.
Caroline White
Mary Patterson
Richard D. ...
Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of June 1907.

My commission expires Oct 10, 1907

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.

APPLICATION

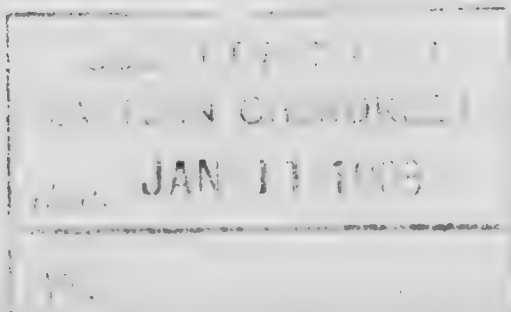
**Power of Attorney and
Contract**

For *Mary A King*
Chapel Hill
Tennessee

Marshall County

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

WILLIAMSON PRINTING CO., DALLAS.



Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Illinois
COUNTY OF Putnam

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Mary A. King
for the county of Marshall 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 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 Chapel Hill, Marshall Co. Ill.

at 2 Putnam Mary A. King Signature.
H. E. Jones
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

State of Illinois County of Putnam Be it known on the 4th day of January 1908
personally appeared Mary A. King, 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 Oct. 10 1908 William B. ...
Notary Public

[L. S.]
And now to witness 6th day of January 1908, 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 represent 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 6th day of Jan 1908

Seminole

Wm Davis
Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 11 1908
No.

Office of

Anderson P. Cagle,
Claim Agent and County Surveyor.

Konawa, Okla. Jan 6th 1908

Eastern Cherokee Application of

Mary A King

Filed By
Anderson P Cagle

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appln. No. 44349.

June 10, 1938.

Mr. W. H. King,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation
in the Western Shoshone Land please state why you, your
parents or your grandparents, or never enrolled were
any of your ancestors, parties to the treaties of 1855-
1856, 1863, 1864, 1865, 1866, 1867, 1868, 1869, 1870, 1871, 1872,
or your state and where that ancestor resided in 1848
and 1849. Give any of your ancestors names. Do you
possess any lands or claims to the same, in which you
live?

Give any other information of a public land
claim which you wish to make in this field.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. 44347

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 22 1908
No. 49349

Chapel Hill, Tenn.

July, 20, - 1908.

Mr. Guion Miller, Special Com.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir: - Your letter of the
10th ult. has been received,
contents read and carefully
considered.

I have answered your letter of
the 10th ult. but have not as
yet received any reply. So
I decided to write again. Now
as to ^{the} why me and my parents
and grandparents were never
enrolled I'm unable to give
an answer. My mother was
a Cherokee Indian. My mother

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was living in South Carolina, near Charleston ^{in 1851}. My father was ~~a~~ colored and my mother was an Indian. My mother and father were slaves. Mother was stole from Indian Territory and brought to Virginia and sold when a little girl. Then she was brought to North Carolina ^{and} sold there by a Negro trader, named John Little. Then she was brought to South Carolina and sold to Dr. Joe Marshall. When freedom came she was

#3.

in South Carolina. From
S.C. she came to Ga. and
lived three miles from
the town of Kingston.
She resided there three
years. From there she came
to Tennessee and lived
resided ten years. Then
she went to Mississippi
and in that state she died.
I'll be pleased to receive
any early reply.

Many thanks for kindness.
Application # 44349.

Respt. Yours.

Mary A. King,
(Colonel)

No. 44350.

Action: Rejict.

Name Fannie E. Hedgecock and 1. children. Residence: Plemons, Texas.

Reasons:

Mother of # 44084 and claims through the
same source.

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No. 44350

Name J. E. Hedgcock

With No. 44310

Remarks:

No. 33331

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Fannie E. Hedrick

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 11 1908
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: Fannie Elainer Hedgecock

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Clemmons

3. County: Guthrie

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 50 Born Oct 1857

6. Where were you born? Titus County, Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mellis P. Hedgecock 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)	<u>Esther Vaughan</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>July 12-1878</u>
(2)	<u>Wayne Martin</u>	<u>25</u>	<u>March 30-1882</u>
(3)	<u>Sidney Shearer</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>Oct 9-1886</u>
(4)	<u>Earl Bradford</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Nov-28-1894</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Rufus Martin

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Sarah Prudence Martin

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Sarah Prudence Shearer

12. Where were they born?

Father: What is now Red River near Texas

Mother: _____ D. C.

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

Father: Titus County Texas

Mother: Titus County Texas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: May 15th 1885

Mother: July 20th 1895

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John S. Martin</u> <u>Weatherford Tex</u>	<u>Sept 30 1850</u>	
(2)	<u>Mary E. Martin</u>	<u>Dec 20 1857</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(3)	<u>Thomas B. Martin</u> <u>Dennis Texas</u>	<u>Nov 20 1852</u>	
(4)	<u>James M. Martin</u>	<u>May 9 1860</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(5)	<u>Lucy J. C. Martin</u>	<u>Sept. 16 1861</u>	<u>Dead</u>
44210 (6)	<u>Isaac R. Martin</u> <u>Texela Tex</u>	<u>Feb 3 1861</u>	

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

John Martin Yencer Shearer
Cynthia (Wilson) Martin Elizabeth (Whitaker) Shearer

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

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

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

REMARKS.

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

my grand mother Elizabeth Walker was
daughter of James Whitaker Mary
(Walker) Whitaker & was born May 8-1841

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

(Signature) Fannie Elvina Hedgecock

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of Dec, 1908

J. B. Jamington Co. Sec.
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 A. M. Hedgecock
and J. A. Whiteside, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Fannie E. Hedgecock
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and
7 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. M. Hedgecock
J. A. Whiteside

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Jan, 1908.

My commission expires

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J. B. Jamington Co. Sec.
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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 11 1908

No.

S. B. TARKINGTON
COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK
HUTCHINSON COUNTY
PLEMONS, TEXAS

PLEMONS, TEXAS

Jan 6 1908

Mr Guian Miller

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find my application for share
of money appropriated to the Eastern Cherokee
by act of Congress approved June 30. 1906.
If I am too late please file same in the
behalf of my minor son.

Yours Truly

Jamie E. Hedgecock

By E. V. Hedgecock

No. 44351

Action: Delect.

Name Myrtle L. Mackey and 3 children.

Residence: 1001 1/2 St. ...

Reasons: ...

44351

No. 44357

Name Myrtle L. Stranding

With No. *Journal* 3

Remarks:

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No. 04851

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Maryta Lovell Stradley

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 13 1908
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 ^{my children} of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

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

1. State full name—

English name: Myrta Lovell Stradley

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: 2273 1/2 Street, San Diego

3. County: San Diego

4. State: California

5. How old are you? Thirty years Born October 15, 1877

6. Where were you born? Richards, Vernon Co. Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charles Evert Stradley, Thirty years

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mary Anna Stradley</u>	<u>Six years</u>	<u>Oct. 6, 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Franky Stradley</u>	<u>Four ..</u>	<u>Apr. 16, 1903</u>
(3)	<u>Charles Evert Stradley</u>	<u>Two ..</u>	<u>May, 9, 1905</u>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

Father—English name: Nicholas Mosley Freeman

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Mary Rebecca Freeman

Indian name: none

(Maiden name: Mary Rebecca Lovell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Wobson, North Carolina

Mother: Siloam, ..

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

Father: Wobson, North Carolina

Mother: Siloam,

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: October 18, 1905

Mother: Living

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

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>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>Alexander Freeman</u>	<u>William R. Lovell</u>
<u>none</u>	<u>none</u>
<u>Sarah Mosley</u>	<u>Eliza Reeves</u>
<u>none</u>	<u>none</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

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

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

(1)	<u>Alexander Freeman</u>	<u>Wobson, North Carolina</u>
(2)	<u>Mary Faulkner</u>	<u>Mt. Airy</u>
(3)	<u>Sarah Jenkins</u>	<u>Chicago Illinois</u>
(4)	<u>Henry Lovell</u>	<u>Indian Territory</u>
(5)	<u>Frank Lovell</u>	<u>Boone North Carolina</u>
(6)	<u>M. R. Lovell</u>	<u>Denver Colorado</u>
(7)	<u>Jerry Lovell</u>	<u>Denver Colorado</u>
(8)	<u>R. M. Lovell</u>	<u>Denver Colorado</u>
(9)	<u>Mary R. Freeman</u>	<u>Winston; Salem; North Car</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: Mary R. Lovell Freeman, daughter of

Wm. R. Lovell, son of James Lovell and Sallie Poindester, daughter of
Thos. Poindester and Elisabeth Pledge, daughter of Bettie Donahoe
daughter of Cherokee Indian Chief, Donahoe, and Mary Wentworth was
the daughter of John Wentworth of the REMARKS.

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

James Lovell, born in N. Carolina, July 7, 1780, Sally R. Poindester, his wife,
born Apr. 6, 1784, Thos. Poindester, May 2, 1808, Edward J. Lovell, Feb. 19, 1810
Wm. Radford Lovell, Apr. 5, 1813, James Alexander Lovell, Apr. 4, 1829,
James Lovell and Sally Radford Poindester, married June 7, 1807.

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

(Signature) Myrtle Lovell Stradley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this third day of January 1908

Robert H. Artley
Notary Public.

My commission expires

February 15, 1908.

Notary Public, in and for the County
of San Diego, State of California.
My Commission expires Feb. 15, 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 Matthew Green
and Anna Stradley, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Myrtle Lovell Stradley
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for seven years and
eight years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, 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.

Matthew Green
Anna Stradley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Third day of January 1908

My commission expires

February 15, 1908

Robert H. Artley
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable
Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it may

and for the County of San Diego, Cal.
Notary Public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an
agent before a notary, etc.

No. 44352

Action: Reject

Name Margaret M. Mauldin and two children. Residence: Lavonia, Ga.

Reasons:

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No. 44352

Name Margaret Almond

With No. Kizzie Sammie

Remarks:

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No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Margaretta M. Hamilton a
and her 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, 1900.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Dec. JAN 13 1903
No. _____

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

SIR: *as natural guardian for my two minor 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—

English name: *Margaret M. Mauldin*

Indian name: *none*

2. Residence and post office: *Lavonia, Georgia*

3. County: *Franklin*

4. State: *Georgia*

5. How old are you? *29 years* Born *April 23^d 1878.*

6. Where were you born? *Big County, N.C.*

7. Are you married? *yes*

8. Name and age of wife or husband: *J. O. Mauldin (age) 29 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: *2 living*

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<i>Junior C. Mauldin</i>	<i>10 years</i>	<i>May 23rd 1897</i>
(2)	<i>May W. Mauldin</i>	<i>6 yrs</i>	<i>October 11, 1901</i>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: *E. M. Lowery*

Indian name: *none*

Mother—English name: *Eleanor Huline Lowery*

Indian name: *none*

Maiden name: *Eleanor Huline Henry*

12. Where were they born?

Father: *Calhoun County, N.C.*

Mother: *Calhoun County, N.C.*

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

Father: Cherokee County, N.C.

Mother: Cherokee County, N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living yet

Mother: died in 1890 I think. the best I recollect.

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, likely mother was enrolled on Hester Roll and Wiley Roll

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

	NAME	AGES	DIED.
(1)	Lillie Henson	7 years	
	Macon Co. Franklin, N.C.	Greenville, S.C.	
(2)	Sallie Sanders	8 James Cowart	
	Macon Co. Franklin, N.C.	Greenville, S.C.	
(3)	Emma Sanders	9 Willie Cowart	
	Macon Co. Franklin, N.C.	Piedmont, S.C.	
(4)	Richard Cowart		
	Greenville, S.C.		
(5)	Bessie Cowart		
	Piedmont, S.C.		
(6)	Cleveland Cowart		
	Greenville, S.C.		

Do not remember all the Births or ages. All are living yet.

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Livie Cowart

Grand father name
James Money, Jr.

18. Where were they born? Grand father name was born in Brunswick Co., N.C.

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

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: her mother Bro & sisters

(1)	John Money	Clay Co	N.C.
(2)	Nelse Money	Clay Co	N.C.
(3)	Must Money	Clay Co	N.C.
(4)	Henry Money	Clay Co	N.C.
(5)	George Money	Clay Co	N.C.
(6)	Minnie Money	Clay Co	N.C.
	Martha Shadawie	Clay Co	N.C.

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

Nester's Roll more than 20 years ago

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

Helene Mancy, who is a daughter of James Mancy Sr who was a son of James Mancy Jr, who was a son of Kibbar Vann, who was a daughter of John Vann, a full blood Cherokee Indian and on Roll of 1835 page 198

REMARKS.

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

Applicant files this claim as natural guardian of her two minor children named in this application

I am sure my father has drawn money as interest on because of his relation to Cherokee Indians also his sisters and brothers of Mancy family have drawn.
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Margaret M. Mauldin

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

L. E. Fisher

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 25, 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 Joy Ann Garrett

and W. K. Mancy, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Margaret M. Mauldin formerly daughter of Helene Mancy daughter of James Mancy Sr daughter of John Vann Cherokee Indian and on Roll of 1835 page 198 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

Joy Ann Garrett W. K. Mancy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of January, 1908

My commission expires

March 1, 1911 Sam H. Glass
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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 13 1908
No.

JOHN. H. DAVIS.
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

Hiwassee, Ga. 11/21/00. 190

Gen. Union Hill, 30 Oct 1900.

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir: - Please find enclosed application for license to M. B. Smith
of Lenoir, Ga. in behalf of his two minor children.

Please find also enclosed as per above application a copy of the
application.

Yours truly,

John H. Davis

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No. 44353.

Action: Reject.

Name Emmett M. Barnes

and --- children.

Residence: Vancouver, Wash.

Reasons:

Claims through Benjamin and Gardner Green. (See #5145)

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No. 44573

Name James D. J.

With No. London, 1880

Remarks:

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No. 41353

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Emmett W. Barnes

For shares of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indian 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.

GILLESPIE & CONLEY, Attorneys.
COLUMBIA, MO.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
JAN 14 1908

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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: Emmett M. Banner

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: 2307 1/2 Russell St. Portland

3. County: Clatsop 1306 S. Main St. - Oklahoma City

4. State: Oregon Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 25 Born April 27, 1882

6. Where were you born? In Boone County, Mo.

7. Are you married? NO

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

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

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

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

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

Father—English name: John T. Banner 37842

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Annie E. Banner

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Annie E. Green

12. Where were they born?

Father: In Boone County, Missouri

Mother: _____

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

Father: Not living then

Mother: Not living then

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, never enrolled.

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

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	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Elmer D. Barnes</u>	<u>Feb 7, 1878</u>	
	<u>Fort McPherson Georgia</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.

Thomas C. Barnes
and Susan H. Barnes,
his wife

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Eli Green and
Lucy C. Green his
wife

18. Where were they born? Thomas C. Barnes and Lucy C. Green in Howard Co. Mo
Susan H. Barnes and Eli Green in Boone County Mo

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

In Boone County, Mo.

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

Lucy C. Green 6 children of Eli and
 (1) Ann E. Barnes, McPherson, Kansas
 (2) Dora J. Ketchum, Columbia, Mo.
 (3) Iola W. McKnight, Parsons, Oklahoma
 (4) Marion C. Wall, Columbia Mo.
 (5) Maud P. Bredlove, Columbia, Mo.
 (6) Warren W. Green, Columbia, Mo.

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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:

claimant is the son of Annie E. Barnes, daughter of Eli Green, son of James Green, son of Benjamin Green, son of Gardner Green, enrolled in 1835 and 1846 as an Eastern Cherokee Indian.

REMARKS.

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

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

(Signature Emmett M. Barnes)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of Jan., 1908

E. M. Green
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 19th, 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. J. Campbell

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

that they are well acquainted with Emmett M. Barnes

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

two 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.

C. J. Campbell

Parker Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of January, 1908

My commission expires

March 19th, 1910.

E. M. Green
Notary Public.

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

State of Washington
County of Clarke ss.

I, Emmett M. Barnes, being first duly sworn depose and say on my oath that I am the identical person who made affidavit to the hereto attached claim dated this 4th, day of January 1908, that the reason why I did not execute said claim prior to this date was because the same was sent to me addressed to 2300 Russell Street Portland, Oregon and I was living in Vancouver Washington and did not receive notice of said letter until the second day of January 1908 when I immediately went to Portland, Oregon and received the same and have executed the said instrument as soon after receiving the said letter containing the same as I could and I also submit herewith the envelope that contained sworn statement which would show that the same has been laying at Portland Oregon for a long time and at other points along the line from Columbia, Missouri, where the same was mailed to Portland, Oregon and I make this affidavit for the reason and for the purpose of showing that it was not my fault that I did not execute said papers prior to this date further affiant sayeth not.

Emmett M. Barnes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th, day of January A. D. 1908

EM Barnes
Notary public for Washington, residing at
Vancouver, therein

Leomon W. Barnes
March 19 1910

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 14 1903
No.

GILLESPY & CONLEY
LAWYERS

JAS. C. GILLESPY
M. R. CONLEY

COLUMBIA, MO.,

Jan. 11, 1908.

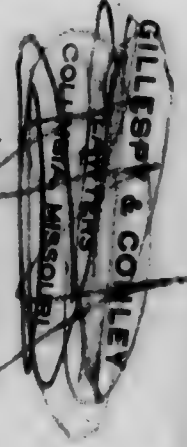
Hon. Guion Miller,
601 O'neal Building,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir - Enclosed we send
a claim for participation in the
Eastern Commerce fund, which
was delayed for reasons stated
in the affidavit attached
thereto. At the request of the ap-
plicant we send it to you
to be considered if the rules
of the court will permit.

Very Resp.

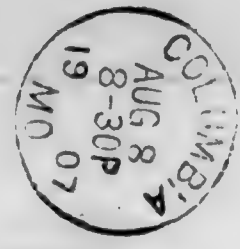
Gillespy & Conley

after 5 days
returned to
J. T. Barnes
McPherson
Kansas



(230 1/2 Russell St)

Miss Emmet M. Barnes



Portland

Oregon

GILLESPIE & CONLEY
LAWYERS
COLUMBIA, MISSOURI

after 5 days
returned to
J. F. Barnes
McPherson
Kansas



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Wm
Mr Emmet M. Barnes
Portland

(230 1/2 Russell St)

Oregon

W. P. HERSHMAN, AINS.
AUG 24
7 PM
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REC'D

COLUMBIA, MO.
AUG 23
4:30 PM
1907
REC'D

W. P. HERSHMAN, AINS.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 10 1909
No. 44 353

Emmett M. Barr
Oklahoma City
Okla

7/7/1909

Union Miller
Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims
Washington
D. C.

Sir you will find in
my application No 44333
for participation in the
arising from the
of the Court of Claims
was of the Eastern
my P. O. address was then

Vancouver Washington
since then it has been
changed. if any of my
papers have been sent to
that address ^{they} please
return please send them
to me at 1300 S. Walker St
Oklahoma City, Okla.
which is my present
address and will be until
you are further notified
Yours Respectfully

Emmett H. Barnes

No. 44354.

Action: Reject

Name Lula Farrow and X children. Residence: Candlen, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 43241.

44354

No. 44354

Name Julia Ferrar

With No. 4751

Remarks: See file

No. 41354

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF
Aula Farrar

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern 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 JAN 14 1908 No.

**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: Sula Farrar

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Benton, Tenn.

3. County: Benton

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 14 yrs Born Oct. 13, 1892

6. Where were you born? Benton Co. Tennessee

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? 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: Farrar - (Willie Co Farrar)

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Alva Johnson (Farrar)

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Johnson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Benton Co. Tennessee

Mother: Decatur Co. Tennessee

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

Father: born 1868

Mother: born in 1860

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Oct. 11, 1898

Mother: still living

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Benson Farrar</u>	<u>Apr. 4, 1894</u>	<u>1897 or 98</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>Allen S. Farrar</u>	<u>Malissa S. Mitchell</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Grandmother - was not</u>
	<u>Indian</u>

18. Where were they born? Grandfather Illinois, Grandmother N.C.

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

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

<u>4 2 2 5 2</u>	(1) <u>Willis S. Farrar</u>	<u>was</u>
	(2) <u>H. M. Farrar</u>	<u>London Tenn</u>
<u>4 2 2 4 6</u>	(3) <u>Thos. O. Farrar</u>	<u>London Tenn</u>
<u>4 2 2 4 1</u>	(4)	
	(5)	
	(6)	

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: I cannot give any further back than grand parents

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
My father was brother of Thos P Farrar and Mr W Farrar who filed claims sometime back

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

(Signature) Sula Farrar

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires _____, 190____
W D Cooper
County Clerk
Benton County Tenn.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me F. E. Mc Elyea
and B. D. Johnson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sula Farrar who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 15 years, and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

B. D. Johnson
F. E. Mc Elyea

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires _____, 190____
W D Cooper
County Clerk
Benton County Tenn.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a Notary Public, Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, if not to be executed before the court of sworn to before as to.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 14 1908
No.

Cum gratia, Dec 11/11/08
Guinn Miller esq

Washington, D.C.
Dear Sir: I am herewith enclosing
you proven claim of Julia Jackson.
This girl is a niece of the Fernald
boys who filed their claims some-
time in the late summer of
1907.

If there is any other proof
necessary to the proper ad-
justment of this matter I
will be glad to look after it.

The girl can't give the surname
name of her grandfather
further than that he belongs to
the Cherokee Tribe.

Should any additional proof be
required please indicate the kind.

Yours truly,
S. A. Clement.

No. 44355 Action: Rejected
Name Andrew Jackson and X children. Residence: Muskogee, Okla.

Reasons: Filed too late.
Applicant's parents and grandfathers. Chas. whom the
claim, were slaves.
(See letter herein)

44355

Reject - 7

No. 44355

Name Andrew Johnson

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.
&

Slaves

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 42000

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Andrew Johnson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 17, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. JAN 14 1908
No.

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: Andrew Johnson
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: 427 Georgetown Ave. Co Edward Matthews.
3. Town and post office: Muskogee
4. County: Muskogee
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: March 15 1857 Jackson Miss.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:
Charity Ross
full blood Cherokee
8. Are you married? No
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Isie Ross
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Matilda Ross
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Matilda Johnson
11. Where were they born?
Father: _____
Mother: _____
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Marcksfield Louisiana
Mother: Marcksfield Louisiana
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Unknown Mother: Unknown

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S. A. H. C.
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14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Bun Johnson		
(2)	George and Johnson		
(3)	Molly Johnson		Unknown
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	Charity Ross
	Daniel Ross

17. Where were they born? Charity Ross Jackson, Mississippi

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

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

(1) English name: Daniel Ross
Indian name: _____
Residence: Unknown

(2) English name: Matilda Ross
Indian name: _____
Residence: Mandeville Louisiana

(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:

.....
.....
Unknown
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REMARKS.

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

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

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

(Signature.) *Andrew Johnson*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of January, 1908

My commission expires
December 31, 1911, 190

G. E. Burton
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 *V. H. Owen* and
J. T. Macclin, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and
say that they are well acquainted with *Andrew Johnson*, 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 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.

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.....
Wm. James
J. H. Macclin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of January, 1908

My commission expires
December 31, 1911. 190

G. E. Burton
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Dec. JAN 28 1908
No. 44356

supl. Blk

JAN 28 1908

Muskogee Okla

Jan 25 1908

Mr. Genon Miller Dear Sir: -

I received my
card for my enrollment as an Eastern
Cherokee application No. 44355 I have
some minor children I would ^{like} to have
enrolled will you please send blanks
for them

And a Hedge your truly
Andrew Johnson
727 Georgetown Ave Muskogee Okla

Appln. No. 44355.

June 10, 1906.

Andrew Johnson,
727 Georgetown Avenue,
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1845? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1845? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

State any other facts which will tend to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

WJ/30.

W. J. ...
JUL 13 1908
No. 118

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Albany

Mr. Guion Miller
Commissioner of the Court
of Sessions
Dear Sir
I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of the
10th inst. in relation to the
matter of the estate of
John Miller deceased
and in reply to inform you
that the same has been
forwarded to the
proper authorities for their
consideration
I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
J. M. Miller

I have been thinking
 of the present and
 the future and how
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 Russia was a
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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 19 1908
No. 44355.

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Wiskogee Okla

June the 14 1904
Mr. Guion Miller
Special Commissioner of
the Court of Claims

Dear Sir as I written
you on yesterday the 13th
and forgotten to mention
my parents as you request
of me to do & will do so in
this letter and I claim
my right - through mother
Matilda Ross
and my grand mother
Charity Ross and I
to not - I do where
they resided in 1835
and they resided in

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Louisiana in 1851
hoping that - this
will be satisfaction
to you for drawing
my name to give you
the name of the
ancestors through
whom I claim my
right - my address
is George Town, Va.
AR-10727
Andrew Johnson

Alice S. James No. HH 356.
guardian of Annie J. James
Hubert S. James and May S. James

Action: *Reject*

Name and children. Residence: *Mocksville, N. C.*

Reasons:

Grand children of # 38423.

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No. 443

Name. C. J. ...

With No. 38

Remarks:

No. 122713

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Alice James

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

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Jacob Stewart
atty.
for applicant

Wachsville
COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. JAN 14 1908
W. C.
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— J. W. Jones & Alice Jones Parents & Custodians of ~~Jones Jones~~, Annie Jones, Hubert Jones
 English name: Mary Jones & Hubert Jones
 Indian name: Eastern Cherokee Indian
2. Residence and post office: Mocksville, N. C., Mocksville
3. County: Dair
4. State: North Carolina
5. How old are you? Annie Jones 16, Born Nov 24-1890
Hubert Jones 13, Born July 11 1894
6. Where were you born? Watauga, Tenn. 11, Jones Jones & Hubert died Aug 5-1888
7. Are you married? None
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:

Father—English name: J. W. Jones
 Indian name: None
 Mother—English name: Alice Jones
 Indian name: Eastern Cherokee Indian
 Maiden name: Alice Holman

12. Where were they born?

Father: Dair County, N. C.
 Mother: Mocksville, Dair County, N. C.

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

Father: Burn in 1858

Mother: 1862

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: None

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Annie Spomer</u> <u>Marshall NC</u>	<u>Nov-24-1890</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Hubert Spomer</u> <u>Marshall NC</u>	<u>Jan 11-1894</u>	<u>Living</u>
(3)	<u>May Spomer</u> <u>Marshall NC</u>	<u>April 19-1896</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>John Spomer</u> <u>Dead</u>	<u>Aug 5-1888</u>	<u>Dead, Aug 29, 1906</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>Brooks Spomer</u>	<u>Frank Holman</u>
<u>None</u>	<u>Not that I know of</u>
<u>Annie Spomer</u>	<u>Mary Holman</u>
<u>None</u>	<u>Eastern Cherokee Indian</u>

18. Where were they born? All in Davie County, N.C.

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

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

Maternal side	Paternal side
(1) <u>Lily Ann, Winston N.C.</u>	<u>J. W. Spomer, Marshall N.C.</u>
(2) <u>Emma Morgan Stovall</u>	<u>Billy Gray, Albemarle N.C.</u>
(3) <u>Alice Spomer, Marshall N.C.</u>	<u>Lucinda Gray, Marshall N.C.</u>
(4) <u>Willie Holman, Dead.</u>	<u>Robert Spomer, (Don't know)</u>
(5) <u>Carson Holman, Mt Holly N.C.</u>	<u>Matthew Spomer, "</u>
(6) <u>Betty Holman, Dead.</u>	<u>John Spomer, Gastonia</u>
(7) <u>Carmel Holman, Marshall N.C.</u>	<u>Elisha Spomer, Marshall N.C.</u>
(8) <u>John Holman, Pittsburg Prim</u>	<u>Maggie Spomer, Don't know</u>
(9) <u>Thomas Holman, Stovall N.C.</u>	<u>William Spomer, Turnersburg N.C.</u>
(10) <u>Sallie Holman, Dead.</u>	<u>Ada Nichols</u>
	<u>Mary West</u>
	<u>Frank Spomer</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: Mathias (Mather) Jones born in 1807 Eastern Cherokee Indian;
Grand mother Mary Holman Eastern Cherokee Indian born 1838; Grand grand
Mother (Maternal) to father in 1800 & died in 1884 was an
Eastern Cherokee Indian; Grand grand mother Sylvia Frost (Maternal)
Was as I am informed half Eastern Cherokee Indian & born in
what is now Davis County. REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
22+82 Sylvia Frost was a stout woman with long black hair
38423 high or prominent cheek bones, Copper colored complexion
Positive notes + the same characteristics of features
though less distinct often in her mother + the family.

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

Alice James
(Signature)

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

E. E. Hunt

My commission expires June 5 1909 Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 5th, 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 Reuben Gaither, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Alice James
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

E. E. Hunt

Signatures of Witnesses.

Harry Lyons

Reuben Gaither

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, 1908

My commission expires

June 5th, 1909.

E. E. Hunt

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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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P. S. To the Cherokee is my
D. B. B.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 10 1910
No. 44356

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. FEB 5 1908
No. 44356

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FEB 5 1908

Mocksville, N.C.

Route No. 2.

Feb. 3^d, 08.

Mr. Grover Miller

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir: I received a
card from you a few days
ago, and thank you very
much for your recognition.

I understand through the
card that I am recognized
as one ~~in~~ as having relation-
ship to the Cherokee in
the Eastern part of the U.S.
and I acknowledge that I am

Address Mrs. Alice James
Route No. 2.
Mocksville, N.C.

(2)
Dear Sir, My application
No. being 44359, I would
like to know if I am to
receive a relative's share
and when if you please?
Mr. Guoin Miller, I would
also like to know if I will be
able to get my Sons and
Daughters in on the same
conditions they being
relatives of the Cherokee.
Please let me hear
from you soon.
Yours, Alice James
Application No. 44359.

No. 44357 Action: Reject
Name: James Flint and etc children. Residence: Birby, N.C.
Reasons: By Harriet & Lee Flint.

Nephew of #38984 Claims
through same source

44357

No. 44357

Name Hamilton Fair

With No. 38984

Remarks:

No. 11057

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

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

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Jacob Steuart
Marshall, N.C.
Attorney for
applicants

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Dec. JAN 15 1908
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: Harriet Flint & husband Lee Flint, Peep
 + Custodian of James Flint, Mary Lou Flint, Spu-
 English name: Leon Flint, Belle Flint, Lindsey Flint
 Indian name: Eastern Cherokee Indian
2. Residence and post office: Bishy, Bishy, N. C.
3. County: Davie
4. State: North Carolina
5. How old are you? James Flint 8 Born April 15th 1899
Mary Flint 7 Born Sept 13th 1900
Lindsey " 343 " Born May 17th 1902
6. Where were you born? all in Davie Co. N. C.
7. Are you married? None
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: Lee Flint
& Harriet Flint, whose name before marriage Harriet Dulin

Father—English name: Lee Flint
 Indian name: None
 Mother—English name: Harriet Flint
 Indian name: Eastern Cherokee
 Maiden name: Harriet Dulin

12. Where were they born?
 Father: Davieson Co., N. C.
 Mother: Davie Co. N. C.

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

Father: Born Aug 8-1874

Mother: Not born in 1837

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: None

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

The names of children are as follows:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	James Flint	8/ April 15 th 1899	
(2)	Mary Jane Flint	7/ Sept 13 th 1900	
(3)	Arthur Flint	(5) Jan 17 th 1902	
(4)	Kelley Flint	4 Feb 9, 1903	
(5)	Lucas Flint	5 July 5-1904	
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
Anderson Flint	Ephraim Dulin
uncle to my grandpa	"Eastern Cherokee"
Walter Flint	Easter Dulin
uncle to my grandpa	Nancy

18. Where were they born? Walter Flint, in Buchanan Co. E. Va. Ephraim Dulin Fagnum E. Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Walter side in Buchanan Co. E. Va. Mother side in Virginia

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

(1)	Kelly Flint	Deat.	Elion Dulin, Wenden N.C.
(2)	Lee Flint	Bigg N.C.	Mary Jane Crawford Marshall N.C.
(3)	Daisy Flint Bronsketa		Julia Dulin
(4)	Will Flint	Wenden N.C.	Harriet Flint Bigg N.C.
(5)	Green Flint	" "	Henry Dulin Fork Church N.C.
(6)	John Flint	" "	Jessie March Carnahan N.C.
			Sizzie Gill, Barren N.C.
			Mary Ann Dulin Marshall N.C.
			Sherman Dulin

21. Have 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: Paternal side: Lee Flint & his father Anderson Flint & Martin Flint; Maternal side: Harriet Flint & James Dublin Grand parents Ephraim Dublin & Ester Lebow Indian & wife Ester Dublin of same

REMARKS.

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

Our Grandfather Ephraim Dublin's father was a full-blooded Eastern Cheok Indian as was his father. The high cheek bones, straight hair, copper color & other characteristics of the Indian are characteristic of Ephraim Dublin & his descendants. They have always been reported as being Indian.

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

Harriet & Lee Flint (Signatures)

(Signature)

Lee Flint

May James Flint, Shipped Agent, Kelly Flint & Lindsay Flint

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

E. E. Hunt

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 5th, 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 Spencer Roar, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Harriet Flint & Lee Flint

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known them for all years and

all 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. Hunt

Signatures of Witnesses.

Harry Lyons

Spencer Roar

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of January, 1908

My commission expires

June 5th, 1909.

E. E. Hunt

Notary Public.

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

COURT OF CLERKS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. JAN 15 1963
No.

JACOB STEWART,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.

MOCKSVILLE, N. C. *July 13th 1908*

*San Guion Fuller, Special Commissioner
Washington D.C.*
Dear Sir: - Enclosed I send you application
made by parents for their minor chil-
dren. in accordance with your
letter of sept 17th, 75. I would acknowledge
receipt of same to you to be
your truly &
Jacob Stewart

No. 44255

Action: Admitted

Name Robert C. Taylor and — children. Residence: Milton, Okla.

Reasons: Stephen #1375. Claimer has same source

No. 44358.

Name. Robt. O. Taylor.

With No. 1375-

Remarks:

No. 11343

Application 515
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Robert Barton

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 15 1903
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: Robert A Taylor

Indian name: Lorrey

2. Residence and post office: Afton

3. County: Ottawa

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 22 Born Jan 9th 1884

6. Where were you born? Delaware Chickasaw Indian

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

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

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

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

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

Father—English name: George Taylor 2343

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Martha Taylor

Indian name: Chickasaw

Maiden name: Martha Dorsum

12. Where were they born?

Father: Louisville Ky

Mother: Delaware Chickasaw Indian

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

Father: Louisville Ky

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: _____

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

and with what tribe of Indians: My Mother in all of the Chev. Payments since 870 in Chev Nat Laws at Vinitan T. 1903 with the Cherokee

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>George M Taylor</u>	<u>Jan 3 1858</u>	_____
	<u>Okla</u>		
(2)	<u>Frank R Taylor</u>	<u>Nov 8 1884</u>	_____
	<u>Okla</u>		
(3)	<u>William H Taylor</u>	<u>26 1892</u>	_____
	<u>Okla</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>Francis R Taylor</u>	<u>James Downing</u>
<u>Mary E Taylor</u>	<u>Eliza Downing</u>

18. Where were they born: in the old Chev Nat East of the Mt Washington

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

District Chev Nat - D. N. T. Y.

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

- (1) George Downing
- (2) Fannie Downing
- (3) John Downing
- (4) Cynthia Downing Hudley Okla
- (5) James Downing Okla
- (6) Martha Downing Okla
- (7) Malachi Downing Hudley Okla
- (8) Mary Sticker Downing Hudley Okla

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

where, and with what tribe of Indians

*In all of the Cheyenne-Comanche
1885 Land at Dunita 1903 Cr of allotments Nos 4680-3961-51891*

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.)

*Just refer you for further information to the
application of my mother filed as No 2343*

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

(Signature

Robert O. Taylor

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13* day of *January* 1908.

My commission expires Aug. 2 1908.

My commission expires

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Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me *W. C. Donaldson,*

and *A. A. Williams,* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with *Robert O. Taylor*

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *16,* for *18,* 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 *this* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. C. Donaldson

A. A. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *13* day of *January*, 1908

My commission expires

My commission expires Aug. 2 1908.

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Notary Public.

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

No. 44359

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Easter E. Neff,* and *2* children. Residence: *Boliver, Mo.*

Reasons:

*Niece of #11688, and claims through
the same ancestors.*

44359

No. 44359

Name Carter E. Jeff

With No. 11688

Remarks:

No. ~~11350~~

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF

E. + E. Nell

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 15 1908 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: Easter E. Neff

Indian name: None used

2. Residence and post office: Boliver,

3. County: Polk

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 23 years Born April 13, 1884

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Herman Neff age 30 years

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ruby Neff</u>	<u>3 years</u>	<u>Aug. 27, 1904</u>
(2)	<u>Zula Neff</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>Dec. 30, 1905</u>
(3)	.....	.....	.....
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

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

Father—English name: Eli Edwards

Indian name: (he is white)

Mother—English name: Juliette J. Edwards

Indian name: (She is Cherokee)

Maiden name: Juliette J. Ussery

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Mother: Camden County, Mo.

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

Father:

Mother:, Born after 1851, about 1857

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father:, Living at Henryetta, Okla

Mother:, Living at Henryetta, Okla.

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 not on the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation

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

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
44011 (1)	Floyd I. Edwards	Nov. 22, 1877	Henryetta, Okla.
(2)	Florence B. Degraffenried	Oct. 12, 1879	Henryetta, Okla.
(3)	Mary B. Ballard	Nov. 23, 1881	Cookson, Okla.
(4)	Luvina J. Morse	Dec. 17, 1886	Henryetta, Okla.
(5)	Robert A. Edwards	Mar. 12, 1889	Died Oct. 1893
(6)	Laura G. Ussery	Sept. 3, 1893	Henryetta, Okla.

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

They were whites

Annual and Levina Ussery

nee Gunter

Think he was white .

18. Where were they born? Grand-mother in Cherokee Nation, Tenn.

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

Camden County, Mo.

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

H3916 11656 31286 31256 H331	(1)	John F. Ussery	Living, Ketchum, Okla.
		Jesse Peter Ussery	Living, Vinita, Okla.
	(2)	Juliette J. Edwards (Mother)	Living, Henryetta, Okla.
		Martha Jand Shadwick	Living, Wyandotte, Okla.
	(3)	William A. Ussery	Living, Damsel, Mo.
		Annual Luther Ussery	Living, Wyandotte, Okla.
	(4)	Rose Ann Williams	Living, Henryetta, Okla.
		Drury C. Taylor	Living, Neosho, Mo.
	(5)	Elnora Anderson	Living, Damsel, Mo.
	(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not on the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation.
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Maternal Great Grand-parents were William and Emaline Gunter nee Phelps they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835 but I understand they died before 1851.

REMARKS.

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

My Grand-mother, Levina Ussery nee Gunter had brothers, Columbus C., Thomas, Allen T., and William Benton Gunter.

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

(Signature Easter E. Neff.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Thirteenth day of January, 1908 1907.

My commission expires

Notary Public.

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AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Easter E. Neff
and George E. Clark & Ida L. Clark, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Easter E. Neff

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for one years and one years, respectively, and believe her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

George E. Clark

Ida L. Clark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Thirteenth day of January, 1908 1907.

My commission expires

July 2, 1911.

A. Gunter
Notary Public.

Do. Bahia, Mo.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44360

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Taylor A. Prestwood* and *X* children. Residence *Sweetwater, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestor ever enrolled.

*Does not establish fact of descent from a person
who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 and 1846.*

44360

~~Rejet~~ ?

No. 44360.

Name Taylor L. Bresswood.

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith

are nos. 44361, 44493,
44373, 44365, 44366,
44367, 44368, 44369, 44370,

Filed too late?

investigate as to
minor

Awaiting reply to letter.



No. 38300

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Taylor & Rose

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 15 1908
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: Taylor L Presswood

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Sweetwater

3. County: Crowne

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 37 Born 6 March 1870

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nannie Presswood 45

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<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: Samuel J Presswood

Indian name: " " Bennett

Mother—English name: Margaret Presswood

Indian name: " " Bennett

Maiden name: " " Carter

12. Where were they born?

Father: GA

Mother: Tenn

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

Father: Tenn

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 11

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

The Bennets & Weekers were Cherokee

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Linkie Presswood</u>		
	<u>Julie</u>		
(2)	<u>Frank</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Josier Presswood</u>	
<u>11 Bennet</u>	
<u>Mary Presswood</u>	
<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>

18. Where were they born? Ga

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

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

- (1) Calvin Presswood
- (2) Manerva
- (3) Samuel J
- (4) Asijalite
- (5) Mary
- (6) Hattie
- Emaline
- Elizabeth
- Jae
- George

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

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

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father Samuel
Presswood his mother Mary P. Presswood maiden
name Mary Ann Bennett her mother was a Wickey a full chero
her sister's name Charlotte Vickery

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint W Morris Harrison of Madisonville
Tenn my true lawful attorney & allow him a
commission of 15%

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

(Signature)

Taylor L. Presswood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Jan, 1908

Geoff Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan

1912

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 Watson

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

that they are well acquainted with Taylor L. Presswood

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

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

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

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W H Watson

Dinkie Vian

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

Jan

1912

Geoff Isbill

Notary Public.

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9.5.9.

Appln. No. 44589.

June 10, 1908.

Wesley L. Presswood,
Beechwood, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Master's Charter Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1845? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and state that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1845. Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you own or lease or colored in the locality in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

44493

Appidavit,
of
W. H. Watson
Fresno

State of Tenn } W. H. Watson of Madisonville
Madison County } Tenn. being duly sworn says
Aug 23 - 1909 My's 17 years old was born on
Ketchy Creek Madison County Tenn and as to my
acquaintance with David Presswood & Emaline
Atkins will say I have known them for 40 years
or more. I know David Presswood's mother her
name Mary E. Presswood, she was a Bennett
before she was married she told me she was 1/2 Cherokee
Indian blood, she looked like one & could talk
their language she was known by every body
here as of the Cherokee race. David Presswood
was her chief Jack Presswood was George was
the girl's name Emaline Atkins - Presswood
& Lin's Mother - Presswood, Mary E. Presswood
lived in Madison County Tenn in 1857

I have lived here with her people all my
life. Jesirat Presswood ^{an other boy} was W. H. Watson

Witness J. W. Talbot

Subscribed and sworn to before me this
Aug 23 - 1909

G. W. Esbill,

No. 44361

Name: *Anna L. [unclear]*

Action: *[unclear]*

Reasons:

and *[unclear]* children.

Residence: *[unclear]*

[Handwritten text, mostly illegible]

44361

No. 44361

Name David J. Pearson

With No. 44360

Remarks:

No. 2201

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Samuel J. Presswood

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 15 1908
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: Samuel J. Presswood

Indian name: || || Bennett

2. Residence and post office: Smethwater

3. County: Marion

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 67 Born Jan 23 - 1840

6. Where were you born? Sumner County Ga.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah M. Presswood 54

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>all over age</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

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

Father—English name: Josiah H. Presswood

Indian name: || ||

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Eliza Presswood ^{Wickens}

Indian name: || Bennett

Maiden name: ||

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Ga

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

Father: Melbourn County Tenn
Mother: 11 11 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900
Mother: 1864

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

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Elvin dead Preswood no children	20	reekend
(2)	Manerwa Preswood		
(3)	Angaline 11 dead no children		
(4)	Mary dead 11 Emaline 11		
(5)	Joseph dead 11 no heirs Elizabeth dead 11		
(6)	Henry 11 David 11		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Preswood
Ransom Bennett
11 name 11
don't know grand
her sister Sharlot Beckery

18. Where were they born? don't know informed in N.C.

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

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

(1)	Samuel Bennett	
(2)	Wm	11
(3)	King	11
(4)	Washington	11
(5)	Marion	11
(6)		

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: brothers name Mary Ann & Presswood maiden name Bennett
her father Ransom Bennett
her mother was a vickery
sister to Charlotte Vickery

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

I hereby appoint W. H. Watson's Harrison of Madisonville
my true & lawful attorney and allow
him a commission of 10%

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

(Signature) Samuel J. Presswood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Jan 1908
Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan 1912

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 Watson
and Newton Yerber, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel J Presswood who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 9 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Watson

Newton Yerber

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Jan 1908

My commission expires

Jan 1912 Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

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Bennett her Father Ransom Burnett

A Relative of the Wickery's
Ransom Burnett's wife was a Wickery
lived in G.A. & died there

We are known as whites
never in bondage

plea: let me hear from
my claim as I have heard
nothing only this letter

Yours truly,

Taylor Resmond

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

Appln. No. 44360.

June 10, 1908.

Taylor L. Presswood,
Sweetwater, Tenn.

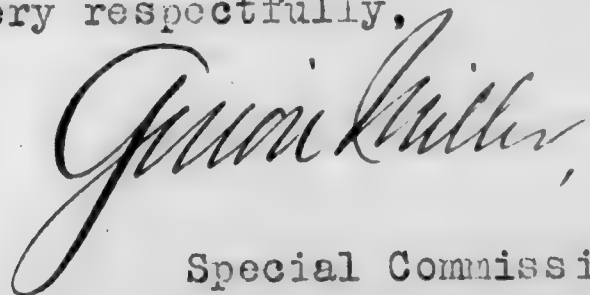
Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

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

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,



Special Commissioner.

FST/ELO.

appl 44340

Sweetwater Tenn

May 29-1908

Special Examiner

Dear Sir after a delay I answer
the within's letter my father Samuel
Presswood his mother Elizabeth
Bennett her father Ransom Bennett
a relative of the Vickery's
Ransom Bennetts wife was a Vickery
lived in G.A. & died there
we are known as whites
never in bondage

please let me hear from
my claim as I have heard

nothing only this letter

Yours Truly

Taylor Presswood

No. 44362

Action: *Report*

Name *Dinke Vair* and *2* children. Residence: *Sixwater, Penn.*

Reasons:

Duplicate of No. 44362

44362

Duplicate
33966
No. *33966*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Shink's heirs & 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, 1907, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. JAN 15 1909
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: Hickie Vian

Indian name: " Bennett

2. Residence and post office: Smutwater

3. County: Sumner

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 34 Born Aug 24 - 1873

6. Where were you born? Landon County Tenn

7. Are you married? my husband dead

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Hardin Vian</u>		
(2)	<u>Herbert "</u>		
(3)	<u>Their ages are given in my</u>		
(4)	<u>my application No 33961 as I</u>		
(5)	<u>have not put in for myself till</u>		
(6)	<u>this I place their names in my applications</u>		

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

Father—English name: Samuel J Presswood

Indian name: " " Bennett

Mother—English name: Maryann E Presswood

Indian name: " " " Bennett & Vickery

Maiden name: " " " Carter

12. Where were they born?

Father: Ga

Mother: Tenn

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

Father: Term

Mother: ||

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: ||

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

and with what tribe of Indians: the Vickerys were

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

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Louise Presswood		

(2)	Julia		dead no children Dec 19-1904
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(3)	Frank		
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(4)			
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(5)			
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(6)			
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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	Jessie Presswood	

	Bennett	
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	Mary Presswood	
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	Vickery	
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18. Where were they born? GA

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

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

(1) Calvin Presswood

(2) Marwa ||

(3) Samuel ||

(4) Anjilore ||

(5) Mary ||

(6) David ||

Emaline ||

Elizabeth ||

Jud ||

Geo ||

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

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Father's name Samuel
Presswood his mother Asary Presswood
maiden name Mary E. Bennett her mother was
a vickey of full blood she
her sister Charlotte Vickery

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

I hereby appoint W. Morris Harrison of
Madisonville Tenn my true lawful attorney
and allow him a commission of 12 1/2%

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

(Signature) Dinkie Vick

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of Jan 1908

Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Jan 1912

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

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. H. Watson
Laverie Presswood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires
Jan, 1912 Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

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

No. 44363.

Action: Report

Name Grace J. Jones and 4 children.

Residence: Santa Rosa, Calif.

Reasons: 1 child left home

44363

No. 4363

Name: SAC J. L. ...

With No. Counter #3

Remarks:

#3

No. 341337

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Isaac J. Jones

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the act of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
JAN 16 1908

**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: Dr Isaac Jarrett Jones

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Santa Rosa Honduras

3. County: _____

4. State: Honduras

5. How old are you? _____ Born Nov 23 1863

6. Where were you born? St. Ida Montgomey Co Arkansas

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Maidel (Payne) Jones

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>Rush</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Feb 19th 1894</u>
(2)	<u>Camille</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Dec 6 1895</u>
(3)	<u>Alfred Payne</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>May 31 1898</u>
(4)	<u>Isaac Jarrett</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>June 30 1900-</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Dr Isaac Jones

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Mrs Jane Poindexter Jones

Indian name: None

Maiden name: Miss Jane Poindexter Blingman

12. Where were they born?

Father: born Hardiman Co Tenn

Mother: born Near Amity Arkansas

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

Father: Near Amity Clark Co Arkansas

Mother: Near Amity Clark Co Arkansas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: death of father Dec 17 1891

Mother: living

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

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

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1) <u>ellelinda ^{nee Hartung} Jones</u> <u>Amity born Oct 1854</u>		
<u>Frances ^{nee Hartung} Highsmith</u> <u>born 1856</u>		
(2) <u>Mary Lodysa Dippie</u> <u>Detroit ^{Tex} born 1859</u>		
<u>Grannith Jones</u> <u>Rapid City ^{Tex} born April 22 1861</u>		
(3) <u>Robert Alexander Jones</u> <u>born 1866</u>		<u>died 1871</u>
<u>Lee Julia Alexander</u> <u>Dixon Ark born 1868</u>		
(4) <u>Arthur Willis Jones</u> <u>Dallas ^{Tex} born 1870</u>		
<u>or Martha Ida Jones</u> <u>Amity Ark born 1870</u>		
(5) <u>Alansell Lanie Jones</u> <u>Sprenstla ^{Tex} born 1872</u>		
<u>Minnie Grace Palmer</u> <u>Amity Arkansas born 1874</u>		
(6) <u>Guilford Lavender Jones</u> <u>San Laredo Texas born 1877</u>		
<u>Delia C Jones</u> <u>1880</u>		<u>died 1881</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>Robert Jones</u>	<u>Alexander Brandon blingman</u>
<u>ellelinda Jones born Texas</u>	<u>Ann Martha blingman</u>
<u>No Indian names</u>	<u>Alexander Brandon blingman & Co</u>
<u>Grandfather born Kentucky</u>	<u>Ann Martha blingman & Co</u>

18. Where were they born?

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

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

- Mother side only
- (1) Mary Anne Paindexter Jones Reproline Amity Thomas Lanie blingman dead
 - (2) Arthur King blingman Biethulle ^{Tex} William Wickliff blingman dead
 - (3) Mrs. Mattie Beer Honey ^{Tex} one Isaac Jarrett blingman dead
 - (4) Alexander blingman dead Francis Henry blingman dead
 - (5) Elizabeth Ann ^{first husband Profusion} dead Peter Jacob blingman dead
 - (6) Mary Catharine blingman dead John Patillo blingman dead

Alexander M or Michael blingman has one son living
at Brownwood Tex only heir Joseph Isaac blingman
Brownwood Tex

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

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

Father Alfred Jones ^{on Father's side} Grandfather Robert Jones ^{Grandmother}
Mother not born till 37 ^{on Mother's side} Alexander Brandon ^{Abingona} Anne Martha ^{Abingona}

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I claim Blood relationship through the Pendexters back to Betty Pledge the Eastern Cherokee Indians party to the treaty of 1835-6 1846

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

(Signature) Isaac Jarrett Jones

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

J. M. Mitchell Jr
American Consular Agent



AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me D. McWaller MD
and A. B. Hunter MD, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Isaac Jarrett Jones who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for five years and four years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person 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.

