

No. 17

Action: Admitted

Name Charles L. Morris and 6 children. Residence: Baptist, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant is on the Chapman Roll # 2023, as is also
Applicant's mother # 2018.

No. 17

Name Chas. L. Norris

With No.

Remarks:

Nos. 387, 388, 982, 11702,
27691, 29594,

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Frances Morris

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Charles L. Morris

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

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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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#17

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 decree of the Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 28, 1906, in favor of the Eastern Cherokees. The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State full name—

English name: Charles L. Morris

Indian name: _____

2. Residence: _____

3. Town and post office: Baptist, Indian Territory.4. County: Cherokee Nation.5. State: Indian Territory.6. Date and place of birth: March 21st, 1851. Dawsonville, Dawson Co., Ga.

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: Am on the rolls of 1851, and heir to estate of my mother Francis Morris, my brother James J. Morris, my sister Sarah C. Morris and my brother Benjamin D. C. Morris, deceased.

8. Are you married? Yes.9. Name and age of wife or husband: wife, named Mollie Morris, aged 39 yrs.

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

Father—English name: Isaac Morris

Indian name: _____

Mother—English name: Francis Morris.

Indian name: _____

Maiden name: Francis Daugherty

11. Where were they born?

Father: Feb. 1814. In South Carolina.Mother: Dec. 1st, 1816. Old Cherokee Nation Georgia.

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

Father: Dawson Co., Ga.Mother: Dawson Co., Ga.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: March 14th, 1899.Mother: Sept. 11th, 1889.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: Yes, my mother was enrolled at Dawson Co. Ga, 1851.

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

NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1) Mary Sloan, Nee Morris.	April 12th, 1839.	Living.
(2) James J. Morris	June 28th, 1842.	July 25th, 1863.
(3) Sarah C. Morris	Jan. 13th 1845.	March 16th, 1875.
(4) Benjamin D. C. Morris	Aug. 30th, 1848.	Feb. 8th, 1875.
(5) Fannie Buffington, nee Morris,	Jan. 9th, 1854.	living.
(6) Silas R. Morris	Oct. 10th, 1857.	living.

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

FATHER'S SIDE.	MOTHER'S SIDE.
James Daugherty, jr.	Dont know.

17. Where were they born? In old Cherokee Nation in Georgia.

18. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Father Grandfather was dead.
Grandmother was living in Dawson Co. Ga.

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: At Dawsonville Ga, 1851. all rolls up to present time.

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.)

Charles L. Morris

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of August, 1906.

My commission expires

Jan. 28th, 1907.

R. H. Goenich

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 Earl Holt and Thomas A. Cates, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with Charles L. Morris, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 20 years and 20 years, respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that the statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to mark.

Signatures of witnesses.

Earl Holt
Thomas A. Cates

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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.

On May 26, 1906, I had the Cherokee Indians as above set forth, and that the statements made by

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

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. C. Leitchman
F. A. Gault

Subscribed and sworn to before me this *15th* day of *May*, 1907.

John H. Keener
Notary Public.

My commission expires *May 7, 1911*, 190 .

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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

SUPPLEMENTAL APPLICATION

OF

Charles L. Morris
FOR MINOR CHILDREN

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

COURT OF CLAIMS
EASTERN CHEROKEES.
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No.

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. 17

1. State your full name: Charles L Morris
2. Residence and post office: Baptist
3. County: Cherokee Nation
4. State: Ind. Terr.
5. Date and place of birth: March 21, 1851. Georgia (Dawson Co.)
6. Are you married? yes
7. Name and age of wife or husband: Molly (inter married)
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>James L. Morris</u>	<u>fifteen</u>	<u>Cherokee Nation, N.Y.</u>
(2)	<u>Bessie Morris</u>	<u>fifteen</u>	<u>" " "</u>
(3)	<u>Benjamin A. Morris</u>	<u>twelve</u>	<u>" " "</u>
(4)	<u>Grace P. Morris</u>	<u>ten</u>	<u>" " "</u>
(5)	<u>Goldie Morris</u>	<u>six</u>	<u>" " "</u>
(6)	<u>Laver B. Morris</u>	<u>two</u>	<u>" " "</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: all enrolled in Dawson commission 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) Charles L. Morris

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

John H. Deeper
Notary Public.

My Commission expires

May 7th 1911.

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me H. C. Crittenden and
T. A. Bates who, being duly sworn, on oath depose
 and say that they are well acquainted with Charles L Morris who makes the
 foregoing application and statement, and have known him for 30 years and 20 years,
 respectively, and know him to be the identical person he represents himself to be, and that
 on May 28, 1906, he had the children living as above set forth, and that the statements made by
him are true, and they have no interest whatever in this claim.

Witnesses to Mark.

Signatures of Witnesses.

H. C. Crittenden
T. A. Bates

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John H. Heeper
 Notary Public.

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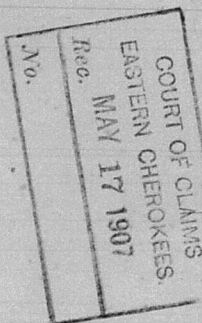
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EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No. (Apt. 7) 17.

Daptist, T.T. Oct. 9th, 1906.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

Washington, D.C.

Dear Sir,-

Some time ago I sent in my application for my portion of the money to be paid to the Emigrant, or Eastern Cherokees, and have not heard from it,

Will you kindly advise me if it reached you, and whether the application was properly made out?

I am very truly yours.

Chas. L. Wilson

EASTERN CHEROKEES.
Appln. No. 17.

October 15, 1906.

Charles L. Morris,
Baptist,

Indian Territory.

Sir:-

In reply to your letter of October 9, 1906, you are informed that your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, has been received, and appears to have been properly filled out. It will be taken up for examination in its order, and you will be duly informed of the result.

Very respectfully,

Acting Commissioner.

JBH

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