D. McWaller MD
A. B. Hunter MD

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

My commission expires

J. M. Mitchell Jr, 190

J. M. Mitchell Jr
American Consular Agent
Notary Public

NOTE.—Affidavits, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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 16 1908
No.

Commissioner of Customs

This enclosed paper had
to be sent to a foreign
country, and has been
delayed so long in transit and
by the government of fiscal
that it has just now
returned so that it can
be sent in.

Mrs Jane Paindexter - one

Amity

Curt

No. 44364

Action: *Reject*

Name *Pauline Wilson* and children.

Residence: *Boyd, Tex. R. 2*

Reasons:

Sister of #16388. Claims thru earned source

No. 4436C

Name *William R. ...*

With No. 16374

Remarks:

No. 41304

Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION

OF

Pulline Wilson

For share of ~~2~~ appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
KONAWA
I. T.

COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JAN 14 1908 No.
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Mr. Cagle this is a duplicate
of my first application which
you received August 2nd 1917

Comissiononer 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 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: Pauline Wilson
Indian name: 1/8 Cherokee Indian by blood.
2. Residence: _____
3. Town and post office: Boyd. Route # 2.
4. County: Wise
5. State: Texas
6. Date and place of birth: North Carolina Oct 1837
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: by my father being one forth 1/8 Cherokee Indian
8. Are you married? (yes) but I am a widow at present.
9. Name and age of wife or husband: my husband, W.E. Wilson died at the age of 71 years in the year 1908, November 8th
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Aron Brown
Indian name: he gets his Indian Name through the Elee family
Mother—English name: McEntire
Indian name: None
Maiden name: Elizabeth McEntire
11. Where were they born?
Father: in Boncrum Co North Carolina
Mother: _____
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: in hamilton Co Tennessee
Mother: " " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother:
Father: Feb 11th 1892 Mother: Dec. 18th 1857

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

Not that I know of

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

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<i>Simcon Brown</i>	<i>1833</i>	<i>1887</i>
(2)	<i>Pauline</i> <small>(now Wilson)</small>	<i>1837</i>	<i>living</i>
(3)	<i>Emeline</i> <small>(now Maskey)</small>	<i>1843</i>	<i>living</i>
(4)	<i>anderson</i> <small>"</small>	<i>1846</i>	<i>Dead</i>
(5)	<i>Evan</i> <small>"</small>	<i>1848</i>	<i>living</i>
(6)	<i>Catherine</i> <small>" (now Followwill)</small>	<i>1850</i>	<i>living</i>

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

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S

my grand father Aron Brown Married a woman by the name of Eles her maiden name being Pollie Eles. she being 1/2 breed Cherokee Indian

17. Where were they born? *in North Carolina*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *in hamilton Co Tennessee if I Mistake not*

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

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- (1) English name: *Aron Brown*
 Indian name: *Cherokee Tribe 1/4 by Blood*
 Residence: *Hamilton Co Tennessee*
- (2) English name: *Taurah Brown*
 Indian name: *Cherokee Tribe " "*
 Residence: *unknown*
- (3) English name: *Caroline Brown*
 Indian name: *Cherokee " " "*
 Residence: *unknown*
- (4) English name: *Loue Brown*
 Indian name: *Cherokee " " "*
 Residence: *unknown*
- (5) English name:
- Indian name:
- Residence:

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

not that I know of

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

Thomas Elee being my grate grandfather which was a full blood Cherokee Indian and father of Pollie Elee which she is wife of Aron Brown my grand father.

REMARKS:

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

I dont know any thing more that I could add that would be any advantage the name and ages of my own children is as follows James Wilson 46 years which is 1/4 Cherokee Indian by blood Rebecca Wilson 42 " " " " " " Andrew Wilson 41 " " " " " "

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 Pauline Wilson her name

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Jan 1908

My commission expires

Nov 28 1908

E. F. Vance

Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me J. B. Lefors and S. A. McBaran who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Pauline Wilson who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 35 years and 23 years, respectively, and know her to be identical person she represents herself to be, 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.

Witness to mark J. B. Lefors S. A. McBaran

Signature of witness J. B. Lefors S. A. McBaran

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Jan 1908

My commission expires

Nov 28 1908

E. F. Vance

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.

APPLICATION
Power of Attorney and
Contract

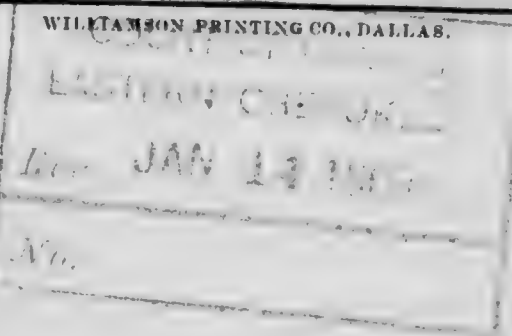
For *Pauline Wilson*

Boyd R. #2.

Texas

Wise County

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



Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Texas
COUNTY OF Wise

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Pauline Wilson
for the county of Wilson 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 Boyd Tex R F D no 2

S. B. Lefors Pauline Wilson her
S. A. McCarroll signature.

State of Texas County of Wise. Be it known on the 6 day of Jan 1908
personally appeared Pauline Wilson, who after having read over to her
in the presence of the attesting witnesses; the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after
being qualified, signed and acknowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not
paid an attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Nov 28 1908 E. T. Vance Notary Public

[L. S.]

And now to witness 10th day of January 1908, 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 10th day of Jan 1908

H. M. Davis
Notary Public

McCarroll

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JAN 14 1908

No.

Office of

Anderson P. Cagle,
Claim Agent and County Surveyor.

Konawa, Okla. Jan 10th 1908

Enclosed herewith Application of

Pauline Wilson

Filed By

Anderson P. Cagle

Her Sisters Mrs Emeline McKey, Boyd, N. # 1
and her No. 32443. Texas

And Catherine Hollowell, Boyd, Texas
her No 26223.

Mrs Wilsons Application was sent
in in August, as you did not receive it
it must have been lost in the mail.

A. P. Cagle

COUNT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. FEB 23 1908
No. 44364

circ. let.
FEB 26 1908

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Good Texas

27th 1928

Union Miller

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir.

My Mother Pauline Wilson
request me to write the following she
has made application for her share
of the eastern Cherokee funds her appli-
cation is in English she wishes to apply
in English she came to be related to
the Cherokee the application is in English
will be in English in the same way
she can have the money for in this that
she could in application she made out
and sent to you this letter should be
attached to her application for future
reference exhibit as follows
in the name of the Cherokee

and also my own children 1/16
now this explanation shows the
grades from the full blood down
to the present time my father and
grand father and great grand
father, is all dead and some years
ago and I am almost ready to follow
is I am 71 years of age.

Pauline Wilson

Route 2, ...

COUNT OF DAMM
EASTERN CHEROKEES

FFB 23 1908

No. 44 364

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FEB 26 1908

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Kendal, Texas

2/17/1955

Amison Miller

Newkington, I. C.

Dear Sir,

My Mother Pauline Wilson
request me to write the following she
has made application for her share
of the eastern Cherokee funds and
I believe it is 1/4 of the same she wishes to apply
in a name she same to be related to
the Cherokee Indians and she has
submitted a copy of her name and
she can care to be in this then
she could in application and make it
and sent to you this letter should be
attached to her application for future
reference explanation as follows
such as the letter

In the first place there was a family
by the name of Elee which was
full blood Cherokee Indians
now Thomas Elee a full blood
Cherokee, which is my grate grand
father he married a white woman
and raised a family their children
being half breeds. Pllie Elee being
one of Thomas Elee's children
married a man by the name of
Aron Brown which is my grand
father their children of course is $\frac{1}{4}$
Cherokee Indian by blood my father
Aron Brown being a child of the first
Aron Brown and $\frac{1}{4}$ Cherokee by blood
makes me $\frac{1}{8}$ Cherokee by blood.

and also my own children. No
more this explanation shows the
grades from the full blood down
to the present time my father and
grand father and great grand
father is all dead and some years
ago and I am almost mad. I
is I am 71 years of age.

Pauline Wilson

Wade

44364

16378

Boyd Texas

7/12/1884

Mr.

Dear Sir

My health will not
permit me to meet you at
Bridgeport Texas, in behalf
of my children but you proceed with
the same as though I were present
my sisters, Emeline Washburn
and Catherine Tolson will
answer for me. My file no is
44364. yours truly

Emeline Wilson

Boyd

R # 2,

Texas

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 25 1908
No. 44364

16385

44364

Boyd Texas

9/22/1908

Union Miller.

Washington, D C.

Sir.

I write you this to let you know just how I came to be related to the Cherokee Indians ~~and that~~ this will add anything to my name because according to the law I am bound to be just honest and at least I cant see how I can do otherwise but a fact claim and proceed with my history as I have heard my father tell it over and often and I was old enough to

= 2 =

my great grand father. Thomas
Eles was a full blood Cherokee
Indian and his wife was a white
woman and of course this being the
fact, which makes their children
~~1/2~~ 1/2 breed Cherokee Indian by blood
now their daughter Polly to whom
am named after, she married a
white man by the name of Aron
Brown. This Aron Brown is
my grand father this now makes
their children 1/4 Cherokee Indian
by blood and my own father
Aron Brown and 1/4 Cherokee
since a white woman by
the name of Elizabeth

Mackentyre will now of course thir
makes their children 1/8 Cherokee
Indian by blood, of which I am one
as named below beginning at the oldest
Simeon Brown, dead

James " " "
Pauline " now Wilson, living

Emeline " now Mackey, " "

Evan " " "

Anderson " dead.

Catherine " now Follomull, living

Roain " dead

William " living

Aron " living

Now I Pauline Brown Married
a white man by name of Wilson

which makes my own children
to Cherokee Indian by blood the
above history is a positive fact
from start to finish of course I made
oath to the above in my application
No. 304 and if it ^{was} necessary I would
swear to the truthfulness of the a
bove ten thousand times more than
children has made application in claims
to some first and when the division
and settlement is made their share
should be included with mine
you will find the names and ages
of my three children in application
I am yours truly, Pauline Wilson
Boyd
R. 2. Texas

No. 4300

Action: Rec'd

Name Leah Stewart and children. Residence: Windsorville, Va.

Reasons:

relating to the same as 4300-

No. 4535

Name Samuel J. Taylor

With No. 4536

Remarks:

No. 21365

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Caroline Bagart
& 2 children

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

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 17 1908

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

SIR:

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

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

1. State full name—

English name: Caroline Bogart

Indian name: Wickery

2. Residence and post office: Madisonville #2

3. County: Memphis

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 40 Born Sept 13 - 1867

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? no husband died 1895

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Bogart 47 years died

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

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

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Ethel Bogart</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Aug 26 - 1892</u>
(2)	<u>Emma</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Feb 9 - 1898</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

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

Father—English name: Elijah Atkins

Indian name: Wickery

Mother—English name: Evaline Atkins

Indian name: Bennet & Wickery

Maiden name: Dresswood

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: 11

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

Father: Seven

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 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: Mothers People were

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Alice Atkins		
(2)	Martha 11		no record
(3)	Joseph 11		
(4)	Thomas 11		
(5)	Ida 11		dead
(6)	Elizabeth 11		
	Anna 11		

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	Joseph H. Greenwood
	11 11 11
	Mary Ann 11
	11 11 Bennett & McKay

18. Where were they born? Seven

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

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

- (1) Esther Greenwood
- (2) Calvin 11
- (3) Mary Ann 11
- (4) Margaline 11
- (5) Mary
- (6) Joseph
Elizabeth
George
Lennie

21. 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. mother's name Emaline Atkins maiden Presswood her mother Mary Ann Presswood maiden Bennett her mother was a Hickery cant give the given name her sister name Charlotte Hickery

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
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I have by appoint W. Harris Harrison my trust
lawful attorney & allow him a commission
of 15%

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

(Signature) Caroline Bogart
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan 1908
Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1912

AFFIDAVIT.

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

Personally appeared before me Henry Ball
and Jae Atkins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Caroline Bogart 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.

Geo W Isbill Henry Ball
Jae Atkins Jae Atkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires Jan, 1912. Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

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

No. 44300-

Action: Rejected-

Name: *Franklin D. Stone* and *4* children.

Residence: *Madisonville, Mo.*
1890-

Reasons:

Identical through the same source as 44300-

No. 44369-7-8

Name *Comm. At...*

With No. *44369*

Remarks:

Joseph At...
At...

No. 24366

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

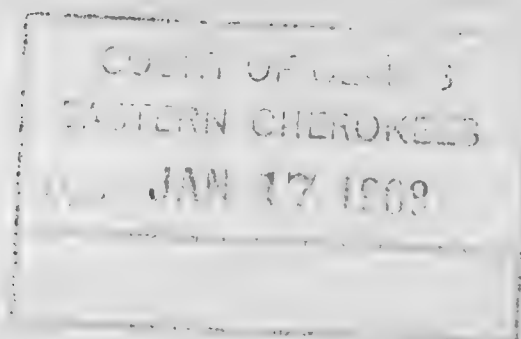
APPLICATION

OF

*Emaline Atkins
& 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



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Emaline Atkins

Indian name: 11 Bennett & Vickery

2. Residence and post office: Madisonville #2

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 45 Born July 1859

6. Where were you born? Tenn.

7. Are you married? husband dead

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Elijah Atkins

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Thomas Atkins</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>9 March 1886</u>
(2)	<u>I place in this application of mine my property</u>		
(3)	<u>child husband and both are both dead</u>		
(4)	<u>Peter One Loukie</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>June 28 1898</u>
(5)	<u>her husband's name Ida Loukie maiden name</u>		
(6)	<u>Ida Atkins my daughter</u>		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Josiah H. Presswood

Indian name: 11 11 Bennett

Mother—English name: Mary Ann Presswood

Indian name: 11 11 Bennett & Vickery

Maiden name: 11 11 Bennett

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: G. A.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Sum

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1906

Mother: 1864

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: said to be

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Calvin Pressmored		
(2)	Ananwa	11	
(3)	Maryaline	11	
	Mary	11	
(4)	Joseph	11	
(5)	Ephiebeth	11	
(6)	George	11	
	David	11	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Ransom Bennett
 11 11
 unknown 11
 11, Vickery
 his sister Charlotte Vickery

18. Where were they born? N.Y.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? G.A.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Samuel Bennett
- (2) Wm
- (3) King
- (4) W. Kingston
- (5) Marion
- (6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: unknown

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835. Mother Mary Ann Presswood
Maiden Bennett her Father Ransom Bennett
her Mother Bennett maiden Wickery cant give
given name she as sister to Charlotte Wickery

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint W. Morris Harrison of Madisonville Tenn
my true & lawful attorney & allow him a commission
of 15%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Emaline Atkins
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan, 1908

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan, 1912.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. W. Watson

and Samuel Bogard, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Emaline Atkins

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 48 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.

G. W. Watson

Signatures of Witnesses.

G. W. Watson

Geo W Isbill

Samuel Bogard

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

Jan, 1912. Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

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No. 44300

Action: Revised

Name: Freddie R. King and 4 children.

Residence: Madisonville, Tenn.
Box 2

Reasons:

Income tax return as 44300-

No. 44357

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Joseph Atkins

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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
Recd. JAN 17 1906
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: Joseph Atkins

Indian name: " Wickett

2. Residence and post office: Madisonville Route 2

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 35 Born 1 July 1872

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Annie Atkins 26

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Edney Atkins</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>May 2 - 1894</u>
(2)	<u>Carra "</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>July 25 - 1896</u>
(3)	<u>John "</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>April 15 - 1898</u>
(4)	<u>Robert "</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Nov 28 - 1901</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Elijah Atkins

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Emaline Atkins

Indian name: " Bennett & Wickett

Maiden name: " Presswood

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *Tom*

Mother:

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: *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: *mother's People were*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Alice Atkins</i>		
(2)	<i>Mark</i> <i> </i>		<i>no record</i>
(3)	<i>Caroline</i> <i> </i>		
(4)	<i>Thomas</i> <i> </i>		
(5)	<i>Ida</i> <i> </i>		
(6)	<i>Elizabeth</i> <i> </i>		
	<i>Anna</i> <i> </i>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

 Joseph H Presswood

 Mary Ann

 Bened Wickery

18. Where were they born? *Tom*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *GA*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) *Emaline Presswood*
- (2) *Calvin*
- (3) *Mary Ann*
- (4) *Amaline*
- (5) *Mary*
- (6) *Joseph*
- Elizabeth*
- George*
- David*

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835 mother's name Emaline Atkins
maiden Presswood her mother Mary Ann Presswood

maiden name Mary Ann Bennet her mother was
a Wickes a sister to Charlotte Wickes

REMARKS.
(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

she Bennet & Wickes were full Cherokee
of Madisonville Tenn
I hereby appoint W Morris Harrison my true &
lawful attorney & allow him a commission
of 15%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Joseph Atkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan 1908

Geo W Sobell
Notary Public.

My commission expires
Jan 1912.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Henry Tall
and John Gipsan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Joseph Atkins
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
represents to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.
Caroline Bogart
G. W. Sobell

Signatures of Witnesses.
Henry Tall
John Gipsan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires
Jan, 1912. Geo W Sobell
Notary Public.

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No. 4867

Action: *Respect*

Name: *Smith, Alice* and *2* children.

Residence: *Independence, Mo.*

Reasons:

Mother through the cause of the

No. 21013

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Worth A. Kim

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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 JAN 17 1908
No.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
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SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Worth Atkins

Indian name: " Wickey

2. Residence and post office: Madisonville

3. County: Moore

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 25 Born 1 Feb - 1882

6. Where were you born? Moore County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah J Atkins 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>Thomas Atkins</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Feb 23 - 1902</u>
(2)	<u>John "</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>July 22 - 1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Elijah Atkins

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Essaline "

Indian name: " " Bennet Wickey

Maiden name: " Presswood

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 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: Sunt Brown

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Alice Atkins		
	Joseph "		
(2)	Caroline "		
(3)	Thomas "		
(4)	Ida "		
(5)	Elizabeth "		
(6)	Anna " 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.

Joseph H Presswood
" " Vickery
Mary Ann Presswood
" " Bennett Vickery

18. Where were they born? Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? GA

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Emaline
- (2) Calvin
- (3) Martha
- (4) Angeline
- (5) Mary
- (6) Joseph
- Elizabeth
- George
- David

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835 mother's name Essaline

Atkins maiden Presswood her mother Mary Ann
Presswood her mother was a sickly can't give given name
her sister name was Charlota Wickery

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I here by appoint W Morris Harrison my true & lawful
attorney & allow him a commission of 15%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

W. M. Harrison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan, 1908

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan, 1912.

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 Gipsorn

and Caroline Bogart, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Worth Atkins

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.

Joe Atkins

Geo W Isbill

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Gipsorn

Caroline Bogart

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

Jan, 1912. Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

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No. 44367

Action: Rejected

Name: Elizabeth and 3 children

Residence: Madisonville Tenn
no. 2

Reasons:

Married through to the same name as 44366-

No. 44367-6

Name Alice Gipson

With No. 44365

Remarks:

6 - Tallent

No. 23760

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Elizabeth Tallent

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 17 1908
No.

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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: Elizabeth Tallent

Indian name: Benmet & Wickery

2. Residence and post office: Madisonville #2

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? _____ Born _____

6. Where were you born? Tenn 1858

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Geo Tallent

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>Reed Tallent</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>22 Nov 1898</u>
(2)	<u>George "</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>22 Jan 1901</u>
(3)	<u>Emmer "</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>7 July 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Elijah Atkins

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Emmaline "

Indian name: " Benmet & Wickery

Maiden name: " Presswood

12. Where were they born?

Father: La Tenn

Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 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: Omoothen People over

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joseph Atkins		
(2)	Worth		
(3)	Thos		
(4)	Caroline		
(5)	Anna		
(6)	Ida Alce		

17. 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 Presswood
11 Vickery
Mary Ann Presswood
11 11 Bennett

18. Where were they born? Tenn Father Mother G A

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? G A

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Samuel Presswood
- (2) Marcalvin Presswood
- (3) Manerva 11
- (4) Anja 11
- (5) Mary
- (6) Joseph
Elizabeth
George
David

21. 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: mother's name Esaline Atkins Braidon Presswood her mother Mary Ann Presswood Braidon Bennet her mother was a Wickett her sister name Charlotte Wickett

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I hereby appoint W Morris Harrison of Anadishaw with full power to do lawful attorney & allow him 15% commission

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Elizabeth Tallent

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan 1908
Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1912

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Henry Ball
and W L Atkins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Elizabeth Tallent who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 45 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark. Elizabeth Tallent Signatures of Witnesses. Henry Ball
Geo W Isbill W L Atkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan 1908
My commission expires Jan 1912
Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

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COURT OF COMMONS
EASTERN SHEROKEES
Nov. 5th 1908
No. 44369

one 1/4

1908

8-29/05

Madisonville Tenn
No Union Mill has
been located to day
I have examined the
What has become of it
I have been told we
to find out what
is going on at Sevier
I am not sure
I am not sure
I am not sure
Elizabeth Talbot

No. 228512

Action: Rejected

Name: Miss Florence and 6 children.

Residence: Madisonville, Tenn.

Reasons:

Miss Florence is the same person as 44360 -

No. 16

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Alice Gibson
9 6 children

For share of ... appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 17 1908 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: Alice Gipson

Indian name: " Bennett

2. Residence and post office: Madisonville Route 2

3. County: Marion

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 38 Born March 13 - 1869

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Gipson 48

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)	Elijah Gipson	14 -	28 April 1893
(2)	Laura "	13 -	29 " - 1894
(3)	Eller "	12 -	28 May - 1895
(4)	Joseph "	10 -	18 Feb - 1897
(5)	Callie "	8 -	30 May - 1899
(6)	Frank	6 -	11 Sept - 1901

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Elijah Atkins

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Emaline "

Indian name: " Bennett & Vickery

Maiden name: " Presswood

12. Where were they born?

Father: GA, Tenn

Mother: Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tenn

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died 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: mother's people were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joseph Atkins		

(2)	Walter "		
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(3)	Thomas "		
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(4)	Caroline "		
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(5)	Ida "		
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(6)	Elizabeth "		
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	Azema " dead no heirs		
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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.

 Josiah Presswood

 " Vick

 Mary Ann Presswood

 " " Berinet

18. Where were they born? Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? G.A.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Essaline Presswood

(2) Calvin

(3) Imanerva

(4) Anjaline

(5) Mary

(6) Joseph

 Elizabeth

 George

 David

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: The Bennets & Wickers

over all Cheerokees

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother's name Cassaline
Atkins Maiden name Cassaline Presswood & her mother
was Mary Ann Presswood Maiden name Mary Ann
Bennet & her mother was a Wickers & sister

REMARKS: to Charlotte Wickers
all cheerokees

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I hear by appoint W Morris Harrison of Madisonville
Tenn my true & lawful attorney and allow him
a Commission of 15%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Alice Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan, 1908

Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan, 1912.

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 Boyart
and G W Watson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Alice Gibson
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and
20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark. Signatures of Witnesses.
Geo Atkins Samuel Boyart
Geo W Isbill G W Watson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires Jan, 1908. Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 44371

Action: *Reject*

Name *Chas. M. Ridley* and *5* children. Residence: *Dalton S.C.*

Reasons: *Great nephew to #3656.*

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No. 44391

Name C. M. Mc. Eider

With No. 110214-

Remarks:

With 40214-15
in notebook

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Charles M. Ridley

For amount of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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
JAN 17 1903

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,
Attorney and Solicitor,
619 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: Charles Martin Ridley
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Dalton
3. County: Pickens
4. State: South Carolina
5. How old are you? 43 years Born Oct^r 4 1864
6. Where were you born? In Pickens Dist (now removed)
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: One Ridley age 53
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none that I know
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Samantha Ridley</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>June the 1^o 1887</u>
(2)	<u>Harber Ridley</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>March 17 1890</u>
(3)	<u>Amanda Ridley</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>May 11 1893</u>
(4)	<u>Anna Ridley</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>June 29 1896</u>
(5)	<u>Luther Ridley</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>May 14 1898</u>
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Charles Martin Ridley

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Jelda Chastam

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born?

Father: Dont Hunt

Mother: Pickens Dist SC

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: DC
Mother: DC

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: April the 8 - 1905
Mother: Not Dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Washington D.C.
NO 40215 - Cherokee Indian Claim

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nancy Riedly		
	John W Riedly		
(2)	Tecoa Riedly		
	Geo W. Riedly		
(3)	Sarah Riedly		
	Amanda Riedly		
(4)	Bettie Riedly		
	Lulu Riedly		
(5)	Olav Riedly		
(6)	James Riedly		

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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.

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18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1)
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 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 cant give their names but refer to No 40213 & 40214 & 40216 & to Mark Chastain Clam

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)

Martin Ridley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Dec 1907.

W. V. Holden
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March of the year, 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 Jesse Holden
and Mines Holden, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charles Chastain Clam who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 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.

Jesse Holden
Mines Holden

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26 day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

March of the year, 190 W. V. Holden
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44372.

Action: Reject

Name Hannah Eversole and ★ children. Residence: Foster Falls, Va.

Reasons:

1. no ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. " " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Application filed too late.
4. Shows no real connection with the Cherokee tribe.

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No. 44372.

Name Hannah Eversole

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

of file

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

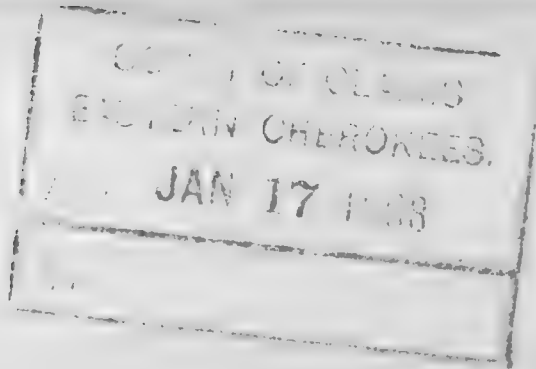
APPLICATION

OF

Hannah Eversole

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. WOOD
Attorney and Counselor
619 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— Hannah Eversole
 English name: same
 Indian name: don't know
2. Residence and post office: Foster Falls, Wythe County Va
3. County: Wythe
4. State: Virginia
5. How old are you? Fifty eight Born 1848
6. Where were you born? Surry County N.C.
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. H. Eversole age 56
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokees
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Charles William Eversole</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>Wythe County Va</u>
(2)	<u>Missouria Belle Eversole</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>" " "</u>
(3)	<u>Eliza Rosetta Eversole</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>" " "</u>
(4)	<u>Laura Luitia</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>" " "</u>
(5)	<u>" " "</u>	<u>" " "</u>	<u>" " "</u>
(6)	<u>" " "</u>	<u>" " "</u>	<u>" " "</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

John W. Jones Eliza Oakley

Father—English name: same

Indian name: i don't know

Mother—English name: Eliza Oakley

Indian name: " " "

Maiden name: Eliza

12. Where were they born?

Father: Surry County N.C.

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Surry county North Carolina

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: About 1858

Mother: 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: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John F Jones</u>	<u>age 70</u>	<u>Surry county NC</u>
(2)	<u>William Jones</u>	<u>68</u>	
(3)	<u>Martha Ann Jones</u>	<u>64</u>	
(4)	<u>Missouri Adaline Jones</u>	<u>66</u>	
	<u>Abigail Jones</u>	<u>age 55</u>	
(5)	<u>James B Jones</u>	<u>age 53</u>	
	<u>Joseph L Jones</u>	<u>age 49</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>William Jones</u>	<u>William Oakley</u>
<u>his son</u>	<u>his son</u>
	<u>James Oakley</u>
	<u>James Oakley</u>

18. Where were they born? Surry county NC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Died Prior to that date

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) James Martin Jones Franklin County Va
- (2) Randolph Jones _____
- (3) Aron Jones _____
- (4) Sally Jones _____
- (5) Lena Jones _____
- (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: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVA A. LOCKWOOD of Wash. D. C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Hannah Everole

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Jan, 1908

J. W. Mooney
Notary Public

My commission expires

1912

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Ida Warf

and Polly Warf, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Hannah Everole

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person who represents

her to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ida Warf

Polly Warf

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

1912

J. W. Mooney
Notary Public

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Appln. No. 44372.

June 10, 1908.

Hannah Eversole,

Foster Falls, Va.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1845? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1845? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you own or sell or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 17 1908
No. 44372

Appl. No 44372.

June - 15 - 1908

Hot Springs Va

Mr Guion Miller

Dear Sir

In reply to your inquiry as best I know
with any of my ancestors was not called
it that the Whites and Seminoles had a
part and the Cherokees were all considered
some of them sent to different parts of the
Country then so called for some time in
the State then was raised in Surry Co. N.C.

She was a mixed blood Cherokee
and had a white man for her husband
Ancestor of mine and his name was W. C. ...

I ... of my ancestors were part of the
1835-36 ... I do not know as ...

... some of the ...
... is about all I know ... to answer
your ... of ... this time.

Yours truly
Harrison ...

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. APR 28 1909

No. 44372

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Apr 23 1909

Mr. Winter Wells Va

Dear Miller. Special
Commissioner

Dear sir have
you found me entitled
to any part in the
Cherokee fund I would
be glad to know as I was
thinking my right was
very plain and proved
up all right hoping to
hear or receive something
soon. Yours Truly

Hannah Overroll

2844372

No. 11378

Action: Granted

Name: W. F. Rice and 3 children.

Residence: Philadelphia

Reasons:

Series No. 1

Machine, through the same series no 4-361-

No. 44273

Name J. F. O'Connell

With No. 44274

Remarks:

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

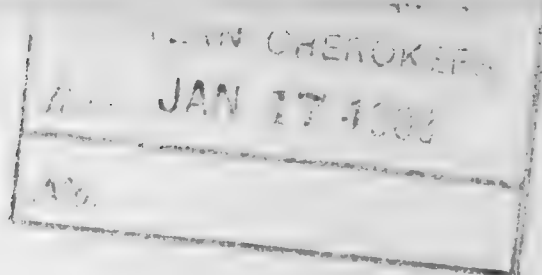
APPLICATION

OF

W. H. Presswood

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
 601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: W Frank Presswood

Indian name: " " Vickery + Bennett

2. Residence and post office: Beardon

3. County: Knox

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 32 Born Sept-21-1875

6. Where were you born? Sandon County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Marie 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>Fred Presswood</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>May 18 1896</u>
(2)	<u>Everett</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>May 25 1899</u>
(3)	<u>Ethel</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Jan 18 1904</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Samuel J Presswood

Indian name: " " Bennett + Vickery

Mother—English name: Sarah M Presswood

Indian name: " " "

Maiden name: " " Carter

12. Where were they born?

Father: GA

Mother: Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Term

Mother: ||

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: ||

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

The Wickerys & Bennetts
was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Louery Preswood		
(2)	Julie	||	died Dec 19 - 1904
(3)	Linkie	||	
(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.
Jessie Preswood	
||	Bennet
Mary Preswood	
||	Wickery
	GA

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Term

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Calvin Preswood
- (2) Manerva ||
- (3) Samuel J ||
- (4) Anjaline ||
- (5) Mary A E ||
- (6) David
- Emaline
- Elizabeth
- George

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: father Samuel Presswood

his mother Mary Ann E. Presswood maiden name
Bennet her mother was a Vickery her sister
Charlotte Vickery

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hire by appoint W Morris Harrison of
Madisonville my true & lawful attorney & allow
him a commission of 15%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Frank Presswood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15 day of Jan 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 W H Watson
and Linkie Viar, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Frank Presswood
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and
30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W H Watson

Linkie Viar

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires _____

Jan

1912

Geo W Isbill

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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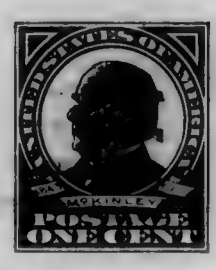
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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 1 1908
No. 46379.

~~Charge~~

March 28 1873

with your paper
and is ready for your
service

Very respectfully
Yours
Wm. H. ...

No. 44374

Name

Sarah N. Surjiner and 2 children.

Action:

Reject

Reasons:

Niece of 27085.

Residence:

Nida, Okla

No. 1374

Name Sam. A. Simpson

With No. 2965

Remarks:

piece

No. 42371

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah H. Surgmer.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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.
Dec. JAN 17 1908
No.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: Sarah A. Surginer
Indian name: _____
2. Residence and post office: Nida, Oklahoma
3. County: Johnson County, Okla.
4. State: Oklahoma
5. How old are you? age 32 Born in 1875
6. Where were you born? Hines County Miss.
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sarah A. Surginer
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokees
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Piddie G. Surginer</u>	<u>14 years</u>	<u>Sept. 1895</u>
(2)	<u>Francis Surginer</u>	<u>12 years</u>	<u>Mar 26 1895</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Henderson Huffman

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Julia Huffman

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Julia Hartley

12. Where were they born?

Father: Dearborn co Indiana

Mother: Copple co Mississippi

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Dearborn co Indiana.

Mother: Waffle co Mississippi

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: X

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:

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	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Sarah H. Huffman</u>	<u>Sept. 25-1875</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>William H. Huffman</u>	<u>Feb. 19-1877.</u>	<u>Died 1882.</u>
(3)	<u>Anner B. Huffman</u>	<u>June 24-1879</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Mildia D. Huffman.</u>	<u>Feb. 6-1882</u>	<u>died 1906.</u>
(5)	<u>John S. Huffman</u>	<u>Jan. 15-1885</u>	<u>died 1904</u>
(6)	<u>Mandia J. Huffman.</u>	<u>June 24-1887</u>	<u>Living.</u>
	<u>7-Tobe H. Huffman</u>	<u>April 3-1888.</u>	<u>Living.</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

	FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
4-362	<u>Henderson Tecumseh Huffman.</u>	<u>Sarah E. Huffman.</u>
	_____	_____
	_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Coal co Mo. Dearborn co Indiana.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dearborn co Indiana

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>George H. Huffman</u>	<u>San Francisco, Cal.</u>
(2)	<u>Thomas J. Huffman</u>	<u>Ada Oklahoma.</u>
(3)	<u>Henderson Huffman</u>	<u>Ada Oklahoma.</u>
(4)	<u>Amanda J. Snyder</u>	<u>Alva, Oklahoma.</u>
(5)	<u>Sarah E. Bertram</u>	<u>Harrow Smith, Cal. Canida.</u>
11-54	(6) <u>Commodore P. Huffman.</u>	<u>Madill Oklahoma.</u>
	<u>Col. Elza Huffman</u>	<u>Dearborn co Indiana.</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: Henderson Tecumseh Huffman
Sarah E. Huffman my Grand Pa and Grand Ma
Benjamin Huffman and Susanna Huffman, is my
Great Grand Parents

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Coonrod Huffman my Great Great Grand Pa
married a full blood Cherokee woman.
Benjamin Huffman is a son of Coonrod Huffman.
Henderson Tecumseh Huffman, is a son of Benjamin Huffman.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarah H. Surginer
(nee - Sarah H. Huffman)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of Jan. 1908

T. M. Hensley
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec. 17 - 1910.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John W. Crawford
and Mary E. Crawford, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Sarah H. Surginer (nee
Huffman)
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and
4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

X
X

Signatures of Witnesses.

John W. Crawford
Mary E. Crawford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of January, 1908

My commission expires

Dec. 17 - 1910. T. M. Hensley
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44375.

Action:

Repet.
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Name: Julia G. Pressley and 1 children.

Residence:

~~Commerce~~ Okla

Reasons:

Ancestors not on rolls. Was not established
genuine connection with Cherokee tribe.
Evidence insufficient to entitle claim to be
admitted.

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No. ~~44389~~ -

Name

With No. ~~44389~~ Ex file

Remarks:

Grouped herewith
are nos. 44389, 44388,
44587, 44745, 44717,
44718, 44681, 44773, 44598,
44711, 44766, 44627, 44623,
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Awaiting replies to letters.

No. 44375

Name Julia P. Presley

With No. Field

Remarks:

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The following Nos.
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No. 44375

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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APPLICATION

OF

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians in 1905, in accordance with the de
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in
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C. MS

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.
601 Ouray Building. Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Ann Presley

Indian name: Julia Ann Presley nee Boren

2. Residence and post office: Comanche

3. County: Stephens

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 54 Born December 17th 1853

6. Where were you born? at Farmersville Collin County Texas.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Joseph A Presley

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)	Mary J Smith	38	1869
(2)	Mabel A Woolly	33	1874
(3)	Bernice Shelby	32	1875
(4)	William Driggers	30	1876
(5)	Clairde Smith	28	1879
(6)	Ernest E Brooks	26	1881
(7)	John Labet Yeater	20	1887

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Thomas Boren

Indian name: Thomas Boren

Mother—English name: Mary Boren

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Mary Hubbs

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: in Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Collin County Texas

Mother: in Collin County Texas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: during the year of 1858

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:

Don't know but
Don't think they were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Annanda Grows</u>	<u>1841</u>	<u>1883</u>
(2)	<u>Sealeyam Box</u>	<u>1844</u>	<u>1887</u>
<u>H.S.</u> (3)	<u>Francis Fleming</u>	<u>1856</u>	<u>Still living</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>Francis Boren</u>	<u>Francis Capps</u>
<u>Mary or Rachel Boren</u>	

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) _____
- (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: Ans

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 are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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(Signature

J. C. Presley
day of Jan. 1907

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

day of Jan. 1907

My commission expires

Jan 6 1909

J. B. Whisenand
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. H. Neath

Laywood

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~, who,

do hereby on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Julia

Presley, nee

a Ann Driggers

who makes the foregoing application and states 50 years respectively

and have known her for 50 years and

~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~, and know her

to be the identical person she represents

herself

to be, and that the statements made by her

are true, to the best of their their

~~XXX~~ knowledge and belief, and ~~they have~~ no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Jim Boy
J. G. Fleming

A. H. Neath
Sam Laywood

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of Dec., 1907.

My commission expires

May 31st 1909.

L. L. Miller

Notary Public.

in and for Collin County Texas.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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Affidavit.

Cherokee Nation
Indian Territory

Be it remembered, That on this 29th day of Dec 1892 personally appeared before me Walter Christie, who is a reliable and creditable Citizen of Gaing snake District Cherokee Nation Indian Territory, and after being by me duly sworn according to law, deposeseth and says that he is a Resident of Gaing snake District Cherokee Nation Indian Territory, that he is age 50 years and his Occupation is that of a Farmer, that he was well and personally acquainted with Francis Barron in the old Cherokee Nation State of North Carolina and that the said Francis Barron was a Cherokee Indian by blood, about one 1/2 or quarter Cherokee by blood. Affiant makes this his sworn statement, from his own personal knowledge and acquaintance with the above said Francis Barron family of said Cherokee Nation, and affiant further states that he is not directly or indirectly interested in the prosecution of the heirs of said Francis Barron deceased, per Citizen of said Cherokee Nation Indian Territory. Sworn and subscribed to before

Me. This the 29th day of Dec-1892
Walter Christie
B. G. Fletcher
Clerk. Flint Dist. Ct.

State of Arkansas
County of Crawford

Be it Remembered that on this 18 day
of Dec-1882- Personally appeared before
me George W. Vann, who is a reliable
and creditable Citizen of Sequoyah District
Cherokee Nation Indian Territory and after
being by me duly sworn according to law
deposes and says, that he is a resident of
Sequoyah District Cherokee Nation Indian Territory
that his age is 77 years, and occupation that
of a minister and farmer, that he was well
and personally acquainted with Francis Boren
in the old Cherokee Nation, State of N. Carolina
and that the said Francis Boren was
a Cherokee Indian by blood, about 3/4
Cherokee by blood Affiant makes this his
sworn statement, from his own personal
knowledge and acquaintance with the
afore said Francis Boren family of N. C.
and affiant further states that he is
not directly or indirectly interested
in the prosecution of the heirs of said
Francis Boren for citizenship
in the Cherokee Nation Indian Territory

Geo W Vann
Sworn and Subscribed to before me this
the 18 day of Dec 1882 J. M. Weaver Jun
Notary public

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Dear Sir,
March 20, 1857.

My dear Sir,

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 17th inst. in relation to the purchase of the land at the mouth of the river. I have the honor to inform you that the land is now in the hands of the Government and it is not possible for me to purchase it at this time. I have the honor to inform you that the land is now in the hands of the Government and it is not possible for me to purchase it at this time. I have the honor to inform you that the land is now in the hands of the Government and it is not possible for me to purchase it at this time.

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Special Commissioner

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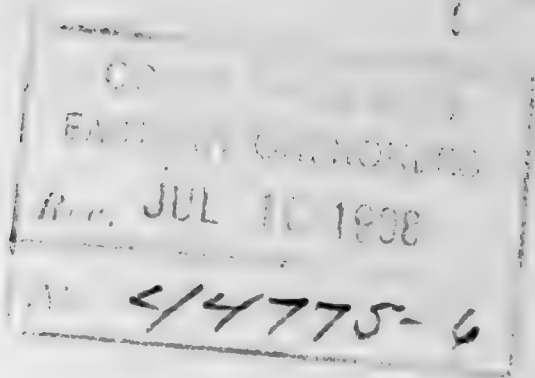
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JAMES H. TAYLOR
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW
1419 G STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C.

April 27, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,
Ouray Building, City.

Dear Sir:

I herewith enclose another letter just received through my correspondents from James M. Bybee, which I will be greatly obliged if you will file with the papers in his case.

Yours very truly,

James H. Taylor

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Appl. No. 44775.

June 10, 1908.

Julia A. Pressley,

Okmulgee, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-1836 and 1842? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim to be the ancestor residing in 1835 and 1842. Also, are you a descendant of slaves? Do you possess any land or claims in the community in which you live?

Very truly yours,
Special Agent in Charge
Bureau of Indian Affairs
Washington, D. C.

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Appln. No. 44766-44375.

June 10, 1908.

David A. Fleming,
Manitou, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state by you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and state that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846? How long of your ancestors lives? Do you possess a white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give me other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

Your case will be reconsidered.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner

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W.C. Pitt

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Dear Sir:

Enclosed...

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 10th inst. in relation to the matter of the... I am sorry to hear that you are unable to attend the... I will be glad to hear from you again.

Very truly yours,

Respectfully,
[Signature]

D. P. YODER.

O. S. YODER.

YODER ICE AND ELECTRIC CO.,
MANUFACTURERS OF
ICE, ICE CREAM AND ELECTRICITY.
VAN ALSTYNE, TEXAS.

July 8, 1908.

Mr. Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner of Court of Claims,
Washington, D.C.

Dear sir;

In behalf of my minor children I write to call your attention to my Cherokee claims, and to say that I would very much appreciate hearing from you with regard to these claims.

Please advise me as soon as convenient, about how long it will be before these claims will be acted upon, and oblige,

Yours very truly,

Application # 44842.

O. S. Yoder

W. H. Miller

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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Mr. J. W. Miller
Shelby County, Tenn.
Dear Sir:
I have the honor to acknowledge
the receipt of your letter of
the 24th inst. in relation to
the purchase of land in
Shelby County, Tenn. and
in reply to inform you that
the same has been referred
to the proper authorities
for their consideration.

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Miscel.

Frances E. Fleming being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That I am 52 years of age. I claim my Indian descent through my father; my mother was a white woman. My husband was a white man. My father claimed through his father, Francis Boren. Don't know where in N. C. my father was born. My father was born in 1805. My father came to Tenn. when a little boy - he was driven out of N. C. when the Indians were driven out of there. Grandfather lived and died there and my father was raised up there. Don't know what part of Tennessee it was. Then he came to Arkansas and lived there until he was grown and married and married my mother, his second wife. It was somewhere in the twenties. Then he came to Texas in 1843. He died in Texas. I don't remember that my father ever lived with the Indians as a member of the tribe. Don't know whether he lived with the Indians after he married my mother; they lived among them. My father was recognized as a mixed-blooded man. Don't know how much Indian blood he claimed, but he was part Cherokee. My father's father enrolled when he left the old country at the time of the Indian drive. My father never received ~~any~~ any land or money from the government. He never received any Old Settler money. Some ten or twelve years ago I made application to the Dawes Commission, but we never received anything from it. I first learned of this fund about last November. My sister learned of it and wrote me about it. I did not file until January. That was the first opportunity I had to file, because I am kept in the house with my aged mother and did not get to read anything or know of anything going on. My father's first wife was named Elizabeth Raines. I have a full sister by the name of Julia A. Pressley. She has been married several times before that.

Frances E. Fleming
Signature of Witness.

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Greenville, Tex. this 29th day of August 1908.

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Ass't to Special Commissioner

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Mr. Quian Miller

Special Commissioner

State D.P.

Dear Sir Has no claim

was filed in 1888

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no. 41661.

Very respectfully

D. H. T. [unclear]

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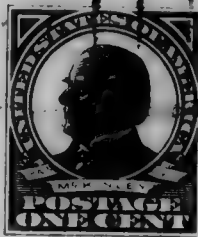
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Mr. James H. Taylor,
Washington,
D.C.
1419 G. St., N.W.

McKinney, Texas, Sept. 15th. 08.

Dear Sir:- Will you please let me know the condition of the Bybee Cherokee Indian Claim? There are two government agents down here now and they are taking evidence in claims just like the Bybee claim, and we would like to get up the evidence in this claim. They government in taking evidence in the claim of a sister of Bybee and her claim is in the same condition of his. Kindly let me hear from you.

Yours Truly,

L.C. Clifton.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 19 1908
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JAMES H. TAYLOR
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW
1419 G STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C.
TELEPHONE MA. N. 688
CABLE ADDRESS 'RAYL'

September 18, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller, Special Commissioner
Court of Claims,
City.

Sir:-

Attached hereto I send post card received today from L. C. Clifton, of McKinney, Texas. Bybee's application was filed by him (3-2) January 29th. Shortly afterward the case was placed in my hands and I called upon you. Bybee's application was then produced from your files and you kindly made certain suggestions concerning claim which I have since endeavored to carry out.

In view of the above facts I respectfully ask that Bybee's claim may be investigated while your special agents are making examinations near his home.

Respectfully yours,

James H. Taylor

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App. No. 44368.

September 21, 1908.

James H. Taylor,
1419 G Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Your letter of September 18, 1908, inclosing a card from Mr. L. C. Clifton, of McKinney, Texas, is at hand.

In reply you are advised that the application of James H. Bybee is now in the field for investigation, and if it is necessary for him to appear before one of my assistants he will receive due notice.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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WAYLAND MCBRIDE
LAWYER

WESTERN NATIONAL BANK
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Special Commissioner
Court of Claims,

SAN ANGELO, TEXAS.

Aug 3rd 09.

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir: I beg to advise you I have
been employed to look after claim no
44460 in favor of Mrs Maggie B. Mc
Natt, in the Custom Cherokee enrollment.

I note in correspondence to her from
your department you address her as Mrs
Maggie B. McNatt, while her name is, and
made in the name of Mrs Maggie B. McNatt
if the records of your rolls. Should her name

WAYLAND MCBRIDE
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SAN ANGELO, TEXAS

McNott instead of McNatt We must proceed
under your instructions, to correct same.

Will you please advise me the amount
coming to the Cherokee Tribe under this
settlement and of the probable time of its
payment. I will be pleased to furnish
you any further information concerning claim
No 44460.

Yours truly,
Wayland McBride

No. 44376

Action: Repeled.

Name Lucinda Thomas and 6 children.

Residence: Tellis Plains, Texas.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled.
Was not established fact of descent from a person
who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 and 1840.

No. 44376

Rept? ?

Name Nevada Thomas.

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

investigate as a
minor question

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 34376

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Severance Thomas

For _____ appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and N^o v 28, 1906

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 20 1908
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: Lucindy Thomas

Indian name: Payne

2. Residence and post office: Tellie Plains

3. County: Murray

4. State: Ill

5. How old are you? 39 Born Sept 7 - 1868

6. Where were you born? Cherokee Co Mo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John Thomas

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>J. H. Thomas</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>May 1 - 1887</u>
(2)	<u>Addie "</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>April 9 - 1889</u>
(3)	<u>Maggie "</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Oct 5 - 1891</u>
(4)	<u>Albert "</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Jan 3 1893</u>
(5)	<u>John D. "</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Sept 7 - 1900</u>
(6)	<u>Leggie "</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>Nov 12 1903</u>
	<u>Edmund "</u>	<u>1</u>	

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: William Payne

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Lettie Payne

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Lettie Hill

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Blount Co Tenn

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1884

Mother: 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: NW

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Ann Payne</u>		
(2)	<u>Belle "</u>		
(3)	<u>Nancy "</u>		
(4)	<u>Sarah "</u>		
(5)	<u>Rebecca "</u>		
(6)	<u>Jam "</u>		

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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Pharmas Payne</u>	<u>Agnes</u>
<u>William</u>	<u>Payne</u>

18. Where were they born? N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Do not know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Jim Payne
- (2) Father
- (3) Sam
- (4) Walter
- (5) _____
- (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: applicant is daughter
William Payne son of John Payne
who was of the [unclear] tribe

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby affirm W Harris Harrison my
true and lawful attorney to represent me in
court & agree to allow him 10 per cent of what may
be recovered and agree that same may be retained for same

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Lucinda Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4 day of Jan, 1907

Wm M. [unclear]
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. J. Morgan
and Drew Harris, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Lucinda Thomas
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for _____ years and
_____ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person _____ represents
herself 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.

[Signature]
[Signature]
Drew Harris

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.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. MAY 20 1908

No.

JAMES H. TAYLOR
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW
1419 G STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C.

May 19, 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,
Ouray Building,
City.

44388

Dear Sir:

Enclosed I send you two affidavits in support of claim of J. M. Bybee just received from his attorneys in Texas. Please kindly file them with his case and inform me whether any other testimony is necessary in connection therewith. The following is an extract from a letter of Messrs. Doggett and Clifton, of McKinney Texas, Mr. Bybee's attorneys. The balance of the letter relates to other matters.

Yours very truly,

James H. Taylor

Enclosed we hand you two affidavits in the Bybee Cherokee Indian claim. You will see from these affidavits that Bybee claims through Francis Boren who was a Cherokee Indian in North Carolina and was removed to Tennessee. Mrs. Francis Fleming is a daughter of Thomas Boren who was a son of Francis Boren, and she has filed a claim for her minor children. J. M. Bybee has two married daughters who are not yet 21 years of age. We can get Mrs. Fleming's case and also the cases of the two daughters of Bybee who are married if you think we can make anything out of them. If you want any other evidence, let us know, and we will do the best we can to get it.

Mrs. Kelley you will notice is very old, and we went out the other day and got her statement as a matter of precaution on account of her extreme old age.


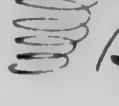
Mrs. Janie Smith has filed a claim in the Court of Claims claiming under Francis Boren and you will find among the papers in her claim the affidavits of two Indians, G. W. Vaun and Walter Christie, who testify that Francis Boren was a Cherokee Indian.

COURT OF CLAIMS
CHEROKEE
MAY 20 1908

Subscribed and sworn to before me
on this 13 day of May 1908,
and I certify that the said Fleming
is a credible witness, and that I have
no objection in the proceedings of this
cause.

James Macken my friend and best of
friends on this day and to the above written.

M. J. Howard M. P.
Notary Public in and for
the County of Cherokee, State

The State of Texas.  Before the Under-
Sheriff County  Signed and sworn to on
this day personally appeared Francis
Hemming who after being by me duly
sworn an oath says; I am 52 years
of age. I am a daughter of Thomas Brown
and Mary Brown (neé Mary Kelley)
My father Thomas Brown was a son of
Francis Brown who was a Cherokee
Indian in North Carolina and was
removed to Tennessee. I was named
Francis after my grand father,
Francis Brown. I do not remember
my father, Thomas Brown, as I was
only about 2 years old when he died.
I never saw my grand father, Francis
Brown, but have always understood
from family history that he was a
Cherokee Indian in North Carolina
and that he was removed from
that State to Tennessee, and that he
left North Carolina with his wife and
2 children and 2 little boys.
I know and am well acquainted
with J. M. Byler and his family.
He is a son of my sister Mauda,

who first married Ben Byler.
Ben Byler died in 1863 and my sister
Manda Byler died in 1883 -
J.M. Byler is married and lives in this
County; he has 11 children.
F. E. Fleming

Subscribed and sworn to before me
on this the 13 day of May 1908,
and I certify that F. E. Fleming
is a credible witness, and that I have
reviewed in the prosecution of this
case.

Given under my hand and seal of of-
fice on the day and date above written.

M. S. Howell N. P.
Notary Public in and for
Hunt County, Texas

Notary Public
Hunt County, Texas
May 13 1908

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 44388

The State of Tex. }
Kerr County }
This day personally appeared Mary
Kelley, who after being by me duly
sworn depose and say: My maiden
name was Mary Hubbs, and I was
96 years old in January 1908. I
married Thomas Bonn about 70
years ago, and he died in 1848. About
1852 I married William Kelley near
Fountainville, Tex., and we lived together
about 2 years, and he died. I married
Thomas Bonn in Arkansas.

My first husband, Thomas Bonn, was
a son of Francis Bonn who was a
Cherokee Indian in North Carolina,
and was removed from North Car-
olina to Tennessee.

I had by my first husband, Thomas
Bonn, the following children, to wit:
Mauda Bonn, who married ~~Ed Graves~~
first Ben. Byler, she was born 1841.
She had three children by Ben. Byler, to
wit: J. M. Byler, Frank Byler and John
Byler. John Byler is now dead. Her hus-
band Ben. Byler died in 1863, and

after this she married ~~Ed. Groves~~
William Milligan by whom she had 2
children, America Milligan, and Wesley
Milligan. William Milligan died and she
then married ^{Ed. Groves} in 1874 by whom she had
3 children, Anson Groves, Moffa Groves
and Zephaniah Groves.

My 2nd child was Edley Boman who mar-
ried Ed. Boy.

My 3rd child was Julia Ann Boman who
married Thomas Driggs.

My 4th child was Francis Boman who mar-
ried Joseph Fleming.

My 5th and 6th children died when young.
Francis Boman was the father of my first
husband, Thomas Boman, and Mauda
Boman was my daughter by Thomas
Boman. My daughter, Mauda Boman,
married Ben Bybee, and J. M. Bybee
is a son of ^{my} daughter Mauda Bybee and
Ben Bybee.

My grandson, J. M. Bybee, is married and
has 11 children and lives in this County and
State. My husband, Thomas Boman, was
from Cherokee and I have never
heard him speak of the time they were removed
from North Carolina to Tennessee.

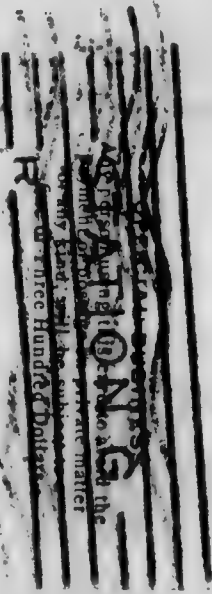
Mary ^{to} Kelley
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Subscribed and sworn to before me on this
the 13 day of May 1908 and I certify
that Mary Kelly is a credible witness
and that I have no interest in the
procurement of this claim.

Given under my hand and seal of
office on the day and date above
written.

M. S. Howell, N. P.
Notary Public in & for
Hunt County Tex.

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

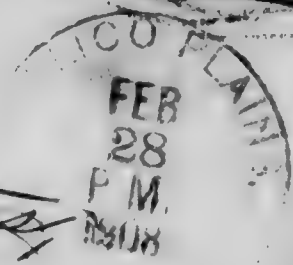


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Lucas & Thomas
St. Louis, Missouri
Tennant

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Lucinda Thomas
Felicio Pharis
Texas

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT**

601 OURAY BUILDING

Washington, D. C., 1/22, 1908

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. 144376, 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.

9.3.9.

Appln. #44376.

June 10, 1938.

Lucinda Thomas,

Tellins Plains, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee land please state: are you, your parents and your grandparents, were they ever enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1801-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim an share that ancestor resided in 1846 and 1851? Were any of said ancestors slaves? Do you possess any title or interest in the community in which you live? Give any other information obtained in the testing to establish your right to share in the land.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES
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My mother's name Lettie Hill (mother name)
half sister was married to my father
William Payne.
My great uncle lived in Cherokee
County N.C. in 1835-1851 is my
maternal ancestor.
None of them were ever slaves
as I have heard
they are white people

James T. Cook
Savannah, Georgia

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Appln. #44376.

June 10, 1908.

Lucinda Thomas,
Tellico Plains, Tenn.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Quinn Miller,

Special Commissioner.

FST/ELO.

*I do not know why we were not enrolled
neither do I know whether they were parties
to the treaties of 1835 & 1846*

I claim Cherokee Indian blood through both
my father & mother's side

My father's name was William Payne
His father's name or my Grand father's name
was Thomas Payne who was $\frac{1}{4}$ Cherokee
Indian.

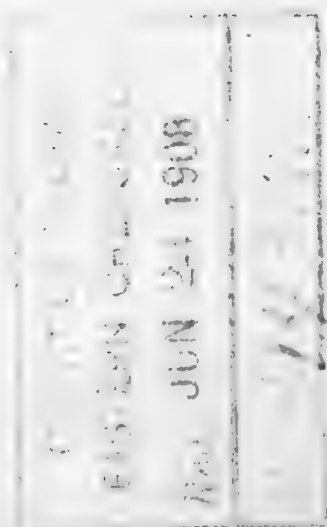
My mother's name Lettie Hill (maiden name)
before she was married to my father
William Payne.

My ancestors lived in Cherokee
County N. C. in 1835 & 1851 is my
understanding.

Name of them were slave
as I have heard

we are white people

Yours truly
Lucinda Thomas



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longue ichave heard
my father tell what
he called the name
of some where the
hunt ed. with him
when he was a young
man in cherokee. and
I have in my book
old in my hand to see
the name and we
have not heard about
my people any
more in my ill. I have
been in the name
to the special comm
Director of the Court
of claims

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Al. d. h. d.
Bellico p. l. a. i. n. i.
de n. n.
Casinda d. h. o. n. e. t.

No. 44377.

Action: Rejected.

Name Noah Dockery and 1 children.

Residence: Tellico Plains, Tenn.

Reasons:

Brother of #35592.

No. 44377. Reject?
Name Noah Oakley
With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.
must wait as
of address

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 44377

Name *W. H. ...*

With No. 25572

Remarks:

No. 24577

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Wm. R. Foster
Attorney

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians, the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nash J Dackery

Indian name: Nash J Loggins

2. Residence and post office: Tullock Plains

3. County: Memphrue

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 25 Born Aug 1882

6. Where were you born? Irvin Co Ga

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jane Dackery

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Kicklands

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Birdie Dackery</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Sept 1900</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Dan Dackery

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Mildred Dackery

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Mildred Dackery

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Macon Co Ga

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: May 1902

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.
22197	(1) <u>Will Dackrey</u>	_____	_____
	(2) <u>George Dackrey</u>	_____	_____
	(3) <u>Melvin Dackrey</u>	_____	_____
5806	(4) <u>Andy Dackrey</u>	_____	_____
	(5) <u>Rachel Dackrey</u>	_____	_____
	<u>Lucinda Dackrey</u>	_____	_____
29744	(6) <u>Mattie Dackrey</u>	_____	_____
	<u>Rebecca Dackrey</u>	_____	_____

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Thomas Dackrey</u>	<u>Bear John W. Wray</u>
<u>Mahalia</u>	<u>Sarah Wray</u>

18. Where were they born? Ga

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ga.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) _____
- (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: Applicant is son of Hully Dookry maiden name Hully Wovody daughter of Bear John Wood Elizabeth Wooday maiden name Elizabeth Loggins 1/2 Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint W. Morris Harrison my true and lawful atty to prosecute this claim and agree that 10 per cent may be retained out of any moneys that I may be allowed in this claim

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Noah his Dookry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Jan 1908

W. Morris Harrison
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 Paul Dookry and John Dookry, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Noah Dookry who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and 6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Dookry Paul Dookry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14 day of Jan, 1907.

My commission expires

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Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever possible, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, and not be executed before a notary, etc.

7.2.9.

Appln. No. 44577.

June 10, 1908.

Walter Dockery,

College Point, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for citizenship in the United States (see please also why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled) were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1830 and 1846. Also clearly show how the service through whom you claim to have been employed in this and 1846 was an American citizen. Have you ever been employed in the service of the United States?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to citizenship.

Your early reply will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

... was a daughter of
Bear John Woodly he was a son of Elephant
Woodly whose maiden name was Elephant
Tapping who was half Indian her father
being full Indian & her mother white woman
my people were men held as
slaves and are just as white
people having more but white & Cherokee
instead in us

Yours truly
Osoak Osoak

DEPT OF CLAIMS
SOUTHERN CHEROKEES
JUN 22 1908
No. 444774

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Appln. No. 44377.

June 10, 1908.

Noah Dockery,

Tellico Plains, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Simon Miller,

Special Commissioner.

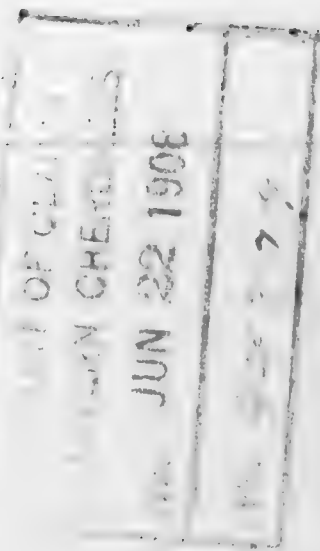
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*I do not know why we were not enrolled
neither do I know whether any of my ancestors
were parties to the treaties or not
(over)*

my parents first originated in Wilkes
Co N.C. and then moved to Union Co.
Ga and then moved to Cherokee Co N.C.
I claim Cherokee Indian through my
mother Huldie Duckery whose maiden name
was Huldie Woody (she was a daughter of
Bear John Woody he was a son of Elizabeth
Woody whose maiden name was Elizabeth
Loggins who was half Indian her father
being full Indian & her mother white woman)

my people were never held as
slaves and we pass as white
people having name but white & Cherokee
blood in us

Yours truly
Noah Duckery



SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Noah Lockyer
Tellus Plains
Perm

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 44377, 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."

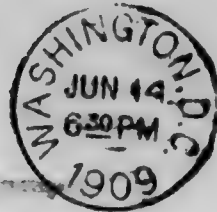
No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

If not called for in 15 days, return to
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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



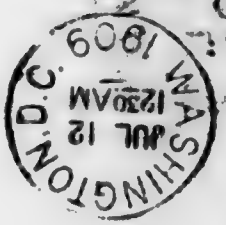
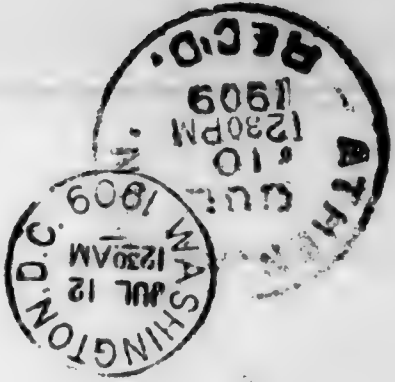
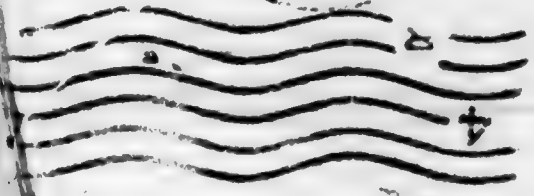
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No. 44378

Name: Washington L. G. Gray and children.

Action: Reject

Reasons: Cousin of 27085.

Residence: Springfield, Mo.

No. 4-2-1

Name Oliver L. Fox

With No. 275

Remarks:

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No. 322713

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Washington L. Gray

... appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
... approved June 30, 1906, in
... of Claims of May

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Washington L. G. Gray,

Indian name: Fechumhie, Was my Indian chief.

2. Residence and post office: Springfield

3. County: Greene

4. State: Mo.

5. How old are you? 43 Born March 1st 1863

6. Where were you born? Gasper County Iowa

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 Eastern tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	<u>None</u>	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Washington P. Gray

Indian name: None

Mother—English name: Sarah A. Gray

Indian name: Fechumhie

Maiden name: Sarah A. Huffmann

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gale County Mo.

Mother: Dearborn County, Indiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cole County Mo.

Mother: Cole County Mo.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dec. 3rd 1863

Mother: June 24 1903

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when, and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary A. Gray	Jan. 5, 1847	
	Susan P. Gray	July 24, 1848	June 13, 1856
(2)	Mary S. Gray	Aug. 15, 1850	June 29, 1882
	John Gray	Feb 16 1852	
(3)	Elizabeth J. Gray	Dec. 20, 1853	Exact date unknown - 1872
	Thomas Jefferson Gray	Oct 9th 1855	
(4)	Mary W. J. Gray	Dec. 13, 1857	Oct. 18, 1862
	Benjamin T. Gray	Feb 12, 1860	Oct 14, 1862
(5)	Washington L. J. Gray	Mar. 1st 1863	

(6)

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Gray,

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Susan A. Huffman
Fechumhie

18. Where were they born? Louisiana

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cole Co. Mo.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Henderson Huffman

(2) Sarah A. Huffman

(3) Mary Huffman

(4) Nathan Huffman

(5) Abraham Huffman

(6) Elias Huffman

William Huffman

21. Have 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: Benjamin Huffmann

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)

Washington L. Gray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Jan, 1908

Alonzo L. Jones
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 25th, 1910

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by

are well acquainted with the

Personally appeared before me E. J.

me

and H. Emigrant

, duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Wash

Washington L. Gray

who makes the foregoing application and statement

and have known him for 8 years and

8 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by Him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. P. Daniels,

E. J. Gilmore

John Jennings

H. Emigrant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of January, 1908

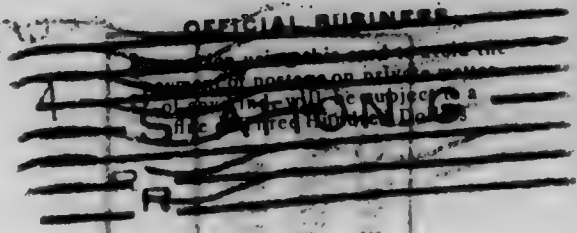
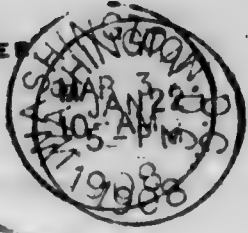
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April 25, 1910 Alonzo L. Jones
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, by an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service.

or by a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent, or by a notary, etc.

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



Washington L. G. Gray,
Springfield,
Mo.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT

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601 OURAY BUILDING
Washington, D. C., 1/22, 1908

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. 44378, 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.



SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Washington & Co
Springfield + Mo*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 4528 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."

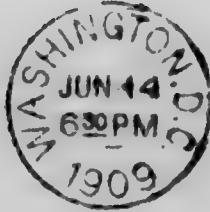
~~No~~ No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

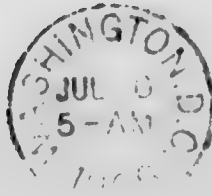


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No. 44379.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Lewina J. Morse, and 1* childreq.

Residence: *Henryetta, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Niece of #11688, and claims through
the same ancestors.*

No. 44379

Name. Lucia J. Moore

With No. 1168

Remarks:

No. 21570

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION OF

OF
Lucina J. Morse

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
June 30, 1890, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of April 19, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
No. JAN 20 1908
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: Luvina J. Morse

Indian name: None used

2. Residence and post office: Henryetta,

3. County: _____

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 21 years Born Dec. 17, 1886

6. Where were you born? Missouri

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Scott Morse age 27 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? He is white

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Alvin Morse</u>	<u>2 years</u>	<u>December 3 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: Eli Edwards

Indian name: (He is white)

Mother—English name: Juliette J. Edwards

Indian name: (She is Cherokee)

Maiden name: Juliette J. Ussery

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: Camden County, Mo.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother: Born after 1851, about 1857

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living at Henryetta, Okla.

Mother: Living at Henryetta, Okla.

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 not on the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN	DIED.
(1)	Floyd I. Edwards	Nov. 22, 1877	Henryetta, Okla.
(2)	Mary B. Ballard	Nov. 23, 1881	Cookson, Okla
(3)	Florence R. Degraffenried	Oct. 12, 1879	Henryetta, Okla
(4)	Easter E. Neff	Apr. 13, 1884	Boliver, Mo.
(5)	Robert A. Edwards	Mar. 12, 1893	Died 1893
(6)	Laura G. Ussery <i>Edwards</i>	Sept. 3, 1893	Henryetta, Okla.

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

They were white

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Anual and Levina Ussery

nee Gunter.

Think he was white.

18. Where were they born? Grand-mother in Cherokee Nation, Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Camden County, Mo.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John F. Ussery	Living, Ketchum, Okla.
	Jesse Peter Ussery	Living, Vinita, Okla.
(2)	Juliette J. Edwards (Mother)	Living, Henryetta, Okla.
	Martha Jane Shadwick	Living, Wyandotte, Okla.
(3)	William A. Ussery	Living, Damsel, Mo.
	Anual Luther Ussery	Living, Wyandotte, Okla.
(4)	Rose Ann Williams	Living, Henryetta, Okla.
	Drury C Taylor	Living, Neosho, Mo.
(5)	Elnora Anderson	Living, Damsel, Mo.
(6)		

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Not on any of the rolls of the Cherokee Nation on account of living out of the Nation.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Great Grand-parents on my mother side were William and Emaline Gunter nee Phelps, they were living in the Cherokee Nation East in 1835 but I understand they died before 1851.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim)
My Grand-mother Levina Usery nee Gunter had brothers, Columbus C., Thomas, Allen T. and William Benton Gunter.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Levina J. Morse

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of January, 1908.

J. S. Strain
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept 14 1911.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Geo L. Podge
and B. K. McElhannon, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Levina J. Morse who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for years and years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Geo L. Podge
B. K. McElhannon

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of January, 1908.

My commission expires Sept 14 1908.
J. S. Strain
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44380

Action: *Rejected*

Name *Jas. New, Terry* and *X* children. Residence: *Athens, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled.
Does not establish fact of descent from a person
who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 & 1846.*

No. 44380.

Reject?

Name Jas. Henry Perry

With No. E. J. C. U.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 44350

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Jas Henry 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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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 20 1908
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: James Henry Terry

Indian name: None

2. Residence and post office: Atkins Tennessee

3. County: McC Minn

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 14 years Born December 4-1903

6. Where were you born? McC Minn Co

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee 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: _____

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Father—English name: James H Terry

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Ann Terry

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy Ann Sutton

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee or North Carolina

Mother: Monroe Co Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Mc Mim Co Tennessee

Mother: Mc Mim Co Tennessee

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>none living</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Rollen Terry
Savin McKifee

Gilford Sullon
Lucy Bullington

18. Where were they born?

Terry's parents } Sullon North Carolina
Virginia } Lucy Bullington in South Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>All Dead</u>	<u>All Dead</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: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Henry Terry's Great Grand father's Great Grand mother's name was ~~Fulton~~ Foreman a Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James Henry Terry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of January 1908

W.P. Bloom Notary Public.

My commission expires Aug - 4 - 10

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. O. Sutton and H. Terry and H. Terry, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with James Henry Terry who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 14 years and 14 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.
J. O. Sutton
H. Terry

Signatures of Witnesses.

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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. 1/22, 1908

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. 44380, 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.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. MAY 20 1908
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MAY 20 1908
Prof. [unclear]

Athens Tenn
RFD #9. May 19, 1908.
Gideon Miller,

Washington D.C.

About Jan 15 to the 20, 1908
I filled out blank for claim
in the Indian fund, for my
son - James Henry Terry.
He is a minor.

It being too late to file a
claim for my self.

I only write to ask, if
you did ^{his} application.
as I have never heard from
it. I would be glad,
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to know if you rec'd
the same, or any infor-
mation you may give me.
Hoping to hear from you
I am Truly,

James H. Terry, Sr.

At Home

R.F.D.#9.

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Appln. No. 44380.

June 10, 1908.

James Henry Perry,
Athens, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation
in the Eastern Cherokee Band please state did you, your
parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were
any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1763-6
and 1763? State clearly the name of the ancestor through
whom you claim your ancestor resided in 1763
and 1763? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you
own or have or colored in the community in which you
live?

Give any other information available tending
to establish your right to share in this fund.

My early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES

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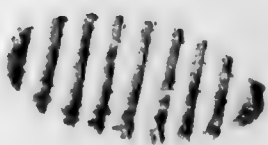
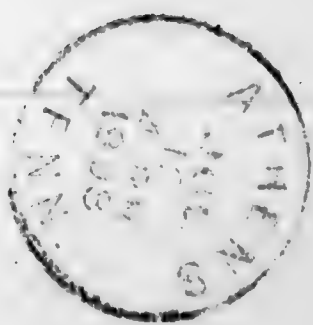


James Henry Terry,

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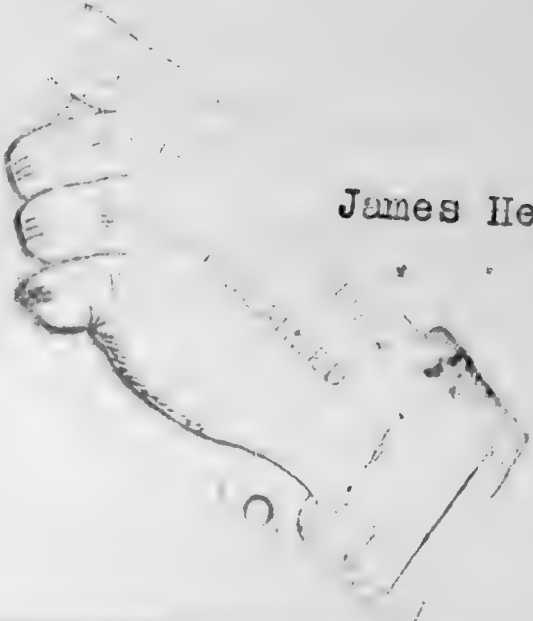
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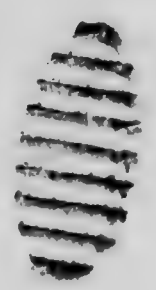
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James Henry Terry,
Athens,
Tennessee.

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No. 44381

Action: Reject

Name Nora J. Bennett & 3 children

Residence: Sumner, Ia.

Reasons: Son of #19153

44381

No. 4071

Name. J. D. [unclear]

With No. 19-E

Remarks:

No. 21381

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Dora May Bennett

For share of ... appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the ... of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the ... of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS EASTERN CHEROKEES. Rec. JAN 22 1908 No.
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J. C. ...

...

Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: *Dora May Bennett*

Indian name: *nom*

2. Residence: *near Summerville Ga*

3. Town and post office: *Summerville*

4. County: *Chattahoochee*

5. State: *Georgia*

6. Date and place of birth: *Jan 28th 1882 Polk Co. Georgia*

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 father*

John Franklin McMahon, who filed Claim # 9153, and I now claim only in behalf of my two minor children named in my supplemented petition attached hereto

8. Are you married? *yes*

9. Name and age of wife or husband: *William W. Bennett age 33*

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: *John Franklin McMahon*

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: *Amanda Greter McMahon (nee Burgess)*

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: *Amanda Greter Burgess*

11. Where were they born?

Father: *Cherokee Co Georgia*

Mother: *North Carolina*

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: *near Sharp's Cherokee Co Georgia*

Mother: *State of North Carolina*

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: *still living*

Mother: *still living*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *I do not know*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Lilla Belle Dye</i>	<i>1884</i>	<i>living</i>
(2)	<i>Maria Virginia Bennett</i>	<i>1888</i>	<i>"</i>
(3)	<i>Carrie Alberta Penley</i>	<i>1890</i>	<i>"</i>
(4)	<i>Docia C. McMahan</i>	<i>1892</i>	<i>"</i>
(5)	<i>Rosa L. McMahan</i>	<i>1894</i>	<i>"</i>
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

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FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>James M^c Mahan</i>	<i>William Burgess</i>
<i>Paternal grandfather</i>	
<i>Sallie Little McMahan</i>	<i>Mary Burgess (nee Sexton)</i>
<i>(ahim Little Deer Sallie)</i>	

17. Where were they born? *James McMahan in Geneva, Little Deer Sallie I think in original County of Cherokee Georgia*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Both the last named lived in Cherokee Co Georgia*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: *John Franklin McMahan*

Indian name:

Residence: *near Summerville Georgia*

(2) English name: *Elizabeth Jane Evans (nee McMahan)*

Indian name:

Residence: *died in Barlow Co Ga near Pine Log abt 1999*

(3) English name: *William Pumberg (Alias Brad) M^c Mahan*

Indian name:

Residence: *near Mount Vernon Ala*

(4) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name:

Indian name:

Residence:

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. *no*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

my paternal grandparents James Memahan and Little Deer Sallie Memahan were living

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I failed to file claim prior to Aug 31st 1907 and file this claim with Supplement for my three minor children named in Seize Supplement hereto annexed and claim through my father and both last named grandparents as of the Eastern Cherokee Indians

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Dora May Bennett*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *7* day of *January*, 1908

My commission expires *Dec 31st*, 1908

J.P. Johnston
Ordinary Notary Public
to George

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *J. G. Memahan* and *R. L. Bennett*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Dora May Bennett*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *26* years and *1* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to make.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. G. Memahan
R. L. Bennett

J. G. Memahan
R. L. Bennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *7* day of *January*, 1908

My commission expires _____, 1908

J.P. Johnston
Ordinary Notary Public
to George

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Them are true, and they have no interest whatever in *that* claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

C. D. Rivers

R. L. Bennett

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. F. Mcmahon

R. L. Bennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *7* day of *January*, 190*8*

Orlley Chulwo
Notary Public

My commission expires *Dec 31*, 190*8*.

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Dora May Bennett

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 22 1908

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No.

1. State your full name: Dora May Bennett
2. Residence and post office: Summerville, R. F. D. # 1
3. County: Chattahoochee
4. State: Georgia
5. Date and place of birth: Jan 28th 1882 Polk Co Georgia
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of ~~wife~~ husband: William W. Bennett age 33
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? none
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>John George Bennett</u>	<u>8 years</u>	<u>1899</u>
(2)	<u>William Earl Bennett</u>	<u>6 "</u>	<u>1901</u>
(3)	<u>Chas Richard Bennett</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1904</u>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I annex this Supplement to original of this debt and claim by my father John Franklin McWaken #19153

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Dora May Bennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of January 1908

My Commission expires Dec 31, 1908

J. G. [Signature]
Notary Public.
Ordinary Chattahoochee Co Ga

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. F. Mc Mahen and R. L. Bennett who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Dora May Bennett who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 26 years and 11 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by them are true, and they have no interest whatever in that claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

C. D. Rivers
R. L. Bennett

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. F. Mc Mahen
R. L. Bennett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7 day of January, 1908

J. P. Johnston
Orleans, Cherokee Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 31, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

Dora May Bennett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 22 1908
No.

No. 44382

Action: Rejected

Name: Thos. M. Holmes and 3 children. Residence: Sharp Top, Ga.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled.

Does not establish fact of descent from a person who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 and 1846.

44382

No. 44382.

Reject ~~→~~

Name Mrs. M. Holmes

With No.

Remarks: ~~See 44382~~

~~4-
Filed too late.
insufficient as
minor violation~~

Reject

Reject

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 44382

Name *Thos. M. Holmes*

With No. 529 ?

Remarks:

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Thos. M. Holmes

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 22 1908
No.

J. C. De PUTRON,
Attorney at Law
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 M Holmes

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Sharp Top

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Georgia

5. How old are you? 32

Born Jan 29 1875

6. Where were you born? Pickens Co Ga

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nancy Holmes

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mary Holmes</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>July 6, 1896</u>
(2)	<u>Emmer Holmes</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Feb 10, 1899</u>
(3)	<u>Leondice Holmes</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Jan 12 1902</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Daniel Holmes

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Nancy Alice Holmes

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Nancy Alice Cox

12. Where were they born?

Father: Gordon Co, Ga. I think

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: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.		BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Stone	about	1877	
	Sarah Gravelly	"	1882	
(2)	Ellen Young	"	1884	
	Lula Young	"	1888	
(3)	Isaac Holmes	"	1886	
	Munda Holmes	"	1890	
(4)	Edgar Holmes	"	1892	
(5)				
(6)				

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Milton Holmes

Sarah Holmes nee

M^{rs} Mahan sister of

Jim M^{rs} Mahan

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 Holmes

dead

(2) Tatilla Jones

dead

(3) Daniel Holmes

M^{rs} Daniel Richens Co Ga.

(4) Honey M^{rs} Daniel

dead

(5) Charlotte Meadows

(6) Ann Holmes

near Adairville Ga.

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Dan Holmes - his Parents Pullen Holmes & Sarah Holmes nee M. Mahan sister of Jim M. Mahan

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~J. C. De Putron of Washington, D.C. and Sharp & Sharp of Rue Ga. are my recognized attorneys in the prosecution of this claim with authority to receive and receipt for any warrant issued in settlement.~~

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Thos M. Holmes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30 day of Dec 1907.

R. C. Shark
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec, 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 Lewis C. Taylor

and John M. Mahan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Thos M. Holmes

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 1 years and

16 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

R. C. Shark
Nancy Holmes

Lewis C. Taylor
John M. Mahan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

Dec, 1908 R. C. Shark
Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 44882.

June 10, 1908.

Thomas J. Roland,
New York, N.Y.

Sir:

With view to your application for citizenship
in the United States, please advise me, you, your
parents and your grandparents, were they deceased, were
any of your ancestors entitled to the benefit of 1790 and
1848? Please specify the name of the ancestor through whom
you claim such right and whether he was a white or
black man or your ancestor's name, as well as white or
colored in the country in which he was born.

Give any other information obtainable tending
to establish your right to such citizenship.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,
John J. ...

John J. ...

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Appln. No.

Thomas H. H

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July 21-08

Mr John McMahon

Summerville Va

Dear Sir will you please give me
the whereabouts of my relatives
were they were at the dates
mentioned on another side if
you please and send this back to me

Respectfully

Thos W. Holmes

Sherrimon - 4/9

July 21-05

Mr John McMahon

Summerville 4/9

Dear Sir will you please give me
the whereabouts of my relatives
were they were at the dates
mentioned on other side if
you please and send this back to me

Respectfully

Thos W. Holmes

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OULAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. AUG 3 1908
No.

Appln. No. 44382.

June 10, 1908.

Thomas M. Holmes,
Sharptop, Ga.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

[Handwritten signature]

Commissioner.

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Rec. No. 44382

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LIFE
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Insurance Underwriter

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COMPANIES

Summerville, Ga. July 25th 1908. 190

Hon. Guion Miller,

Commissioner,

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:

Replying to yours of June 10th., relative to my claim No.

44,382 for share of Eastern Cherokee Fund:

I think that my ^{grate} grandfather Bill McMahan was killed by an Indian in Cherokee Co. N.C., before 1834, and I can not say why my mother was not enrolled.

I do not know whether any of my people were parties to the treaty or not.

I claim through my ^{grand} mother Sarah Holmes, who was a daughter of the above named Bill McMahan, a sister of James McMahan, the latter being the father of John Franklin McMahan, applicant No. 19,153 in this series, and I think my ^{grand} mother was either near Dahlonega or in Cherokee Co. Ga. at the two last named dates of your enquiry.

My ancestors were all white and Indian.

I pass as a white man with Indian blood in the community where I live.

I trace my Cherokee blood back through the McMahan family, to North Carolina.

Respectfully,

No. 44383

Action:

Reject

Name

Peter Bass

and 10 children.

Residence

Lynchburg, Va.
R.F.D. 2.

Reasons:

Uncle of #14050. Claims
thru same source

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No. *425*

Name *Peter Lane*

With No. *14650*

Remarks:
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No. *1311*

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Robert B. ...

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress of June 25, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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RECEIVED
EASTERN CHEROKEES
JAN 22 1912

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Peter Bass

Indian name: Peter Chavrus (not sure.)

2. Residence and post office: Synchburg (P.O. #2)

3. County: Campbell.

4. State: Virginia

5. How old are you? 64 Born 1844

6. Where were you born? Lawrence County, Ohio.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Agnes Bass, age 46 (4th wife)

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? none, French decent.

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
	<u>William Henry Bass</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>1864</u>
	<u>Samuel</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>1868</u>
(1)	<u>Willy</u>	<u>38</u>	<u>1870</u>
	<u>Viola</u>	<u>36</u>	<u>1877</u>
	<u>Elija</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>1877</u>
(2)	<u>Joseph</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>1880</u>
	<u>Sarah</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>1885</u>
	<u>Emma</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1887</u>
(3)	<u>Cora</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>July 13th 1889</u>
	<u>Frank</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Dec 27th 1890</u>
	<u>Thomas</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Feb 28th 1892</u>
(4)	<u>James</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>June 25th 1893</u>
	<u>Mary</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Dec 25th 1894</u>
	<u>Matilda</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>March 20th 1896</u>
(5)	<u>Nancy</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Dec 9th 1897</u>
	<u>Samuel</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>April 3rd 1901</u>
	<u>Varva</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Sept 25th 1902</u>
(6)	<u>Martin</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>March 25th 1904</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Elija Bass

Indian name: Elija Chavrus (not sure)

Mother—English name: Matilda Bass

Indian name: Not an Indian

Maiden name: Matilda Dutton

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Pennsylvania

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Lawrence county, Ohio,
Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: In the year 1880
Mother: " " " 1873

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>Eliza Bass</u> <u>Valley (P.O.) Vernon Co., Wis.</u>	<u>about 1834</u>	<u>died 6 months ago</u>
(2)	<u>Samuel Bass</u> <u>Valley (P.O.) Vernon Co., Wis.</u>	<u>about 1834</u>	<u>may 1906</u>
1966 (3)	<u>Elizabeth Bass Murphy</u> <u>Valley (P.O.) Vernon Co., Wis.</u>	<u>about 1841</u>	<u>Jan 1904</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Dont know</u>	<u>Dont know</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____

18. Where were they born? Dont know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dont know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Dont know
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never have.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Dont know

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The last 10 children are by Agnes Bass.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Peter Bass

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of January, 1908.

Lloyd R. Braughill
Notary Public.

My commission expires

August 17th

1909. By the laws of Virginia no tax is required on this seal

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

J. L. Stevens

and

C. L. Barksdale

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Peter Bass

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 4 ~~years~~ ^{months} and

4 ~~years~~ ^{months}, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

J. L. Stevens

C. L. Barksdale

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of January, 1908.

My commission expires

Aug. 17, 1909

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Lloyd R. Braughill

Notary Public.

By the laws of Virginia no tax is required on this seal

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

WALKER & MOSBY
REAL ESTATE
INSURANCE AND LOANS
817 MAIN STREET

LYNCHBURG, VA.,

Jan. 21st. 1908.

Hon. Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner,
Washington, D. C.

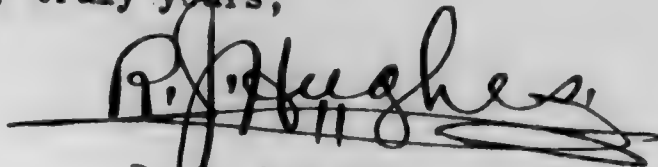
My Dear Sir:-

I enclose herewith application of Mr. Peter Bass, for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund.

I also enclose kodak picture of the old man and his ten minor children.

The short acquaintance of the witnesses with the applicant is due to the fact that the applicant has been living in this section only this length of time. He moved from the North West to Bedford City, this State about one year ago, and from there here about four months ago. The applicant came South on account of his very poor state of health. His poor health together with his extreme age makes it imposible for him to provide the means to educate his children, he will therefore be very grateful for as prompt action as posible in the matter of allowing his claim for his minor children.

Very truly yours,



P. O. Box 81.

2 enclosures.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. FEB 23 1908
No. 44382

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FEB 26 1908

Lynchburg Va. Surmire 20
Sept. 22 1905
Special Commissioner

Dear Sir I thought I would
write you from Linn. in regard to
my application no 44387
as we are in very bad circum-
stances and can get nothing to
do to make a living and if
my children are a land
settlement I will save
myself from going to
the workhouse
Thank you
Sincerely

Peter Bass
Eastern Shore

Lynnburg, Va. Summ. 20
March the 7 1905
Dear Sir I have just
received a letter
from my oldest
brother and am
pleased to say all
regard to our Indian
rights I hope I may
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COUNT OF CLERKS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
MAR 9 1908
No. 44983

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No. 44384

Action: Reject

Name Robert M. Hill and 2 children. Residence: Greenbrier, W. Va.

Reasons:

Claims thru same source as #31011;
rejected for same reasons.

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No. 44384

Name. Robt W. Hill

With No. 3111

Remarks:

No. 3104

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

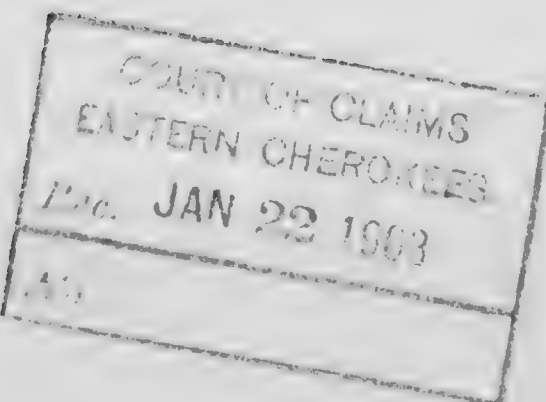
APPLICATION

OF

Robert M. 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 19, 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: Robert M. Hill

Indian name: Descendant of Chief John Ross Tribe Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Blue Sulphur Springs

3. County: Greenbrier

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 50 Born 1857

6. Where were you born? Nicholas County Va. (now W. Va.)

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Emma Hill. 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>Ruby M. Hill</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1896</u>
(2)	<u>Rufus S. Hill</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1897</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Robert Hill

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Lettie Hill

Indian name: Descendant of Chief John Ross Tribe Cherokee

Maiden name: Lettie Estep

12. Where were they born?

Father: Bath County, Virginia

Mother: Kanawha County, Va. (now W. Va.)

Cherokee name

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Nicholas County Va. (now W Va.)

Mother: Nicholas " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1875.

Mother: 1857.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>M. J. McGraw,</u> <u>Clay County W. Va.</u>	<u>1842.</u>	
(2)	<u>M. A. Kincaid</u>	<u>1844.</u>	<u>1890.</u>
(3)	<u>R. M. Hill</u> <u>Fredricks Co W. Va.</u>	<u>1846.</u>	<u>not known</u>
(4)	<u>N. E. Copeland</u> <u>Weston W. Va.</u>	<u>1848</u>	
(5)	<u>W. H. Hill</u>	<u>1851</u>	<u>1897.</u>
(6)	<u>E. E. Copeland</u>	<u>1855</u>	<u>1880.</u>

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17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Sheneer Hill</u>	<u>Cornelius Estep.</u>
	<u>Arina Estep.</u>
<u>Mary Hill</u>	<u>Decent Chief John Ross</u>
	<u>Tribe of Cherokee Indians</u>

18. Where were they born? In Pike or Morgan County Ky.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? donot know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) All dead. 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:

as above written (2nd page)

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Miles Perry my great grand father
married a Cherokee Indian and
belonged to Chief John Ross Tribe,

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Robert M Hill

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Jan 1908

A. M. Buxton
Notary Public.

My commission expires at death

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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 E. E. Hedrick

and E. E. Harrah o, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Robert M Hill who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and four years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person He represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. E. Hedrick
E. E. Harrah

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Eighteenth day of January, 1908

My commission expires (at death)

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A. M. Buxton
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not

public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 22 1908
No.

Blue Sulphur Springs, W. Va.
January 21st 1908.

Simon Miller Commissioner U. S. Claims
Washington D. C.

Dear Sir

I enclose application for
enrollment for participation to the
fund arising for the Cherokee Indians
for my two minor children (see blank)
also; I make application for myself
as I was unable to make the application sooner
or during the time set by order of Court
I have been a very sick man for several
months unable to do or attend to that
business sooner. so hope you will consid^{er}
the case and allow my enrollment
as I can very well prove my inability to
attend to this matter during time set by
Court of Claims as is now advise.
please write me concerning this excuse
and if you enroll for my two children

Respectfully

Robt. M. Hill

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEE.
Rec. MAR 11 1908
No. 44384

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MAR 14 1908

Bless Sulphur Springs W. Va.
March 9 1908.

Given Miller, Special Com. C, C,
Dear Sir, Washington D. C.

In regard to application NO. 44384.
would say that I am an invalid in
very poor health, and would be very
thankful if you would advise me
as to proving my claim also. When this
should be done.

any advise you should give me in
regard to the matter will be appreciated.

Thanking you in advance for any
assistance you can give me.

I am yours Very Truly,
Robt. M. Hill.

No. 44385

Action: Rejected

Name: Josh J. Moses and 4 children. Residence: Portersville, Ala.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled.
Does not establish fact of descent from a person
who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 and 1846.

44385

No. 24385.

Reject. ?

Name J. J. Moses.

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 10376

Name *[Handwritten Name]*

With No. *[Handwritten Number]*

Remarks:

No. 41383

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Josh J. Brown
& 14 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 16, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
JAN 22 1908

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Joshy Moses

Indian name: " Howlen

2. Residence and post office: Portersville

3. County: Heck

4. State: Ala

5. How old are you? 38 Born June 30-1869

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Essaline Moses 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>Ethel Moses</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>July 6-1888</u>
(2)	<u>Lara "</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Aug 23-1897</u>
(3)	<u>Harvey "</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Sept 23-1899</u>
(4)	<u>John "</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>April 28-1906</u>
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Moses

Indian name: " "

Mother—English name: Martha "

Indian name: " Howlen

Maiden name: " Howlen

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Monroe County Tenn
Mother: 11 11 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900
Mother: 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: don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Joe</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>11</u>
(2)	<u>Mary</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>no record</u>
(3)	<u>Raney</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>dead</u>
(4)	<u>Margret</u>	<u>11</u>	
(5)	<u>Sarah</u>	<u>11</u>	
	<u>Caroline</u>	<u>11</u>	
(6)	<u>Roseann</u>	<u>11</u>	
	<u>Addie</u>	<u>11</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.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	<u>John Hoolen</u>
	<u>11 11</u>
	<u>Mary</u>
	<u>11 11</u>

18. Where were they born? don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn (Mary Hoolen) a Cherokee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>John Hoolen</u>	
(2)	<u>Fabe</u>	<u>11</u>
(3)	<u>Martha</u>	<u>11</u>
(4)	<u>Sarah</u>	<u>11</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. Mother name Martha Moses maiden name Martha Doolen per mother Mary Doolen a Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint W. Morris Harrison of Madisonville Tenn my true & lawful attorney & allow him a commission of 15%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) J. J. Jones

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Jan, 1906

Geo W. Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan, 1912.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. M. L. Morgan
and Henry Morgan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Josh J. Jones who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 31 years and 30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Geo W. Isbill
Henry Morgan

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. M. L. Morgan
Henry Morgan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Jan, 1906

My commission expires

Jan, 1912. Geo W. Isbill
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
NO. JAN 11 1909
44385

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON.

Jany. 8, 1909.

Hon. Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner,
Washington, D. C.

My Dear Sir :-

Please give me the status of the claim of J. J. Moss, No.44385, and
oblige,

Yours very truly,

John L. Bennett.

App. No. 44385.

January 11, 1909.

Honorable John L. Burnett,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Your letter of January 8, 1909, making inquiry relative to the application of J. J. Moss, is at hand.

In reply you are advised that the information already furnished in connection with this claim is sufficient for the final adjudication of the same, but until I make my report to the Court of Claims I will be unable to announce my conclusions in regard to any particular case.

I hope to be able to make my report to the Court during the month of May next.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 22 1908
No. 44385

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June 19-08

Genl. Miller, Special Comm,
Washington D. C.

Please refer to my Application No. 44585
& kindly let me know what if any
disposition has been made of it.

Trusting that you may hear from me
at once I am

Yours very truly
Josh. L. Mason

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Appln. No. 44885.

June 10, 1908.

J. J. Jones,

Washington, D.C.

Sir:

I have your application for admission in the ... of you, your present ... are ... through ... which you live

My only other ... to enable you ... in early ... Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 3 1909
No. 44 355

*Bank
note
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At Payne Ala 3 B447

June 12 1883

Hon. Gerrit Miller Special Com
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

In your letter to Hon. John
S. Burwell you state that you
hoped to be able to make a report
to the Court during the month of May.

If you have arrived at a con-
clusion sufficient to state whether
or not the claim is valid, that I
will be included in the Eastern
Cherokee Enrollment, I will ap-
preciate it very much if you will
advise me as early as you can
& greatly oblige

Yours Very truly

Jack J. Moses

to 5000

By application to 1883

No. 44386.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Margaret Saffels* and *3* children. Residence: *Porteraville, Ala.*

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 44385.

44386

No. 41250

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Margaret Sappels
+ 5 children

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
JAN 22 1908

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Margaret Sappels

Indian name: Slouless

2. Residence and post office: Portersville

3. County: Leech

4. State: Ala

5. How old are you? 45 Born Oct 5, 1861

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: L. L. Sappels 45

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	George Sappels	23	May 5 - 1884
(2)	Lilla May	21	June 14 - 1886
(3)	James L.	18	Feb 5 - 1889
(4)	Vader	16	June 24 - 1891
(5)	Birdy	14	Oct 18 - 1893
(6)	Emma	10	Oct 8 - 1897
	Willie B. A.	8	April 12 - 1899

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: James Suses

Indian name: Slouless

Mother—English name: Martha

Indian name: Slouless

Maiden name: Slouless

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Ala

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tom

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1900

Mother: 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: the Lovelers were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Joe Busis		
	Mary	11	
(2)	Nancy	11	dead
(3)	Sarah	11	
(4)	Josh	11	
	Caroline	11	
(5)	Rosa Ann	11	
(6)	Addie	11	dead

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	John Lovelers
	11 11
	Mary 11
	11 11

18. Where were they born? don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tom (Mary Lovelers)

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John Lovelers	
(2)	John	11
(3)	Martha	11
(4)	Sarah	11
(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: mother name Martha Cross
Martha Howlen a Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint W. Morris Harrison of Madisonville
Tennessee a lawful attorney allowing him a
commission of 15%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Margaret Saffels

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Jan, 1908

Geo. W. Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires

Jan, 1912

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. M. Morgan

and Merry Morgan, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Margaret Saffels

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and

20 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. M. Morgan
Merry Morgan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

Jan, 1912. Geo. W. Isbill
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 44387.

Action: Reject.

Name Amittie Spry and X children. Residence: Joplin Mo.

Reasons: Ancestors not on rolls. Was not estab-
lish genuine connection with Cherokee
Tribe

Misc. test. p. 2375.

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Field Paper Co. *Revised?*

No. 44387

Name *Amelie Spry*

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

*Examined at
Cattaraugus, N.Y.
Aug. 27, 1908.*

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 34757

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Amittie Spoy

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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.
JAN 23 1908

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Annettie Spry

Indian name: Annettie Spry

2. Residence and post office: 2002 May Street, Joplin

3. County: Jasper

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 22 Born March 10, 1886

6. Where were you born? Crawford County, Kansas

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: _____

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? _____

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Jacob A. Spry, Charlotte Spry formerly Charlotte Gilmore

Father—English name: Jacob A. Spry

Indian name: Jacob A. Spry

Mother—English name: Charlotte Gilmore

Indian name: Charlotte Gilmore

Maiden name: Charlotte Gilmore

12. Where were they born?

Father: Calloway County, Missouri

Mother: Calloway County, Missouri

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Calloway County Missouri
Mother: Was not living at that time

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living now
Mother: Living now

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>Catharine Cornell</u>	<u>March 1, 1878</u>	<u>Living</u>
(2)	<u>Thomas Spuy</u>	<u>Oct. 1875</u>	<u>1897</u>
(3)	<u>Arthur Spuy</u>	<u>Feb. 6, 1884</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Edie Spuy</u>	<u>May 10, 1888</u>	<u>Living</u>
(5)	<u>John Spuy</u>	<u>Oct. 15, 1890</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>John Spuy</u>	<u>Eliza Zumwalt</u>

18. Where were they born? John Spuy born in Boone County Mo, Eliza Zumwalt in

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Same place

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Jacob A. Spuy</u>	<u>Joplin, Mo</u>
(2)	<u>James Spuy</u>	<u>Kansas City, Mo</u>
(3)	<u>John Spuy</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(4)	<u>Geo. Spuy</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(5)		
(6)		

Calloway Co 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:

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) Annettie Spry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of Jan, 1908

Edgar B. Westcott
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 13 1911, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me G. I. Mays
and Chas F. Reynolds, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Annettie Spry
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.
G. I. Mays
Chas F. Reynolds

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires Jan 13 1911, 1908

Edgar B. Westcott
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 13 1908
No.

HIRAM P. DILLON, President
JOAB MULVANE, Vice President

JAMES W. GOING,
Secretary and Manager

JOHN R. MULVANE, Treasurer
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CASH CAPITAL, \$200,000.00



The
Shawnee Fire Insurance Co.
of Topeka, Kansas

Sept in Jan 30th 1908

Special Commissioner
Dept of Com
Washington D.C.

Please find Enclosed Supplemental application for minor children of a col. A & prys. as per your instructions of Jan 3. With names of attorney attached.

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Box 155 - Joplin Mo

A.S.P.

Appln. No. 44387.

June 10, 1908.

Emmett Spry,
2002 May Street,
Fowler, Mo.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Western Oversee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1845 and 1846? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you ever write or colored in the community in which you live?

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COUNT RECORDS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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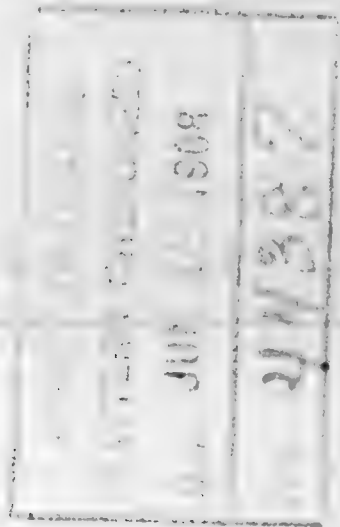
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No. 44409. (44387).

Jacob Spry, being first duly sworn and examined,
deposes and says:

My name is Jacob Spry: I was born in Calloway Co.,
Mo., 1848: I claim my Indian blood through my father and none
through my mother: my father was born in Boone Co., Mo., 1817;
my father got his Indian blood from his father, Joseph Spry;
my grandfather was born in Tenn.: I do not know what part.
I do not know the date of my grandfather's birth or death;
my grandfather was brought to Missouri when he was a small boy;
I do not know exactly the date; neither I nor any of the
ancestors through whom I claim were ever enrolled: my father
never lived with the Cherokees: my grandfather through whom I
claim was a half Cherokee.

Jacob Spry

Subscribed and sworn to before me, at Parthage, Mo.,
this 17th day of August, 1908.

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Samuel Baker
Assistant to Special Commissioner
of the Court of Claims.

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for my name and wife

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please tell me individual whose name
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of the person for my name and wife

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A. P. HOLT, Cashier
EMIR L. CHRISTIAN, Asst. Cashier

NEW BLOOMFIELD, MO., Aug 28th 1909

State of Missouri }
County of Callaway } S.S.

Before me a Notary public
Personally appeared John Deane
who upon his oath dep. that
he was personally acquainted
with Jacob A. Spry and knew
him to be a grandson of Joseph
Spry now deceased. And further
dep. that to the best of his
belief Joseph Spry came
to Boone County between 1823 & 1830
and further dep. that he did
know Joseph Spry living about the
year 1842 and further dep. that
he never knew him. He said Joseph
Spry & afflicted with any tribe
or band of Indians and that he
did not know of any such
murder in Boone county from the time he
settled in Boone Co. Missouri his
youth which occurred about 1830.

And the said John Deane dep. that
he is a Notary public.

Witness my hand

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 28th day of August 1909.
My commission expires Sept 29th
1910
Albert P. Holt
Notary Public.

No. 44388

Action: *Reject*

Name *James M. Bybee* and *10* children.

Residence: *Celista Texas*

Reasons: *Dependent # 44375;*

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No. 44387

Name *Dr. W. D. ...*

With No. 44378

Remarks:

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No. 44375

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

James M. Bybee

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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.

Atty
James H. Taylor
1419 G Street, NW
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 M. Bybee

Indian name: James M. Bybee

2. Residence and post office: Celente Texas

3. County: Hunt

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 49

Born 1858

6. Where were you born? Lomaxville Collin Co. Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Monty L. Bybee 42 years old

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>George M. Bybee</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1889</u>
	<u>James M. Bybee Jr.</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1891</u>
(2)	<u>Marion E. Bybee</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>1893</u>
	<u>Merial L. Bybee</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>1895</u>
(3)	<u>Anna Bybee</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>1897</u>
	<u>Joseph B. Bybee</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1899</u>
(4)	<u>Carl J. Bybee</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1899</u>
	<u>Mary M. Bybee</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1899</u>
(5)	<u>Irish O. Bybee</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1901</u>
(6)	<u>Benjamin M. Bybee</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1903</u>
	<u>Amy A. Bybee</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1906</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Benjamin M. Bybee

Indian name: Benjamin M. Bybee

Mother—English name: Maudie M. Bybee

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Maudie M. Bonne

12. Where were they born?

Father: Kentucky

Mother: Arkansas

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Farmersville Callin Co. Texas

Mother: Farmersville Callin Co. Texas

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1863

Mother: 1883

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.
11-70	(1) <u>Benson J. Byher</u>	<u>1862</u>	
11-57	<u>Ukama J.</u>		
	(2) <u>John L. Byher</u>	<u>1860</u>	<u>1870</u>
	(3) _____		
	(4) _____		
	(5) _____		
	(6) _____		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Thomas Boren

Mary Boren

Mary Boren

18. Where were they born? father North Carolina mother Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Texas

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) Maudie M. Byher died 1883

(2) Rebecca B. " 1887

(3) Julia A. Pustie Conrad Ok.

(4) Francis C. Fleming Kingston Texas

(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: 220

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 Mandia M. Bybee

Grand father Thomas Brown & Grand mother Mary Brown
were both living prior to 1835

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I no nothing of my grand
father & mother on my father
side.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

James M. Bybee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1907.

My commission expires

June, 1909

M. S. Howell N.P.
Hunt County, La., 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. F. Wilcox
and H. M. Howens, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with James M. Bybee
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 whom represents
_____ to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark:

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. F. Wilcox
H. M. Howens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of January, 1908

My commission expires

June, 1909

M. S. Howell N.P.
Hunt County, La., Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Know all men by these presents, that James M. Bybee, of Celeste, in the State of Texas, has made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents does make, constitute and appoint Doggett & Clifton, of McKinney, Texas, and James H. Taylor, of Washington, D.C. his true and lawful attorneys, for him and in his name, place and stead, and in the name, place and stead of his minor children, to prosecute his and their claim now pending before the Special Commission on Cherokee Claims; giving to his said attorneys full power and authority to do and perform all and every act requisite and necessary to be done in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as he might or could do if personally present at the doing thereof; hereby ratifying and confirming all that his said attorneys may or shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof. And in consideration of the services of his said attorneys in connection with the prosecution and collection of this claim, the said James M. Bybee for himself and for his minor children, has promised, undertaken and agreed, and hereby does undertake, promise and agree to pay or cause to be paid to his said attorneys 20% of the amount received by him and by his said minor children in payment of or on account of said claim.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 30th. day of June 1908.

James M. Bybee

County of Hunt
State of Texas.

I, John A. Stone Jr. a Notary Public in and for Hunt County, Texas, do hereby certify that James M. Bybee party to a certain Power of Attorney, bearing date on the 30th. day of June 1908, and hereto annexed, personally appeared before me, in the county of Hunt aforesaid, the said James M. Bybee being personally well known to me as the person who executed the said Power of Attorney, and then and there acknowledged the same to be his act and deed.
Given under my hand and official seal, this the day of
1908.

John A. Stone Jr.
Notary Public in and for Hunt County, Texas.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
JUL 18 1908

July 21st, 1908.

James H. Taylor,
Attorney-at-law,
1419 G St., N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Replying to your favor of this date, I beg to inform you that the statement in my letter of the 16th inst. that James W. Bybee had no application on file was due to an error on the part of one of our clerks who I instructed to look the matter up. On receiving your letter this afternoon I have personally looked into the matter and find that Bybee's application is No. 44388, and that it was filed after the time allowed by the Court for filing applications. This application has not been finally passed upon, but if in the judgment of the Commissioner further evidence is necessary you or the applicant himself will be duly notified.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Assistant to Special Commissioner

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 21 1908
No.

JAMES H. TAYLOR
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW
1419 G STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C.
TELEPHONE MAIN 1685
CABLE ADDRESS 'RAYL'

July 21, 1908.

Hon. Frederick S. Tyler,
Assistant to Special Commissioner,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of the 18th instant, I beg to say that I have had several conversations with Special Commissioner concerning the case of James M. Bybee. The claim was originally filed by Bybee himself and certain evidence has been supplied by him and also through me and his attorneys in Texas. I trust therefore you will give this matter your further consideration and advise me as to the present condition of the case and as to what further steps should be taken in it.

Yours very respectfully,

James H. Taylor
Per L. W.

DEPT. OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 18 1908
No. 14388

JAMES H. TAYLOR
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW
1419 G STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C.
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CABLE ADDRESS 'RAYL'

September 17, 1908.


Hon. Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

Replying to your favor of the 16th instant, returning Power of Attorney in re application of James M. Bybee #44388, upon the ground that no application has been filed in your office by claimant, I beg to say that by your letter of July 21st, 1908, I was advised that such application had been made and was given the number thereof as above quoted. I therefore return Power of Attorney herewith with the request that the matter of the filing of the claim may be settled so that we may take up the question of the merits of the case within reasonable time.

I respectfully call your attention to my letter of May 19th and the accompanying affidavits which I then requested should be filed in support of this claim.

Respectfully yours,


Atty. for James M. Bybee.

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JAMES H. TAYLOR
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW
1419 G STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C.
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CABLE ADDRESS RAYL

December 7, 1908.

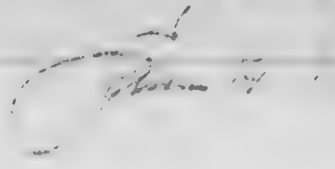
Hon. Guion Miller,
Special Commissioner of Court of Claims,
Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

Please kindly advise me if any action has been taken, or progress made in the claim of James M. Bybee, Cherokee Indian.

I am in receipt of a letter from Mr. L. C. Clifton, Bybee's attorney at McKinney, Texas, informing me that special examinations are being made in his neighborhood and asking why his claim has not been taken up.

Respectfully yours,



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JAMES H. TAYLOR
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR-AT-LAW
1419 G STREET, N.W.
WASHINGTON, D.C.
TELEPHONE MAIN 1584
CABLE ADDRESS 'RAYL'

December 7, 1908.

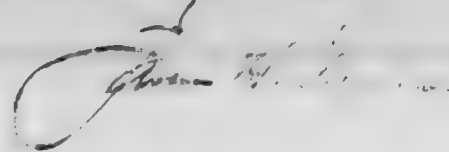
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Respectfully yours,



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App. No. 44388.

December 8, 1908.

James H. Taylor,
1419 G Street, N.W.,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Replying to your letter of December 7, 1908, making inquiry as to the claim of James M. Bybee for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, you are advised that the testimony of Mr. Bybee's aunt, Julia A. Pressley, of Comanche, Oklahoma, was taken and the facts necessary for the consideration of this claim were obtained from her.

Until I make my formal report to the Court the conclusions reached in any particular case cannot be disclosed. I hope to be able to make my report to the Court in May 1909.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. FEB 17 1910
No. 44338

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Kansas City, Kan. 2/14/10
Gideon Miller
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir

I desire to know if late
gov distribution of eastern Cherokee
lands has ever been announced. as
I am in no position to learn
here please let me know & oblige

Yours Respt

John Sharp
1216 Scott Ave
Kansas City
Mo

my application 11044338

No. 44389

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Thomas E. Fleming* and *5* children.

Residence: *Kingston Texas.*

Reasons: *Sister of # 44376.*

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No. 4457

Name J

With No. 44375

Remarks: J

No. *44375*
Sister of
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

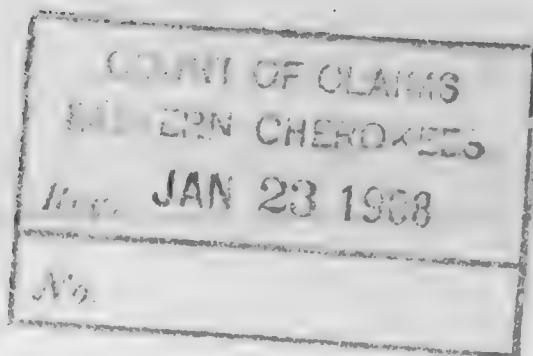
APPLICATION

OF

Frances E. Fleming

For her share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Francis E. Fleming

Indian name: Francis E. Boren

2. Residence and post office: Kingston

3. County: Nant

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 51 Born August 25 1856

6. Where were you born? Amersville Collin Co. Texas

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Joseph Fleming (is dead)

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Chero

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

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	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	Samuel C. Fleming	34	1874
	Ador B. Fleming	30	1877
(2)	Mary C. Fleming	28	1879
	David A. Fleming	21	1886
(3)	Jesse J. Fleming	19	1888
(4)	Maggie C. Fleming	17	1890
(5)	Charley H. Fleming	15	1892
(6)	Inez Fleming	13	1894
	Walter H.	10	1897

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Thomas Boren

Indian name: Thomas Boren

Mother—English name: Mary Huhbs

Indian name: Mary Huhbs

Maiden name: Mary Huhbs

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Formerwith Callin Co. Texas.

Mother: Formerwith Callin Co. Texas.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: October 17 1858

Mother: 96 years old and 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: dont no but think Grand father
enrolled in North Carolina

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Manda Graves</u>	<u>1841</u>	<u>1887</u>
(2)	<u>Julia A. Pralce</u> <u>Camancid, Ok.</u>	<u>1852</u>	
(3)	<u>Dealie A. Boy.</u>	<u>1846</u>	<u>1887</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.

Francis Boren
Mary or Rachel.

Francis Capps.
Dont no.
Thomas Nuhho
Sallie Nuhho.

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Lemmer

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Mary Nuhho. King & Tom Texas.
- (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 Thomas Boner and mother Mary Gubbs. were both living before 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)

Francis E. Fleming

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of January 1908

M. S. Howell N.P.
Hunt County, La. Notary Public.

My commission expires

June, 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. F. Wilcox
and H. M. Howers, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mrs. Francis E. Fleming who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 years and _____ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person whom 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.

A. F. Wilcox
H. M. Howers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20 day of January, 1908

My commission expires

June, 1909. M. S. Howell N.P.
Hunt County, La. Notary Public.

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File

Kingston Tex
March 1, 1908
Mr. Henry Miller
Dear Sir
I met Mr. Rian in
Greenville on the 29. 1908
but my father
being very ill, not expect
to see him, made my statement
not satisfactory to me
in saying that my mother
married my father a short
time in the 30s and
I said in the 30s some

When between 35 & 40
don't know in the year
of 1840 - 1841
out of my husband
Joseph Fleming was being
settled through
the Laws commission
I secured two witnesses
& witnesses that they were
well acquainted with
my Grand father Francis
Barnes in N. C.
by the name of
Francis Barnes
& John Christie

Statement to a Malting
Public Bureau of the
hoping to hear from you
in regard to it.

Yours Respectfully
Francis E. Henning

Kingston Tex

March 1, 1908

Mr. Henry Miller

Spice Camp

I met Mr. Rian in
Greenville on the 24. 1908

but Mr. Rian's mother
being very ill, had informed

me that my statement
was satisfactory to me

in saying that my mother
married my father at Fort

Cherokee in the 20's of
the 1800's. I agree it is true

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don't seem in the year
my husband
not my husband
Joseph Fleming was being
settled through
the Laws commission
I secured the services of
a witness that they were
well acquainted with
my Grandfather Francis
Barnes in the C
by the name of
Francis Barnes
+ John Christie

which was attached to
Ch. H. Smith's application
when sent to Messrs
Mr. Fleming in his
pebble health was
to look after it being a sufferer
for many years before his
death, & being left with an
aged Mother - to care for
she had poor opportunities
to look after outside
affairs in any way
having under the circumstances
you will allow some conveyance
if necessary will make this

Statement before a Malaya
Public Commission
hoping to hear from you
in regard to it.

Yours Respectfully
Francis E. Henney

No. 44390

Action: Rejected

Name Margret J. Males and 12 children. Residence: Duncan, Okla.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled.
Was not established fact of descent from a person
who was a party to the treaty of 1855-6th 1846.

(Unid. Ter. p. 3511)

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Field Stephens Co. ^{Chla} Reject ?

No. 44390.

Name Margaret J. Mahes.

With No. *[unclear]*

Remarks:

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Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 43210

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Margaret J. Males

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in

grandparent

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: Margaret J. Males

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Duncan Okla

3. County: Stephens County

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 56 Born April 7th 1852

6. Where were you born? Bellville Illinois

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Arch Males

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>Elfa Fautrie Males</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>10-16-1873</u>
(2)	<u>Sarah Montgomery ne Males</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>4-20-1875</u>
(3)	<u>William M. Males</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>5-21-1878</u>
(4)	<u>Frona Mathews ne Males</u>	<u>26 about</u>	<u>Feb. 5th</u>
(5)	<u>Nettie Chapman ne Males</u>	<u>22 "</u>	<u>4-6-</u>
(6)	<u>Minnie Males</u>	<u>20 "</u>	<u>6-21-</u>
(7)	<u>John Males</u>	<u>17 "</u>	<u>3-24-1870</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

William Beer, Rachel Phips

Father—English name: William Beer

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Rachel Phips

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Rachel Phips

12. Where were they born?

Father: don't know. died 21 yrs ago

Mother: don't know. died Nov. 22-1906 at 90 yrs. about.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Bond County, Ill.

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 21 yrs ago on 9th March last

Mother: Nov. 22 - 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:

don't know but probably made application at Ft Smith years ago.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible.

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
5741 13222	(1) <u>Sauvash Downing (Beer)</u>	<u>19 March - -</u>	<u>living</u>
	(2) <u>Francis Beer (deceased)</u>	<u>don't know.</u>	<u>about 59 or 60 yrs old</u>
	(3) <u>John Beer (deceased)</u>	<u>don't know</u>	<u>dead about 46 yrs of living</u>
	(4) <u>Refus Beer (deceased)</u>	<u>don't know</u>	<u>57 or 58 yrs old if living</u>
	(5) _____	_____	<u>Feb. 5 - 1884 about 45</u>
	(6) _____	_____	<u>October don't know years</u>
			<u>think it something near 20 yrs</u>

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
Henry Beer
Betsy Simmons, married Beer.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Ben Phips
Rachel Simmons married Phips

18. Where were they born? don't know but think Tennessee or North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? don't know.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) 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: no other than what are given

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I think the roll will show that my Grand mother on same as Rachel Simmon who married Ben Phips.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Margret J Males

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Jan. 1908.

Aug. 31-1910.

Ollbillians
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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AFF

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two

nesses who are well acquainted with the

Personally appeared before me J. P. T.

omery & R. L. Montgomery

and

no, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Mar

et J Males

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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Ollbillians

J. P. Montgomery

Willie Richards

J. R. Montgomery

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of January, 1908

My commission expires

Aug 31-1, 1908

Ollbillians
Notary Pu

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, when practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian Service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COMMERCIAL
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JAN 21 1948
No.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

Sir:

Replying to your request for a blank application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, you are advised that under the order of the Court of April 29, 1907, all applications were required to be filed on or before August 31, 1907.

It is therefore now too late to file applications except on behalf of minor children, persons of unsound mind, or persons under some other legal disability.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

*In reference to the above letter
this application is put in in the interest of
John Males my youngest boy
Yours truly
Margaret Males*

LETTERS OF CIRCUMSTANCES
APR 10 1908
No. 44390

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APR 5 1908

W. F. Gilbert Esq. W. Bond.
Law Office of
Gilbert & Bond
Lawson, Ind. Ter.

April 2, 1908.

Guion Miller,
Washington, D. C.

Dear sir:

Kindly furnish us report ^{of matters} on the enclosed card at
your earliest convenience and oblige,

Yours very truly,

Gilbert & Bond.

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Appln. No. 44390.

June 10, 1908.

Harriet J. Miles,

Atoka, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled as Eastern Cherokees. Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1825-3 and 1847. State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim, and state that ancestor's name in 1847 and 1857. Were any of your ancestors absent to you and not enrolled in the community in which you live?

Give any other description of blood for me or establish your right to share in this fund.

Very truly yours,

Wm. H. Rouse

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Rec. JUN 23 1908
No. 1111

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Washington D.C.
I will answer in reply to your
letter why my grandparents
was not enrolled I do not
know my grandmother on
my mother side her name
was Rachel Simmons she
died between eighty and
89 years old now I am
57 years old and she died
when I was between 15 and
17 and was white in my
family but some people
call her Indian
my grandmother lived in
North Carolina and Tennessee
and she went to Atlanta

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when she was 2 years old
she married Ben White
I don't say where
I was always taught I
was Cherokee and white

White

Regret. J. Charles

Johnson

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COURT OF CLAIMS
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JUL 21 1908
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O. B. RIEGEL
ATTORNEY AT LAW
SNYDER, OKLA.

Guion Miller, Special Commissioner,
Washington, D. C.

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Dear Sir:-

Some time ago Mrs. M. J. Mailles made application to participate in the distribution of the fund arising from a judgment secured in the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokee Indians and the same has been acknowledged and No. 44390 assigned to her claim.

Will you kindly inform me as to the steps necessary to be taken by Mrs. Mailles to prove her claim for herself and childred. If it is necessary to make the application on a regular form I will be pleased to receive the same or for information you may have at hand and such literature as you may have relative to this affair, I am,

Very truly yours,

O. B. Riegel

Margaret J. Males.

#44390.

Margaret J. Males being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Margaret J. Males, and I live in Duncan, Okla. I am 57 years old. I was born in Ill. I claim my Indian blood through my mother, Rachel Shipp. My mother was 80 or 90 years old at the time of her death 2 years ago. She was born in either Tenn. or Ill. I could not say how much Indian she was. My mother got her Indian blood through her mother, Rachel Simmons. They were all of Cherokee descent. My grandmother died when I was a girl in my teens. She died in Tex. and she was 80 or 90 years old at the time she died. She looked like a full blood but I do not know just how much Indian blood she had. I think she came from Ark. to Tex. and lived with my father and mother. I can not say that she did ~~not~~ or did not mix with the Indians out here. I never heard of her getting money from the government on account of her Indian blood in 1852. Ever since I can remember my mother lived among the whites, in fact since we lived in Tex. there were no Indians in the neighborhood for us to mix with. My children did not apply for this fund because it was too late to file applications. And I am applying now for John Males a minor. He applied for lands in the Indian territory but they were not allowed.

Margaret J. Males

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Oct. 1908, at Lawton, Okla.

J. E. Taylor

Asst. to Special Commissioner
Court of Claims.

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W. H. ...
DEC 18 1908

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To the Spirit
of the Universe
to the Universe

It is a great joy
to see the world
about us, and
to see the world

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No. 4439

Action: Direct

Name: Wicca Brewster and 9 children. Residence: 754 West 7th

Reasons:

Widow through the same source as 52 5 55.

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No. 44391

Name. *Robert Sherry*

With No. 44169

Remarks:

No. 11031

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Rebecca M. Rowberry

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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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residence.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Rebecca Shrewsberry
Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Burd

3. County: Wynnning

4. State: Wyo

5. How old are you? 44 Born Apr 3, 1864

6. Where were you born? In Wynnning County

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rebecca Shrewsberry

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.
Mary E. Shrewsberry age 8, 1900	(1) <u>Wm A Shrewsberry</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1887</u>
Ella D age 6, 1903	(2) <u>John A</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>1889</u>
Boyd P age 3, 1905	(3) <u>Laura A</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1893</u>
	(4) <u>Delila F</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1895</u>
	(5) <u>Robert L</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1897</u>
	(6) <u>Cora L</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1897</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Abner A Luster

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Maria Luster

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Maria Wolfe

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In McDowell Co N.C.

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: _____

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Cherokee in

N.C.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
✓ Matilda Bishop	(1) John T. Luster Bud N.C.		
✓	(2) R. B. Luster Bud N.C.	1856	
✓	(3) Polly H. Luster Bud N.C.		
✓	(4) Lurisa Oneal Bud N.C.		
	(5) W. H. Luster Bud N.C.		
✓	(6) Charlotte Bishop Nerndon N.C.		

17. 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>Abner H. Luster</u>	<u>Eleanah Wolfe</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Francis</u>
<u>Maria Luster</u>	

18. Where were they born? _____

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

In McDowell 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: I have heard they were with Cherokee Indians

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Abner H Lester Cherokee
Abner Lester "

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have heard people say we were related to the Indians ever since a child

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Rebecca ^{her} Shrewsbury

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Jan 1907.

W. G. Lambert
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 John W. Bishop
and Hiram Oneal, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Rebecca Shrewsbury who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 26 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Floyd Green
Edmond Green

Signature of Witnesses.

John W. Bishop
Hiram Oneal
of Jan, 1907.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22

My commission expires

_____, 190

Lambert
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, if

the court, if sworn to before an

No. -- 500

Name *Tōtūā Tūāhā* and *5* children. Action: *Tūāhā*

Reasons: Residence: *Tūāhā Tūāhā*

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No. 44392

Name Matilda Finch

With No. 44069

Remarks:

No. 26577

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Matilda Bishop

appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
ended June 30, 1906, in
of May

26577

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Matilda Bishop

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Bud W Va

3. County: Wyoming

4. State: West Virginia

5. How old are you? 33 Born 12 July 1875

6. Where were you born? Wyoming Territory

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Matilda Bishop 33

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>John W Bishop</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1891</u>
(2)	<u>Abner H Bishop</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1893</u>
(3)	<u>Floyd Bishop</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1897</u>
(4)	<u>Corrie D Bishop</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>1904</u>
(5)	<u>Sam Bishop</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1906</u>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Abner H Luster

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Maria Luster

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Maria Wolfe

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In M. Powell Co W Va

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: There is according to statement by Eastern Cherokee Indians

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John T Lister</u> <u>Bud W Va</u>		
(2)	<u>R. B Lister</u> <u>Bud W Va</u>		
(3)	<u>Polly A Lane</u> <u>Bud W Va</u>		
(4)	<u>Louisa Ornel</u> <u>Bud W Va</u>		
(5)	<u>Rebecca Scurlock</u> <u>Bud W Va</u>		
(6)	<u>Charlotte Bishop</u> <u>Bud W Va</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>Abner H Lister</u>	<u>Maria Lister</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

In Boone County W Va

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) _____
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: This time with Eastern Cherokee Indians

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Father Abner H. Luster his Father Abner Luster his Father Williams Luster who married Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.) All the old set of Lusters favors the Indians having but little beard and straight black hair

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Matilda ^{her} Bishop

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Jan 1907.

W. G. Lambert
Notary Public.

My commission expires _____ 1907

IT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by witnesses who are well acquainted with the

Personally appeared before me J. Hiram Oneal and Hiram Oneal that they are well acquainted with Matilda Bishop who makes the foregoing application and states her self 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 said claim.

W. G. Lambert who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say Matilda Bishop and have known her for 20 years and 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark. Floyd Green Floyd Green

Signatures of Witnesses John ^{his} Bishop Hiram ^{mark} Oneal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Jan 1907.

My commission expires _____ 1907 W. G. Lambert
Notary Public

NOTE: Affidavits should be made, when never practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, or sworn to before an Indian agent, or the acting agent of the Indian Service, if used for the purpose of establishing a claim.

No. 4-393
Name W. E. G. G. G. and 2 children. Action: W. E. G. G. G.
Residence: 73 ...

Reasons: ...

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No. 44395
Name V F O'Neal
With No. 44069

Remarks:

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No. 44303

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

W. F. O'Neal

appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
approved June 30, 1906, in
act of Claims of May

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: W. F. Oneal

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Bud

3. County: Wyoming

4. State: Wyo

5. How old are you? 23 Born 1885

6. Where were you born? Wyoming Co Wyo

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: W. F. Oneal 23

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>Tilda Oneal</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>1904</u>
(2)	<u>Liza Oneal</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>1906</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Wm M Oneal

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Louisa Oneal

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Louisa Lister

12. Where were they born?

Father: Raleigh Co Wyo

Mother: Wyoming Co Wyo

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: yet Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: My Relatives had

a claim with the Cherokee Indians

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
Andrew Omeal 1906	Charlotte Bishop Bud WVA	1886	
(2)	David Omeal Bud WVA	1892	
(3)	Isabella Omeal Bud WVA	1897	
(4)	Ida M Omeal Bud WVA	1902	
(5)	Ada M Omeal Bud WVA	1909	
(6)	Nancy Omeal Bud	1904	

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Abner H Luster	John Omeal
Cherokee	Nickatie Omeal
Maria Luster	

18. Where were they born? _____

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Abner H Luster
and Maria Luster in McLowell Co W Va

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) John Luster
- (2) R. B. Luster
- (3) Polly A Lane
- (4) Rebecca Shrewsbury
- (5) W. H. Luster
- (6) Charlotte Bishop
Matilda Bishop

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: My People have

according to Statements Cherokee

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: My Mother Father Abner H. Lester

his Father Abner Lester his William Lester
who married the Cherokee Indian

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Nickatie Cherokee Lester was
so named being related to
Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) W. J. O'Neal
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Jan 1907

W. G. Lambert
Notary Public.

My commission expires

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(The following affidavit must be sworn to

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Personally appeared before me J. C.

and Hiram O'Neal

do and say

that they are well acquainted with W. J. O'Neal

who makes the foregoing application and statement

me for 15 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him

to be the person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements

made by me are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest

whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. G. Lambert

J. C. Bishop
mark

Hiram O'Neal
mark

Hiram O'Neal
mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Jan, 1907.

My commission expires

190

W. G. Lambert
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 1-34

Action: No act.

Name: Peter H. Lane and 3 children.

Residence: ...

Reasons:

... course no 3288.

44394

No. 44394

Name. *Robert H. Lane*

With No. 44069

Remarks:

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No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Abner H. Lane,

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and 1906.

<i>ma</i> <i>Shur</i> <i>Lane</i> <i> </i>	in names of your grandpa	SIDE. <i>Lane</i> <i>Lane</i>
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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: Abrer H Lane

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Kimball W Va

3. County: McDowell Co

4. State: W Va

5. How old are you? 33 Born 1875

6. Where were you born? Wyming

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Abrer H Lane 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>Laura Lane</u>	<u>8 7</u>	<u>1900</u>
(2)	<u>Robert Lane</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1902</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Miller W Lane

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Martha J Lane

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Martha J Lister

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: McDowell Co W Va

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: In McDowell Co.

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: 1884

Mother: 1809

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

In N.C. with Cherokee Indians

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Nathaniel Lane Kimball Va		
(2)	Maria Lambert Eckman Va		
(3)	Anne Mullers Welch Va		
(4)	Henry Lane Kimball		
(5)	Mary Matcox Whitesulphur Va		
(6)	Rebecca Lane Welch		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Alexander Lane	Abner A. Lister
Anna Lane	Cherokee
	Maria Lister

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

In McDowell Co Va

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	John P. Lister
(2)	R. B. Lister
(3)	Polly A. Lister
(4)	Rebecca Shrewsherry
(5)	W. F. Lister
(6)	Charlotte Bishop
	Matilda Bishop

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: With the Cherokee Indians in N C

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 Martha Lane her Father Abner Hester his Father J^{on} Tester who Married the Eastern Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
My relation is said to be related to Eastern Cherokee Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Abner H^{is} Lane

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Jan 1908

W. G. Lambert
Notary Public.

My commission expires _____, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more persons who are well acquainted with the

Personally appeared before me John Bishop
and Hiram Oneal
that they are well acquainted with Abner
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and him for 15 years and
15 years, respectively, and know him to be the real 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.
Floyd Green John Bishop
Hiram Oneal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires _____, 190 .
W. G. Lambert
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUL 17 1909

No. 44394

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Dear Sir
July 10, 1851
Amos Miller

Dear Sir
What is necessary
to be done in order
to be successful in
the business of
the year 1851
I can give you
the following
information
No. 11,374

pub

No. 44395.

Action: Repeat-

Name: ³ Maria O'Neal and 6 children. Residence: 72nd Street Va.

Reasons:

Same, through the same court as 37-363.

44395

No. 44395

Name Louis H. Neal

With No. 44069

Remarks:

Book 47 *Wm. H. ...*

No. 44303
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Louisa O'Neal

For
Indians by
accordance with
18, 1905, and May,
6-624

Eastern Cherokee
and 30, 1800, in
of Claims of May

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. JAN 24 1908
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: E. Lurisa ONeal

Indian name: Cherokee

2. Residence and post office: Burd

3. County: Wyoming

4. State: W. Va

5. How old are you? 47 Born 1861

6. Where were you born? Wyoming Co W. Va

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lurisa ONeal

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:

*Nancy ONeal
age 4 yr, 1904
Andrew ONeal
age 1 yr, 1906*

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Wm H ONeal</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>1888</u>
(2)	<u>Charlotte ONeal</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>1886</u>
(3)	<u>Daniel ONeal</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1892</u>
(4)	<u>Isabella ONeal</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>1897</u>
(5)	<u>Ida M ONeal</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1902</u>
(6)	<u>Ada M ONeal</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1902</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Abner H Lister

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Maria Lister

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Maria Wolfe

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: _____

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: McDowell Co W Va

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: March 4 1903

Mother: yet living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: My Father's Abner Lister his Father Abner Lister his W^m Lister with Cherokee Indians

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
Matilda Bishop	(1) John T Lister		
	Bud W Va		
	(2) R. B. Lister	1856	
	Bud W Va		
	(3) Polly A Lane		
	Bud W Va		
	(4) Rebecca Shrewsbury		
	Bud W Va		
	(5) W. H. Lister		
	Bud W Va		
	(6) Charlotte Bishop		
	Harlow 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.
Abner Lister	Eleanah Wolfe
Cherokee	
Rebecca Lister	Frances Wolfe

18. Where were they born? _____

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

In McDowell Co W Va

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: Cherokee Indians
by my Great Grand Parents

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Abner J. Lester
his Father Abner Lester his Father William Lester
had a reserve with the Cherokee Indians

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I have been told that I was related
to the Indians also some
Relatives named in honor of Indians

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Louisa ^{her} O'Neal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Jan 1907.8

W. G. Lambert
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 W Bishop
and Hiram O'Neal, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Louisa O'Neal
who makes the foregoing application and state, and have known her for 40 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 said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. G. Lambert John ^{his} W. Bishop
Hiram ^{his} O'Neal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of Jan, 1907.8

My commission expires

W. G. Lambert
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever possible, by an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service.

Notary Public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before a notary, etc.

No. 4 + 390

Action: Permit

Name William Leitch and 6 children. Residence: Madison Street

Reasons:

Business, through the same course as 37303

No. 44396

Name Miller Water

With No. 44069

Remarks:

4-1896

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

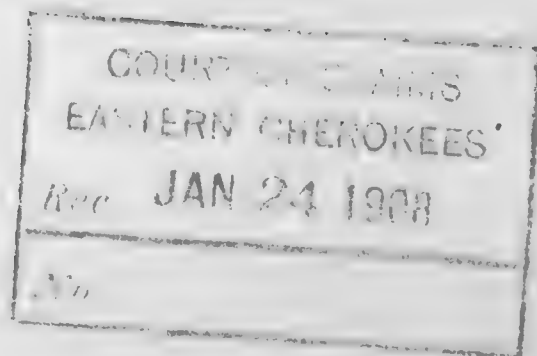
APPLICATION

OF

William Lester

For share of money appropriated for Eastern Cherokee
India by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

6-624



**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Millie Luster

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office: Mullens

3. County: Wyoming

4. State: Wyoming

5. How old are you? 39 Born Sept. 10, 1868

6. Where were you born? Wyoming

7. Are you married? have been

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Elisha Luster, 40

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: _____

John L Luster
age 4 yr
1904
Lilly B Luster
age 3 yr
1905

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Manda E Luster</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1890</u>
(2)	<u>Dana J Luster</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>1892</u>
(3)	<u>Susie R Luster</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>1893</u>
(4)	<u>Wm M Luster</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>1896</u>
(5)	<u>Gustava Luster</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>1899</u>
(6)	<u>Eda M Luster</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>1902</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Edmund Luster

Indian name: Cherokee

Mother—English name: Louvisa Luster

Indian name: Cherokee

Maiden name: Louvisa Luster

12. Where were they born?

Father: McDowell Co W Va

Mother: " " "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: M Donnell Co W Va

Mother: " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother?

Father: March 1906

Mother: Jan 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: There was some claim

by the Luster Generation with Indians

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Christena Luster</u> <u>Nicholas Co W Va</u>		
(2)	<u>Polly Luster</u> <u>Nicholas Co W Va</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Elisha Luster</u>	<u>Abner Luster</u>
<u>Cherokee</u>	<u>Cherokee</u>
<u>Christena Luster</u>	<u>Rebecca Luster</u>

18. Where were they born? _____

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Susie Luster</u>	<u>Thos Luster</u>
(2)	<u>Polly Luster</u>	<u>Jim Luster</u>
(3)		<u>Susan Luster</u>
(4)		<u>Martha Luster</u>
(5)		<u>Mathias B Luster</u>
(6)		<u>John Luster</u>
		<u>Price Luster</u>
		<u>Polly Luster</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:

My Husbands People did or had a reserve with the Cherokee Indians

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

My Mother's Father Abner Lester his Father Wm Lester had some kind of a contract with the Eastern Cherokee Indians

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Willie Lester*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *Jan* 1907.

W. G. Lambert
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 *John M. Bishop* and *Hiram Oneal*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Willie Lester* who makes the foregoing application: 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.

Robert Green *John M Bishop*
Hiram Oneal *Hiram Oneal*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22* day of *Jan*, 1907.

My commission expires

W. G. Lambert
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44397

Action: Rejected

Name: Olla W. Runyan and x children. Residence: Orv, Okla.

Reasons:

Filed too late

Neither applicant nor ancestor ever enrolled.
Was not established fact of descent from a person
who was a party to the treaty of 1855 and 1846.

44397

No. 44397.

Reject - ?

Name Ella Davis Runyan

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 44307

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

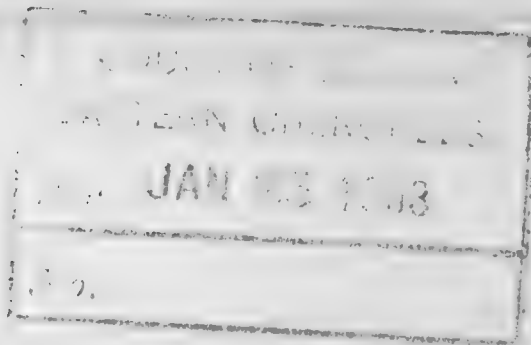
APPLICATION

OF

C on both *Wai's Kmyan.*

For shares appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decision 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—Elba (Davis) Runyan
 English name: Elba Davis
 Indian name: I do not know
2. Residence and post office: Ans Oklahoma
3. County: Love
4. State: Oklahoma
5. How old are you? 34 Born 15th June 1872
6. Where were you born? Jackson Ark.
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of ~~wife~~ or husband: W J Runyan. 45
9. To what tribe of Indians does ~~he~~ or she belong? Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: 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: I Joe

- Davis, M. Mary J. ...
- Father—English name: Joe Davis
 Indian name: Do not know
- Mother—English name: Francis
 Indian name: had none
 Maiden name: Franklin Elba Turner mother ...

12. Where were they born?

- Father: ...
- Mother: ...

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Jenni

Mother: Jenni

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died about 1877

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: never enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>John Davis</u>	<u>about 1867</u>	<u>I don't know what he died</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>Davis</u>	<u>I don't know what his name was</u>
	<u>Jenni</u>

18. Where were they born? Jenni

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Antiswan, 1st and Ridge

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible: mother's side

(1)	<u>I don't know on father's side</u>	<u>Doc Franklin</u>
(2)		<u>Jim Franklin</u>
(3)		<u>Robert Franklin</u>
(4)		<u>William Franklin</u>
(5)		<u>Jessie Franklin</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: I have not been enrolled

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Ella (Davis) Runyan

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.

All I know is that ancestors claim relation with Indian Chief Bell who died of Cherokees years ago when my father was born.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Ella (Davis) Runyan)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of Jan 1907.

D. D. Hartwell

Notary Public.

My commission expires Dec 5 1911

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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 Hartwell and J. W. Webb

and they, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Ella (Davis) Runyan

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 years and

10 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person that she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1907.

My commission expires

Dec 5 1911 190

D. D. Hartwell

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

9.29.

Appln. No. 44397.

June 10, 1908.

Ella Davis Runyan,
Orr, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state by you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you live as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

No. 44398.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Beona Howard* and *7* children. Residence: *Devine, Texas.*

Reasons:

Cousin of # 7523 and claims through the same source.

44398

No. 44398

Name Leona Howard

With No. 7523

Remarks:

41598
No.

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Leona Howard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1905.

6-624

EASTERN CHEROKEES
JAN 25 1908
No.

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,
Attorney and Solicitor,
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**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: Leona Howard

Indian name: Betsy Jones, Blevins

2. Residence and post office: Devine

3. County: Medina

4. State: Mo.

5. How old are you? Forty Born 1867

6. Where were you born? Florence, Williamson Co., Mo.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Sam Howard, age 40

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)	Robert, Clinton	Twenty	1887.
(2)	John, William	Eighteen	1889.
(3)	Elmer, Floyd	Fifteen	1892.
(4)	Virginia Nancy	Twelve.	1895.
(5)	Louise Price	One	897.
(6)	Myrtle Sunshine	Seven.	1900
	788. Jessie, Jesse, who	Three.	1904.

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Wiley Blevins

Indian name: Betsy Jones, Cherokee

Mother—English name: Virginia Blevins (ne) Virginia Howard

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Virginia Howell

12. Where were they born?

Father: Missouri

Mother: Shelby Co., Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Texas.

Mother: Missouri

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Riley Blevins, Died 1887.

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: was not.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Leora Nelson</u> <u>Chromo, Colorado.</u>	<u>1861.</u>	
(2)	<u>Tennie Aaron</u> <u>Elmore, Indian Territory</u>	<u>1865.</u>	
(3)	<u>Jack Blevins</u> <u>San Antonio Tex.</u>	<u>1868.</u>	
(4)	<u>Mollie Price</u> <u>Mayer, Arizona</u>	<u>1877</u>	
(5)	<u>Armstrong Blevins</u> <u>Chromo, Colorado.</u>	<u>1873.</u>	
(6)	<u>Riley Blevins</u> <u>Deltey, Colorado.</u>	<u>1876.</u>	
	<u>Louis Blevins</u>	<u>1882.</u>	<u>1903.</u>

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.
 English Jack Blevins
 Indian Betsy Jones
 English Susane Blevins

MOTHER'S SIDE.
Andrew Howell
Mary Howell

18. Where were they born? Texas

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Texas.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1)
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: have not.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood of Wash. D. C. my 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 Leona Howard)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of January, 1908.

R. S. Howard

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Dec 31.

1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Henry Bendele

and W. A. Terrell, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Leona Howard

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 23 years and

23 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person. She represents

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.

Signature Henry Bendele witnesses.

W. A. Terrell

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of January, 1908.

My commission expires

Dec 31.

1908.

R. S. Howard

Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
APR 30 1909

No. 44398

vic. 1st.

Loyd L. Tilley

Devine, Texas. April 27th, 1909.

Hon. Guion Miller,
Sol Ouray Bldg.,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Being interested in the Cherokee Indian Claim No. 44398, I am writing you to know what has ever been done with this claim. Has it ever been taken up, if not when do you think it will be adjusted or disposed of?

Any information in regard to the above mentioned claim will be greatly appreciated.

Respectfully yours,

R. C. Howard

P. O. Box 27

Devine, Texas.

No. *HH399.*

Action: *Reject*

Name *Jeremiah Volner* and *1* children.

Residence: *Anna, Ill.*

Reasons:

Son of # 38364.

44200

No. 2-3911

Name

With No. 4-2-2

Remarks:

Jan 12 1911
75-11

No. 12100

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Jeremiah Tolner

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 25 1908 No.

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,
Attorney and Solicitor,
319 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: Jeremiah Volner
Indian name: " "
2. Residence and post office: Anna
3. County: Union
4. State: Illinois
5. How old are you? 36 yrs Born March 29th 1872
6. Where were you born? Texas County Mo
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband: Norah E. 28 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>Minnie Ellen</u>	<u>4 years</u>	<u>29 Aug 1903</u>
(2)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(3)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(4)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(5)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>
(6)	<u></u>	<u></u>	<u></u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Volner
 Indian name: " "
 Mother—English name: Amanda Jane Volner
 Indian name: " "
 Maiden name: Amanda Jane Murr

12. Where were they born?
 Father: Robertson County Tenn
 Mother: Monroe County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: With Grandfather and the Cherokee Emigrants at
Turnback Mountain in Southwest Mo
Mother: Monroe County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Both living at Fowler Texas Co Mo
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, never

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) William W Volner	Sept 13 th 1869	living
(2) Sarahetta M Volner	April 16 th 1845	"
now the wife of William Franklin		
(3) Alfred Volner	Dec 18 th 1846	"
Ellen E Volner		
now the wife of M S Sigmon		
(4) Hattie J Volner	Feb 18 th 1881	"
now the wife of E V Carter		
(5) Sinda M Volner	Oct 24 th 1885	"
now wife of Henry McCall		
(6) Elbert Volner	Oct 13 th 1890	"

17. 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 Volner	Mary Weeks
	Wife of
	William Volner

18. Where were they born? Father in Georgia; Mother in Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Emigrating with the Cherokee Indians through Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) William W Volner	Died Ste Francis Co Mo
(2) Samuel Volner	Died in US Army at Vicksburg Miss
(3) Elias Volner	Died in Robertson Co Tenn
(4) Sarah Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
(5) Hattie Volner	Died in Washington Co Ills
(6) Elizabeth Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
Matilda Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
Albert Volner	Died in Union Co Ills

21. Have 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. Greatgrandfather & G.G. Mother were Samuel Volner & Lintha Volner, were full blood Cherokee Indians; but do not know their Indian names

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 or more. Also agree to pay Joel F. Short of Mountain Grove, Mo. for services rendered in my behalf an additional sum of 10% of amt allowed me in this claim. I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Jeremiah Volner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Dec, 1907.

Joel F. Short

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 18th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

M. E. Needham

and

Wm Reames

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Jeremiah Volner

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 years and

6 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

M. E. Needham

Wm Reames

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

March 18th, 1908.

Joel F. Short

Notary Public.

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No. 44400.

Action: Reject

Name Wm W. Volner and 2 children. Residence: Fowler, Mo.

Reasons:

Son of # 38364

No. 44400

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

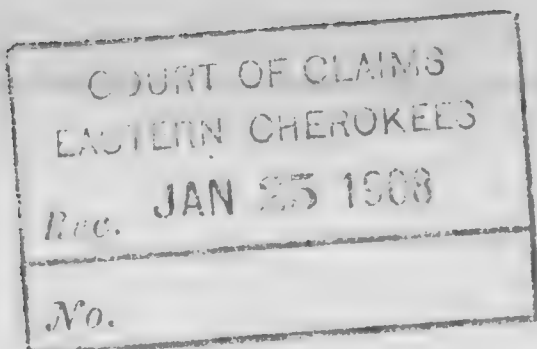
APPLICATION

OF

William W. Valner

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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: William W Volner

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Fowler

3. County: Texas

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 38 yrs Born Sept 13th 1869

6. Where were you born? Union Co Ills

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Della Volner; 23 yrs

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>James Alfred Volner</u>	<u>4 yrs</u>	<u>Jan 28th 1904</u>
(2)	<u>Hattie Anna Volner</u>	<u>1 yr</u>	<u>July 2nd 1904</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: John Volner

Indian name: "

Mother—English name: Amanda Jane Volner

Indian name: "

Maiden name: Amanda Jane Murr

12. Where were they born?

Father: Robinson County Tenn.

Mother: Monroe County Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: With grandfather and the Cherokee immigrants at
Burnback Mountain in Southwest Mo.
 Mother: Monroe County Tenn.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Both living at Fowler Texas Co. Mo.
 Mother: " " " " " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William W. Volner	Sept 13 th 1869	living
	Jeremiah Volner	Mar 27 th 1872	"
(2)	Sarahetta M. Volner	April 16 th 1875	"
	<i>now wife of William Franklin</i>		
(3)	Alfred Volner	Dec 18 th 1876	
	Ellen E. Volner	Jan 24 th 1879	"
	<i>now wife of M. L. Sigmon</i>		
	Hattie A. Volner	Feb 18 th 1881	"
	<i>now wife (5) of E. V. Carter</i>		
	Synthia M. Volner	Oct 24 th 1885	"
	<i>now wife (6) of Henry McCall</i>		
	Albert Volner	Oct 18 th 1890	"

17 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 Volner	Mary Wicks wife of William Volner

18. Where were they born? Grandfather in Georgia, Mother in N. Car.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Emigrating with the Cherokee Indians in Missouri.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	William W. Volner	Died in Francis Co. Mo.
(2)	Samuel Volner	Died in U.S. Army at Vicksburg Miss.
(3)	Elias Volner	Died in Robinson Co. Tenn.
(4)	Sarah Volner	Died in Union Co. Ills.
(5)	Hattie Volner	Died in Washington Co. Ills.
(6)	Elizabeth Volner	Died in Union Co. Ills.
	Matilda Volner	Died in Union Co. Ills.
	Albert Volner	Died in Union Co. Ills.

21. Have 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 & Mother were Samuel Volner, Sintha Volner. was full blooded Cherokee but do not know their Indian name.

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. also to pay Jael H. Short of Mountain Grove Mo in addition to above fee, 10% of all claims allowed to me.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

William A. Volner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Nov, 1907.

Jael H. Short

Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 18th, 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. Epperson

and

F. M. Huggins

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

William A. Volner

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 15 years and

10 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. D. Epperson

F. M. Huggins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Nov, 1907.

My commission expires

March 18th, 1908.

Jael H. Short

Notary Public.

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No. 44401.

Action: Reject

Name: Hattie J. Custer and 2 children.

Residence: Gray, Okla.

Reasons:

Daughters of #38364.

44401

No. 44201-2-2-4

Name *H. J. ...*

With No. 352

Remarks:

...
...
...

No. 1001

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Hattie J. Carter

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 25 1903
No.

WILLIAM H. HAYWARD,
Attorney and Counselor,
319 F STREET, NORTHWEST,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**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: Hattie C. Curtner nee Hattie J. Volner

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Gary, Oklahoma

3. County: Blaine Co

4. State: Oklahoma

5. How old are you? 27 years Born Feb 18th 1881

6. Where were you born? Texas County Missouri

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: E. V. Curtner, 27 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Synthia Jane</u>	<u>4 years</u>	<u>8 Dec 1903</u>
(2)	<u>Thomas Oliver</u>	<u>3 "</u>	<u>22 March 1904</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: John Volner

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Amanda Jane Volner

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Amanda Jane Miner

12. Where were they born?

Father: Robertson County Tenn

Mother: Monroe County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: with grandfather and the Cherokee Emigrants at
Wynbach Mountain in southwest Mo
Mother: Monroe County

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: both living at Fowler Texas Co Mo
Mother: " " " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	William W Volner	Sept 13 th 1869	living
	Jeremiah Volner	Mar 27 th 1872	"
(2)	Sarahetta M Volner	April 16 th 1875	"
	now wife of William Franklin		
(3)	Alfred Volner	Dec 18 th 1876	"
	Ellen E Volner	Jan 24 th 1879	"
	now wife of Mr Sigmon		
(5)	Synthia M Volner	Oct 24 th 1885	"
	now wife of Henry McCall		
(6)	Elbert Volner	Oct 13 th 1890	"

17. 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 Volner	Mary Weeks
	wife of
	William Volner

18. Where were they born? Father in Ga; Mother in Ark
19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Emigrating with the Cherokee Indians in Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	William W Volner	Died Ste Francois Co Mo
(2)	Samuel Volner	Died US Army Vicksburg Miss
(3)	Elias Volner	Died Robinson Co Tenn
(4)	Sarah Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
(5)	Hattie Volner	Died in Washington Co Ills
(6)	Elizabeth Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
	Matilda Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
	Albert Volner	Died in Union Co Ills

21. Have 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: Greatgrandfather & Mother were Samuel Volner & Sintha Volner; were full blood Cherokees, but do not know their Indian names.

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. also agree to pay Joel F. Short of Mountain Grove Mo. for services in my claim an additional sum of 10% of amt allowed in this claim
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Hattie P. Volner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Dec, 1907.

Joel F. Short
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 15th, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me M A Franklin
and O P Kenney, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Hattie P. Volner, nee Volner, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 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.

M A Franklin
O P Kenney

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

March 15th, 1908.

Joel F. Short
Notary Public.

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To be classed with Cynthia Tolner
1 Mattie J. Currier d. of John Tolner ^{2 minor's Kawanga J. Tolner} 27-44401
2 Sarahetta M. Frankhine Tolner ^{3 minors arranged J. Tolner} 32-44462
3 Ellen E. Sigmon, d. John Tolner 34-44556

No. HH402.

Action: Reject

Name Wm. Van dom Volner and 3 children.

Residence: Donzola, Ill.

Reasons:

C. Kephew of #38364.

4444

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No. 44402

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

William Gordon Volner

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. JAN 25 1908
No.

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: William Vandorn Valner

Indian name: the same as English name

2. Residence and post office: Dougola

3. County: Union

4. State: Illinois

5. How old are you? 43 Born June 24th 1865

6. Where were you born? Union County Ills

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary 36 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Mamie Jane</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>in April 26 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Charles Luther</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>in August 25 1902</u>
(3)	<u>Ray Griffith</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>in March 27 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Albert Valner & Nancy Valner, nee Crabtree

Father—English name: Albert Valner

Indian name: Albert Valner

Mother—English name: Nancy Valner

Indian name: Nancy Valner

Maiden name: Nancy Crabtree

12. Where were they born?

Father: Robinson County Tenn

Mother: Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: With father and the Cherokee Emigrants at
Turnback Mountain in SW Missouri
Mother: Monroe County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: November 24 1804
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 enrolled

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Mary Volner		living
(2)	Oscar Volner		"
	Frank Volner		"
(3)	Alice Volner		"
	Sarah Volner		"
(4)	Hattie Volner		"
	Charley Volner		"
(5)	Martha Volner		"
(6)			

17. 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 Volner	isaac Crabtree
William Volner	isaac Crabtree
Mary Volner	annie Crabtree
Mary Volner	annie Crabtree

18. Where were they born? i do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? do not know

have heard they were emigrating with Eastern Cherokees
from Georgia to Indian Territory

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	William Volner	Died St Francois Co Mo
(2)	Samuel Volner	Died US Army at Vicksburg Miss
(3)	Elias Volner	Died Robertson Co Tenn
(4)	Sarah Volner	Died Union Co Ills
(5)	Hattie Volner	Died Washington Co Ills
(6)	Elizabeth Volner	Died Union Co Ills
	Matilda Volner	Died Union Co Ills
	Albert Volner	Died Union Co Ills

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never was enrolled

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: G. G. Father & G. G. Mother were Samuel Volner & Sintha Volner; were full blood Cherokees; but do not know their Indian names

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint BELVAA LOCKWOOD of Wash. D.C. my true and lawful attorney and allow her a commission of ten per cent. and full & short of Mountain Game No ten per cent of the amt allowed.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) William Vander Volner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of January, ~~1907~~ 1908

Joseph C. Lutz
Notary Public.

My commission expires

January 2nd 1912

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. Lingle
and Adam R. Casper, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with William Vander Volner who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 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.

John W. Lingle
Adam R. Casper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of January, ~~1907~~ 1908

My commission expires

January 2nd 1912 Joseph C. Lutz
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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.
Feb. FEB 6 1908
No. 44402

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Feb 3 1908

Douglasville Mm. Co.

Dear Sir in regard
to my claim of
the Eastern Cherokee
no. 4402. I would
love to know how
soon it will be
settled I am very
anxious to know
the result
hoping to hear from
you I remain
yours very truly

William D. Colson

No. 44403.

Action: Reject

Name Smitha M. McCall and 2 children.

Residence: Stalls City, Mo.

Reasons:

Daughters of #38364.

44403

No. 44413

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Sintha M. M. Ball

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
No. JAN 25 1908

BEVERLY A. HUNTER, JR.

6121 NEWBERRY STREET,

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: Sintha M McCall, nee Sintha M Volner

Indian name: " " "

2. Residence and post office: Stotts City

3. County: Lawrence

4. State: Missouri

5. How old are you? 22 years Born Oct 24th 1885

6. Where were you born? Texas Co Mo

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Henry McCall - 26 years

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Elzora McCall</u>	<u>3 yrs</u>	<u>23 March 1903</u>
(2)	<u>John McCall</u>	<u>2 yrs</u>	<u>17 Jan'y 1905</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: John Volner

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Amanda Jane Volner

Indian name: " "

Maiden name: Amanda Jane Murr

12. Where were they born?

Father: Robertson County Tenn

Mother: Monroe County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: with Grandfather and the Cherokee Emigrants at Turnback Mountain in Southwest Mo
 Mother: Monroe Co Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: both living at Fowler Texas Co Mo
 Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no,

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1) William W Volner	Sept 13 th 1869	living
Jeremiah Volner	Mar 24 th 1872	"
(2) Sarahetta M Volner	April 16 th 1845	"
Now the wife of William Franklin		
(3) Alfred Volner	Dec 18 th 1846	"
Ellen E Volner	Jan 24, 1879	"
Now wife of Mrs Sigmon		
Hattie Volner	Feb 18 th 1881	"
(5) Now the wife of E V Quiner		
(6) Albert Volner	13 th Oct 1890	"

17. 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 Volner	Mary Weeks
	wife of
	William Volner

18. Where were they born? Father in Georgia; Mother in Va

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Emigrating with the Cherokee Indians through Illinois to Mo

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) William Volner	Died in Ft Hancock Co Mo
(2) Samuel Volner	Died in US Army at Vicksburg Miss
(3) Elias Volner	Died in Robertson Co Tenn
(4) Sarah Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
(5) Hattie Volner	Died in Washington Co Ills
(6) Elizabeth Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
Matilda Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
Albert Volner	Died in Union Co Ills

21. Have 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: Father & G. Mother Samuel Volner & Sintha Volner were full blood Cherokee Indians; but do not know their Indian names

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 a commission of ten per cent. Also agree to pay Joel F. Short of Mountain View Mo. for services rendered in my behalf an additional sum of 10% of amt allowed me in this claim
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sintha M. McCall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of Nov 1907.
Joel F. Short
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 18th 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 F. G. Rust
and J. P. Williams who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sintha M. McCall, nee Volner who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 10 years and 15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

F. G. Rust.
J. P. Williams
Subscribed and sworn to before me is 25th day of Nov, 1907.

My commission expires March 18th

Joel F. Short
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, when Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian

before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before and not be executed before a notary, etc.

Admitted 13/1-08

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U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
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North City
Lawrence Co.

Mo. City

WASHINGTON, D. C.
JAN 29
1908

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POST OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D. C.



Admitted 3/1-08

Sent to S.D.C. 4/10/08

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Stotts City
B. A. Lockwood,
Lawrence Co.
Mo. City

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS

EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT

601 OURAY BUILDING

Washington, D. C.

1908

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. 44403, 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. 44404

Action:

Reject

Name

Ernest Volner and X children.

Residence:

Fowler, Mo.

Reasons:

Son of # 38364.

44404

No. 4410-1

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Elbert J. 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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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
JAN 25 1908

RECEIVED

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
WASHINGTON, D. C.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: Albert Volner
Indian name: " "
2. Residence and post office: Fowler
3. County: Texas
4. State: Missouri
5. How old are you? 17 years Born 13th day Oct 1890
6. Where were you born? Texas Co Mo
7. Are you married? No.
8. Name and age of wife or husband: ✓
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: None

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>✓</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: John Volner
Indian name: " "
Mother—English name: Amanda Jane Volner
Indian name: " "
Maiden name: Amanda Jane Murr

12. Where were they born?
Father: Robertson County Tenn
Mother: Monroe County Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: With grandfather and the Cherokee emigrants at
Wynback Mountain in Southwest Mo
 Mother: Monroe Co Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: both living at Fowler Texas Co Mo
 Mother: " "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) William W. Volner	Sept 13 th 1869	living
(2) Jeremiah Volner	Mar 27 th 1872	"
(3) Sarahetta M. Volner	April 16 th 1875	"
naw wife of William Franklin		
(4) Alfred Volner	Dec 18 th 1876	"
(5) Ellen E Volner	Jan 24 th 1879	"
naw wife of Mrs Simon		
(6) Hattie Volner	Feb 18 th 1881	"
naw wife of E V Cuytner		
Sintha M Volner	Oct 24 th 1885	"

new wife of Harry McCall

17. 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 Volner	Mary Weeks wife of William Volner

18. Where were they born? Grandfather in Georgia. Mother in N. Car.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Emigrating with the Cherokee Indians in Missouri

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) William W Volner	Dead Ste Francis Co Mo
(2) Samuel Volner	Died in US Army at Dickshurg Miss.
(3) Elias Volner	Died in Robinson Co Tenn
(4) Sarah Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
(5) Hattie Volner	Died in Washington Co Mo.
(6) Elizabeth Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
Margilder Volner	Died in Union Co Ills
Albert Volner	Died in Union Co Ills

21. Have 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 & mother were Samuel Volner, Sintha Volner was full blooded Cherokee but do not know her Indian name

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. Also to allow Joel F. Short of Mountain View Mo ten per cent of all claims allowed to me.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Albert Volner by John Volner his father

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Oct, 1907.

Joel F. Short
Notary Public.

My commission expires March 18th, 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 D. M. M. Bride
and J. D. Epperson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with John Volner father of Albert Volner who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 1 1/2 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by me are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses

D. M. M. Bride
J. D. Epperson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of Oct, 1907.

My commission expires March 18th, 1908. Joel F. Short
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44415

Action: _____

Name Waldona Bowman and _____ children. Residence: _____

Reasons: Duplicate of # _____

44405

No. 44405

Name

With No. 3057

Remarks:

No. ~~11117~~

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Caledonia Rowan nee Carroll.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 25 1908 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: Caldonia Bowman, Nee Carrell

Indian name: none

2. Residence and post office: Galena Kansas

3. County: Cherokee

4. State: Kansas

5. How old are you? Thirty Seven Born Eighteen, and Seventy

6. Where were you born? Cherokee County North Carolina

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)	<u>Alice Hughes</u>	<u>Eighteen</u>	<u>(1888)</u>
(2)	<u>Aurthor Hughes</u>	<u>Eleven</u>	<u>(1895)</u>
(3)	<u>Emma Hughes</u>	<u>Ten</u>	<u>(1896)</u>
(4)	.....	.....	.....
(5)	.....	.....	.....
(6)	.....	.....	.....

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Richman Carrell

Indian name: none

Mother—English name: Susan Carrell

Indian name: none

Maiden name: Susan Tippson

12. Where were they born?

Father: Georgia,

Mother: North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died (1904)

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: Cherokee Indian enrolled in North Carolina, for imigration

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

✓ 1921

✓ 1919

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Lutisha Carrell	(1867)	(1900)
	Lillie Carrell	(1869)	(Living
(2)	Nuton Carrell	(1872)	Living
	Loryansy Carrell	(1874)	died (1890)
(3)	Eldorado Carrell	(1878)	died (1898)
	Adorum Carrell	(1878)	living
(4)	Vasti Carrell	(1880)	living
	Preble Carrell	(1885)	died (1885)
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
White	Herrett Timpson GrandMother
	John Timpson GrandFather

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? North Carolina

✓ 1914

✓ 1879

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Nancy Crain, Nee Timpson	Fort Gibson, Indian Territory.
(2)	Milvina Silk Nee Timpson	Claremore, Indian Territory.
(3)	John Timpson	Dead
(4)	Clay Timpacn	Dead
(5)	Mary A. Clark, Nee Timpson	Died at Tahlequah I.T.
(6)	Carlina Timpson	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, never have been enrolled,
but have lived in the Indian Territory for Eliven years,
22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:.....

Susan Timpson Mother, John Timpson GrandFather,
do not remember the Indian Names of any of my Grand Parents,

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Milvina Silk, at Claremore, Indian Territory,
Taylor Clark, of Tahlequah, Indian Territory,
Martha Lucket, of Tahlequah, Indian Territory

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature Caldonia Bowman nee Carrell)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of May 1907.

W. H. Balentine, Sr.
Notary Public.

My commission expires Sept. 1st 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Octave Hartness
and Maggie Crow, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Caldonia Bowman, Nee Carrell who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 14 years and Fourteen 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.
Don McDonald
Mary E. Pugh

Signatures of Witnesses.
Octave Hartness
Maggie Crow

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of May 1907.

My commission expires Sept. 1st 1908.

W. H. Balentine, Sr.
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

POST OFFICE
NEW YORK
JAN 2 1948

GEORGE K. POWELL
HOWELL PARKS

ROOMS 413 AND 414 IOWA BLDG.
PHONE 1116

POWELL & PARKS
Attorneys and Counsellors at Law

Special Commissioner Court of Claims, MUSKOGEE, OKLA. 1 - 22 - 1908
601 Ouray Bldg., Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

We have the honor to enclose to enclose the application of Caledonia Bowman, nee Carrell, for her proportionate share in the Eastern Cherokee fund. This application was in some way mislaid, but I understand the time for filing these applications has been extended so that the delay in the present case will work no prejudice to the applicant.

If any further proof should be required, we shall be glad to furnish it upon your apprising us of the necessity therefor.

Very truly yours,

Powell & Parks

Per

1 Enc.

No. 41/2106.

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Strawberry Hampton and X* children. Residence: *Indianapolis, Ind.*

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 35062.

44406

No. 2000

Name St. Mary's Hospital

With No. 1000

Remarks:

See Index

Serial of 35062
U.S. Dept. of the Interior
No. 1106

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Simon Berry Hampton

For share of money appropriated for Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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.
JAN 23 1908

H. H. Ketchum

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Strawberry Hampton

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: 214 Toledo St Indianapolis

3. County: Marion

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? 21 Born 1886 April 20

6. Where were you born? Stoblesville Hamilton Co Ind

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mona Hampton age 20

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<i>No Children</i>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Layton Hampton

Indian name: not known

Mother—English name: Loucinda Hampton

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Loucinda Durssey

12. Where were they born?

Father: Hardwick Co Indiana

Mother: Henry Co Indiana

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Hendricks Co Indiana

Mother: Hamilton Co Indiana

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Willie Hampton	Oct 9	
	age 25	214 Toledo St Indpls Ind	
(2)	Mallie Hampton	Sept 30	
	age 26	214 Toledo St Indpls Ind	
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Hampton	Charles Dimpsey
Riley Hampton	Eliza Dimpsey

18. Where were they born? Gilford Co North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Hendricks Co Ind

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Jason Hampton	Trinck wood - Hendricks Co Ind
(2)	Jessie Hampton	Greenfield Ind
(3)	John Hampton	Indpls Ind
(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: John Hampton Father Side
Charles Dempsey on Mother Side

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My Great Grandfather John Dempsey and was
full Blood Cherokee Indian Gilfor Co North Carolina

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Strawberry Hampton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of January, 1908

Chas H Stewart

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Notary Public, Marion County, Indiana,

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My commission expires Nov. 2nd, 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 Lottie C. Walker

and Harry W. Jackson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Strawberry Hampton

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 2 years and 3 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

X Lottie C. Walker

X Harry W. Jackson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of January, 1908

My commission expires

Notary Public, Marion County, Indiana,

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Chas H Stewart

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

I hereby certify to omissions, corrections, etc., before final execution.

Chas H Stewart

Notary Public.

My grandparents were
Charles and Mary Ann
Bennett.

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My father was
born in the
state of New York
and my mother
was born in the
state of Pennsylvania.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 18 1908
No.

26565

Handwritten scribble or signature.

No. 35062.

May 18, 1902.

Louinda Hampton,
314 Toledo St., Indianapolis, Ind.

MADE:-

Kindly advise this office why your parents were not enrolled with the Eastern Cherokees in 1851.

Did they ever live with the Eastern Cherokees as recognized members of their tribe?

When did your ancestors move from North Carolina to Indiana?

Were your parents held as slaves? If so, were they owned by white people or Indians?

Respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

HJK/ALL

W. H. Hempsey

1870

W. H. Hempsey being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am 50 years old and live at ... Indiana, Ind. I claim an Indian blood through my grandfather or my father's side. My grandfather's name is ... lives in ... County, and moved to ... County, Ind. He lived down there. I have heard my father Charles Hempsey, talk about his Indian blood. ... years old when I came to here. The old ... in ... some time, in a ... of ... I had a brother ... and ... to ... and also ... Robinson. None of ... ever held a slave.

OK

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of ... 1870, at ... Ind.

Notary Public for the State of Indiana
Court of ...

[Handwritten notes and signatures]

1870

Wm F. Dempsey.

37174.

Wm F. Dempsey being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am 66 years old and live at Terhune, Ind. I claim my Indian blood through my grandfather on my father's side. My grandfather's name was Jack Dempsey. He lived in Halifax County, and moved to Guilford County, N.C. He died down there. I have heard my father Charles Dempsey, talk about his Indian blood. I was born in Guilford County, N.C. I was 2 years old when I came up here. The old families all came up here about the same time, in a sort of colony. I am a brother to Richard Dempsey, and a first cousin to John Dempsey, and also a brother to Lucinda Hampton, and Liza Robbins. None of my ancestors were ever held as slaves.

Wm F. Dempsey
666

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Aug. 1908, at Noblesville, Ind.

Sst. to Special Commissioner
Court of Claims.

Witnessed Ind. - negro. but
knows very little about his
ancestors. J. H. T.

Lousinda Hampton.

#35062.

Lousinda Hampton being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am 57 years old and live in Indianapolis, Ind. I was born in Guilford County, N.C. I was six weeks old when I left N.C. I claim my Indian blood through both my father and mother. My father's name was Charles Dempsey. He died in Ind. and I was grown at the time. He was about 70 years old at the time of his death. Charles Dempsey's father was a full blooded Cherokee Indian. His name was John Dempsey. He lived and died in Guilford County, N.C. He died just before I was born. He was a middle aged man. I have heard of my grandfather's blood ever since I can remember. I have myself often been called an old Indian, from my resemblance to an Indian woman. My grandmother on my father's side, Charity Richerson, was a half blood Indian. They left N.C. when I did and came to Ind. My mother was a 1/2 blood. Her name was Eliza Jones. She was born in Guilford County, N.C. I have a cousin, John Dempsey of Noblesville. If there is any colored blood in my family it must have ~~xi~~ come from my mother's father. But they were all free born and none of them were ever held as slaves.

Lousinda Hampton
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of
Aug. 1908, at Indianapolis, Ind.

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Asst. to Special Commissioner
Court of Claims.

1884

No. 44407.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *A. A. Landress* and *6* children. Residence: *Strawn Texas*

Reasons: *Master's not an ruler. Was not establish
genuine connection with Charles Lites,*

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44407

Field Texas Project?

No. 44407. Cal Int

Name H. G. Landress

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

West Point
1862

Dear Mother
I received your letter just
from you. This letter
was very kind and I
am glad to hear from
you. We are all well
and hope these few lines
will find you the same.
I have not much news
to write at present. I
am still here at West
Point. I have not seen
you for some time.
I hope you are all
well. I have not much
to write at present.
I am still here at
West Point. I have
not seen you for
some time. I hope
you are all well.
I have not much
to write at present.
I am still here at
West Point.

My mother was a daughter
of Thomas Linn.

My mother's father was
C. Pierson. They lived
in Charlestown in 1861.

My mother's grandfather
was Thomas Linn, Jr.
of Andover.

My mother was born in
South Scituate. I am not
sure that during my life
she ever found any
of them.

My mother's father
was Thomas Linn, Jr.
of Andover.

6.5.9.

1. The first part of the document is a list of names and addresses of the members of the committee.

2. The second part of the document is a list of names and addresses of the members of the committee who have been elected to the office of Secretary.

3. The third part of the document is a list of names and addresses of the members of the committee who have been elected to the office of Treasurer.

Specimen

JWC/BLO.

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Appln. No. 44407.

June 10, 1903.

M. W. Hendress,
Strom, Texas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled. Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor settled in 1835 and 1846. Were any of your ancestors slaves? Is your name as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information not inable to establish your right to share in this fund.

As early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

No. 61207

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

J. J. Lawrence

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nisam Asbury Landress
Indian name: the same, I suppose

2. Residence and post office: Sharon

3. County: Palo Pinto

4. State: Texas

5. How old are you? 37 yrs Born 1871

6. Where were you born? Georgia

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lizzie Landress, 35 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: 6.

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Norse A.</u>	<u>15 yrs</u>	<u>April 9-1893</u>
(2)	<u>Ruppley</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Dec 5th 1894</u>
(3)	<u>Jeffery J.</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Nov 24-1896</u>
(4)	<u>Myrtle O.</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Aug. 7-1899</u>
(5)	<u>Russel B.</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>Sept 7-9-1902</u>
(6)	<u>Naoma L.</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Oct 22-1904</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: Eli Ben Landress + Peggy Moore Martha Edgar

Father—English name: the same I suppose

Indian name: the same I suppose

Mother—English name: the same I suppose

Indian name: the same I suppose

Maiden name: Peggie Moore

12. Where were they born?

Father: South Carolina

Mother: South Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wallon County

Mother: Wallon County

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: is not dead

Mother: is not dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Morion # Hawley Tex	Isa	
(2)	Robt Rome Isa	Isa	
(3)	Charley Rome Isa	Isa	
(4)	William Haywood Isa	Isa	
(5)	George Rome Isa	Isa	
(6)	Emma Mattie	Isa Isa	

17. 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>Eli Ben Sanders</u>	<u>Edger Peggie Wacne</u>

18. Where were they born? Daniel Brown

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Daniel Brown

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Daniel Brown Jr
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: do not know

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I do not know what my grand father's Indian name was.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) H. A. Sanders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of Jan, 1908

M. J. Bennett

Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 1st, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. F. Jones

and J. H. Hall, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with H. A. Sanders

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 8 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.

A. F. Jones
J. H. Hall

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

June 1st, 1908.

M. J. Bennett

Notary Public.

Palo Pinto

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it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 22 1908

No. 44407

Stanton Pa.

6-18-08.

Mr Guion Miller

Special Com.

Washington D.C.

Dear sir yours of recent date to hand -
as to why my ancestors were never enrolled, I do not know.
My Grand parents have been dead for years.
as to them being parties in the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846.
I do not know. I make my claim through my father
H. A. Lamberson. In 1835 and 1857. he resided in
the state of Georgia & is still residing there.
his P.O. is Room Georgia. None of my
ancestors was slaves that I know of.
I am considered a white man here.
I do not know of anything more to tell
you. If I had time to write to my father
possibly he could give further information.
yours Really -

H. A. Lamberson.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. SEP 28 1908
No. 44407

SIMMONS & SIMMONS
PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS

STRAWN, TEXAS, 9-24-1908

Union Miller

Washington D.C.

Dear Sir,

In answer to question
relative to my Grandmother - she
was half Cherokee Indian
making my father full quarter -
Grandmother died when I was
three years old.

Respt.

H.A. Lardner

Strawn, Tx.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUL 2 1909
No. 24417

PHIL R. SIMMONS

J. W. SIMMONS

Physicians and Surgeons

STRAWN, TEXAS.

6-29-09

Mr Union Miller
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:

In answer to yours
of June 10th wish to ask
if you want further
evidence. Please let me know
if those questions are to be
answered again.

Write me fully what I
must do & I will attend to
it at once.

Proft.
H. A. Landers
Strawn Tx.

Hiram A. Landress.

#44407.

Hiram A. Landress being first duly sworn deposes and says:

My name is Hiram A. Landress, and I live in Strawn, Tex. I am 37 years old. I claim my Indian blood through my father, Ben Landress, a Cherokee Indian. He lives at Rome, Ga. He never applied to participate in this fund. I do not believe he knew about it, I myself did not until very lately. My father is 60 or 70 years of age. I was born in Ga. I do not know how much Indian my father was, but I think he claimed to be 1/4 Indian. He got his Indian blood through his mother, Peggy McCree. I do not know anything about my grandmother. Peggy McCree lived in south Ga. and my father moved up north after my birth.

Hiram A. Landress

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of
Sept. 1908, at Mineral Wells, Tex.

J. E. J.
Asst. to Special Commissioner
Court of Claims.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 12 1910
No. 44407

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Strawn, Texas,

Jan 4, 1915.

Union Miller,

Dear Sir,

I want to know
if you have been
doing anything done with
my Indian claim
or not.

Number. 44407.

Answer as soon as
you can.

Yours Respectfully,

A. Landress Strawn
Texas.

No. 44408

Name Christopher W. Nick, and X children.

Action: Reject

Reasons: Nephew of # 39216

Residence: Fort Riley, Kans.

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No. 44458

Name Christened H. Dixon

With No. 39216

Remarks:

The reason I have not filed
before this date, is because I know
nothing of the fact until this month
of January 1908. I enlisted in the
Seventh Cavalry Band on the 23rd
day of March 1905 and left
Fort Myer Va. on May 20th '05 for
the Philippines, camped at Camp
McGrath, Balangas, P. I. and
returned to the States in July 1907.

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18, 1905, and
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the applicant was subject*

No. 41408

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Chiltskie N. Nick

For the money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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. JAN 26 1903
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: Chilloshie (W. Hick)
Indian name: Chilloshie

2. Residence and post office: Pigeon Run, Pigeon *Fort Riley Kansas*

3. County: Swain County

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? Twenty-four Born Eighteen Eightythree (1883)

6. Where were you born? Pigeon 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: Samuel Collins

Indian name: Samuel Collins

Mother—English name: Willa Hick

Indian name: Shakima

Maiden name: See

12. Where were they born?

Father: See not known

Mother: See not known

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: I do not know

Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living but know not where

Mother: Died 1895 date not know

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: I don't know

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Mrs Joseph W. Lawrence</u>		
	<u>Mrs E. Wick</u>		
(2)	<u>Mrs Gus Conway</u>		
	<u>Bessie Wick</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.		MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Grandfather</u>	<u>Wick</u>	<u>Do not know</u>
<u>Grandmother</u>	<u>Wick</u>	

18. Where were they born? Do not know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Do not know

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Saura Swainson</u>	<u>Piquette N. C.</u>
(2)	<u>Roxie Jackson</u>	<u>Dryden City N. C.</u>
(3)	<u>Edith (dead)</u>	
(4)	<u>Ursula (dead)</u>	
(5)	<u>Henry (dead)</u>	
(6)	<u>Louise (not known)</u>	
7	<u>John Wick (not known)</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: Money paid since 1896 was drawn by Agent while I was at Carlisle Indian School. I own land left by mother to the three heirs.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Solithe Wick & Samuel Collins.
Grandfather Wick, other not known.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I have letters to show that I own a share of embankment and mine lands left by mother of reservation land and was notified of the fact when I was of age (21 yrs) I at once (in Oct. 1904) went home to rent the place out at my will.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Chillockie W. Wick.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of January, 1908.

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 Skype Scott, Corp. Taxd. 7th Car
and Rolla Jackson, Corp Taxd. 7th Car, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Chillockie W. Wick who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person that 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.

Skype Scott
Rolla Jackson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of January, 1908.

My commission expires

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NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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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Appl. #39216.

**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

July 30, 1903.

Rexie Johnson,

Bryson City, N. C.

Sir:

You were notified to appear at Bryson City on July 21st, before my assistant, Frank B. Ryan and produce additional testimony in the matter of your application to participate in the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees.

You failed to appear and produce any witnesses, and as we will not be in our section of the country again for the purpose of taking testimony, it will be absolutely necessary that you answer each and every one of the enclosed list of questions at the very earliest possible date. I can not possibly answer any given question, or state, that we may know it has not escaped your notice.

Very respectfully,

Guion Miller

Special Commissioner.

YDR/MS.

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1. Through which parent or grand-parent do you claim Indian blood, and from what Indian tribe are you descended?
Through my grandfather (John) Leatch - Cherokee

2. Give the names of all ancestors that are descended from the Indians who were living at any time between 1800 and 1860, and give the date of birth for each male ancestor, and the date of death for each female ancestor.

"Old Jackson" N. C. Dault known as to first paragraph (now Sevin) Dault know their names.

3. How are you recognized as the person in the community in which you live? Do you have any titles or positions, and if so, in what capacity? Do you have any property, and if so, of what kind? Do you have any children?
As a quarter blood Indian mixed Indian white mother who married "Mike Woodfin" in about 1854 or 1855 and raised 4 boys "Mike Woodfin" a fine good man.

4. How do you know that you are the person in the community in which you live? Do you have any titles or positions, and if so, in what capacity? Do you have any property, and if so, of what kind? Do you have any children?
My father was on the trial of Inman did, but my brothers & sisters did, and are now recognized as "Cherokee's". I was raised by white people.

5. How do you know that you are the person in the community in which you live? Do you have any titles or positions, and if so, in what capacity? Do you have any property, and if so, of what kind? Do you have any children?

my father was on the trial of Inman. Col. Howard & James Perry

6. How do you know that you are the person in the community in which you live? Do you have any titles or positions, and if so, in what capacity? Do you have any property, and if so, of what kind? Do you have any children?
Leatch (John)

No. 44409

Action: *Reject.*

Name: *Jacob A. Spay* and *2.* children.

Residence: *Joplin Mo.*

Reasons: *Father of # 44387*

44409

No. 444, 9

Name James S.

With No. 443 7 1

Remarks:

No. 2-1-1000

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

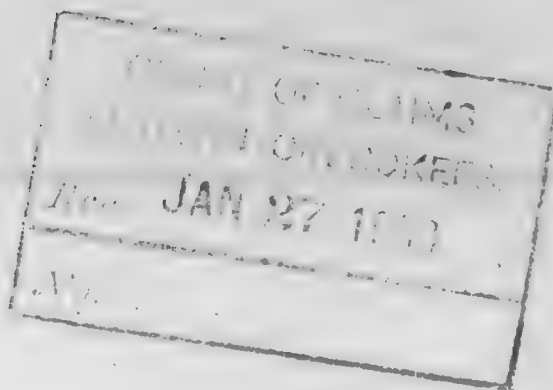
APPLICATION

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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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C.C. Clover, Atty
Joplin, Mo.

601111 Box 155 Mo.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Jacob A. Sperry

Indian name: Joseph Sperry

2. Residence and post office: Georgetown

3. County: Garfield

4. State: Mississippi

5. How old are you? 60 Born 1846

6. Where were you born? Mississippi

7. Are you married? No

8. Name and age of wife or husband: 53 - 1885

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>Leatharin Leavelle</u>	<u>30</u>	<u>1878</u>
(2)	<u>Arthur Sperry</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>1884</u>
(3)	<u>Nettie Sperry</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>1883</u>
(4)	<u>Oscar Sperry</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>1886</u>
(5)	<u>John Sperry</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>1890</u>
(6)	<u>Minor children of Jacob A. Sperry - who claim through him to Joseph Sperry - great-grandfather of father's half brother Cherokee</u>		

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Sperry

Indian name: Joseph Sperry

Mother—English name: Eliza Sumner Sperry

Indian name: name

Maiden name: Eliza Sumner

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mississippi

Mother: "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Wigwami

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Dead 1857

Mother: " 1859

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Spay	1850	
(2)	John Spay		Dead
(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.
8-7	George Spay	Annella
8-7	John Spay	

18. Where were they born? Wigwami

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Wigwami Dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) David Knapp
- (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: John Spray

Joseph Spray half blood Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Joseph Spray - son of John Spray - is a son of Joseph Spray who was a half blood Cherokee from Tennessee

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Joseph Spray

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Jan, 1908.

Wm D. Dorer

Notary Public.

My commission expires

May 17 1910

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be made by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me

John Carria

and B. B. Bealright, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with

Joseph Spray

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 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 this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

John Carria

B. B. Bealright

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Jan, 1908.

My commission expires

May 17 1910

Wm D. Dorer

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Witnesses to Mark. claim.

Signature of Witnesses.

U. D. Gorham
Harry E. Eason
day of *May* 1908
Wm. D. Colver
Notary Public.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *10* day of *May* 1908.

My commission expires *May 17* 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a Notary Public or Clerk of the Court. If sworn to before an Indian Agent or Disbursing Agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a Notary, etc.

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Jacob A. Spry

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 13 1908
No. _____

NO. _____

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS. THAT I, Jacob A. Stry
of Joplin Mo. for myself,

and my minor children, Odin Mary & John Mary
of Joplin Mo.

do hereby appoint, to be known C.C. Clover of
Joplin Mo. or the survivors of them, my attorneys irrevocable, for me and
my said children, to prosecute or defend before any of the Courts of the
United States, for any of the Departments of the Government or any other
Tribunal or Committee authorized to take cognizance of the same, as
Cherokee Indians entitled to share in the distribution of the fund appro-
priated by Congress in payment of the Judgments of the Court of Claims
under opinion of March 20th 1905 and the decision of the Supreme Court of
the United States, in said cause 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 verify and petition that
may be 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, and
to receive any draft or warrant issued in settlement thereof, and to sign
all vouchers or papers that may be necessary, hereby ratifying and confirming
all that my said attorneys, or their substitute, may, or shall lawfully
do ere cause to be done, by virtue hereof; hereby alluring and ~~revoke~~
revoking all former powers of attorneys, or authorizations.

My Post address is Joplin Mo.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand
and seal, this 8th day of Jan^y 1907

Jacob A. Stry
Ment

(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

W.D. Goshaw
Jessie E. ... } S.S.

On this day personally appeared before me the undersigned
authority Jacob A. Stry the grantor in the foregoing power of
Attorney, and in due form of law, acknowledged the execution of said Power
of Attorney, for the purposes therein expressed, and contained.

Given under my hand and seal of office in Joplin Mo.,
this 10 day of Jan^y 1907

C.C. Clover

Notary Public May 17 - 1910 Notary Public
Supper

Supplemental Application for Minor Children.

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children, of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. _____

1. State your full name Jacob A. Sperry
2. Residence and Post Office Spain
3. County Cherokee
4. State Georgia
5. Date and Place of Birth Calhoun County Ga. - June 4 1848
6. Are you Married? Yes
7. Name and Age of Wife or Husband Leah L. Sperry
8. To what Tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? Cherokee
9. Name of all your Children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	Leatharine Sperry	25	1873
(2)	Arthur Sperry	24	1884
(3)	Annitta Sperry	22	1886
(4)	Odessa Sperry	20	1888
(5)	John Sperry	18	1891
(6)			

10. Were they ever Enrolled for Money, Annuities, Land or other Benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what Tribe of Indians NO

REMARKS:

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim).

Great Grand Parent on Father's Side was a half blood Cherokee - name Joseph Sperry

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(SIGNATURE)

Jacob A. Sperry

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

10 day of May 1908

John D. Glavin
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 17

1908

D.

January 16, 1907.

C. C. Clover,
Joplin,

Missouri.

Sir:-

We are in receipt of your letter of recent date, inclosing a supplemental application on behalf of the minor children of Jacob A. Spry.

You are advised that Jacob A. Spry does not appear to have any original application on file, and the application for his minor children should have been made out on an original application blank.

An application blank is inclosed, herewith, and Mr. Spry should fill out the same as completely as possible, giving the family history of the parent through whom the children claim their Eastern Cherokee Indian descent.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

N.C.

1 inclosure.

COURT OF CLAIMS
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HIRAM P. DILLON, President
JOAB MULVANE, Vice President

JAMES W. GOING,
Secretary and Manager

JOHN R. MULVANE, Treasurer
H. S. MORGAN, Ass't Sec'y

CASH CAPITAL, \$200,000.00



The
Shawnee Fire Insurance Co.
of Topeka, Kansas

Josephine Mo June 23 1908

*Simon Miller
Leamington, Ont
Claims*

*Please find enclosed
application of Jacob A. Spry - Father of
Ode Spry and John Spry - "Minors" whose
application is now in your office.*

Yours Truly

*W. W. Brown attn
for Applicant*

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Ode Spry and John Spry - "Business" whose
application is now in your office.*

Yours Respect

*L. L. Glover attn
for Applicant -
Box 155 Joplin Mo.*

No. 44410

Action: Repeled.

Name Thomas Burnett and X children. Residence Sagetown, Tenn.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor an ancestor, even enrolled,
was not established part of descent from a
person who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6
and 1846.

44410

Reject. ?

No. 44410.

Name Thomas Burnett

With No.

Remarks: Grouped herewith

are nos. 44411, 44412,
44413, 44446,

Filed too late.

connected as to
number of children

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 4441-1-2-3

Name. J. M. H.

With No. 44410

Remarks:

No. 44110

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

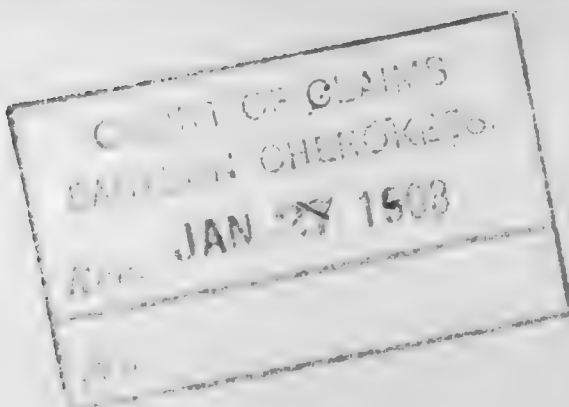
APPLICATION

OF

Thomas Burnett

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



01/28/08

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: Famos J. Burnett
Indian name: Grass
2. Residence and post office: Sage town
3. County: Polk
4. State: Tenn
5. How old are you? 27 Born Feb. 15, 1879
6. Where were you born? Tenn
7. Are you married? not married
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)	<u>no children</u>		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John H. Burnett
Indian name: Grass
Mother—English name: Mary J. Burnett
Indian name: Grass
Maiden name: Stephens

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn
Mother: Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: MC

Mother: Fm

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

The Indians were with the Choctaw

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

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	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Miss E. Bennett</u>		
(2)	<u>Mary</u>	<u>"</u>	
(3)	<u>Charlie</u>	<u>"</u>	
(4)	<u>Ella</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>Charlie Stephens</u>	
<u>" Irons</u>	
<u>Polly Stephens</u>	
<u>" Rivers</u>	

18. Where were they born? MC

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? "

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Phoebe Stephens
- (2) Mary "
- (3) Robert "
- (4) Riley "
- (5) Peck "
- (6) George "
- Margaret "
- Betsy "

21. 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 Burritt
her father Charles Stephens
father Irons I thought to be*

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

*Ben Irons though my grandfather he did
Stephens took the name of his mother's father
mother was not married
I have my own commission of twenty percent
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 24 day of June, 1907.

My commission expires

April, 1907.

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. B. Christian

and J. G. Woody, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Thomas Burnett

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

18 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. B. Christian

J. G. Woody

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of January, 1907.

My commission expires

_____, 1907.

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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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Appl. No. 44410.

June 10, 1908.

Thomas Barnett,

Magetown, Tenn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1845? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1845. Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

W. H. C.

No. 44411.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mary J. Bennett* and *2* children. Residence: *Sagetown, Penn.*

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 44410.

44411

No. 44411

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary J. Bennett
& 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

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
No. JAN 27 1913
No.

11727

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Indian name:

2. Residence and post office:

3. County:

4. State:

5. How old are you?

Born

6. Where were you born?

7. Are you married?

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	Cella Moss	7	Sept 19 1900
(2)	Inah "	4	Oct 9 1902
(3)	These children are my grandchildren thus		
(4)	mother name Ellie Moss wife name Ellie Jones		
(5)	she is dead you will please allow		
(6)	them to join my application		

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: _____ *N.C.*

Mother: _____ *11*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____ *unknown*

Mother: _____ *11*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

The Iroquois were with the Cherokee Tribe of Indians.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Thomas Stephens</i>		
(2)	<i>Ruby 11</i>		
	<i>William</i>		
(3)	<i>Ben 11</i>		
	<i>George</i>		
(4)	<i>William 11</i>		
	<i>Patsy 11</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>Iroquois (daughter to G. P. Rice)</i>	
<i>Iroquois</i>	
<i>Patsy Stephens</i>	
<i>11</i>	
<i>11</i>	

18. Where were they born? _____ *N.C.*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<i>Mary Stephens</i>
(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: _____

My father name Charles Stephens & his father Irons & thought to be Ben Irons though

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My father took the name of his mother & his father & mother were not married

I have appointed W. Merritt Harrison of Madisonville Tenn my lawful attorney & also with commission of county to seal

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. H. Wood (Signature) *Mary E. Burnett*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 1908.

B. B. Le Will
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April, 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. L. Williams*
and *Thomas Irons*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mary E. Burnett* who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known *her* for *20* years and *20* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that the statements made by *her* are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. L. Williams
Thomas Irons

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *24* day of *Jan*, 1908.

My commission expires

April, 1909. *B. B. Le Will*
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Mary L. Bennett
Factor - claim*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 441, 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."

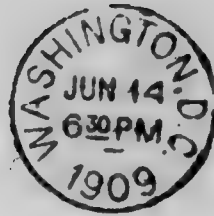
No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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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Any person using this envelope to avoid the
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Three Hundred Dollars.

Mary J. Bennet,



Tenn.

44411.

UNKNOWN.

No. 44412.

Name Charley Bennett and 5 children.

Action: Reject
Residence: Sagetown, Penn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 44410.

44412

No. 4412

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Harley Burnett &
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
JAN 27 1908

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Charley H. Burnett

Indian name: Irons

2. Residence and post office: Sage Tavern

3. County: Polk

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 33

Born May 16 - 1874

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Mrs Burnett 32

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Alvie Burnett	13	Sept. 1895
(2)	Henry "	11	Aug 8, 1897
(3)	Noah "	9	Apr. 1, 1899
(4)	Lee "	6	Oct 10, 1902
(5)	Effie "	3	Nov 30, 1904
(6)	Sarah "	1	Dec 17, 1907

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John H Burnett

Indian name: Irons

Mother—English name: Mary J. Burnett, formerly Stephens

Indian name: " Irons

Maiden name: " Stephens or Irons

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Mo,

Mother: Tom

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:

They were
with the Cherokee Indians

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Wm E Burnes</u>		
(2)	<u>Mary</u>	<u>"</u>	
(3)	<u>Ella</u>	<u>"</u>	
(4)	<u>Thomas</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.
(1)	<u>Charlie Stephens or Drans</u>	
(2)	<u>" Drans</u>	
(3)	<u>Bob Stephens</u>	
(4)	<u>" Ravis</u>	

18. Where were they born? M.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? "

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Thos Stephens</u>	
(2)	<u>May J.</u>	<u>"</u>
(3)	<u>Wm</u>	<u>"</u>
(4)	<u>Riley</u>	<u>"</u>
(5)	<u>Bess</u>	<u>"</u>
(6)	<u>Lois</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Margaret</u>	<u>"</u>
	<u>Estey</u>	<u>"</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

My mother Mary Burnes
Maiden name Mary Stephens, her father
Charlie Stephens & his father
Ben Irons, though he took the
REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
Name of his mother's country were
not noted.

I, the undersigned, Notary Public for the State of Missouri, do hereby certify that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Charles H. Burnes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Jan, 1908.

B. B. Hill
Notary Public.

My commission expires
April the _____, 1909.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me H. C. Rymer & Thomas Green

and _____, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charles H. Burnes who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. C. Rymer
Thomas Green

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Jan, 1908.

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April the _____, 1909.
B. B. Hill
Notary Public.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

Warren Bennett
Adopted - Person

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 42, 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."

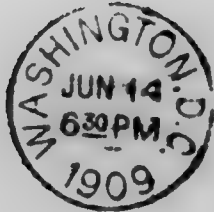
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Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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Harley Bennett,

~~Sage~~

Tenn.

UNKNOWN

44412.

No. 44413.

Action:

Reject

Name Wm. Bennett

and

6.

children.

Residence:

Lagelown, Tenn.

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 44410.

44413

No. 4413

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Wm. Bennett & 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
JAN 27 1908

4413

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Wm E. Burnett

Indian name: Grans

2. Residence and post office: Sage Linn

3. County: Polk

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 39

Born Nov 10, 1867

6. Where were you born? Tenn

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: M. J. Burnett 46

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>Agnes Burnett</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>Sept 18 1886</u>
(2)	<u>Jane "</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>May 1 1889</u>
(3)	<u>Bob "</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>March 14 1888</u>
(4)	<u>Lou "</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>July 1 1892</u>
(5)	<u>Orch "</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>March 5 1900</u>
(6)	<u>Lucy "</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>April 1903</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John H. Burnett

Indian name: Grans

Mother—English name: Mary J. Burnett

Indian name: Grans

Maiden name: Stephan

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn

Mother: Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: NC,

Mother: Tenn,

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: "

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

The Irons were with Cherokee

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Charlie Daniel		
(2)	Mary "		
(3)	Etta "		
(4)	Thomas "		
(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.
Charlie Stephens	
" "	
Pully Stephens	
" Ravis	

18. Where were they born? NC,

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? "

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) ~~Frank~~
- (2) ~~Mary~~
- (3) ~~John~~
- (4) Riley "
- (5) Ann "
- (6) George "
- Margaret "
- Betsy "

21. 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 Bennett
maiden name Mary Stephens, her father
Charles Stephens & his father James

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I thought to be Peruvian though he took
the name of his mother as they were married
I was by agent W. Morris Harrison of Madisonville
Ky. a lawyer & allowed him a Commission of twenty percent

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Lead C. H. Woody

(Signature) J. M. E. Burnett

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Jan 1907

My commission expires

Notary Public.

April 1907

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. L. Williams &

and C. H. Woody who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with J. M. E. Burnett

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.

J. L. Williams
C. H. Woody

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of Jan 1907

My commission expires

April 1907

Notary Public.

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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
801 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

June 10, 1909.

*William Bennett
Dapton - Tenn*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 4443, 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."

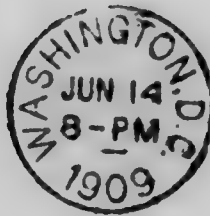
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Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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William Bennett,

~~St. Louis~~

Tenn.

44413.

No. 44414

Action: Rejected

Name Geo. Christal and X children. Residence: Anadarko, Okla

Reasons:

Applicant & ancestors were slaves

(See letter in # 44467)

44414

~~_____~~ ~~Rejct -~~

No. 44414.

Name Geo. Christal

With No. _____

Remarks: Grouped herewith
are nos. 44519, 44467.

44452. 44747-50

44761 - ~~_____~~

Filed too late. 44507

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J. James

See letter in 44467.

~~Awaiting reply to letter.~~

No. 4411

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

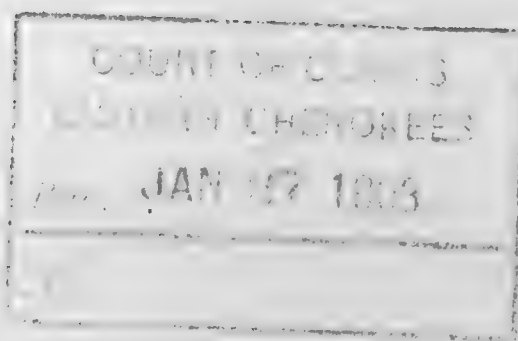
APPLICATION

OF

Geo. Christal

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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: George Whirstal
Indian name: Whirstal
2. Residence: 631 Algon Ave
3. Town and post office: Muskegete Oklawaha
4. County: Polk Florida
5. State: Florida
6. Date and place of birth: Born in the old nation and
62 years old
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: claiming to be
father and his name is Ned Whirstal
and my mother is name
Jessie Whirstal and my
father is dead
8. Are you married? no
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Jessie Whirstal
R. D. Dent
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: _____
Indian name: Ned Whirstal
Mother—English name: Jessie
Indian name: Jessie Whirstal
Maiden name: _____
11. Where were they born?
Father: he was born in the old nation
Mother: the old nation
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: he was, dad, at that time
Mother: she died 1879 August 19, 1879
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Admitted to the lat Mother: August the 19, 1879
of the State

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *the wife in enrolled for annuity in Telangana*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)	<i>+</i>	<i>+</i>	<i>+</i>
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Wattabhisia</i>	<i>I don't know the</i>
<i>manley</i>	<i>name</i>

17. Where were they born? *in the old nation*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *in Telangana*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: _____
 Indian name: *ruetta*
 Residence: *631 alga...*
- (2) English name: _____
 Indian name: _____
 Residence: _____
- (3) English name: _____
 Indian name: _____
 Residence: _____
- (4) English name: _____
 Indian name: _____
 Residence: _____
- (5) English name: _____
 Indian name: _____
 Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and

where: *I have not been enrolled with the British but the Government's name*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Witness signature
Alice Walters

(Signature.) George ^{his} Christal

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Jan'y, 1908.

My commission expires
Jan'y 4th, 1912

Ed. Hirsch
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 Ellis Starr and Nancie Boland, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with George Christal, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark
Ed. Hirsch,
Alice Walters

Signatures of witnesses.
Nancie ^{her} Boland
Ellis ^{his} Starr

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JAN 27 1908
No.

Muskogee Okla

January, the 22, 1907

To the Special Commissioner of the
Bart of Claims Dear Sir this is a
man that is injured and he did not
have any one to help him he got
his appointment from the State
and he is helpless and his
name is George Whitehead and his
father is named as Barto Whitehead
and his mother is Jennie Whitehead
Dear Sir as I am poor and I
cannot get about I will be thankful
to you if you will oblige me
to give me a few dollars for
myself and my family
I would like to see you
Very truly yours

George Whitehead

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Appln. No. 44414.

June 10, 1908.

George Christal,
531 Elgin Ave.,
Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grand parents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1845 and 1861. Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you hold as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Yours respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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No. 44414
WASHINGTON, D. C.

George Christal,
631 Elgin Ave.,
Muskogee, Okla.

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George Christal,

631 Elgin Ave.,

Muskogee, Okla.

SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Mr. Crystal
Muskogee - Okla*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *1044*, 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.

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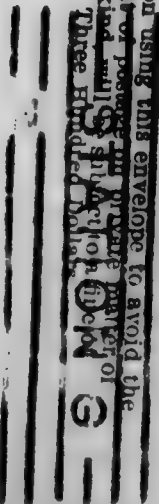
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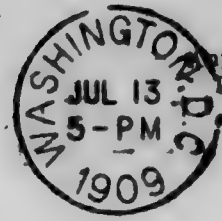
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Geo. Christal,

631 Elgin Ave.,

Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Anadarko, Okla.



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COUNT OF CLAIMS
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Anadarko Okla 10 6----- 1909
Washington D C

Mr. Quinn Miller Special Commissioner
Please let me know if my application concerning the
Eastern Cherokee Indian land have been received
Or not and my enrollment card no is 44414
was put on file -- Washington D.C. 11, 29, 1908

Name George Christal
I am at Anadarko Okla

Please notify me when you need me

You can write to W. B. Turner he is my Cousin
Or to me George Christal.

No. 44415

Action: Repeled

Name Gene Baker and X children. Residence: Pepetone, Miss.

Reasons:

Filed too late - Jan 1905 - no union.

44415

No. 44415

Rejct. - ?

Name *Irma Baker*

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 14-115

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Gene 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.

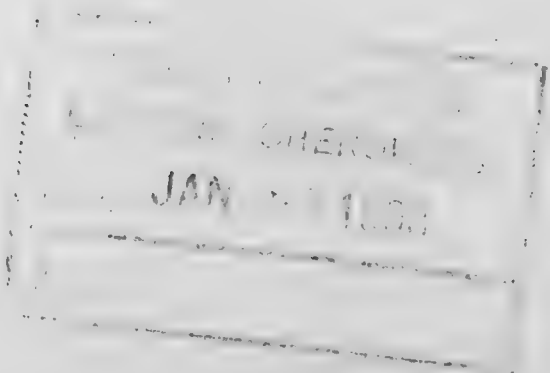
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Pipestone, Minn

Julian School

18. Where

19. Given



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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:

Irene Baker.

Indian name:

2. Residence:

Pipestone, Minnesota.

3. Town and post office:

Pipestone, Minnesota.

4. County:

Pipestone

5. State:

Minnesota.

6. Date and place of birth:

December 24, 1890, Richmond, Va.

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living

in 1851, set forth each claim separately:

father James Baber.

8. Are you married?

No

9. Name and age of wife or husband:

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name:

James Baber.

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Elizabeth Baber.

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Elizabeth Dunal.

11. Where were they born?

Father:

Richmond, Virginia.

Mother:

New ulm, Minnesota.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father:

Mother:

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father:

1900

Mother:

1904 Dec 25.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: *yes - Washington, D.C.*

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<i>Walter Baker.</i>	<i>Walter Baker</i>
<i>Susan Baker.</i>	<i>Thomas Duvall.</i>
<i>Susan Warrish Dasher.</i>	<i>Hester Duvall.</i>
<i>Born in North Carolina.</i>	

17. Where were they born? *Grand father on mother side born Holland. Grand mother English.*

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? *Dont know*

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: *Elizabeth Duvall - Died Dec 2 1890*
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. *Dont know.*

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

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NOTE - Answers should be brief but explicit: the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) *Irene Baker*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *22nd* day of *January*

My commission expires *July 12th 1913*

Thomas C. Smith
Notary

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. Campbell* and *Agnes S. Campbell*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Irene Baker*, 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.

W. S. Campbell
Agnes S. Campbell
Signatures of witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *25th* day of *January*, 190*8*.

My commission expires

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Thomas C. Smith

Notary Public.

NOTE. Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Appln. No. 44415.

June 10, 1908.

Irene Baker,

Pipestone, Minn.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1763-6 and 1842? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1763 and 1842. Are any of your ancestors of west? Do you have any children or grand children in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable relating to our claim your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 21 1909
No. 44415

Reg. circ. let.

F. L. JANES
A. L. JANES

JANES & JANES,
Attorneys at Law.
Pipestone, Minnesota.

REFERENCES:
Any Bank in Southwestern Minnesota

June 17th, 1909.

Guion Miller, Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
Eastern Cherokee Enrollment,
#601 Ouray Bldg.,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir: Miss Irene Baker, who is a pupil at the Pipestone Indian School, Pipestone County, Minn. has handed to us a notice of the dis-allowance of a claim No. 44, 415 and has consulted us relative to the same.

We are unable to find out from Miss Baker exactly what has been done in the matter. It appears that Miss Baker, whose full name is Irene Baker, left with Ex-Gov. France of Guthrie, Okla. certain papers which she had and which she believes showed that she had a right to some funds that were set aside for the Eastern Cherokee nation of which tribe her father was a member and which papers showed her relationship to such tribe. These papers Gov. France was to forward to your department. That fact and the notice which you sent her on June 10th, 1909, before referred to, are all that we know about the matter. We know nothing about the procedure in a matter of this kind, do not know whether or not there is any land or funds that any member of the Eastern Cherokee nation, or their descendants, are entitled to and in fact know nothing about the matter and have no means of investigating it. However, if there is any probable merit in Miss Baker's claim, if one, we would very much appreciate it if you would inform us what to do if there is anything to be done or suggest some person to whom we can turn this matter over.

Irene Baker, the claimant, is a young lady of about 18 years of age and has absolutely no means of support and if there is any chance whereby she may be able to obtain some property, she of course is very desirous of doing so. If you have any suggestions to make, you can send them to us or to W. S. Campbell, who is the Superintendent of the Indian School at pipestone, Minn.

F. L. JANES
A. L. JANES

JANES & JANES,
Attorneys at Law.
Pipestone, Minnesota.

REFERENCES:
Any Bank in Southwestern Minnesota

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Irene Baker informs us that her father's name was James Baker; that he was born in Richmond, Va.; that he was a half-breed; that his mother, whose name was Susan Wamdishen, was a full blood Cherokee Indian and a member of the Eastern Cherokee tribe and at the time of her marriage to Thomas Baker, the claimant's grandfather, resided with her tribe in North Carolina. Thomas Baker of course was a white man. The mother of Irene Baker, this claimant, was a white woman.

We would very much appreciate any information that you can furnish us or Mr. Campbell in this matter.

Yours truly,

James & Janes

No. 44416.

Action: Reject

Name: Samuel P. Bunch and X children. Residence: Meade, Kans.

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. It does not appear that any ancestor ever lived within the Cherokee domain. Application was filed after the time expired.

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See note below *Project - 7*

No. *44416. Meade*

Name *Samuel P. Bunch*

With No. *Kans*

Remarks:

Filed too late.

*It is only in Kansas
where the name
is known as is minor
evidence.*

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 4416

Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION

OF
Sam'l P. Bunch

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and June 20, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
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COURT OF CL.
EASTERN CHEROKEE
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Comissioner 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 Court of Claims of May 18, 1905; and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: *Samuel L. ...*
Indian name: *...*
2. Residence: *...*
3. Town and post office: *...*
4. County: *...*
5. State: *...*
6. Date and place of birth: *...*
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:
...
8. Are you married? *Y.*
9. Name and age of wife or husband: *...*
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: *...*
Indian name: *...*
Mother—English name: *...*
Indian name: *...*
Maiden name: *...*
11. Where were they born?
Father: *...*
Mother: *...*
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: *...*
Mother: *...*
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: *Aug 9 - 1862* Mother: *May 14 - 1857*

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Don't know

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

- | | NAME | BORN | DIED |
|-----|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------------------|
| (1) | William Blinn Bunch | May 6 - 1842 | Feb 28 - 1890 |
| (2) | John Thomas Bunch | March 25 - 1840 | Don't know |
| (3) | Jesse Bunch | 1840 | 1890 |
| (4) | Ann Bunch | July 1 - 1840 | |
| (5) | Ann (Parker) Bunch | December 20 - 1840 | |
| (6) | George Bunch | April 21 - 1842 | March 20 - 1895 |
| | Anna Bunch | Nov. 18 - 1840 | Beethoven Capital March 14 - 1890 |

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
John Bunch	John
Eli Bunch	Jane

17. Where were they born? Don't know

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? St. Louis, Mo.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____
- (2) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____
- (3) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____
- (4) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____
- (5) English name: _____
Indian name: _____
Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS:

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Samuel Parker Bunch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of January, 1908

My commission expires

Sept-4th 1910

James H. Reading
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. P. Caudle and

James R. Kelly, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel Parker Bunch, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witness to mark

Signature of witness

W. P. Caudle
James R. Kelly

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of January, 1908

My commission expires

Sept 4 . 1910

James H. Reading
Notary Public.

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DATE

NO. OF SHEETS

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DATE OF DEPOSIT

DECLARATION TO BE FILED AND COLLECTED.

THESE SHEETS CONTAIN A TRANSLATION OF THE DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE CASE OF THE ...

DATE OF

TO BE

*Sworn Statement
of Samuel P. Burch*
Claim: 44416
Clerker Fund

State of Kansas :SS
County of Meade

Bill of Exceptions filed by Samuel P.
Bunch, Claim No. 44416.

Now on this 26 th. day of August A. D. 1909. personally appeared before me, a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid, Samuel P. Bunch, whose Post Office address is Meade, Meade County, Kansas., who being by me first duly sworn upon his oath deposes and says: That I have been taught from my earliest childhood, that I was Cherokee by blood, and that as such Cherokee I applied for my part of the Eastern Cherokee fund, and was rejected on May 28th. 1909. by G. Miller, Special Commissioner of Indian Affairs, and I am filing this Bill of Exceptions to said Ruling of said Special Commissioner and ask for re-instatement. I further declare upon oath that my Fathers name was John Cass Bunch, who was born in Virginia in 1808, and was living in 1835 and 1851. I further depose and say that I was born in the State of Missouri in the year 1850; and that I have no issue living, or had none on the 28th. day of May 1909.

Samuel P Bunch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26th. day of August
A. D. 1909.

John B. [Signature]
Notary Public

Com. expires Aug. 12th. 1911.

State of Missouri
County of St. Clair :SS

Personally appeared before me a Notary Public within and for
the County and State aforesaid William Barrett
James H. Reading witness
who is well and personally acquainted with Samuel P. Bunch, who files
the attached Bill of Exceptions, who upon his oath deposes and says,
that he has read the attached Statement as sworn to by said Samuel P.
Bunch, and has every reason to and believes the statements therein
contained to be true and correct.

William Barrett
James H. Reading witness
Sadie Barrett witness

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of August
A. D. 1909.

James H. Reading
Notary Public

Comm. expires Sept 4, 1910.

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Appln. No. 44416.

June 10, 1908.

Samuel S. Bunch,
Lead, Kansas.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

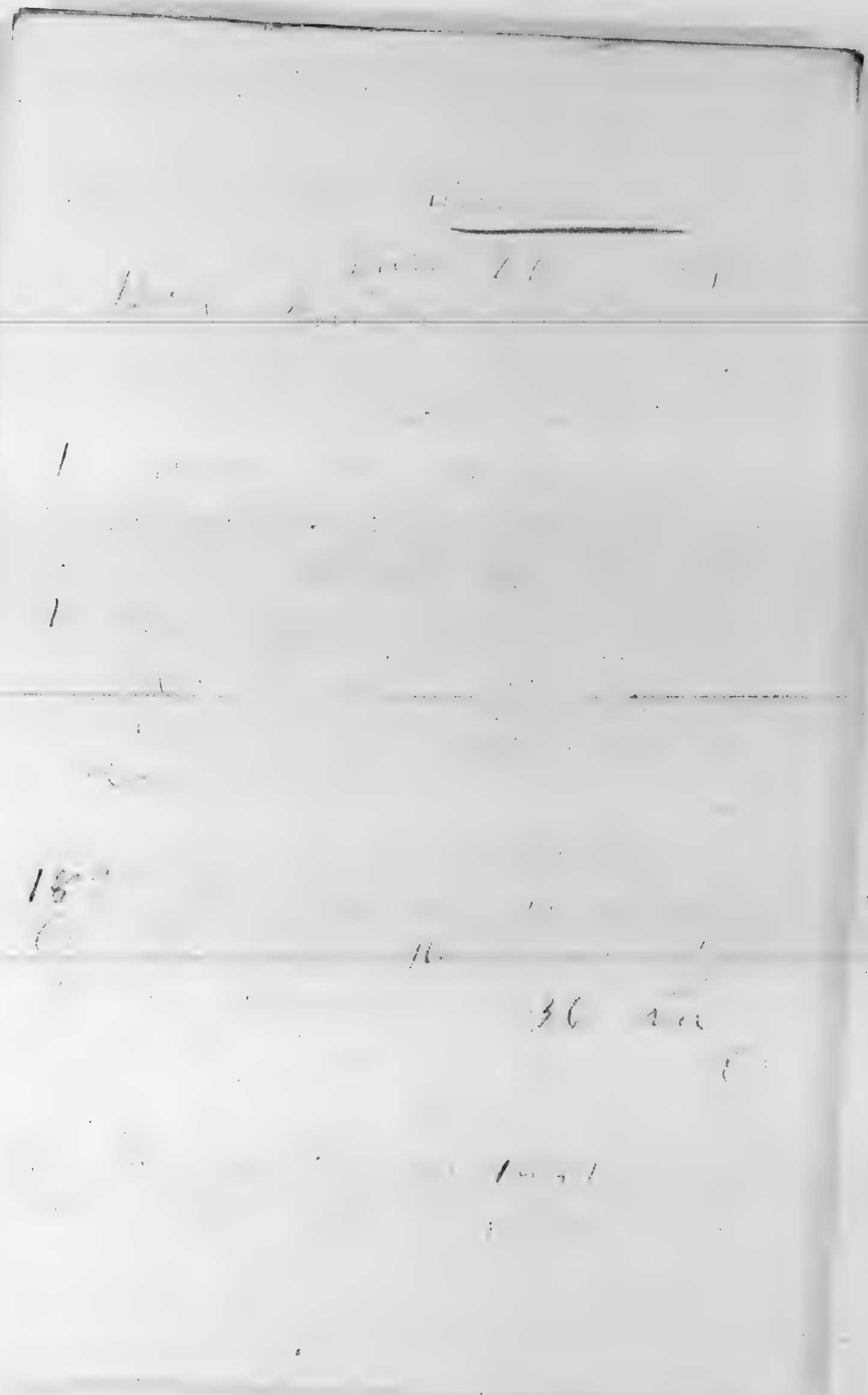
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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 24 1908

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No. H4417

Action: Reject

Name Amanda P. Hendrix and X children.

Residence: Winston Salem, N.C.

Reasons: undeposited

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No. 44417

Name Amanda P. Harding

With No. 3

Remarks:

Winter ... x ...

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Amanda P. 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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EASTERN CHEROKEES
JAN 14 1908

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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: Caranda Poindester Hamilton

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Clinton, Adams County, Iowa St. (U.C. 2613)

3. County: Fremont

4. State: I. Carolina

5. How old are you? 44 Born July 25, 1863.

6. Where were you born? Clinton, Adams County, Iowa

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Lucia Poindester age 50.

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Eastern Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	_____	_____	_____
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: Richard Poindester

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Lucia Poindester

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Lucia Poindester

12. Where were they born?

Father: Iowa

Mother: Iowa

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: Aug. 20, 1894.

Mother: Oct. 16, 1888.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: O.C.

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Francis Pindate</u>	<u>Dec. 13, 1853.</u>	<u>Age 54</u>
	<u>Advance, N.C.</u>		
(2)	<u>George B. Pindate</u>	<u>Jan. 21, 1851.</u>	<u>Age 46.</u>
	<u>Bidgeway, N.C.</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Francis Pindate</u>	<u>James Smith</u>
<u>Garran</u>	<u>" "</u>

18. Where were they born? O.C. O.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? O.C. O.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>James Pindate</u>	<u>Yadkin, N.C.</u>
(2)	<u>Robert A.</u>	<u>" "</u>
(3)	<u>William Pindate</u>	<u>Summit, N.C.</u>
(4)	<u>John Pindate</u>	<u>Summit, N.C.</u>
(5)	<u>Francis Pindate</u>	<u>Deceased</u>
(6)	<u>George Pindate</u>	<u>" "</u>
	<u>Richard Pindate</u>	<u>" "</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Yes.

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835:

Richard and Christin Couderter
Thomas and Sarah "

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

The said Thomas Couderter, son of Thomas Ridge Couderter + (Thomas Pledge), married Thomas Couderter Ridge Pledge. He and Pledge Pledge daughter, Betty Spurgeon, Betty Spurgeon, Betty Spurgeon were a daughter of a certain Indian Chief.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Amanda Couderter Hendrix

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of Jan 1908

My commission expires

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O. C. D. D. D.
Notary Public.
Clerk Superior Court
Forsyth County N.C.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. P. Brewer

and Mrs. A. L. Hoover, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Amanda Couderter Hendrix who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 20 years and 19 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person. She represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of Jan 1908

My commission expires

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O. C. D. D. D.
Notary Public.
Clerk Superior Court
Forsyth County N.C.

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POST OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES
APR 18 1908
No. 4417

Winston-Salem, N.C.
218 W. Washington St.
April 15 1908
Mrs. G. W. Sherrill

Sir,

Your notice regarding
the late change in
Winston-Salem, N.C.
March 17, 1908, giving to
many of the citizens
did not appear in the
and they were not
I did not go - it might
the same
thought I would
the reason I was not there
I am
Respectfully,
A. W. Sherrill

Can you give me
any information
as to how you think it
will go, as I did not
get to see you, do
you think I could
have a chance to see
you, and when will
you be in town
I respect
and
I

No. 44418.

Action: Reject.

Name Londa Foreman and 3 children. Residence: Porter, W. Va.

Reasons:

1. no ancestor was ever enrolled.
2. " " party to the treaties of 1835-6 & 1846.
3. Application filed too late.
4. Shows no connection with the Eastern Cherokee.

Find Day Co. M. Co. - Reject ?

No. 44418

Name Londa Norman

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 44118

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Mrs. Londa Foreman

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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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g. h. h.

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Mrs. Louisa Truman

Indian name: Christina Eastman

2. Residence and post office: Porter

3. County: Clay Co.

4. State: Ohio

5. How old are you? 25 Born 1882

6. Where were you born? Stamuda Co. Ohio

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Leander Truman age 30

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>Leo Truman</u>	<u>age 6</u>	<u>7/8 1901</u>
(2)	<u>Forest Truman</u>	<u>age 4</u>	<u>4/26 1903</u>
(3)	<u>Walter Truman</u>	<u>age 2</u>	<u>11/23 1905</u>
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Taylor

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Mary Taylor

Indian name: Christina Eastman

Maiden name: _____

12. Where were they born?

Father: Stamuda Co. Ohio

Mother: Stamuda Co. Ohio

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Kanawha Co. W. Va.

Mother: before she was born

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Sep 28, 1897

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)	Esther Taylor	don't remember	
	Minnie G. G. " "	" "	
(2)	Emma Taylor	Aug 15 1850	1915
(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.

St. Thomas Taylor
Eliza Taylor

William H. White
Sarah H. White
Antonia Chapman
Branch Co. W. Va.

18. Where were they born? W. Va.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? W. Va.

William H. White, Branch Co. W. Va.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Emma Taylor
- (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: 220

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Sarah White Eastern
Shorekees. L. William White
Eliza Keyler & Stephen Keyler. none

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

London White's father name
was underwood He was
a full blooded Indian

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Quis. Lorna Foreman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of Jan., 1908

J. J. White
Notary Public.

My commission expires
at Ketchikan, 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 G. W. Adams
and O. B. White, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Lorna Foreman
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 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.

G. W. Adams
O. B. White

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of Jan., 1908

My commission expires
at Ketchikan, 190

J. J. White
Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 44418.

June 10, 1908.

Local Foreman,
Porter, Va.
Dear Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee land please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and when that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Are you now as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information not in the leading to establish your right to land in this tract.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Yours,

COUNT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

Rec. JUN 16 1908

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Gen. L. No. 44416.

For the Editor, The
Herald, Wash. D.C.

Dear Sir

I am sorry to hear that you
want me to be put in
knowledge my grand
on my mother's side
father died when she was
young and she
and her mother
with a number of
reason why
I don't know where
of my mother's

(2)

Is the master of 1855-6
and 1846 or not

my former maid
Sarah Jane
Wood. She lived
in 1855 and 1851.

near Huntersville in
Pocahontas Co. Va.

I don't know whether any
of my parents were slaves
or not or pass as white
in my community.

I don't know whether
there was a full blood

I don't know whether
there is a claim resting

there is a claim resting

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This is the best information
I can give.

Wm. S. Phelps

Nov 21 1844

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No. 44418,

Porter Clay Co. ~~Mo.~~
August 6. 1768.

Mr. Guyon Miller.

Dear sir,

Have you ever found any trace
of my ancestors as to my
relationship to the Cherokee
Indians please let me know

Yours Respectfully

Miss Linda Foreman.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 9 1909
No. 44418

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BUILDINGS FOR OFFICE PURPOSES 10TH & OAK STREETS

ESTABLISHED 1877
PRIVATE BRANCH EXCHANGE
BOTH PHONES 1581 MAIN

SPECIALISTS IN
RECTAL AND PELVIC
DISEASES, ALSO
DISEASES OF WOMEN

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AND ASSOCIATES

KANSAS CITY, MO. *June* 1909

Mrs. *Lucia Miller*

Dear Sir I write you in
regards to my claim that is now before you
for consideration and I hope it had
met your hearty approval as I am
very anxious to know my fate to know the
whole truth and the matter will you
please write me at once by return
44418. I am very much obliged to you
and
Yours truly

Claude Murray

121 1/2 Lee Street

K. C. Mo

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. JUN 23 1909
No. 44418

apl. no. 44418.

Porter Clay Co W. Va.
June 21 1909.

Mr Guion Miller

Dear Sir

Your letter at hand of June
the 10. 1909 which I dont quite
under stand I have presented it
to two lawyers and they differ
in their appinion as to wheather
the Court of Claims has rejected
my application or excepted it
also you stated in your letter
except as to so much of the
same as shall be specially
excepted to on or before the 30th
day of August 1909. This is what
I dont under stand please
explain this to me.

Yours respectfully.

Louisa Foreman,

No. 44419.

Action: *Reject*

Name *Minnie Cooper* and *1* children. Residence: *Briceville, Tenn.*

Reasons:

*Grand-daughter of # 12466 and claims through
the same source.*

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No. 44419

Name. Winnie Cooper

With No. 19406

Remarks:

No. 44419

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Minnie Cooper

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COUNT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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Application of Minnie Cooper

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Cooper

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Briceville

3. County: Anderson

4. State: Tennessee

5. How old are you? 22 Born March 3, 1885

6. Where were you born? Campbell Co. Tennessee

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: J. N. Cooper, 24 years

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: none

	NAME	AGE	BORN
(1)	<u>Shirley Cooper</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>Mar 8 - 1905</u>
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: George Sharp

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Phoebe Loy Sharp

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Phoebe Loy

12. Where were they born?

Father: Campbell County, Tennessee

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: Sept 11" 1903 age 49

Mother: June 20" 1903 " 39

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.
<i>married to D. H. ...</i>	(1) <u>Minnie Sharp</u>	<u>March 3" 1885</u>	
	<u>Bricerville, Tenn.</u>		
	(2) <u>Green Sharp</u>	<u>March 25" 1887</u>	
	<u>Bricerville, Tenn.</u>		
<i>married to W. Allen</i>	(3) <u>Nomie Sharp</u>	<u>June 25" 1889</u>	
	<u>Bricerville, Tenn.</u>		
	(4) <u>Robert Sharp</u>	<u>Aug 19" 1891</u>	
	<u>Bricerville, Tenn.</u>		
	(5) <u>Maceo Sharp</u>	<u>June 5" 1893</u>	
	<u>Bricerville, Tenn.</u>		
	(6) <u>Armon Sharp</u>	<u>Oct 1" 1893</u>	
	<u>Bricerville, Tenn.</u>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>John Sharp</u>	<u>Henderson Loy</u>
<u>Emiline Sharp</u>	<u>Sereldia Loy</u>
	<u>I dont know</u>
	<u>this Indian name,</u>

18. Where were they born? in the State of Tennessee

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Campbell Co. Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>F. Ross Loy</u>	<u>George Sharp (dead)</u>
(2) <u>George Loy</u>	<u>Sam. Sharp (")</u>
(3) <u>James Loy</u>	<u>Ruff. Sharp (")</u>
(4) <u>Phoebe Loy (dead)</u>	<u>Emerson Sharp</u>
(5) <u>Martha Loy</u>	<u>Elijah Sharp</u>
(6) <u>Hiley Loy (dead)</u>	<u>Martin Sharp</u>
<i>some were dead I dont know their names,</i>	<u>Lula Sharp</u>
	<u>Ellis Sharp</u>
	<u>Mary J. Sharp (dead)</u>
	<u>Lida Sharp</u>
	<u>Parley Sharp (dead)</u>

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: James Heatherly

was my Great Grand Father he was a half Cherokee Indian of the Cherokee Tribe.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Minnie Cooper

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of Jan, 1908

G. P. Norman
Notary Public.

My commission expires April

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 Allen

and G. W. Brown, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Minnie Cooper

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 4 years and

15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

William Allen

G. W. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires April

G. P. Norman
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

CLUB OF
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. SEP 12 1908
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L'allas Tex

Oct 21 1907
Miss Beluy A Lockwood
Washington D. C.
Madam

Please send me
aplacation blanks for
Indian claims of the
Cherokee Tribe
the Indian claim comes
through our mother
Our mother is dead but
we have the olde Record
& our grandmother as far
back as 1806
there is ~~six~~ 7 children
of my mother. (living) &
one dead my father is
living. is there any thing
coming to our children?

our Great Grandfather
was full blooded Indian
& Savoy Lawyer Licker
son of Mr. Kinney refer
us to you as he was going

Waiting a speedy
Reply
Yours for business
R. L. Ferrell
160 Dawson St
Dallas Tex

COURT OF CLAIMS
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Mrs Guian Miller
Mrs

Residence is now
Jacksonboro Tenn Route
No 2 in care of
Linday Bled

Very Respectfully

Mrs Minnie Cooper

State of Tenn }
Anderson Co. }

Personal appeared before me
Thomas Watts J. A. Notary Public.

Lucinda Loy, aged 63, who makes oath, that
Minnie Cooser, Nonie Allen, George Sharp, Robert Sharp,
Mascow Sharp, Roman Sharp, are my grand children,
they being the children of Phelo Loy Sharp, and
that Phelo Loy Sharp, is deceased, and she
further states that James Stralbury was Phelo Loy Sharp's
Grand Father, he being of the Cherokee tribe, and
being a half Cherokee Indian.

Witness

W. L. Allen

Lucinda Loy
mark

Mrs Minnie Cooser

State of Tenn }
Anderson Co. }

Sworn to and subscribed to before me
me this 9th of Jan 1908.

Thomas Watts J. A.
Notary Public

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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Dallas Tex
Sep 8 1908
Application No 44119
Gunion Miller
Special Commissioner
401 Curay Building
Washington D.C.

Sir per request of your
letter Sep 1 1908
My Brothers - Sisters &
my self met Mr J Edward
Tylor prompt at 9 A.M.
Sep the 8th 1908 for the
purpose of taking testim-
ony in behalf of the Indian
Claims he informed
us there was only one
of my Mothers children
recognized in the applica-
tion which was a great

Surprise to us
in closed you will find
the copy of the first letter
that was sent to Miss
Berley A. Rockwood;
asking for Blank's she
sent one application
Blank & I gave it to my
Brother Robert Lee Ferrell
as my Brother the above
name mentioned can't hardly
write therefore I have
done all the writing & he
signed his name to them
However I have a copy of
every letter that has been
sent Mr. Tylor said he
would call your special

a tincow to this 2ad
Missinformation

we was tolde that
one Application would
do for all of my Mothers
Children + Gran Children
+ didnt know any better
till Mr Tylor tolde us so,

My Brother has
7 Children living + all
Married ^{one dead} + 24 Gran
Children + all the
Children of My Brother
Robert Lee Ferrells

we feel we have the
same rite to this claim

I can prove that we
have been informed
that one application
was enough for the
whole family.

Can't you do some
thing for us in this
Case

Resp
Mrs Deborah Cornelia
Stone

160 Dawson St
Lynn Mass

U. S. COURT OF CLAIMS,
OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Minna Cooper,



Tennessee.



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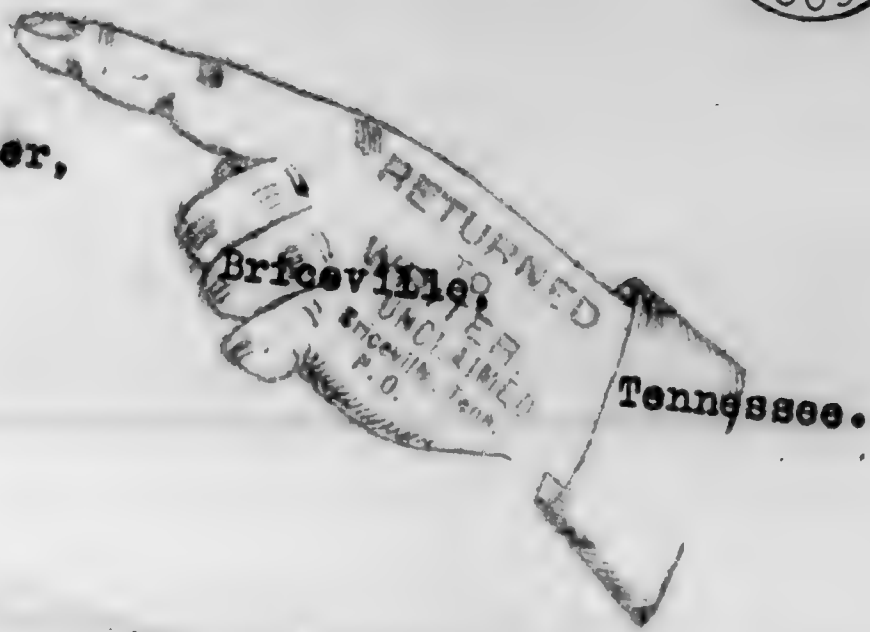
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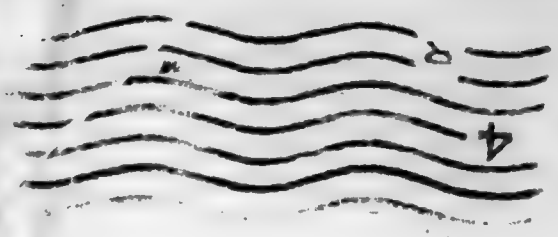
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Minnie Cooper,





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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Minnie Cooker
Braceville - Tenn*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 443, 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. 44420

Action: *Reject*

Name *Nettie Ford* and *1* children.

Residence: *Wichita, Kan.*

Reasons:

Sister of 36413.

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No. 4420

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Nellie Seard

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Nettie Ford

Indian name: unpshwa

2. Residence and post office: N 115. E. 10th St Mishiyakla

3. County: Saint Joseph Co

4. State: Ind

5. How old are you? 32

Born 1874

6. Where were you born? Michigan - Cass County

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wain Ford, 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>Herman Ford</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1890</u>
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

James Hill Janie Satchler

Father—English name: James Hill

Indian name: unpshwa

Mother—English name: Janie Hill

Indian name: unpshwa

Maiden name: Janie Satchler

12. Where were they born?

Father: North Carolina

Mother: North Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Michigan

Mother: Michigan

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died 1903

Mother: Died 1904

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Yaakab Ahavimus</u>	<u>Hill</u>	
(2)	<u>Ahawanis Hill</u>		
(3)	<u>Wahy Hill</u>		
(4)	<u>Erica Gunguy</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>Yaakab Hill</u>	<u>Yaakab Ahavimus</u>

18. Where were they born? North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Ohio

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) _____
- (2) _____
- (3) Hannah
- (4) _____
- (5) William
- (6) _____

21. Have 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: Sarah Sackles.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

My grandmother during
Indian War in north Cal
in 35 - and born about 1810.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Nettie Ford

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of January 1908.

Isaac Lane Parks
Notary Public.

My commission expires

April 16 - 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 Elihu Sanders

and Jacob Sanders who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Nettie Ford

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 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.

Elihu Sanders
Jacob Sanders

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28th day of January, 1908.

My commission expires

April 16, 1910.

Isaac Lane Parks
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

In re

Application No. 44420-36413.

Misc.

Samuel Curtis being duly sworn deposes and says:

"I live at South Bend, Indiana. I am fifty-seven years old. I know Nettie Ford. I knew her mother under the names of Jane Chavis and Jane Hill. I knew her about forty years ago first. I dont know how old she was. I never heard her say where she was born. I have heard her say that she had Indian blood from her mother's side. She did not say how much Indian blood she had. I have heard her say what kind of Indian blood she had but I dont recollect what kind it was. She was living in Cass County, Michigan when I first knew her. I do not recollect ever hearing whether she was held as a slave as a little girl or not. Some people up in Michigan called her colored and some called her Indian. It was generally understood that she had some negro blood, and she always claimed to have some Indian blood. I did not know her mother or her father. I didn't know any of her brothers or sisters. I never heard anyone speak about her Indian blood except herself.

Samuel Curtis

Subscribed and sworn to before me at South Bend, Indiana,
this third day of September, 1908.

Special Commissioner of the Court
of Claims.

Application No. 44420-36413.

Miss.

Nettie Ford being duly sworn deposes and says:
"I reside at Mishawaka, Indiana. I am thirty-five years old. I was born in Cass County, Michigan. I claim my Indian blood from my mother. My mother's name was Janie Locklier. She was also the mother of Emeline Dungey. (Application No. 36413) Janie Locklier was born in North Carolina. I cannot say just what part of North Carolina. She was eighty-three when she died. She left North Carolina when she was thirteen years old. She came from there straight up to Michigan. My mother's grandmother was a full blooded Cherokee Indian. I cannot tell what her name was. My mother got her Indian blood from her mother. My grandmother's name was Janie Locklier. I never heard my mother speak of getting money as an Indian. I never heard of her ap lying for money as an Indian. She could speak a little Indian.

Nettie Ford

Subscribed and sworn to before at South Bend, Indiana,
this third day of September, 1908.

Special Commissioner of the Court
of Claims.

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No. 44421

Action: Reject

Name Charlie B. Rymer and 3 children. Residence: Wetmore Tenn.

Reasons: Kirkland case

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No. 44421

Name. *Wm. S. Lyman*

With No. 386

Remarks:

No. 44431

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Charlie B. Rymert
& children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Charlie B. Rymer

Indian name: " Kirkland

2. Residence and post office: Wetmore

3. County: Polk

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 27 Born Sept. 23, 1879

6. Where were you born? Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Freda Rymer 28

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	Lester Rymer	5	Mar. 20, 1902
(2)	Laney "	3	Jan. 17, 1904
(3)	Elva "	1	March, 19, 1906
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John B. Rymer

Indian name: " Kirkland

Mother—English name: Nancy G. Rymer

Indian name: " Kirkland

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: Tenn.

Mother: Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tom

Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: Feb. 15, 1907

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: The Kirklands were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Robin Rymer		
	Matt " dead		
(2)	Kate " "		
	Stens " "		
(3)	Harve " "		
	Isaac " "		
(4)	Charley " "		
	Lilla " "		
(5)	Mike		
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

Criss Kirkland
" "
Sallie "
" "

18. Where were they born? Sc & Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tom

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Mary Kirkland
- (2) Robin "
- (3) Jim "
- (4) Peggy "
- (5) Suzanne "
- (6) Lillah "
- Julie "
- Terah "
- Jack "
- Nancy "
- John "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

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 Nancy
Bymer's mother's name Nancy Kirkland
her father Criss Kirkland his father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

James Kirkland, his father James
Kirkland his father Nathan
Kirkland Cherokee Chief of the
Cherokee Nation
at the time of the
abolition of the
Commission of the
I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) *Charlie B Bymer*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29th* day of *Jan* 1907-1908

J. C. Thompson Notary Public.

My commission expires *Oct 7*, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *S. E. Massengill*
and *G. T. Bymer*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Charlie B. Bymer* 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 *his* represents *himself* to be, 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. E. Massengill
G. T. Bymer

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29th* day of *Jan* 1908, 1907.

My commission expires

Oct 4th, 1908. *J. C. Thompson* Notary Public.

Note.—An affidavit should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 114422

Action: Admitted

Name: Ewing M. Stokes and children.

Residence: Bushyhead, Okla.

Reasons: Cousin of # 385

44422

No. 41427

Name E. J. M. L.

With No. 355

Remarks:

Commission of 1905

No. *1100*

EASTERN CHEROKEES

APPLICATION

OF
Ewing M. Stokes

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee by the act of Congress approved June 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: Ewing M Stokes
Indian name: not known
2. Residence: Bushyhead
3. Town and post office: Bushyhead
4. County: Rogers County
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: January 18th 1880 in Delawon dist' D.
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 and my maternal grand mother.

8. Are you married? Yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary W Stokes age 52
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Jeremiah G Stokes
Indian name: not known
Mother—English name: Mary M Stokes, Emigrant Cherokee
~~Indian name:~~ No 5046.
Maiden name: Mary M Walker
11. Where were they born?
Father: In Missouri
Mother: In Cherokee Nation
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Bowling, Mo.
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother
Father: Living Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:
 Mother on Cherokee authenticated roll of 1880
 and is a Cherokee allottee

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	Herschel J Stokes	Bluejacket OK	
(2)	William J "	"	"
(3)	Maud M McCoy	Chelsea OK	
(4)	Robert Y Stokes	(minor)	
(5)	Carl H Stokes	"	
(6)	Jennie E Stokes	"	

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
They were whites	Wesley and Minerva Walker ne Taylor

17. Where were they born? Maternal grand mother in Cherokee Nation, east.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Maternal grand mother in Long Snake District I.S.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: Robert Walker	
	Indian name: Nora Peachouse	Collinsville OK
	Residence: Cherokee Johnson	Dead
(2)	English name: Edlen Abbott	Dead
	Indian name: Jennie Evans	Dead
	Residence: James Walker	Dewey OK
(3)	English name: William Walker	Tahlequah OK
	Indian name: Cora Pycott	Dead
	Residence: Mary M Stokes, nee mot...	
(4)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	
(5)	English name:	
	Indian name:	
	Residence:	

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:
 I am a Cherokee allottee

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

See other data

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.) *Ewing M. Stokes*

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29th* day of *January*, 1908.

My commission expires

September 5th, 1908.

Geo. 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 *B. H. Nester* and

Emmett Stone

....., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that

they are well acquainted with *Ewing M. Stokes*, 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 represents *himself* to be, 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. H. Nester
Emmett Stone

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29th* day of *January*, 1908.

My commission expires

September 5th, 1908.

Geo. M. Scott

Notary Public.

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No. 44423.

Action: Reject.

Name Denton J. Lazenby and - children. Residence: Wentworth, Mo.

Reasons: Grandson of 10436; claims thru same source.

4423

No. 44423

Name Denton J. Lantry

With No. 10436

Remarks:

H 10436

No. 1451

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Robert S. Lacy

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by an Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 22, 1906.

6-621



20440

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: Ligon Jennings Lagarby
Indian name: Royston
2. Residence: Wentworth
3. Town and post office: Wentworth
4. County: Newtown
5. State: Missouri
6. Date and place of birth: Dec. 17th 1807, Wentworth (Mo.)
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: By blood My Mother Carlene Hannaford Lagarby Grand Mother Margaret Josiah ^{Haley} Hannaford Grandfather G. S. Haley His mother was sister to Sarah Lane (Royston) Hannaford & their mother Elizabeth Royston Callahan.
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: Benj. F. Lagarby
Indian name:
Mother—English name: Carlene (a) Hannaford
Indian name: Royston
Maiden name: Carlene Hannaford
11. Where were they born?
Father: Martinsville Clinton County Ohio
Mother: M. S. Hannaford Lawrence County Missouri
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Was not born
Mother: Was not born
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Living Mother: Living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) <u>Stephen Lydia Lazemb</u>	<u>May 21, 1898</u>	
(2) <u>Isis Lazemb</u>	<u>June 21, 1900</u>	
(3) <u>Lilia May Lazemb</u>	<u>Jan 26, 1906</u>	
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S SIDE
<u>John C. Lazemb</u>	<u>George Radford Canupax</u>
<u>Mary P. (Byatt) Lazemb</u>	<u>Margaret Josephine Canupax</u>

17. Where were they born? Father's Parents in Virginia
G. R. Canupax in Kentucky, Josephine Canupax in

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? G. R. Canupax California
M. P. Canupax Barrancos Leon

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Mattie Canupax Hunter, died Aug 6, 1894
Indian name: Nattie Canupax
Residence: Erica
- (2) English name: Mattie Canupax
Indian name: Erica
Residence: Erica Canupax
- (3) English name: Carolina Canupax
Indian name: Carolina Canupax
Residence: Erica
- (4) English name: Walter Canupax
Indian name: Walter Canupax
Residence: Erica
- (5) English name: Walter Canupax
Indian name: Father's Parents
Residence: Erica

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:

Names of maternal ancestors
Grandfather Geo. Radford Canifax, Mother Margaret Josephine Canifax
Father Joseph Canifax (his mother) Sarah (Royston)
her father Ross Callahan, Mrs. Elzibet (Royston) Callahan.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

Elzibeth (Royston) Callahan was known by the nick name of Grandmother Birt some many adventures, after a grand father was killed, she rode all over back home to Alabama, all about to get money. Mothers original application No. 281

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.) Carlota Vazember

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of January, 1908.

My commission expires

January 21st 1911

John B. Heddlage

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. V. Hines and John Gorman, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Carlota Vazember, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and ten years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, 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. V. Hines
John Gorman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of January, 1908.

My commission expires

January 21st 1911

John B. Heddlage

Notary Public.

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No. 44424

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mattie Rogers* and children. Residence: *Neworth Ga*

Reasons: *Daughter of 17335*

44424

No. 4428
Name. Willie Rogers
With No. 1733 E J

Remarks:

No. 4424

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Rogers

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.

6-624

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
APR 2 1911
No.

Filed by
Bishop Thomas Selig

4424

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name:

Mattie Rogers

Indian name:

Don't know

2. Residence and post office:

Acworth

3. County:

Cobb

4. State:

Georgia

5. How old are you?

26

Born

1878

6. Where were you born?

Dartow County Ga

7. Are you married?

No

8. Name and age of wife or husband:

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong?

Cherokees

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)
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(4)
(5)
(6)

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name:

Newton Rogers

Indian name:

Mother—English name:

Annie Rogers

Indian name:

Maiden name:

Annie Jones

12. Where were they born?

Father:

Laruce County Ga

Mother:

Petersburg Ga

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Georgia

Mother: Petersburg Va

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living

Mother: ..

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Lula Rogers</u>	<u>1869</u>	
(2)	<u>Roseana Rogers</u>	<u>1872</u>	<u>1884</u>
(3)	<u>Opelina Rogers</u>	<u>1875-</u>	<u>1874</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.

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18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1)
- (2)
- (3)
- (4)
- (5)
- (6)

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: 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) Muttie Rogers

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Dec 1907.

M. A. McCoy Justice of the Peace
Notary Public.

My commission expires

July 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. R. Denton

and John A. Scroggs, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Muttie Rogers

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for several years and _____ years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. R. Denton
John A. Scroggs

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of Dec, 1907.

My commission expires

July 1st

1909.

M. A. McCoy Justice of the Peace
Notary Public.

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES,
Rec. MAY 26 1909
No. 1442

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No. 44425

Action: *Reject*

Name *ackra C. Lawter* and *x* children.

Residence: *Winnipeg, N.S.*

Reasons:

Biddy case.

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No. 44425

Name Jacka G. Lawton

With No. 41605

Remarks: 14537

No. 52425

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Jasper G. Lanter

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-024

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
FILED FEB 2 1908
No.

Filed by
Bickford, Minors, Claggett,
of
Washington, D.C.

52425

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Zacra C. Lawler

Indian name: not known

2. Residence and post office: Clintonsville

3. County: Polk

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 32 Born September 5, 1875

6. Where were you born? Polk Co. N. C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: W. Eldora Brown age 24

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>no children</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
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11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Allen Lawler

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Jessie Lawler

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Jessie Biddy

12. Where were they born?

Father: Clintonsville N. C.

Mother: Clintonsville 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: Living
 Mother: died March 13 1904

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Manda. Poir</u>	<u>1860</u>	
	<u>Elbert. Lawter</u>	<u>1861</u>	
(2)	<u>Logan Lawter</u>	<u>1868</u>	
	<u>Elvira. Blanton</u>	<u>1870</u>	
(3)	<u>Lara A Jones</u>	<u>1871</u>	
	<u>Susan Lawter</u>	<u>1873</u>	
(4)	<u>Arminia Tucker</u>	<u>1878</u>	
	<u>Osker R Lawter</u>	<u>1880</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 Lawter</u>	<u>Robert James Braddy</u>
<u>Robert Johnson Braddy</u>	<u>Marian Jones</u>
<u>Mary Dimsdale</u>	<u>Robert Johnson Braddy</u> <small>Not known where born born 1787 died 1890 age 103 yrs</small>

18. Where were they born? Rutherford Co N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Rutherford Co N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Jay C. Ruff</u>	<u>Rutherford Co N.C.</u>
(2)	<u>William Braddy</u>	<u>Rutherford Co N.C.</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Fritchard</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(4)	<u>Henry Braddy</u>	<u>Dead</u>
(5)	<u>Sarah Lawter</u>	<u>Dead</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: 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: Edmon Biddy
Peggy Biddy

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I am a descendant of the Eastern Cherokee
on my Mother side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Jackie L. Lawter

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Jan, 1908

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 W. E. Kerr
and E. E. Lynch, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jackie L. Lawter who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 30 years and 30 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents him to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

W. E. Kerr
E. E. Lynch

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

D. H. Thompson
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

I hereby certify that D. H. Thompson is an acting Justice of the Peace in Falls Co. Mo.

This is the day of January 1908.

W. E. Kerr
E. E. Lynch

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES,
Recd. JUN 25 1909
No. 44475

No. 44426.

Name

Gracy M. Ruff

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children.

Action:

Repeal

Reasons:

Residence:

Wimsdale, N.J.

Biddy cars.

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No. 44426
Name Gracy M. Ruff
With No. J. 41605
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Remarks:

No. 4410

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

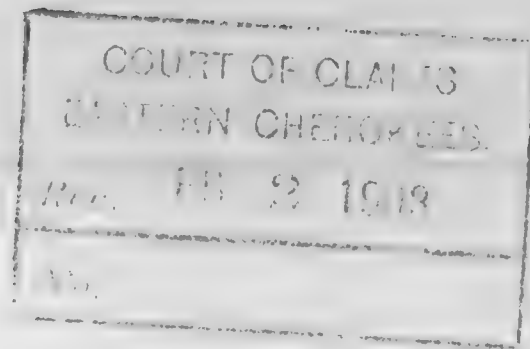
APPLICATION

OF

Gracy M. Ruff

For share of money appropriated for the 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



Filed by
Bickford, Williams & Clagett,
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: Gray Gairan Ruff ne Corn

Indian name: Not known

2. Residence and post office: Lincolnton

3. County: Rich

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 77 Born December 25, 1866

6. Where were you born? Rutherford Co. N.C.

7. Are you married? was married but divorced

8. Name and age of wife or husband: not known age 45 year

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>Harrison Corn</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Dec 29, 1888</u>
(2)	<u>William H. Corn</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Jan 26, 1889</u>
(3)	<u>Laura E. Corn</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>Jan 20, 1891</u>
(4)	<u>Viola Corn</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Dec 28, 1902</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Casey H. Ruff ne Corn

Indian name: White

Mother—English name: Catharine Ruff ne Corn

Indian name: not known

Maiden name: Joy C. Biddy ne Ruff

12. Where were they born?

Father: Rutherford Co. N.C.

Mother: Rutherford Co. N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: W. C. Ruff

Mother: Rutherford Co. N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: June 1875

Mother: Living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: none whatever

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Archie Ruff</u>	<u>Dec 28, 1855</u>	<u>1909</u>
(2)	<u>James Ruff</u>	<u>1857</u>	<u>not dead</u>
(3)	<u>Miss R. Ruff</u>	<u>1860</u>	<u>1861</u>
(4)	<u>Joseph B. Ruff</u>	<u>1864</u>	<u>Living N.C.</u>
	<u>William A. Ruff</u>	<u>1864</u>	<u>Living N.C.</u>
(5)	<u>J. B. Ruff</u>	<u>1870</u>	<u>1874</u>
	<u>R. C. Ruff</u>	<u>1872</u>	<u>1874</u>
(6)	<u>Martha Ruff</u>	<u>1874</u>	<u>Feb 22, 1907</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>Enoch Ruff</u>	<u>Rever. G. W. Waddy</u> from 1777 until 1803
<u>Martha Ruff</u>	<u>Miriam Waddy</u> maiden name <u>Waddy</u>
<u>made name Lawrence</u>	

18. Where were they born? N.C. } not known

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? W. C. Ruff

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>George Ruff</u>	<u>Living N.C.</u>
(2)	<u>William Ruff</u>	<u>Living N.C.</u>
(3)	<u>Mary Ruff</u>	<u>Living</u>
(4)	<u>Laura Ruff</u>	<u>Living</u>
(5)	<u>Sarah Ruff</u>	<u>Living</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: 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: Great Grand parents
Edmon Biddy born 1787 died 1888 age 101
year Peggy Biddy

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I am a descendant of the Eastern Shawees
on my mother's side.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Gracy Marion Ruff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Jan 1908

J. H. Thompson J. P.
Notary Public.

My commission expires

as J. P. 1912

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. C. Lynch

and W. E. Kern, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Gracy Marion Ruff

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 24 years and

4 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. C. Lynch
W. E. Kern

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Jan 1908

My commission expires

as J. P.

J. H. Thompson 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 a special agent of the Indian Service, if sworn to before a justice of the peace, or before a notary, etc.

I hereby certify that the foregoing statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
W. E. Kern
Jan 18 1908
W. E. Kern
W. E. Kern

Sworn are true, and they have no interest whatever in *said* claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

F. E. Lynch
W. C. Pen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1905.

A. H. Thompson
Notary Public

My commission expires _____, 1902.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the 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 CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Grace Marian Wiley

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. _____

1. State your full name: Gracy Marion Ruff
2. Residence and post office: Lincolnton
3. County: Polk
4. State: North Carolina
5. Date and place of birth: Dec 25, 1876, Polk Co. N. C.
6. Are you married? was married - deceased
7. Name and age of wife or husband: George W. Ruff - deceased
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? None
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Garrison Ruff</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>Dec 29, 1898</u>
(2)	<u>William Ruff</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Nov 20, 1902</u>
(3)	<u>John Ruff</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Jan 20, 1897</u>
(4)	<u>Lola Ruff</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Jan 5, 1902</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: None

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

See name in the Eastern Cherokee
on the side

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Gracy Marion Ruff

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Jan 1908

J. H. Thompson
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

Jan 1, 1912

I hereby certify that J. H. Thompson is an acting
notary in the State of North Carolina.
This 5th day of January 1908
J. B. Edwards
By J. B. Edwards

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. C. Lynch and W. E. Kerr who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Grace Maria Ruff who makes the foregoing application and statement, and have known her for 41 years and 111 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents her to be, and that on May 28, 1906, she had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by her are true, and they have no interest whatever in said claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

E. C. Lynch
W. E. Kerr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of January, 1908

D. H. Thompson
Notary Public

My commission expires _____, 1908

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No. _____

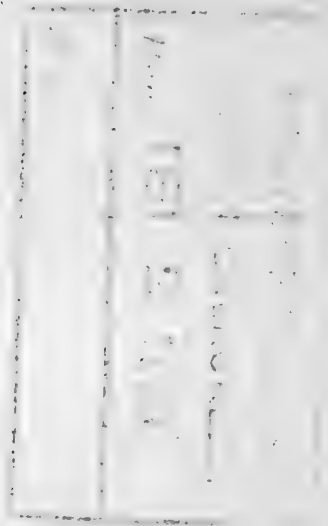
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Grace Maria Ruff
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.



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Dumfries N.C.
July 29 1908

Union Miller
Special Commissioner
Washington D. C.

Sir
My wife made application
last January through
Nathan Dickson & Co. for her
share of money a threatened for the
Eastern Overland & has not heard
from it. in an office let me know
they are charging 25 her for prosecu-
ting claims & the applicant has no
showing should the agreement not
bind both parties yours truly
Gracy Ruff now Brown
C. H. Brown Dumfries Park. Co. N.C.

No. 44427

Action: Rejected

Name John Z. Acker and X children. Residence: P.O. #2 Ragland, Ala.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestor ever emulated.
Does not establish fact of descent from a person who was
a party to the treaty of 1835-6 and 1846.

44427

No. 44427. *Reject - ?*

Name *John L. Acker*

With No.

Remarks: *Grouped herewith
are nos. 44475, 44553,
44554, 44555, 44474,
44632. 44706*

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 1000

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

John Zimri Acker

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
FILED

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,
Attorney and Solicitor,
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Commissioner of Indian Affairs,
Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name— John Jim. Gaker
English name: John Jim. Gaker
Indian name: Wauk
2. Residence: _____
3. Town and post office: Rayland, RFD#2
4. County: Stclair
5. State: Alabama
6. Date and place of birth: 1867 Calhoun Ala
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately:
Children
by my father and mother
and mother
8. Are you married? No
9. Name and age of wife or husband: _____
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Patent maker
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Elizabeth Gaker
Indian name: Wauk
Maiden name: Elizabeth Powell
11. Where were they born?
Father: Calhoun Ala
Mother: Calhoun Ala
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: Calhoun Ala
Mother: Calhoun Ala
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: Nov 5th 1903 Mother: Aug 12 1886

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: unknown

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	B. Pettibone Baker	1154	
(2)	L. Ann Baker	1561	
(3)	George Baker	1800	
(4)	Sallie T. Baker	1801	
(5)	J. Baker	1867	
(6)	M. Emma Kieffer	in Adam	

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
John Vowell	Elizabeth Vowell
Peter Vowell	Fanny Baker

17. Where were they born? John Vowell - Vermont
Elizabeth Vowell - N.H.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? John Vowell - N.H.
and he is in my grandfathers wife in N.H.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1)	English name: <u>William Vowell</u>	Indian name: _____	Residence: _____
(2)	English name: <u>Elizabeth Vowell</u>	Indian name: _____	Residence: _____
(3)	English name: <u>John H. Vowell</u>	Indian name: _____	Residence: _____
(4)	English name: <u>Anna A. Vowell</u>	Indian name: _____	Residence: _____
(5)	English name: <u>Daniel H. Vowell</u>	Indian name: _____	Residence: _____

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: No

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

John Vowell m d Vowell
Elizabeth Vowell Vowell
Maden ^{name} Elizabeth Stegall

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I hereby appoint Bevan A. Lockwood of Wash. D.C. my Attorney with a Commission of 10/0. 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.) J. L. Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of January, 1908

My commission expires March 4, 1908

W. H. Vincent
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. J. Ben Martin and L. A. Harrison, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and

STATE OF ALABAMA,
COUNTY OF CALHOUN.

I, EMMETT F. CROOK, Judge of the Court of

Probate, and ex officio Clerk of said Court, in and for the County of Calhoun and State of Alabama (said Court being a Court of Record), do hereby Certify, that W. H. Vincent whose name is subscribed to the Certificate of proof or acknowledgment of the annexed instrument, and thereon written, was at the time of taking such proof or acknowledgment, a Notary Public of the State of Alabama, in and for the County of Calhoun, dwelling in said County, commissioned and sworn, and duly authorized to take the same; and further that I am well acquainted with the handwriting of such Notary and verily believe the signature to the said Certificate of proof or acknowledgment is genuine. And I further certify that said instrument is executed and acknowledged according to the laws of this State.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said County and Court, this 29 day of January, A. D. 1908

Emmett F. Crook
Judge and ex officio Clerk of the Probate Court.

STATE OF ALABAMA,
COUNTY OF CALHOUN.

I, EMMETT F. CROOK, Judge of the Court of

Probate, and ex officio Clerk of said Court, in and for the County of Calhoun and State of Alabama (said Court being a Court of Record), do hereby Certify, that *W H*
Vincent whose name is subscribed to the Certificate of proof or acknowledgment of the annexed instrument, and thereon written, was at the time of taking such proof or acknowledgment, a *Notary Public* of the State of Alabama, in and for the County of Calhoun, dwelling in said County, commissioned and sworn, and duly authorized to take the same; and further that I am well acquainted with the handwriting of such *Notary* and verily believe the signature to the said Certificate of proof or acknowledgment is genuine. And I further certify that said instrument is executed and acknowledged according to the laws of this State.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said County and Court, this *29th* day of *January* A. D. *1908*

Emmett F. Crook
Judge and ex officio Clerk of the Probate Court.

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

John Towell ind. Towell
Elizabeth Towell Towell
Maden ^{son} Elizabeth Stegall

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I hereby appoint Bebo A. Lockwood of Wash. D.C. my Attorney, with a Commission of 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.)

J. J. Adams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of January, 1905

My commission expires

March 4, 1908

W. H. Vincent

Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me J. J. Ben Martin and L. A. Harrison, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with J. J. Adams, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 years and years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person who represents him to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

J. J. Ben Martin
L. A. Harrison

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of January, 1905

My commission expires

March 4, 1908

W. H. Vincent

Notary Public.

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Appln. No. 44427.

June 10, 1908.

John L. Baker,

England, Alabama.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state if you, your parents and your grandparents, were ever enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1763-4 and 1765? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1763 and 1765? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you claim as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

J. S. M.

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R. F. D. NO. 2

YELLOW PINE LUMBER

Ragland Ala

I was the 15-1908
Gwen, Miller - Special Ed

Washington D C
Replying to yours of the 10th

My Grand Father John Powell
3/4 French 1/4 Cherokee also

my Grand Mother Powell was
3/4 French and 1/4 Cherokee Indian

making her 1/4 French and 1/4 Indian

and was never a slave

My ancestors moved in counties
Ga. in 1835 moving to this state
in 52 or 53

my name was never recorded

I don't see the reason it is

if it is necessary I can get

Witnesses to testify to my Grand

Father's name and in it

Truly yours J. J. Baker

Ragland Ala

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No. 11 4475

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JUL 30 1908

Randall Ala

2997 1

July 1908

Mr. J. G. Miller
Special Commissioner

Dear Sir, I made appli-
cation to your court

in Feb of this year
for myself & 10 children

as participants in
the fund arising from

the judgment of the
court of Claims in

favor of the Eastern
Shoehorn. I want to

know whether our
case has been passed upon

yet. What are the
results, card # 44070

I am very much yours
A. B. R. Baker

I see on my No
card you have
my name Peter B
Acker which is not
correct my name
is Brock Pelham
Acker

Yours & c
B.P.A

No.44428.....

Action:..... Reject.....

Name..... Sarah J. Deen and ⁸⁷ children. Residence:..... Wanette, Okla.

Reasons:

Ancestors not enrolled. Were not parties to treaties
of 1835-36 and 1846. Does not establish genuine
connection with Cherokee tribe.

Misc. Test. P. 2106.

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Facial...
No. 44428. *Project?*

Name *Charles J. Deere*

With No. *7100*

Remarks: *Grouped herewith
are nos. 44429, 44430,
44432, 44559, 44431,
4475, 44838*

Filed too late.

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*John M. West -
This case should be
grouped with
his examined at
Clarksville, Tex.*

*2108
Awaiting reply to letter.*

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No. 44428.

Name Sarah J. Deen.

With No. 7108 Shannel

Remarks: Grouped herewith
are nos. 44429, 44430,
44432, 44559, 44431,
45970, 44838

Filed too late.

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John M. West -
This case should be
grouped with
his. Examined at
Clarksville, Tex.

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Awaiting reply to letter.

No. ~~4123~~

Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION

OF

Sarah J. Deen

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
KONAWA
I. T.

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JUN 2 1906
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Comissiononer 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 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: ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ Sarah J. Deen,
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Wanette,
3. Town and post office: Wanette
4. County: Pottawatomie
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: near Sherman, Texas, in Nov. 28, 1859.
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 thru but one relative living in 1851, who is my grandmother, whose name was Alcy Alcy Carlock, and who lived in Livingston, Tennessee.
8. Are you married? yes
9. Name and age of wife or husband: J. B. Deen, aged 49 years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Wilson West
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Nancy J. West,
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Nancy J. Jackson,
11. Where were they born?
Father: In the State of North Carolina.
Mother: near Livingston, Tennessee.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: near Livingston, Tennessee.
Mother: " " "
13. Date of death of your father and mother:
Father: August, 1899.
Mother: May 18, 1905

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) Alcy M. Runnels,	1851	living
(2) Andrew West	1853 1855	"
(3) Julia E. Cundiff,	1855	dead in 1857
(4) Charity V. Condren <i>Corde West</i>	1856	living
(5) W.S. West,	1852 1855	living
(6) Sarah J. Deen	1859	living.

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

Isaac and Baebara West

MOTHER'S

Dawson Jackson and Alcy Jackson

17. Where were they born? Alcy Jackson, grandmother on mother's side, was born in the State of Tennessee, Isaac West, both in North Carolina.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dawson and Alcy Jackson resided somewhere in the State of Tennessee in the year 1851.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Henry West,

Indian name:

Residence: dead, don't remember where he died.

(2) English name: Anderson West

Indian name:

Residence: dead, dont know where he died. or date of death.

(3) English name: Wilson West.

Indian name:

Residence: died at Davis, I.T., now Oklahoma State.

(4) English name: Katy West

Indian name:

Residence: dead, dont know date of death.

(5) English name: Fanny West,

Indian name:

Residence: dead, dont know date of death.

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: Judy Murdock my great grandmother, thru whom I claim my Indian descent resided in the State of Tennessee about the year 1835, who married my great grandfather and his name was Murdock, first name unknown) and who was a Cherokee Indian.

REMARKS:

Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature

Sarah J. Deen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Jan. 1908

My commission expires

June 18. 1908

J. Gordon
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT

The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.

Personally appeared before me J. C. Newman and B. R. Miller

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Sarah J. Deen, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and 7 years, respectively, and know her to be identical person. she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witness to mark

Signature of witness

J. C. Newman
B. R. Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Jan. 1908

My commission expires

June 18. 1908

J. Gordon
Notary Public

NOTE—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. P. Newman
S. R. Miller

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of July, 1908.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires June 16, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Sarah J. West Deen

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON C. CAGLE,
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA, OKLAHOMA TERR.

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No.

- 1. State your full name: Sarah J. West, Deen
2. Residence and post office: Wanette,
3. County: Pottawatomie
4. State: Oklahoma
5. Date and place of birth: born on the 28th day of November, 1859 near Sherman, Texas.
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Husband's name J.B. Deen,
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? none
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

Table with 3 columns: NAME, AGE, BORN. Contains entries for Ella Deen (14, 1894), Ethel Deen (13, 1895), Alfa Deen (11, 1897), Alva Deen (10, 1898), Elmer Deen (8, 1900), and Edith Deen (6 years, 1908).

Walter Deen 23. yrs. Nov 22 1884
Ola Deen 1889
Rufus Deen 1885

Handwritten numbers: 7406, 1884

(Signature) Sarah J. Deen
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of June 1908
Notary Public
My Commission expires June 18, 1908

and with what tribe of Indians: no

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

~~none~~ **EXEMPT** The same facts as stated
by Sarah J. Deen in her own application

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Sarah J. Deen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of June 1908

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

June 18, 1908

APPLICATION
Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

Sarah J. Deen

Winnetka

Pottawatomie Co.

Illinois

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CACLE

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Oklahoma
COUNTY OF Pottawatomie

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Sarah J. Deen do hereby make constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorated 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 paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is...

J. C. Newman
J. R. Miller
[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Sarah J. Deen
Signature.

State of Oklahoma County of Pottawatomie Be it known on the 22 day of Jan. 1908 personally appeared Sarah J. Deen 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 18, 1908
[L. S.]

[Signature of Notary Public]

And now to witness 29 day of Jan 1908 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 29 day of Jan 1908

W. M. Davis
Notary Public

APPLICATION
Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

Sarah & W. Deen

Wanette

Pottawatomie Co

Oklahoma

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF ... COUNTY OF ...

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I

Sarah J. West seen

for the county of ... state of ... do hereby make constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

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Sarah J. West

Signature.

[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

State of ... County of ... Be it known on the 22 day of Jan. 1908 personally appeared Sarah J. West seen 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.

Gordon Notary Public

My commission expires 1900 [L. S.]

And now to witness 29 day of Jan. 1908, 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 29 day of Jan 1908

Notary Public

Seminole

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Appln. No. 44428.

June 10, 1908.

Barth J. Dech,
Wanett, Oklahoma.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you possess white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Social Commissioner.

7/10.

44838 also 44432 - 44428

Miscel.

Gorda S. West being first duly sworn in behalf of John A. M. West, deposes and says:

That I am 35 years of age. I live at Wanette, Okla. I am a sister of John A. M. West. I claim my Indian descent through my mother; my father was a full blooded white man. I have filed application #44432. I first heard of this fund about two years ago but did not make application until last Spring because I did not know a way of making the application. Nancy J. West nee Jackson was my mother. My mother's mother claimed the Indian. My grandmother's name was ~~Sarlock Jackson~~ Ailsey Carlock and she married Jackson. My mother was born in Overton Co., Tenn. She died in 1905 and was 74 years of age. My grandmother died about 18 years ago in Texas. She was 72 when she died. She was born in Overton Co., Tenn. and came west in 1859. My grandmother never lived with the Indians but my great grandmother told her of this Cherokee tribe. My great grandmother was Judie Medock. She was from N. C. but lived in Tenn. She was living in Overton Co., Tenn. in 1835. She died between 1835 and 1851. Think she was living in 1851. She died in Overton Co., Tenn. Don't know whether she lived with the Indians or not. None of my ancestors were on the rolls. None of them ever received any lands or money from the government. I did not make application to the Dawes Commission nor did my mother. I am not married. My brother's wife is a white woman. My sister's name is Sarah J. Deen and her husband is a white man. I am recognized as white, and my mother was recognized as white in the community. My mother claimed to be 1/16 Cherokee.

Gorda S. West
Signature of Witness.

Sp Witness apparently white

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Clarksville, Texas this 21st day of August 1908.

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Ass't to Special Commissionere
of the Court of Claims.

No. 44429

Action: Reject

Name Ola Neer and X children.

Residence: Warette Ohio

Reasons: Waughter of # 44428

44429
68577

No. 41279-1-2

Name *C. J. ...*

With No. *...*

Remarks:

...
...
...

David H.

No. ~~11439~~

Eastern Cherokees

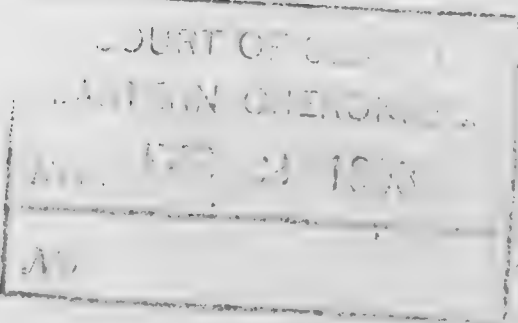
APPLICATION

OF

John Deen

For share of money appropriated for the
benefit of Cherokee Indians by the Act of Con-
gress approved June 30, 1906 in accordance
with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May
18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
KONAWA
I. T.



Comissiononer 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 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: Ola Deen
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Wanette
3. Town and post office: Wanette
4. County: Pottawatomie
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: near Overbrook, I.T. now Oklahoma born 1889.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim through one relative living in 1851, who was my great great grandmother whose name was Xley Carlock and who lived in Livingston, Tennessee.
8. Are you married? No
9. Name and age of wife or husband: not married.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: J. B. Deen,
Indian name: ~~SARAH J. DEEN~~
Mother—English name: Sarah J. Deen,
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Sarah J. West,
11. Where were they born?
Father: born in Texas.
Mother: near Sherman, Texas.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: not living then.
Mother: _____
13. Date of death of your father and mother: both living.
Father: _____ Mother: _____

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:.....

no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Ollie Davis	1887, living	
(2) Rufus Deen	1885 living	
(3) Cliffie Deen	1892, died when an infant	
(4) Ella Deen	1894 living	
(4) Ethel Deen	1895 "	
(5) Alfred Deen, Alva Deen, Elmer Deen, and Edith Deen, aged 11, 10, 8, and 6 years, respectively		
(6)		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE:

John Deen,

MOTHER'S

Wilson West

17. Where were they born? John Deen killed during Civil War. Lived in Georgia
Wilson West born in the State of North Carolina.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?.....

near Livingston, Tennessee.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:.....

(1) English name: Alcy M. Runnels,

Indian name:

Residence: near Ardmore, Okla.

(2) English name: Andrew West

Indian name:

Residence: near Davis, Okla.

(3) English name: Julia E. Cundiff,

Indian name:

Residence: died in 1877.

(4) English name: Charity V. Condren

Indian name:

Residence: Lindsey, Okla.

(5) English name: W.S. West

Indian name:

Residence: Adell, Okla. and Sarah J. Deen, residing at Wanette, Okla.

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: Judy Murdock my great great grand-
mother, through whom I claim my Indian descent resided in the State of
Tennessee about the year 1835 who married my great great grandfather
whose name was Murdock (first name unknown) and who was a Cherokee
Indian.

REMARKS:

Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Ola Deen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1908

My commission expires

June 18, 1908

[Signature]
 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. R. Miller and J. C. Newman

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are

well acquainted with OLIA Deen, who makes the foregoing application and state-
 ments, and have known her for 8 years and 5 years, respectively, and know her to be identical
 person. she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their
 knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witness to mark

S. R. Miller
J. C. Newman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1908

My commission expires

June 18, 1908

[Signature]
 Notary Public

NOTE—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

APPLICATION
Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

Ola Deen
Manella
Pottawatomie Co
Oklahoma

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Oklahoma
COUNTY OF Pottawatomie

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Ola Deen of the county of Pottawatomie state of Oklahoma do hereby make constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Semi nole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Wauwata, Okla.

S. R. Miller
C. Newman
[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Ola Deen
Signature.

State of Oklahoma County of Pottawatomie personally appeared Ola Deen Be it known on the 29 day of Jan. 1908 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 to attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires Jan 14 1908
[L. S.]

Anderson P. Cagle
Notary Public

And now to witness 29 day of Jan. 1908 I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney, etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises, and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50) Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written.
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who having signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,
Witness my hand and seal this 29 day of Jan. 1908

W. M. Davis
Notary Public

Seminole

No. 44430

Action: Reject

Name Walter Neen and X children. Residence: Shannon O'Leary

Reasons: Son of # 44428

44430

No. 44430

Eastern Cherokees

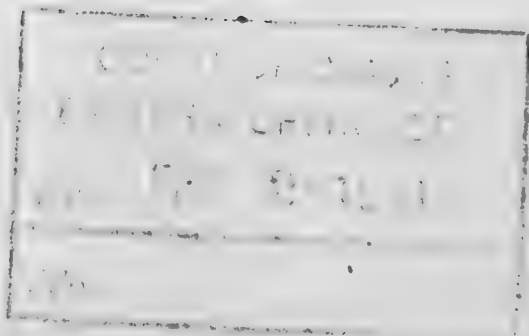
APPLICATION

OF

Walter Price

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
KONAWA
I. T.



Comissiononer 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 Court of Claims of May 18, 1905; and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
English name: Walter Deen,
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Shawnee,
3. Town and post office: Shawnee
4. County: Pottawatomie
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: born the 22nd day of September, 1884 in Dexter, Texas.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim thru but one relative living in 1851, who is my great grandmother whose name was Alcy Carlock and who lived in Livingston, Tennessee.
8. Are you married? No
9. Name and age of wife or husband: not married
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: J. B. Deen,
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Sarah J. Deen,
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: _____
11. Where were they born?
Father: Born in Texas,
Mother: near Sherman, Texas.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? were not living then.
Father: _____
Mother: _____
13. Date of death of your father and mother: both living.
Father: _____
Mother: _____

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:.....

no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Ollie Davis,	in 1887.	living
(2) Ola Deen	In 1889.	living
(3) Rufus Deen	in 1885.	
(4) Cliffie Deen	In 1892,	died when an infant.
(5) Ella Deen	1894	living.
(6) Ethel	1895	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
John Deen,	Wilson West

17. Where were they born? John Deen killed during Civil War, lived in Georgia.

Wilson West born in the State of North Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? near Livingston, Tennessee.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:.....

(1) English name: Alcy M. Runnels,
 Indian name:
 Residence: near Ardmore, Okla.

(2) English name: Andrew West
 Indian name:
 Residence: near Davis, Okla.

(3) English name: Julia E. Cundiff,
 Indian name:
 Residence: died in 1877

(4) English name: Charity V. Condren,
 Indian name:
 Residence: Lindsey, Okla.

(5) English name: W.S. West
 Indian name:
 Residence: Adell, Okla., and Sara J. Deen, residing at Wanette, Okla.

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: Judy Murdock, my great great grandmother thru whom I claim my Indian descent resided in the State of Tennessee about the year 1835, who married my great great grandfather, whose name was Murdock (first name unknown, and who was a Cherokee Indian.

REMARKS:

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Walter L. Deen

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day of January, 1908

My commission expires Dec 12, 1901

Wm Stear
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 S. R. Miller and J. C. Newman

....., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Walter Deen, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 9 years and 5 years, respectively, and know him to be identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witness to mark

Signature of witness
S. R. Miller
J. C. Newman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day of January, 1908

My commission expires June 18, 1908

J. H. Gordon
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.

APPLICATION
Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

W. H. ...
Wanette
Q. H. ...
Pottawatomie Co.

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Oklahoma

COUNTY OF Nowata

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Walter Deen

for the county of Nowata state of Oklahoma do hereby make constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Semi nole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Nowata, Okla.

Wm Brill
W L Lusk
[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Walter Deen
Signature.

State of Oklahoma County of Nowata. Be it known on the 22 day of Jan, 1908 personally appeared Walter Deen, 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 17 1909
[L. S.]

Anderson P. Cagle

And now to witness 29 day of Jan, 1908... 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 29 day of Jan, 1908.

Wm Davis
Notary Public

Deen

No. 44431

Action: *Reject*

Name *Rufus Allen* and *X* children.

Residence: *Wanette Okla.*

Reasons: *Son of # 44478.*

44431

No. 11431

Eastern Cherokees

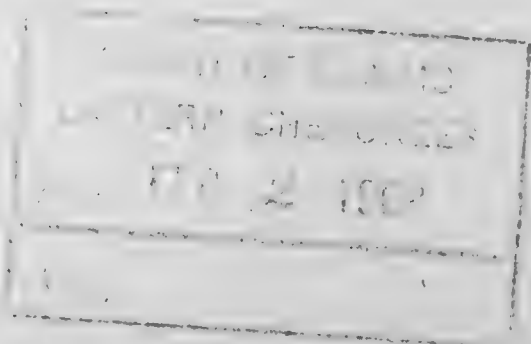
APPLICATION

OF

Rufus Deen

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
KONAWA
I. T.



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Comissiononer 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 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: Rufus Deen,
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Wanette
3. Town and post office: Wanette
4. County: Pottawatomie
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: born in 1885, Oldbrook I, T, now Oklahoma.
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 thru one relative living in 1851, who was my great great grandmother, whose name was Alcy Carlock and who lived in Livingston, Tennessee,
8. Are you married? no
9. Name and age of wife or husband: not married
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: J. B. Deen,
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Sarah J. Deen,
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: sarah J. West.
11. Where were they born?
Father: in Texas,
Mother: near Sherman, Texas.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: were not living then.
Mother: _____
13. Date of death of your father and mother:
Father: both living. Mother: _____

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:.....

no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	<u>Walter Deen</u> Ollie Davis	<u>1883</u> 1887	<u>Living</u> living
(2)	Ola Deen		
(3)	Walter	1889	living
(4)	Cliffie Deen	1884	"
(5)	Ella Deen		1892 died when an infant
(6)	Ethel Deen,	1894	living
(7)	Alfa Deen, Alva Deen, Elmer and Edith Deen,	1893	"
(8)	respectively		aged 11, 10, 8 and 6 years

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

John Deen,

MOTHER'S

Wilson West

17. Where were they born? John Deen Killed during Civil War. Lived in Georgia.
Wilson West born in the State of North Carolina.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? near Livingston, Tennessee.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Alcy M. Runnels,

Indian name:

Residence: near Ardmore, Okla.

(2) English name: Andrew West

Indian name:

Residence: near Davis, Okla.

(3) English name: Julia E.C undiff,

Indian name:

Residence: died in 1877.

(4) English name: Charity V. Condren,

Indian name:

Residence: Lindsey, Okla.

(5) English name: W.S. West,

Indian name:

Residence: Adell, Okla. and Sarah J. Deen, residing

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, stat

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: Julia Murdock my great great grand-mother, through whom I claim my Indian descent resided in the State of Tennessee about the year 1835, who married my great great grandfather whose name was Murdock, (first name unknown, and who was a Cherokee Indian.

REMARKS:

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June, 1908

My commission expires June 15, 1908

Signature Rufus Deen
[Signature]
 Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Caron Brown and P. H. Keagle

....., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Rufus Deen, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for one years and five years, respectively, and know him to be identical person who represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witness to mark

Signature of witness
A. Brown
P. H. Keagle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of June, 1908

My commission expires June 15, 1908

[Signature]
 Notary Public

NOTE—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

APPLICATION
Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

Rufus Deen
Wanette
Oklahoma
Pottawatomie Co.

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Oklahoma
COUNTY OF Pottawatomie

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Rufus Dean
for the county of Pottawatomie state of Oklahoma do hereby make consti-
tute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful at-
torney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior
Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato
share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this
case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises
I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of
all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and
the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my
claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not
paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Wintette, Okla

A. B. Brown
P. H. Cagle
[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Rufus Dean
Signature.

State of Oklahoma County of Pottawatomie. Be it known on the 25 day of Jan, 1908
personally appeared Rufus Dean, who after having read over to him in the presence of the
attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and ac-
knowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid his attorney any sum whatever for
his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 18 1908
[L. S.]

Notary Public

And now to witness 28 day of Jan, 1908, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney,
etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises,
and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50)
Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who hav-
ing signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,

Witness my hand and seal this 28 day of Jan, 1908.

Wm Davis
Notary Public

Seminole

COURT OF CLAIMS
AND
EQUIPMENT
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OFFICE OF

Anderson P. Cagle,

CLAIM AGENT AND COUNTY SURVEYOR.

Honawa, Okla. Jan 29th 1908

Eastern Cherokee Applications of

Corda West

Sarah J. Deen

Walter Deen

Ola Deen

Rufus Deen

All these are one family.

Filed By

Anderson P. Cagle

No. 44432.

Action: Reject.

Name Carola West. and X children. Residence: Warrenton, Ore.

Reasons: Sister of # 44428.

44432

No. 34492

Eastern Cherokees

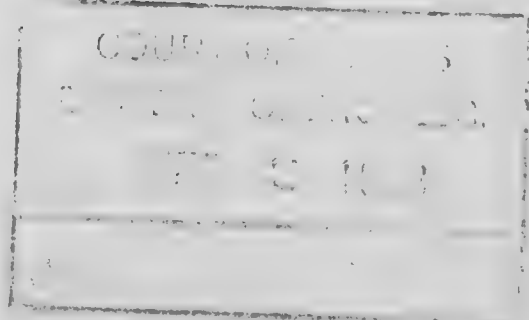
APPLICATION

OF

Gerda West

For sale of land appropriated to Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 20, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
KONAWA
I. T.



7.5.07

Comissiononer 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 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: Corda West,
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Wanette, Okla.
3. Town and post office: Wanette, Okla.
4. County: Pottawatomie,
5. State: Oklahoma
Born _____
6. Date and place of birth: September 15, 1872. in Dexter, Cook County, Texas.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim thru but one relative living in 1851. ~~xxx~~ who is my grandmother ~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ whose name was Aicy Carlock and who lived in Livingston, Tennessee.
8. Are you married? No
9. Name and age of wife or husband: not married
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: Wilson West,
Indian name: _____
Mother—English name: Nancy J. West,
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Nancy J. Jackson,
11. Where were they born?
Father: in the State of North Carolina.
Mother: near Livingston, in the State of Tennessee.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: near Livingston, in the State of Tennessee.
Mother: lived near the Town of Livingston, State of Tennessee.
13. Date of death of your father and mother:
Father: August, 1899. Mother: May 18, 1905.

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) Alcy M. Runnels,	born 1851.	living
(2) Andrew West	" 1853 "	
(3) Julia E. Cundiff,	1855	dead in 1877.
(4) Charity V. Condren,	1856	1858 living
(5) W. S. West,	1855.	living
(6) Sarah J. West <i>Deer</i>	1859,	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
Isaac West and Barbara West	Dawson Jackson and Alcy Jackson

17. Where were they born? Alcy Jackson, grandmother on Mother's side was born in the State of Tennessee. Isaac West, born in North Carolina.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dawson and Alcy Jackson resided some where in the State of Tennessee in the year 1851.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Henry West

Indian name:

Residence: dead, don't remember, when he died.

(2) English name: Anderson West,

Indian name:

Residence: dead, dont know date of death.

(3) English name: Wilson West

Indian name:

Residence: died, at Davis, I.T., now Oklahoma State.

(4) English name: Katy West,

Indian name:

Residence: dead, don't know date of death.

(5) English name: Fanny West,

Indian name:

Residence: dead, don't know date of death

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:

Judy Murdock, my great grandmother, thru whom I claim my Indian De-
scend, resided in the State of Tennessee about the year 1835, who married
my great grandfather, and his names was Murdock (first name unknown),
and who was a Cherokee Indian.

REMARKS:

Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Corda West

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of January, 1908

My commission expires

June 18, 1908, 190

[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me S. R. Miller and J. C. Newman

....., who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Corda West, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 3 years and 3 years, respectively, and know her to be identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witness to mark

Signature of witness
S. R. Miller
J. C. Newman

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22 day of January, 1908

My commission expires

June 18, 1908, 190

[Signature]
Notary Public

NOTE—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

APPLICATION

Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

Corde W. S. S.

Wanetta

Okla

Pottawatomie Co

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Oklahoma
Pottawatomie
COUNTY OF

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Corda West
for the county of Pottawatomie state of Oklahoma do hereby make consti-
tute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Semi nole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful at-
torney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior
Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato
share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this
case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises
I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of
all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and
the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my
claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not
paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Pottawatomie, Okla.

J. C. Newman
S. B. Miller
[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Corda West
Signature.

State of Oklahoma County of Pottawatomie Be it known on the 29 day of Jan. 1908
personally appeared Corda West, 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 ac-
knowledged 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 13, 1908
[L. S.]

Notary Public

And now to witness 29 day of Jan. 1908, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney,
etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises,
and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50)
Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who hav-
ing signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,

Witness my hand and seal this 29 day of Jan. 1908
W. M. Davis
Notary Public

Handwritten mark or signature at the bottom left corner.

COUNTY OF CLATSOP
EASTERN SHORELINES
JUN 25 1908

W- 44428

S. R. MILLER, PRES.

J. H. ROYSTER, VICE-PRES.

S. J. WEAVER, CASHIER

44432

The State National Bank of Wanette

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$27,000.00

Wanette, Okla., June 20 1908

Hon Mr Miller

Special Commissioner of
Court of Claims for
Eastern Cherokee

601 Curran Bld

Washington D.C.

Dear and Respected Sir
your letter rec and will say that
question 17 the reason why they
never enrolled is through pure
neglect - they just failed to take
hold and waited for some one
else to take the lead and my
Grandmother Wiley Jackson never
told none of her children of
this Indian descent until just
a few days before she died
and she told her baby boy
and he kept this to himself

S. R. MILLER, PRES.

J. H. ROYSTER, VICE-PRES.

S. J. WEAVER, CASHIER

The State National Bank of Wanette

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$27,000.00

Wanette, Okla.,

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about 8 years before he
told us and we tried
to get some of the older
ones to lead out and they
hardly knew how to get
about and finally my
youngest sister Corda Sheer
whose address you now have
and the no is 44432 she
heard of Mr Cagle at
Noward and she went to
corresponding with him and
then he and I went at
the business our selves and
my 2 grown sons and one
daughter namely Walter Weir
Rufus Weir & Oba Weir
and I have 6 more children
I suppose you know them

S. R. MILLER, PRES.

J. H. ROYSTER, VICE-PRES.

S. J. WEAVER, CASHIER

The State National Bank of Wanette

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Wanette, Okla.,

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I answer all with mine
question 2. I hardly knew
what you meant about
parties to treaties but if you
mean did they get any thing
money or land I can't say -
I don't know where they were
parties to the treaties - I don't
I can't say (question 3) The
ancestor through whom I claim
my Indian descent is - Judia
Moredock and in 1835 - She
resided in Tennessee (originated
from North Carolina (question 4)
was any of my ancestors slaves
no (white or colored) I always
have passed as white and
where I lived only the Indian
Blood shows in us the high

S. R. MILLER, PRES.

J. H. ROYSTER, VICE-PRES.

S. J. WEAVER, CASHIER

The State National Bank ~~Wanette~~ Wanette

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Wanette, Okla.,

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Check books denotes
Something and large and
tall a son ^{16th} Cherokee Indian
by the name of C. C. Jackson
and a lawyer by profession
told my uncle 8 years ago
that there were several
Woodruffs names on the Indian
Roll the reason my grandmother
never told this sooner before
she died is because she
said she didn't want her
children to do anything
until she died how Mr
Miller if you are an Odd
Fellow or Mason or
Woodman you are closely
related to us myself and
Daughters and Sisters are

S. R. MILLER, PRES.

J. H. ROYSTER, VICE-PRES.

S. J. WEAVER, CASHIER

The State National Bank of Wanette

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Wanette, Okla.,

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Woodmen Circle people and
my self and sister are
Rebekahs and my husband
is both a Mason and
Woodman and you know
~~the~~ the tie that binds
to your best for us and
God Rich blessing will rest
Bountifully on you now
hear help us please do all
you can now what part
does a 32^d get and how
much land and money
are they entitled to please
answer me by Return Mail
I am very anxious to
hear will you not.
Now this indian claim
comes in on my mother

S. R. MILLER, PRES.

J. H. ROYSTER, VICE-PRES.

S. J. WEAVER, CASHIER

The State National Bank of Wanette

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Side it is her Grandmother
on her mothers side i
hope we will be successful
and be lucky now do
your best for us now
please do and can't we
draw our mothers part
her being dead 3 years
tell me and and me very
soon - yours - fraternally

Gerah J. Deen

Wanette Oklahoma

and Corda J. West

Wanette Oklahoma

We live together

Please give us your best
attention =

No. 44433

Action: *Reject*

Name *Mary Brown* and *1* children. Residence: *Chanette, Okla.*

Reasons:

*Niece of #16388. Claims thru
same source.*

44433

No. 442

Name

With No. 44262

Remarks:

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No. 4433

Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION

OF

Nancy Brown

For share of money appropriated to Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved July 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
KONAWA
I. T.

FILED
MAY 2 1907
No.

Comissiononer 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 Court of Claims of May 18, 1905; and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—
 - English name: Mary Brown.
 - Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Wanette, OKLAH
3. Town and post office: Wanette.
4. County: Pottawatomie
5. State: Oklahoma.
6. Date and place of birth: Born May 21, 1883 in the State of Texas, age 24 yrs.
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 thru my great great great grandfather named Thomas Eles, who was full blood cherokee, and my great great grandfather, ^{Aaron Brown} who was a half blood cherokee.
8. Are you married? no
9. Name and age of wife or husband: have no husband
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
 - Father—English name: Aaron Brown
 - Indian name: _____
 - Mother—English name: Mary Francis Brown.
 - Indian name: _____
 - Maiden name: Mary Francis Dennisen
11. Where were they born?
 - Father: Hamilton County Tennessee.
 - Mother: in the State of Missouri.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father was born in 1851, in
 - Father: Hamilton County, Tennessee.
 - Mother: she was not living at that time.
13. Date of death of your father and mother:
 - Father: living
 - Mother: living

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:.....

no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Melissa Stokes, nee Brown,	April 7, 1877,	living
(2) Hetti Ex ^h ton, nee Brown	October 10, 1879	living.
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE

MOTHER'S

Aaron Brown,

17. Where were they born? in Bonctom County in the State of North Carolina.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

In Hamilton County, State of Tennessee.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Aaron Brown, ~~off the ...~~

Indian name:

Residence: died, don't know ~~where~~ where, in February 11, 1897.

(2) English name: Calvin Brown,

Indian name:

Residence: don't know where he ~~resided~~ died,

(3) English name: Lone Brown,

Indian name:

Residence: dont know where she ~~resided~~ died,

(4) English name: Larah Brown,

Indian name: Carolina Brown, dead, don't know where.

Residence:

(5) English name: Betsie Brown, ^{nee Mary Brown} dead, don't know where ~~she~~ ^{she} died.

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: Thomas Eles my great, great grandfather was a full blood Cherokee Indian, don't know where he lived.
~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~, who was the father of
Pollie Eles, my great grandmother who was a half blood Cherokee. She was the wife of Aaron Brown, who was my great grandfather.

REMARKS:

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

NOTE—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signature Mary Brown
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Jan., 1908

My commission expires June 18, 1908

J. Gordon
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT

The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.

Personally appeared before me W. H. Kugle and J. Gordon, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Mary Brown, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and 7 years, respectively, and know her to be identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witness to mark _____ Signature of witness W. H. Kugle

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Jan., 1908

My commission expires June 18, 1908

J. Gordon
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.

APPLICATION
Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

Mary Ann
Hanella
B. W.

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Oklahoma
COUNTY OF Ottawatomie

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Mary Brown

for the county of Ottawatomie state of Oklahoma do hereby make constitute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Wauveta, Okla

[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Mary Brown
Signature.

State of Oklahoma County of Ottawatomie. Be it known on the Jan day of 1908 personally appeared Mary Brown, 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 18 1908
[L. S.]

[Signature]

And now to witness 29 day of Jan 1908, 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 29 day of Jan 1908
M. Davis
Notary Public

[Handwritten note]

No. 11111.31

Action: Reject

Name Hettie Epleton and X children. Residence: Chanette, Okla.

Reasons:

Misc - of #16388. Claims thru same source.

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misc

No. ~~11111~~

Eastern Cherokees

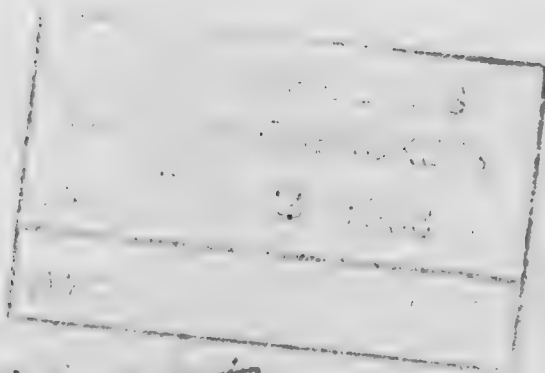
APPLICATION

OF

H. H. Cagle

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 18, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
KONAWA
I. T.



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Comissiononer 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 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: Hettie Exelton, nee Brown.
Indian name: _____
2. Residence: Wanette,
3. Town and post office: Wanette,
4. County: Pottawatomie
5. State: Oklahoma
6. Date and place of birth: Born October 10, 1879, in the State of Texas.
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: I claim thru my great great grandfather named Thomas Eles, who was a full blood cherokee. and my great grandfather who was a half blood Cherokee
8. Are you married? yes,
9. Name and age of wife or husband: husband's name Elmer Exelton, age 26 years.
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: _____
Indian name: Aaron Brown,
Mother—English name: Mary Francis Brown,
Indian name: _____
Maiden name: Mary Francis Dennison,
11. Where were they born?
Father: Hamilton, County, Tennessee,
Mother: State of Missoyuri.
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father was born in 1851, in
Father: Hamilton County, Tennessee.
Mother: Mother had not yet been born.
13. Date of death of your father and mother:
Father: both living Mother: _____

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) Mary Brown	May 21, 1883.	living.
(2) Melissa Stokes, nee Brown,	April 7, 1877.	living.
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S
Aaron Brown.	

17. Where were they born? Boncrum County in the State of North Carolina.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Hamilton County, State of Tennessee.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Aaron Brown, ~~my father who is living in Warren~~
Indian name: ~~OKIAZZZZ~~
Residence: died, ~~don't know when and where~~ February 11, 1897,

(2) English name: Calvin Brown, died, don't know where.
Indian name: dont know when and where.
Residence:

(3) English name: Lone Brown,
Indian name:
Residence: died, dont know when and where.

(4) English name: Larah Brown,
Indian name:
Residence: died, don't know when and where.

(5) English name: Caroline and Betsy Brown, *Ecker and Mary Brown.*
Indian name:
Residence: died, dont know when and where.

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: Thomas Eles my great great grand-
father was a full blood Cherokee Indian, Poly Eles my great grandmoxx
grandmother, was a half blood Cherokee Indian was the wife of Aaron
Brown my great grandfather.

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 Hattie E. Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

Mar 18, 1908

W. H. Kuyler
 Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT

The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.

Personally appeared before me ~~William H. Kuyler~~ William H. Kuyler and
W. H. Kuyler

who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Hettie E. Brown, nee Brown, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 7 years and 2 years, respectively, and know her to be identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witness to mark

[initials]

Signature of witness

William H. Kuyler

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of January, 1908

My commission expires

1908

W. H. Kuyler
 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.

APPLICATION
Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

Hella [unclear]

Trustee

Oklahoma

B.F.D.

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE

CLAIM AGENT,

KONAWA I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Oklahoma
COUNTY OF Pottawatomie

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Hettie E. Epton
for the county of Pottawatomie state of Oklahoma do hereby make consti-
tute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful at-
torney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior
Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato
share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this
case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises
I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of
all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and
the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my
claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not
paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Nowata, Okla.

X William H. Hingle
X [Signature]
[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Hettie E. Epton
Signature.

State of Oklahoma County of Pottawatomie. Be it known on the Jan day of 1908
personally appeared Hettie E. Epton, 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 ac-
knowledged the same to be her free act and deed, and that she has not paid an attorney any sum whatever for
his services in said claim.

My commission expires Jan 5 1908
[L. S.]

[Signature]

And now to witness 29 day of Jan 1908, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney,
etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises,
and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50)
Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who hav-
ing signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,

Witness my hand and seal this 9 day Jan 1908

Nowata
Notary Public

No. 111135

Action: *Reject*

Name: *Melissa Stokes* and *2* children. Residence: *Filbey, Orea*

Reasons:

*(Mice of #16388. Claims thru
same source.)*

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Miss
No. 41435

Eastern Cherokees

APPLICATION

OF

Melissa Stokes

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
Claim Agent
KONAWA
I. T.

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EASTERN CHEROKEES
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No.

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Comissiononer 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 Court of Claims of May 18, 1905; and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Melissa Stokes, nee Brown,

Indian name: have none

2. Residence: Wanette,

3. Town and post office: Wanette,

4. County: Pottawatomie

5. State: Oklahoma

6. Date and place of birth: April 7, 1877, in Wise County, Texas,

7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set

forth each claim separately: I claim thru my great great grandfather,
named Thomas Eles who was a full blood Cherokee.

8. Are you married? yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Samuel D. Stokes, husband, aged 34 years.

10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.

Father—English name: Aaron Brown,

Indian name:

Mother—English name: Mary Francis Brown,

Indian name:

Maiden name: Mary Francis Dennison,

11. Where were they born?

Father: Father was born in 1851 in Hamilton County, Tennessee.

Mother: in the State of Missouri.

12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Hamilton County, Tennessee.

Mother: Mother had not yet been born.

13. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: both living

Mother:

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where?

no

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

NAME	BORN	DIED
(1) <i>Hettie Erection</i>	October 10, 1879.	living.
(2) Mary Brown	May 21, 1883.	
(3)		
(4)		
(5)		
(6)		

16. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE	MOTHER'S
Aaron Brown.	

17. Where were they born? Boncron County in the State of Tennessee.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Hamilton County, State of Tennessee.

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

(1) English name: Aaron Brown,

Indian name:

Residence: died February 11, 1897.

(2) English name: Calvin Brown, died, dont know where.

Indian name:

Residence:

(3) English name: Lone Brown, died, don't know where/ or when.

Indian name:

Residence:

(4) English name: Larah Brown, died dont know when or where.

Indian name:

Residence:

(5) English name: *Ester & Mary Brown* Caroline and Betsy Brown, died, dont know when or where.

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: Thomas Ellis my great great grand-
father was a full blood Cherokee Indian, Polly Eies my great grand-
mother was a half blood Cherokee Indian, ^{and} the wife of Aaron Brown
my great grandfather.

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

Melissa Stokes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of January, 1908.

My commission expires

June 18, 1903, 190

J. Gordon
Notary Public

AFFIDAVIT

The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.

Personally appeared before me

C. E. Meshever

and

John Thompson, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Melissa Stokes, nee Brown, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 6 years and 6 years, respectively, and know her to be identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witness to mark

Signature of witness

C. E. Meshever

John Thompson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of Jan, 1908.

My commission expires

190

J. Gordon
Notary Public

NOTE—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. E. Muckheim

John Thompson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of February, 1908.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1 1908, 1908.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the court. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Melissa Hopson

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA, IND.

Supplemental Application for Minor Children

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due my minor children of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, and I ask that this be made part of my original application No. _____

1. State your full name: Melissa Stokes
2. Residence and post office: Pubbey
3. County: Pottawatomie
4. State: Oklahoma
5. Date and place of birth: April 7, 1877, in Wise County, Texas,
6. Are you married? Yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Samuel D. Stokes
8. To what tribe of Indians, if any, does he or she belong? no tribe, she Cherokee
9. Names of all your children who were living on May 28, 1906:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Redford Stokes</u>	<u>11 years.</u>	<u>3rd of January 1897.</u>
(2)	<u>Mammie Stokes</u>	<u>4 "</u>	<u>30th of March, 1903.</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

10. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No.

REMARKS

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I claim my rights for my children, thru the same descent as my own claim, which I am filing.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Melissa Stokes

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27 day of May, 1908


 Notary Public.
 My Commission expires June 15, 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. Musher and *John Thompson* who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Melissa Stoke* who makes the

foregoing application and statement, and have known *her* for *6* years and *6* years, respectively, and know *her* to be the identical person *she* represents *herself* to be, and that on May 28, 1906, *she* had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by *her* are true, and they have no interest whatever in *her* claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

C. E. Musher
John Thompson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *29th* day of *January*, 190*6*.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires *June 10*, 190*6*.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public or clerk of the 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 CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

[Signature]

FOR MINOR CHILDREN

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

FILED BY
ANDERSON P. CAGLE
CLAIM AGENT
KONAWA, IND.

APPLICATION
Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

Melvin H. Tribby
Tribby
Okla
Pottawatomie Co

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Oklahoma
COUNTY OF Ottawa

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Melissa Stokes
for the county of Ottawa state of Oklahoma do hereby make constitute and appoint Anderson P. Cagle of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful attorney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Tribbey, Okla., P. O.

J. Gordon
J. E. Musher
[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Melissa Stokes
Signature.

State of Oklahoma County of Ottawa. Be it known on the 27 day of Jan, 1908 personally appeared Melissa Stokes, 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 free act and deed, and that she has not paid... attorney any sum whatever for his services in said claim.

My commission expires June 18 1908
[L. S.]

J. Gordon
J. E. Musher

And now to witness 27 day of Jan, 1908, 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 27 day of Jan 1908
W. M. Davis
Notary Public

Stokes

No. 14436

Action: Rejects

Name Aron Brown and X children. Residence: Harvelle, Okla.

Reasons:

Brother of #16388. Claims thru
same source.

44436

No. 44236

Name *Wm. Brown*

With No. 44236

Remarks:

Grash...

No. 31408

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

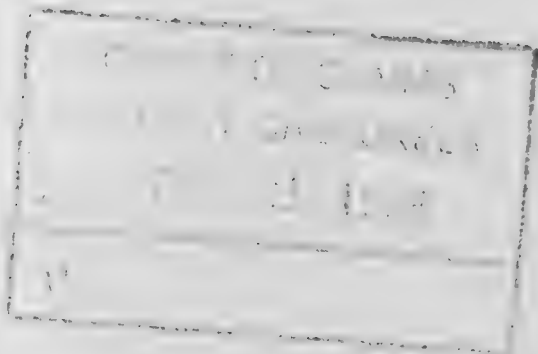
Aron Brown

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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FILED BY

ANDERSON



95-547

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—
English name: Arion Brown
Indian name: 1/8 Cherokee Indian by blood
2. Residence and post office: Manette Okla
3. County: Pottawatomie
4. State: Oklahoma
5. How old are you? age 58. Born 1851 in Hamilton Co Tennessee
6. Where were you born? Hamilton County Tennessee
7. Are you married? yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband Wife is Mary F Brown age 45 years
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? wife is no Indian. I am 1/8 Cherokee
10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Malissie Brown</u>		
(2)	<u>(Now Stokes) April 7, 1877</u>	<u>30 years</u>	<u>in Texas</u>
(3)	<u>Hettie Brown</u>		
(4)	<u>(Now Carlton) Oct 10, 1879</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>in Texas</u>
(5)	<u>Mary Brown May 21, 1883</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>in Texas</u>
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: Arion Brown being 1/4 Cherokee Indian by blood
 Indian name: Came through the Edes family
 Mother—English name: Elizabeth Brown
 Indian name: None
 Maiden name: Elizabeth McEntire

12. Where were they born?
 Father: Born in Rowan Co North Carolina
 Mother: Montgomery "

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Hamilton Co. Tennessee
 Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: February 11th 1897.
 Mother: Dec. 18th 1898.

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Simson Brown</u>	<u>1833</u>	<u>dead</u>
(2)	<u>Jame " "</u>	<u>1835</u>	<u>" "</u>
	<u>Pauline " (Now Helen)</u>	<u>1837</u>	<u>living</u>
	<u>Emeline " (" Macky)</u>	<u>1840</u>	<u>" "</u>
(3)	<u>Anderson "</u>	<u>1842</u>	<u>dead</u>
	<u>Evan "</u>	<u>1844</u>	<u>living</u>
(4)	<u>Kate & Roan, twins (Now Followell)</u>	<u>1846</u>	<u>one dead</u>
(5)	<u>William Brown</u>	<u>1848</u>	<u>living when last heard from</u>
	<u>Aron Brown</u>	<u>1851</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>my grandfather</u>	<u>my grand mother</u>
<u>aron Brown Married</u>	<u>Pollie Brown being</u>
<u>a half breed Cherokee</u>	<u>a half breed Cherokee</u>
<u>Indian by blood</u>	<u>Indian</u>

18. Where were they born? in Boncrom Co. North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? white Co Tennessee

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1) <u>Aron Brown (dead)</u>	<u>Easter Brown</u>
(2) <u>Calvin Brown</u>	<u>Mary Brown</u>
(3) <u>Lone Brown</u>	<u>those names mention</u>
(4) <u>Larah Brown</u>	<u>hear it is imposible to</u>
(5) <u>Caroline Brown</u>	<u>give dates or Reference</u>
(6) <u>Betsie Brown</u>	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: No

22: To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Thomas Eles my grate grand father being a full blood Cherokee Indian and the father of Pollie Eles which is a half breed Cherokee

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
and she being the wife of Aron Brown and he being my grandfather

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Aron Brown

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of January, 1908.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 15, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me [Signature]
and W. H. Kuyler, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Aron Brown who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 5 years and 7 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of January, 1908.

[Signature]
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 15, 1908

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APPLICATION
Power of Attorney
and
Contract

For

Larry Brown
Vanetta
Wila
Pillawatomie

FILED BY

ANDERSON P. CAGLE
CLAIM AGENT,
KONAWA I. T.

Power of Attorney and Contract.

STATE OF Oklahoma
COUNTY OF Pottawatomie

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

That I Arrou Brown
for the county of Pottawatomie state of Oklahoma do hereby make consti-
tute and appoint ANDERSON P. CAGLE of Seminole Nation, Indian Territory, Konawa P. O., my true and lawful at-
torney, for me, and in my name, place and stead, to prosecute my claim, now or hereafter pending before the Interior
Department, Washington D. C., for money due the Eastern Cherokees for which I am an applicant for my prorato
share of said funds, and I hereby cancel and revoke all previous Powers of Attorney, if any has been given in this
case.

Now this agreement witnesseth, that for and in consideration of services done and to be done in the premises
I hereby allow my attorney, Anderson P. Cagle of Konawa, Indian Territory, the (sum) fee of (10) ten per cent of
all monies collected, which shall include all amounts to be paid for any services in the furtherance of said claim, and
the fee shall not be demanded by, or payable to my said attorney in whole or in part, except in the granting of my
claim, by the proper authority, and then it shall be paid to him in accordance with this agreement, and I have not
paid my attorney any sum for his services in said claim. My post office is Wauwette, Okla.

[Two witnesses who can write sign here.]

Arrou Brown
Signature.

State of Oklahoma County of Pottawatomie Be it known on the 25 day of Jan 1908
personally appeared Arrou Brown, who after having read over to him in the presence of the
attesting witnesses, the foregoing declaration, power of attorney and contract after being qualified, signed and ac-
knowledged the same to be his free act and deed, and that he has not paid his attorney any sum whatever for
his services in said claim.

My commission expires Jan 18 8 1908
[L. S.]

[Signature]
[Signature]

And now to witness 29 day of Jan 1908, I accept the foregoing declaration, power of attorney,
etc., and will, to the best of my ability, endeavor to faithfully represent the interests of the claimant in the premises,
and I hereby certify that I have not received from claimant above named any sum as fee and not exceeding (\$2.50)
Two Dollars and fifty cents for expenses.

Witness my hand the year and day above written. Anderson P. Cagle
Personally came ANDERSON P. CAGLE whom I know to be the person he represents himself to be, who hav-
ing signed above acceptance of declaration and agreement acknowledges the same to be his free act,

Witness my hand and seal this 29 day of Jan 1908

W. M. Davis
Notary Public

Alvin

No. 44437.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Jeff Deanes* and *X* children. Residence: *Yellow Creek, N. C.*

Reasons: *Kirkland case*

44437

No. 4443-1-8-9-0-

Name J. J. ...

With No. 356

Remarks:

X

No. 4437

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

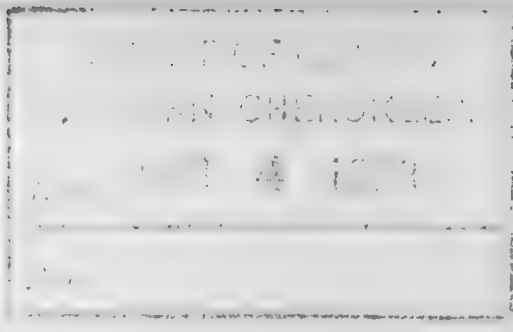
APPLICATION

OF

J. Jefferson Deaves

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905/28, 1906.

grandparent



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.
Attorney and Solicitor,
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

4437

Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith 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 Jefferson Beover

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Yellow Creek

3. County: Grohon

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 29 Born Nov. 14/1878

6. Where were you born? Grohon county N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Wixie Beover

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>None</u>		
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: John H. Beover

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Susann Beover

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Susann Thirkland

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee county North Carolina

Mother: Rachel Beover Monroe county Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Not born then

Mother: " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: not dead

Mother: _____

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Julia Ann. Holly</u> <u>Yellow Creek</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>Jeff. Brown</u>	<u>John Kirkland</u>
<u>Margaret Brown</u>	<u>Julia Ann. Kirkland</u>

18. Where were they born? Cherokee county North C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Monroe county La

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Carot. Rymer</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Caroline Rymer</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Lillie Wilkerson</u>	_____
(4)	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never have

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Can't give back any further

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Beulah A. Lockwood of Wash. D.C., my 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) Jeff Deaver

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Jan - 1908.

V. E. Grant
Notary Public.

My commission expires Three years off, 190 .

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the

Personally appeared before me J. F. Williams
and A. C. Williams, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Jeff Deaver who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 29 years and 29 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

J. F. Williams
A. C. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Jan - 1908.

My commission expires Three years hence, 190 . V. E. Grant
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44438.

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Susan A. Deaver and 2* children. Residence: *Yellow Creek et. C.*

Reasons: *Kirkland & Case*

44438

No. 4438

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

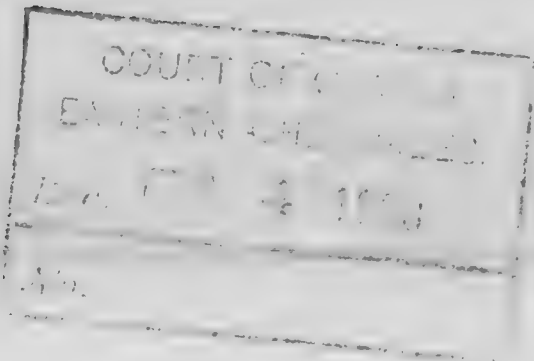
APPLICATION

OF

Inman A. Deaver

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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: Susann Deaver

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Yellow Creek

3. County: Grohon

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 47

Born

Nov 14/1860

6. Where were you born? nowhere county Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: John H. Deaver (47)

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME	AGE	BORN.
(1)	<u>Thomas J. Deaver</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>Dec. 14/1878</u>
(2)	<u>Julia Ann Deaver</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>1870</u>
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John Kirkland

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Julia Kirkland

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Julia Giles

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee county N.C.

Mother: South Carolina

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in Monroe County Tenn
Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died five years ago
Mother: " " " 1875

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never got any thing

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Sarah Rymer Belmont Tenn		
(2)	Gerohine Deputy Cane Creek Tenn		
(3)	Bertie Williams Ball play Tenn		
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
Ben Kirkland	Thom. Silas
Eppie Kirkland	Nancy Silas

18. Where were they born? Monroe county Tenn

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Monroe county Tenn

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Will Kirkland
- (2) Andy Kirkland
- (3) Albert Kirkland
- (4) Rebecca Robberds
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

21. Have you ever been controlled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never from down

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 Be wa A. Lockwood of Wash. D.C. my 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)

S. A. Deaver

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of June 1908

J. E. Grant

Notary Public.

My commission expires

expires 3 years hence, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. C. Williams

and M. A. Grant, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Susanna Deaver

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 47 years and

32 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. C. Williams

M. A. Grant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of June, 1908

My commission expires

Three years off, 190

J. E. Grant

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44439

Action: Reject

Name John Hamilton Deaver and X children. Residence: Yellow Creek St, C.

Reasons: Kirkland case

4439

X
No. 4139

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

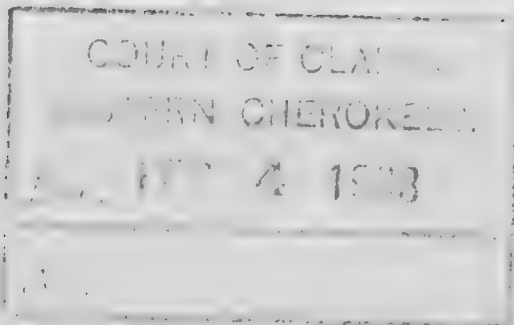
APPLICATION

OF

John Hamilton Deaver

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indians by the Act 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 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 Hamilton Deaver

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Yellow Creek Grohoun Co. N.C.

3. County: Grohoun

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 47

Born June 1st 1860

6. Where were you born? Cherokee County, North Carolina

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Susanna Deaver March 14/1860

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>Jeff Deaver</u>	<u>Dec. 14 / 1878</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Juliana Deaver</u>	<u>May 27 / 1880</u>	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: T. Jefferson Deaver

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Angeline Deaver

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Angeline Pittland

12. Where were they born?

Father: born in Tenn. Blount County

Mother: " " N. C. Cherokee County

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: in North Carolina

Mother: '' '' ''

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Died in year 1864

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: got nothing

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Rachel, William</u> <u>Yellow Creek N.C.</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>Bill Brown</u>	<u>John Kirkland</u>
<u>Lizzie Brown</u>	<u>Rachel Kirkland</u>

18. Where were they born? Don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? In Cherokee co. N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<u>Don't know them. had some too.</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: Never have

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: _____

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Bebra N. Lockwood of Wash. D.C. my Attorney, and allow her a Commission of Ten (10) % cent.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

B. H. Deaver

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of Jan - 1908

J. E. Grant

Notary Public.

My commission expires

3 years off, 190

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. S. Williams
and Mother C. Grant, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with B. H. Deaver who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 47 years and 24 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. S. Williams

M. C. Grant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of Jan - 1908

My commission expires

3 Three years off, 190

J. E. Grant

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44440

Action: Reject.

Name A. P. Williams and 4 children. Residence: Foir Foy et. Caro.

Reasons: Kubland case

44440

No. 21440

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

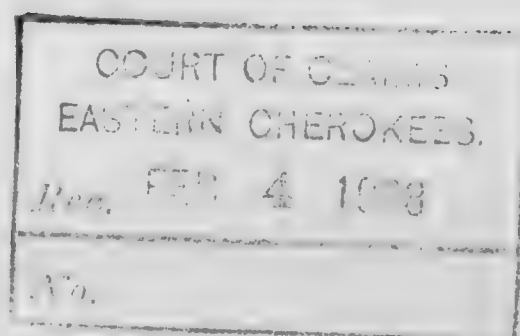
APPLICATION

OF

A. C. Williams

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

6-624



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD,
Attorney and Solicitor,
619 F STREET, NORTHWEST,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

21440

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: A. C. Williams

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Fairfax

3. County: Swoon

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 5-2 Born May 18-1856

6. Where were you born? Cherokee county N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jones Williams 47 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>Josie Grant</u>	<u>24</u>	_____
(2)	<u>Jacob Williams</u>	<u>23</u>	_____
(3)	<u>Olley Williams</u>	<u>—</u>	_____
(4)	<u>Julia Williams</u>	<u>Burrill Williams</u>	_____
(5)	<u>Lizzie Williams</u>	<u>Bob Williams</u>	_____
(6)	<u>Joseph Williams</u>	_____	_____
	<u>Polson Williams</u>	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: George Williams

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Belsie Williams

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Bessie Kirkland

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee county North Carolina

Mother: Mother in N.C. and father in Tennessee

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Cherokee county N.C.
Mother: " " " "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died during the war of 1861
Mother: not dead

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: never was

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Goldman Williams</u> <u>Yellow Creek</u>		
(2)	<u>Columbia Williams</u> <u>Yellow Creek</u>		
(3)	<u>Jim Williams</u> <u>Tuskegee</u>		
(4)	<u>Jess Williams</u>		<u>dead</u>
(5)	<u>Rachel Williams</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>Mill Williams</u>	<u>John H. Kirkland</u>
<u>Femio Williams</u>	<u>Rachel Kirkland</u>

18. Where were they born? Come from Pa.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Cherokee county N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) _____
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never have

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Can't give them

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Beba A. Lockwood of Washington D.C. my 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) A. C. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of Jan 1908

V. E. Grant
Notary Public.

My commission expires

3 years hence, 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 Weaver
and Mortua A. Grant, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with A. C. Williams who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 47 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.

J. H. Weaver
M. A. Grant

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of Jan, 1908

My commission expires

Three years 7/1, 1908. V. E. Grant
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44441

Action: Rejected

Name Texie Jones-Williams and X children. Residence: Alexander City, Ala.

Reasons:

Filed too late - Feb. 1908 - No unions

44441

Reject - ?

No. 44441

Name Dixie J. Williams

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. _____

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

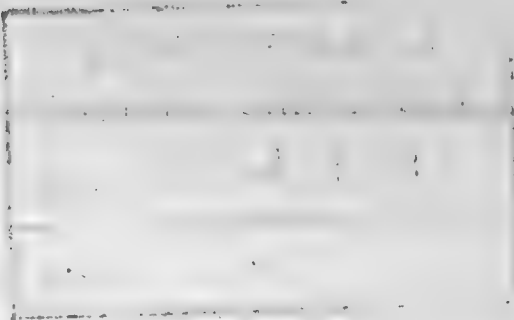
APPLICATION

OF

Lexie Jones Williams

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court _____, 1900, and May 28, 1906.

6-024



BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.

Attorney and Solicitor,

619 F STREET, N.W. WASHINGTON, D.C.

WASHINGTON, D.C.

16-7-07

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— **Texie Jones-Williams**
English name: **Texie Tidwell**
Indian name: **unknown**
2. Residence: **Alexander City, Alabama**
3. Town and post office: **Alexander City, Alabama**
4. County: **Tallapoosa**
5. State: **Alabama**
6. Date and place of birth: **1869 November 19th Macon County, Alabama**
7. By what right do you claim to share? If you claim through more than one relative living in 1851, set forth each claim separately: **My Father "Indian Brother Chief" a Cherokee Indian.**
8. Are you married? **yes a widow**
9. Name and age of wife or husband: **I am 38**
S. J. Williams, age about 70 years was once my husband
10. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.
Father—English name: **William Tidwell was "brother Indian Chief"**
Indian name: **unknown**
Mother—English name: **Martha Ann Roy- Tidwell**
Indian name: **unknown**
Maiden name: **Martha Ann Roy**
11. Where were they born?
Father: **Madison County, Ga**
Mother: **Macon County, Alabama**
12. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?
Father: **Madison County, Georgia**
Mother: **In Alabama Macon County**
13. Date of death of your father and mother—
Father: **Sept. 8 1898** Mother: **July 25th 1877**

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where:

They were not

15. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and if not living, the date of death:

	NAME	BORN	DIED
(1)	William Tidwell	1864	
(2)	D. B. Tidwell	1872 May 15th	
(3)	Dixie Warren	1868 Jan. 15th	
(4)	Ella Junior	1875 Aug. 28th	
(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
Riley Tidwell	Daniel Roy

17. Where were they born? In South Carolina

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? They was living at that time-I was not born

19. Give names of all their children, and residence, if living; if not living, give dates of deaths:

- (1) English name: Tidwell # 1##
Indian name: unknown do not
Residence: Georgia
- (2) English name: Tidwell
Indian name: unknown, I was too young
Residence: Georgia
- (3) English name: Tidwell
Indian name: unknown, they are in the Territory
Residence: Georgia
- (4) English name: Tidwell
Indian name: They are all in the Territory
Residence: Georgia
- (5) English name: Tidwell
Indian name: They are in the Territory
Residence: Georgia

20. Have you ever been enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where. I have not

21. To expedite identification, claimants should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their paternal and maternal ancestors back to 1835:

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REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional information that he believes will assist in proving his claims.)

I hereby appoint Belva A Lockwood my Attorney with a Commission of 10 per cent as fee Belva A Lockwood resides in Washington

NOTE.—Answers should be brief but explicit; the words "Yes," "No," "Unknown," etc., may be used in cases where applicable. Read the questions carefully.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature.) Mrs. Jessie Jones Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of June, 1908

My commission expires

....., 190

[Signature]
Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me *Hixie Harrison Reagan* and *C. V. Carruth*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Mrs. Jessie Jones Williams*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for *2* years and *7* years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Hixie Harrison Reagan
C. V. Carruth

Subscribed and sworn to before me this .. day of .., 1906.

My commission expires

....., 190

[Signature]
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, clerk of the court, or before a person having a seal. If sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

Appln. No. 44441.

June 10, 1908.

Rexie J. Williams,

Alexander, Alabama.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Give any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1845. State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1845.

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

Return to Mr. J. Williams

COURT OF CLAIMS
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**SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.**

June 10, 1909.

*Terie Jones Williams
Alexander City, Ala.*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. *4474*, 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,
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*Mrs. Jessie Jones Wilhoins
Alexander City
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No. H4442

Action: Reject

Name Julia Farley and 4 children.

Residence: Yellow Creek et. c.

Reasons: Kiskadee case.

H4442

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With No.

Remarks:

No. 4442

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

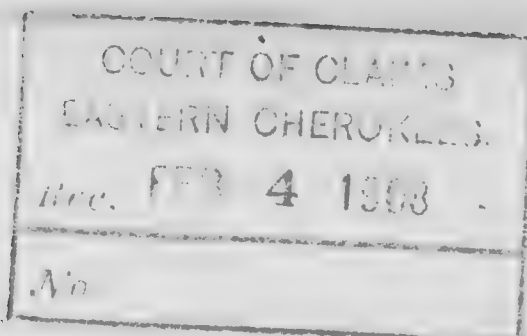
APPLICATION

OF

Julia Ann Garley

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decision of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 2, 1906.

6-624



BENJAMIN A. LOCKWOOD

Attorney and Solicitor,

1000 P 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: Julie Ann Forsley
Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Yellow Creek N.C.

3. County: Grookan

4. State: North Carolina

5. How old are you? 27 Born May 27 / 1880

6. Where were you born? Grookan county N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Thomas Forsley

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>John Henry Forsley</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Sept - 23 / 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Jeff Forsley</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Nov. 17 / 1902</u>
(3)	<u>Maggie Forsley</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Aug. 10 / 1904</u>
(4)	<u>Willie Forsley</u>	<u>10 months</u>	<u>May 10 / 1907</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

John H. Beover
Father—English name: John H. Beover

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Susan Beover

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Susan Kirkland

12. Where were they born?

Father: Cherokee county N.C.

Mother: Morgan county Ga.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: not born

Mother: _____

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: not dead

Mother: _____

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Jeff Beover</u>	<u>Dec. 14/1870</u>	
(2)	_____	_____	_____
(3)	_____	_____	_____
(4)	_____	_____	_____
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
<u>Jeff Beover</u>	<u>John Kirkland</u>
<u>Angeline Beover</u>	<u>Julia Ann Kirkland</u>
<u>Levin Blount Co</u>	<u>Born in N.C. Cherokee</u>
	<u>County, Va</u>

18. Where were they born?

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Cherokee County North Carolina

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Sarah Byner
- (2) Caroline Byner
- (3) Lila Williams
- (4) insona Beover
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never were

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 Beba A. Lockwood of Wash. D.C. my 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)

Julia Farley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of Jan 1908

V. E. Grand

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Three years off, 1908

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me A. C. Williams

and Wm. H. Deaver, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Julia Farley

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 27 years and

27 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents

herself to be, and that the statements made by her are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in her claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. C. Williams

J. H. Deaver

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1907.

My commission expires

Three years off, 1900

V. E. Grand

Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, when Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indi

before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an

No. 44443

Action: Rejected.

Name Thos. Farley and 4 children. Residence: Yellow Creek, W. C.

Reasons:

Neither applicant nor ancestors ever enrolled.

Does not establish fact of descent from a person
who was a party to the treaty of 1835-6 and 1846

44443

Field. Graham Co. *Reject* ?

No. *44443* .*RC*

Name *Thomas Harley*

With No.

Remarks:

Filed too late.

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 44443

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Thomas Farley?

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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. FEB 4 1908 No.

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: Thomas Farley

Indian name: _____

2. Residence and post office: Yellow Creek

3. County: Graham

4. State: N.C.

5. How old are you? 35 Born Yellow Creek N.C.

6. Where were you born? Yellow Creek N.C.

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Julie Ann Farley (27)

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages: _____

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Harvey Farley</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Sept 23 / 1899</u>
(2)	<u>Jeff Farley</u>	<u>6</u>	<u>Nov. 17 / 1900</u>
(3)	<u>Maggie Farley</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>Aug. 10 / 1904</u>
(4)	<u>Willie Farley</u>	<u>10 months old</u>	<u>May 10 / 1907</u>
(5)	_____	_____	_____
(6)	_____	_____	_____

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage: _____

Father—English name: William Farley

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Jane Farley

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Jane Davis

12. Where were they born? _____

Father: Jackson county N.C.

Mother: Blount county Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Sheoat Graham County N.C.

Mother: Blount County Tenn

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died about 18 years ago

Mother: not clear

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>William Harley</u>		<u>dead</u>
(2)	<u>John Harley</u> <u>Proctor N.C.</u>		
(3)	<u>Lumpkin Harley</u> <u>Cobb County</u>		
(4)	<u>Fildie Lynn</u> <u>Cherokee Tenn</u>		
(5)	<u>Herritt Cook</u> <u>Proctor N.C.</u>		
(6)	<u>Carrie Mitchell</u> <u>Proctor N.C.</u>		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.
Longly, Harley

MOTHER'S SIDE.
Thomas Davis
Rilla Davis

18. Where were they born? _____

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) _____
- (2) _____
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Never have

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Samuel Farley on Father's side, On Mother's side I don't remember.

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I hereby appoint Bebra A. Lockwood of Wash. D.C. my 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) Thomas Farley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31 day of June 1908

My commission expires Three years off, 1908 Notary Public.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me John H. Brown and A. C. Williams, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Thomas Farley who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 35 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.
J. H. Brown
A. C. Williams

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st day of June, 1908

My commission expires Three years off, 1908 J. E. Green Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, when possible, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian Department, they may not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Appln. No. 44443.

June 10, 1908.

Thomas Farley,

Yellow Creek, N. C.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and where that ancestor resided in 1835 and 1846? Were

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

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Commissioner of the Court at
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No. HHHHH.

Action: Reject

Name Ida Moody and X children. Residence: Etowah, Tenn.

Reasons: Kirkland case

HHHHH

No. 4444

Name: W. M. Taylor

With No. 256 J

Remarks:

No. 11111

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Wm. Moody

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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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: Ida, Woody
Indian name: " Kirkland

2. Residence and post office: Etawah

3. County: Memphis

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 21 Born May 18, 1886

6. Where were you born? Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Charley Woody, 23

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

No children

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John P. Rymer

Indian name: " Kirkland

Mother—English name: Nancy Rymer

Indian name: " Kirkland

Maiden name: " "

12. Where were they born?

Father: N.C.

Mother: Tenn

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tom
Mother: "

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: Living
Mother: Feb. 15 1907

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: The Kirklands were

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Ruben Pymer		
	Mary "Llew		
(2)	Kate " "		
	Steve " "		
(3)	Hannah " "		
	Jasper " "		
(4)	Charley " "		
	John " "		
(5)	Mike " "		
(6)			

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	Ciss Kirkland
	" "
	Lillie " "
	" "

18. Where were they born? Ill. & Tenn.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Tenn.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Mary Kirkland
- (2) Ruben " "
- (3) Jim " "
- (4) Pagey " "
- (5) Issac " "
- (6) Lilah " "
- Jud " "
- Leah " "
- John " "
- Nancy " "
- John " "

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: M. Mother Nancy

Pymer maiden name Nancy Kirkland
her Father Chris Kirkland his Father

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Jim Kirkland his Father Jim
Kirkland his Father Nathan Kirkland

acher her step
I here by giving up all my rights and interests in the land of my
ancestry solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and
belief.

(Signature) Ida Wardy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of Feb 1907, 1908

J. P. Thompson
Notary Public.

My commission expires

October 1st, 1908.

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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 S. E. Masengil
and C. L. Masengil, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Ida Wardy
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 16 years and
15 years, respectively, and know her to be the identical person she represents
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.

S. E. Masengil
C. L. Masengil

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3^d day of February, 1907, 1908

My commission expires

October 1st, 1908. J. P. Thompson
Notary Public.

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SPECIAL COMMISSIONER OF THE COURT OF CLAIMS,
EASTERN CHEROKEE ENROLLMENT,
601 OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 10, 1909.

*Ida Moody
Etowah-Tenn*

Sir:

On May 28, 1909, I reported to the Court of Claims that your application, No. 44444, for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims of May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, should be rejected, and on June 10, 1909, the Court entered an order as follows:

"It is further ordered that the said roll of individual Eastern Cherokees entitled to share in the fund arising from the judgment in this cause, as reported by Special Commissioner Guion Miller, on the 28th day of May, 1909, be and the same is hereby approved, ratified and confirmed, except as to so much of the same as shall be specially excepted to on or before the 30th day of August, 1909. All such exceptions shall be forwarded to the Clerk of the Court of Claims, Washington, D. C., and shall be in writing, and shall state fully the grounds upon which such exceptions are based, and shall be supported by an affidavit of a person having knowledge of the facts and shall contain the name, age, and postoffice address of each individual claimed to have been omitted from said roll, or to have been improperly placed thereon. Said exceptions and affidavits shall be filed in duplicate in each case, but only the originals must be sworn to. In case an exception is filed on behalf of an individual whose name has been omitted from said roll the said exception shall set forth fully the English and Indian name of the ancestor through whom claim is made, who was living in 1835 or 1851, and shall give the age of said ancestor in 1835 or 1851. Such exceptions must further state the number of the claimant's application. All such exceptions shall be set down for hearing on the third Monday in October, 1909."

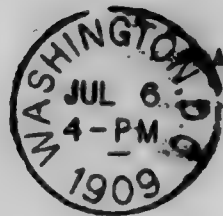
No exceptions, or letters, not strictly complying with the requirements of the above order of the Court in regard to the filing of exceptions will be considered.

Very respectfully,

GUION MILLER,

Special Commissioner.

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OFFICE OF SPECIAL COMMISSIONER,
OURAY BUILDING,
WASHINGTON, D. C.



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~~Ida Woody,~~
~~Stowah,~~
~~Tenn.~~

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No. 4444b;

Action: *Reject.*

Name *Isaac M. Vaughn* and *6* children. Residence: *Mollesville, Ind.*

Reasons: *Directors not on rolls. Does not prove
genuine connection with Cherokee title.
Evidence is insufficient to establish claim.*

Mic. text P. 18745

4444b

Field Jud. Dept - ?

No. 44445

Name Isaac M. Vaughan.

With No.

Remarks:
~~Filed~~
~~too late~~

Filed too late.

minor matter
was examined
to find
minor children

Awaiting reply to letter.

No. 41115

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Isaac M. Vaughn

Grandparents on both

Mother

Father

Mother

Father

1866, in
of May

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec FEB 5 1908
No.

5444

**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Isaac W Vaughn

Indian name: No Indian name

2. Residence and post office: Northsville Hamilton County Indiana

3. County: Hamilton

4. State: Indiana

5. How old are you? fifty one years Born March 27 1856

6. Where were you born? Parke County Indiana, 2 miles west of Rockville

7. Are you married? Yes.

8. Name and age of wife or husband: wifes name Lydia Vaughn

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? wife does not belong to Indian tribe

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>Gertrude Vaughn</u>	<u>Fifteen years</u>	<u>January 18th 1894</u>
(2)	<u>Frank Vaughn</u>	<u>Twelve years</u>	<u>March 30 1896</u>
(3)	<u>Fred Vaughn</u>	<u>Five years</u>	<u>August 5th 1898</u>
(4)	<u>Samuel Vaughn</u>	<u>Seven years</u>	<u>January 7th 1901</u>
(5)	<u>Daniel Vaughn</u>	<u>Four years</u>	<u>March 29th 1903</u>
(6)	<u>Alfred Vaughn</u>	<u>One year</u>	<u>February 11th 1906</u>

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father's Isaac Titus Vaughn, mother's name Eliza Jane Dyson

Father—English name: Isaac Titus Vaughn

Indian name: No Indian name

Mother—English name: Eliza Jane Dyson

Indian name: No Indian name

Maiden name: Eliza Jane Dyson

12. Where were they born?

Father: In State of Virginia, Halifax County

Mother: In Kentucky in mountains in square land

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Paris Illinois

Mother: Paris Illinois

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: died December 1st 1869

Mother: died February 20th 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: never enrolled to my knowledge

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	John A Vaughn	November 16 th 1846	living Rockville Ind.
(2)	Joseph E Vaughn	April 12 th 1850	living Kokomo Ind.
(3)	Andrew P Vaughn	June 26 th 1853	February 19 th 1897
(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.
English name <u>David Vaughn</u>	Mother's father's English name <u></u>
No Indian name <u></u>	<u>Nelson Dyson no Indian name</u>
	Mother's mother Indian name <u></u>
	<u>Dula Honcom full blooded Cherokee</u>

18. Where were they born? cannot give place of birth of David Vaughn Grand-mother Dula Honcom, born Wicketown North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? All grand parents died before 1851

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Peter Vaughn, Canada Have not heard from him for 20 years
- (2) cannot give names of any other uncle or aunt
- (3) _____
- (4) _____
- (5) _____
- (6) _____

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: Have not

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Can not give names of any more remote ancestors

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
Can not give any other facts further than that my maternal grand mother Dula Hancock was a full blooded Cherokee Indian of Eastern tribe

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature)

Isaac M. Vaughn

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of February 1908

Harry J. Alexander
Notary Public.

My commission expires

March 16 1911

(The following affidavit must be sworn

by witnesses who are well acquainted with the

Personally appeared before me

and Isaac M. Vaughn

that they are well acquainted with Isaac M. Vaughn
who makes the foregoing application and Isaac M. Vaughn
25 years, respectively, and know

himself to be, and that the sta

tements 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.

Walter H. Evans

Nancy P. Evans

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of February 1908.

My commission expires

March 16/1911

Harry J. Alexander
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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 5 1908
No.

COUNCIL CHAMBER

Office of City Clerk,

A. A. GLENN, Clerk.

NOBLESVILLE, IND., February 3 1908

Mr. Miller dear sir
I have bin a littler
slow on filling my blank
on the account of my
attorney was busy
making the rolls for
Judge of Hamilton County
so I had to wait till the
election was over. These statement
that I have made is what I
was taught by my mother and
old papers that new her in an
earley day

yours respectfully

Isaac Vaughn

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Appln. #44445.

June 10, 1908.

Isaac M. Vaughn,
Noblesville, Ind.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee Fund please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled? Were any of your ancestors parties to the treaties of 1835-6 and 1846? State clearly the name of the ancestor through whom you claim and when that ancestor resided in 1846 and 1851? Were any of your ancestors slaves? Do you pass as white or colored in the community in which you live?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

COURT OF CLAIMS
AND EASTERN CHICKENS.
Rec. JUN 2 1908
No. 44445.

HARRY J. ALEXANDER

PATENT ATTORNEY

TERMS OF HAMILTON CIRCUIT COURT
SECOND MONDAY IN JANUARY
FIRST MONDAY IN APRIL
FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER

...LAWYER...

NOTARY PUBLIC

PHONES { OFFICE 244 NEW
RESIDENCE 401 NEW

NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA, June 26 1908.

Guion Miller, Special Commissioner,
Washington, D.C.,

44445

Dear Sir:-

I return you letter of June 10th. answered as follows:

1: I dont know whether parents or grand parents were enrolled
or not.

2. I dont know whether they were parties to the treaties of
1835-6 and 1846 or not.

3. I claim through my mother Eliza Jane Dison who married my
father Isaac Titus Vaughn in 1845 and she resided in Paris, Ills.
in 1851. I also claim through my grandmother who was a full blooded
Cherokee, her maiden name was Hon Kon and she married a Dison. She
was born near Hillsboro, North Carolina. I dont know where she re-
sided in 1835 and she was dead prior to 1851. *She died in Pennsylvania*

HARRY J. ALEXANDER

...LAWYER...

NOTARY PUBLIC

PHONES { OFFICE 244 NEW
RESIDENCE 401 NEW

PATENT ATTORNEY

TERMS OF HAMILTON CIRCUIT COURT
SECOND MONDAY IN JANUARY
FIRST MONDAY IN APRIL
FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER

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NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA.

4. My father was a slave.
5. I pass as colored here where I live.

Yours Truly,

Isaac. Wrayton

HARRY J. ALEXANDER

...LAWYER...

NOTARY PUBLIC

PHONES { OFFICE 244 NEW
RESIDENCE 401 NEW

PATENT ATTORNEY

TERMS OF HAMILTON CIRCUIT COURT
SECOND MONDAY IN JANUARY
FIRST MONDAY IN APRIL
FIRST MONDAY IN OCTOBER

(2)

NOBLESVILLE, INDIANA.

4. My father was a slave.
5. I pass as colored here where I live.

Yours Truly,

Isaac Naughton

Isaac M. Vaughn.

~~xxxx~~

44445.

Isaac M. Vaughn being first duly sworn deposes and says:

I claim my Indian blood through my mother, Elizabeth Jane Hickey. My mother was born in the mountain region of Ky. I was born at that. My mother has told me so. She was almost 60 years old; in 1891, at the time of her death. My mother was a little better than half breed. ~~xxxx~~ Her mother, Hong Kong was a full blood, and her father was a 1/4 blood. Julia Hong Kong was my grandmother's maiden name. My grandmother was born in Hillsboro, N.C. I have heard my mother talk a great deal about her Indian blood. My grandfather, David Hickey, was born in Pa. My father was a slave, and my mother was a bound girl.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17th day of Aug. 1908, at Noblesville, Ind.

Not. to Special Commissioner
Court of Claims.

The above is of strong Indian
descent - fact.

Stableville Ind

August 30 = 1857

Mr Miller Sir

I understand in your
last letter that I
was rejected I was sorry
to hear of it for I am
sure you are turning
down all most a half
bred Cherokee my
grand mother was a
bred Cherokee my grand
father was half white
would make me another
half with so you see

White I am and I
am sure you are turning
down one who are most
related to the Cherokee
tribe There is no one living
at this time that is

... in the
... at an end
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... and that
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RECEIVED
SOUTHERN CHEROKEE
SEP 1 1903

No. 44446. Action: *Reject*
Name: *Mary J. Cochran* and 5 children. Residence: *Sagetown, Tenn.*

Reasons:

Claims through the same source as # 44410.

44446

No. 4446

Name James

With No. 4446

Remarks:

No. 41416

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*Mary Cochran
& children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30 1856, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1906.

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DEPARTMENT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES
Rec. FEB 5 1903
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: Mary Cochran
Indian name: Irons

2. Residence and post office: Sage town

3. County: Polk

4. State: Tenn.

5. How old are you? 36 Born Jan 31 1871

6. Where were you born? Tenn.

7. Are you married? Yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Jas Cochran 42

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)	Jennie Cochran	15	Feb. 1, 1891
(2)	Ida	13	Nov. 12, 1894
(3)	Hanni	11	Jan. 10, 1896
(4)	Hellie	7	May 19, 1900
(5)	Purley	3	Apr. 28, 1904
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: John H. Burnett

Indian name: Irons

Mother—English name: Mary H. Burnett

Indian name: Irons

Maiden name: Stephens

12. Where were they born?

Father: Mo.

Mother: Tenn.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____ *NC*
Mother: _____ *NC*

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____ *Living*
Mother: _____ *''*

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: *The Samwara*

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<i>Wm. G. Bennett</i>		
(2)	<i>Charles</i> <i>''</i>		
(3)	<i>Edith</i> <i>''</i>		
(4)	<i>Thomas</i> <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.
<i>Charles Stephens</i>	
<i>'' Jones</i>	
<i>Polly Stephens</i>	
<i>'' Revis</i>	

18. Where were they born? _____ *NC*

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? _____ *''*

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	<i>Thomas Stephens</i>	
(2)	<i>Mary</i> <i>''</i>	
(3)	<i>John</i> <i>''</i>	
(4)	<i>Riley</i> <i>''</i>	
(5)	<i>Ben</i> <i>''</i>	
(6)	<i>George</i> <i>''</i>	
	<i>Margaret</i> <i>''</i>	
	<i>Betsy</i> <i>''</i>	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: _____

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: M. Mother Mary & P. Smith

consider name Mary Stephens her father
Charles Stephens his father James &

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

thought to be Dan James though both
the name of his mother or they were
not married.
I am appointed by the U.S. Department of the Interior as a Special
Attorney in Charge of the Commission of Inquiry for the Creek

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Teste: C. W. Wied (Signature) Mary J. Cochran
Notary
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of May 1907.

B. B. Witt
Notary Public.

My commission expires April, 1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me P. A. Qualls
and Thomas Green, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Mary J. Cochran
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known her for 30 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.

P. A. Qualls
Thos Green

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of Feb, 1908

My commission expires

April, 1909. B. B. Witt
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the 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. 44447

Action: Reject

Name James Yaurry and 3 children.

Residence: Madisonville Tenn.

Reasons: Caused of # 30295

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No. 44447-5-9

Name J. J. J.

With No. 44447-38389

Remarks:

No. 4447

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

*James Bayne
& 3 children*

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906.

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**Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims,
601 Ouray Building, Washington, D. C.**

SIR:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: James Garing

Indian name: 11

2. Residence and post office: Madisonville

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 34 1/2 Born

6. Where were you born? near Sullivan River Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rebecca Garing 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>Andy Garing</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>March 8 - 1904</u>
(2)	<u>Nancy 11</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>Nov 20 - 1900</u>
(3)	<u>Lula 11</u>	<u>11</u>	<u>Nov 10 - 1896</u>
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

11. Give names of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage:

Father—English name: mother never married

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Garing

Indian name: 11 11

Maiden name: 11 11

12. Where were they born?

Father: NC

Mother: NC

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: NC

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: _____

Mother: living

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: mother & her people

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Andy Garry</u>		
(2)	<u>Mourne Garry</u>	<u>NC</u>	<u>NC</u>
(3)	_____		
(4)	_____		
(5)	_____		
(6)	_____		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.

MOTHER'S SIDE.

_____	<u>Sansbey Young</u>
_____	<u>Mary Garry</u>
_____	<u>Hawk</u>

18. Where were they born? NC Chert Hill Watauga Hawk

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>Willard Garry</u>	
(2)	<u>John</u>	<u>NC</u>
(3)	<u>Henry</u>	<u>NC</u>
(4)	<u>Harve</u>	<u>NC</u>
(5)	<u>Martha</u>	<u>NC</u>
(6)	<u>Maria</u>	<u>NC</u>
	<u>Nanny</u>	
	<u>Elizabeth</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: The Gannys were

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother's name Elizabeth
& her father Hansbey Gannoy his Bro Louis Gannoy
his sister Liza Gannoy

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint W Morris Harrison of Brada's run will
James Gannoy true & lawful attorney & allow him
a commission of 15%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) James Gannoy

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of Feb 1908

Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1912

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by two or more witnesses who are well acquainted with the applicant.)

Personally appeared before me Andy Gannoy
and John Denton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with James Gannoy
who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and
25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents
himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.
Geo W Isbill
Eula Isbill

Signatures of Witnesses.
Andy Gannoy
John Denton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of Feb 1908

My commission expires Jan 1912. Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

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Appln. No. 30334.

April 28, 1908.

Elizabeth Young,
Monroe, Tennessee.

Madam:

Relative to your application for participation in the Eastern Cherokee fund, please state why you, your parents and your grandparents, were never enrolled. Were any of your ancestors slaves?

Give any other information obtainable tending to establish your right to share in this fund.

An early reply will be appreciated.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

FST/ELD.

30334

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No. 44448

Action: Reject

Name Marroe Young and X children.

Residence: Madisonville Tenn.

Reasons: Cousin of # 30295,

44448

X

No. 41118

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Samuel Young

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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'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 July 30, 1906, in accordance with the decrees of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

NOTE: Answers to all questions should be short, but complete. If you can not answer, so state.

1. State full name—

English name: Monroe Young

Indian name: 11 11

2. Residence and post office: Madisonville #5

3. County: Monroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 45 Born 1 June 1862

6. Where were you born? near Tellico River Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Nanna 40

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>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: brother not married

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Young

Indian name: 11 11

Maiden name: 11 11

12. Where were they born?

Father: _____

Mother: N.C.

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: _____

Mother: N.C.

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: mother never married

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 & her sisters & Bro
men

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	<u>Andy Gummy</u>		
(2)	<u>James 11</u>		
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			

17 State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
	<u>Cashey Gummy</u>
	<u>" "</u>
	<u>Mary 11</u>
	<u>" "</u>

18. Where were they born? N.C.

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

- (1) Willard Gummy
- (2) John "
- (3) Henry 11
- (4) Harve 11
- (5) Martha 11
- (6) Anna 11
- Nancy 11
- Elizabeth 11

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of ^{mother never was married had 3 children born to her}

their parents and grandparents back to 1835: mother's name Elizabeth Young her Father Gansbey Young his Bro Louis Young sister Liza Young

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

I hereby appoint Morris Harrison of Nashville Tenn my true lawful attorney & allow him a commission of 15%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Morrise Young

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of Feb 1908

Geo W. Isbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires

June 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 Tallent

and J N Atkins, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Morrise Young

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and

15 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents

himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their

knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

G W Tallent
J N Atkins

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of Feb 1908

My commission expires

June 1908 Geo W Isbill
Notary Public.

NOTE.—Affidavits should be made, whenever practicable, before a notary public, or clerk of the court, if sworn to before an Indian agent or disbursing agent of the Indian service, it need not be executed before a notary, etc.

No. 44449

Action: Reject

Name Andy Young and X children. Residence: Madisonville Tenn.

Reasons: Cousin of # 30295.

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No. 24149

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Andy Garing

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved June 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
FEB 5 1906
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: Andy Gannoy

Indian name: 11

2. Residence and post office: Madisonville 5

3. County: Morroe

4. State: Tenn

5. How old are you? 38 Born 6 day April 1869

6. Where were you born? Morroe County Tenn

7. Are you married? yes

8. Name and age of wife or husband: Rachel Gannoy 28

9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong? Cherokee

10. Name all your children who were living on May 28, 1906, giving their ages:

	NAME.	AGE.	BORN.
(1)	<u>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: Andy Wilburn

Indian name: 11 Gannoy

Mother—English name: Elizabeth Gannoy

Indian name: 11 11

Maiden name: 11 11

12. Where were they born?

Father: Don't know

Mother: 11 11

13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Tom

Mother: 11

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: living

Mother: 11

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where,

and with what tribe of Indians: my mother is said to be

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	James Young		
(2)	Mourne 11		
(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.
	Cousby Young
	Mary Hawk

18. Where were they born? don't know

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? 11 Valley River N.C.

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

(1)	Willard Young	
(2)	John 11	
(3)	Henry 11	
(4)	Harve 11	
(5)	Sarah 11	
(6)	Anna 11	
	Nancy 11	
	Elizabeth 11	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Mother name is Elizabeth Young her Father was Gansby Garry his brother Louis Young & his sister Liza Young

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)
I hereby appoint W. Morris Harrison of Madisonville my true & lawful attorney & allow him a commission of 15%

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Andy Young

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of Feb 1908

G. W. Esbill
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan 1912

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 Garry
and John Denton, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Andy Young who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 25 years and 25 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark. G. W. Esbill Eula Esbill
Signatures of Witnesses. James Garry John Denton

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1 day of Feb 1908

My commission expires Jan 1912
G. W. Esbill
Notary Public.

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No. 44450.

Action: Reject.

Name Polly Peterson and X children. Residence: Denton, W.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 Cherokeees.

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No. 44450.

Name *Felly Peterson*.

With No.

Remarks:

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No. 44450

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Polly Peterson

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee
Indian ~~Act~~ of Congress approved June 30, 1906, in
accord. with the Court of Claims of May
18, 190 and Mr

1908

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13. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time?

Father: Davidson, Hunting Spring Township

Mother: Davidson, Hunting Spring Township

14. Date of death of your father and mother:

Father: near 1900

Mother: Davidson, Hunting Spring Township

15. Were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians:

Donat no

16. Name all your brothers and sisters, giving ages, and residence if possible:

	NAME	BORN.	DIED.
15178	(1) Bro. William Dohie Davidson	Living	
	Illinois	Illinois	
	(2) George Dohie Davidson	Living	
	Illinois	Illinois	
19081	(3) James Dohie Davidson	Living	
	Davidson Co NC		
	(4) Jo Dohie	Living in Rowan Co NC	
	Rowan Co NC		
	(5) Vina Dohie Davidson	Living in Davidson Co NC	
	Davidson Co NC		
	(6) Ellen Dohie Davidson	Living in Davidson Co	
	Davidson Co		

17. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible:

FATHER'S SIDE
15171 Gen Dohie

MOTHER'S SIDE
Vina Jenson modern name

Donat no Indian name

Donat no Indian name

18. Where were they born? Donat no North Carolina

19. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Dead

20. Give names of all their children, and residence, if possible:

754	(1) William Dohie	Davidson Co NC
	(2) James Dohie	Davidson Co NC
	(3) Helen Dohie	Davidson Co NC
	(4) Gen Dohie Jr	Davidson Co NC
	(5)	
	(6)	

21. Have you ever been enrolled for money, annuities, land or other benefits? If so, state when and where, and with what tribe of Indians: no never have

22. To assist in identification, claimant should give the full English and Indian names, if possible, of their parents and grandparents back to 1835: Jonie Dohie an wife
Fan Dina Dohie. Parents Allen Dohie
wife Betsie Dohie Donat no Indian name

REMARKS.

(Under this head the applicant may give any additional facts which will assist in proving his claim.)

Joney Dohie came from Wake County
to Davidson County. He is a descendant
of some American Indian tribe.

I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signature) Allen Peterson, Agt. for Polly Peterson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Feb. 1908

J. Earl Varner

Notary Public.

My commission expires

Oct. 15th

1908.

AFFIDAVIT.

(The following affidavit must be sworn to by 1 more 1 the 1 applicar' 1 the

Personally appeared before me A. J. Buis
and A. J. Buis on oath depose and say
that they are well acquainted with Polly
who makes the foregoing application and statement for 26 years and
30 years, respectively, and know her as a legal person that is represents
in this article to be, and that the statements in our agent are true, to the best of their
knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in Allen Peterson claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

A. Anderson

A. J. Buis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of Feb. 1908

My commission expires

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COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Rec. MAY 25 1908
No. 15-171

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MAY 25 1908

May the 22 1902
Galax Va
Mr Guion Miller

Dear Sir I understand
that my brother
Charles brother Bill that
met you at the pilot
mountain could
not positively say
whether they had heard
or matter say
what tribe we belong
to but I have
heard my mother
say that we was
of Cherokee since
qualified to it I have
heard mother say

That our grand
father was half
Cherokee Indian -
I have heard our
mother and aunt
sit together and talk
and tell our children
about being a kind
to the Cherokee Indian
our father and mother
was born in the same
town as their country was
was byenton in the
one that sent my
blankets to Helena a
Redwood and those
that sent

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our grand father
name is John and
our father name
is Thomas, John
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