

No. 27

Action: Admitted

Name Jack Falling and children. Residence: Claremore, Okla.

Reasons:

Applicant's Father, Tsoo-wa-loo-ke-was enrolled in 1851 by Drennen, in Saline District, No. 125. Grandfather Samuel Faller, also enrolled in 1851 by Drennen, in Saline District, No. 128.

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No. 27

Name Jack Halling

~~With No.~~

Classified

Remarks:

987 enclosed herewith.
6946.

Both claim this.

Edm. Halling (or Hallen)

Roll 1835

Sam Halling (or Fullen)

No. Sal. 128.

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These two appls. are
not consistent - but
think they are entitled
to enrollment.

Call this matter to attention
of Mr. Miller.

Write to applicants.

Name of parent & go parent.

May into the application 278.

Suppl.

No. 25

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

Jack Falling
Charmore, P. S.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern
Cherokee Indians by the Act of Congress approved
Jan. 30, 1905, in accordance with the decrees of the
Court of Claims of May 18, 1905, and May 20, 1905.
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INDIAN OFFICE
EASTERN CHEROKEES.

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No.

Belva A. Lockwood

Sept. 4, 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: Jack Felling

Indian name: Jack Felling.

2. Residence: near Claremont, Indian Territory.

3. Town and post office: Claremore, Cherokee Nation

4. County: District No. 4.

5. State: Indian Territory

6. Date and place of birth: Born in 1854 in Saline District, Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory.

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

in 1851, set forth each claim separately: through my mother, Rachel Felling, who was a daughter, Samuel Felling, who was a descendant of Edward Felling, whose name is found on page 132 of the Eastern Cherokee roll of 1835, taken in the state of North Carolina.

8. Are you married? Yes

9. Name and age of wife or husband: Mary Felling, aged 24 years.

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

Father—English name: Robert Felling

Indian name: La La La (meaning same as above)

Mother—English name: Rachel Felling.

Indian name: La La La

Maiden name: Rachel Morris.

11. Where were they born?

Father: in an Indian reservation, Cherokee County, North Carolina.

Mother: in the same place as his father.

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

Father: in Cherokee County, North Carolina.

Mother: in Cherokee County, North Carolina.

13. Date of death of your father and mother—

Father: about 1860

Mother: about 1864.

14. Were they ever enrolled for annuities, land, or other benefits? If so, state when and where: As citizens of the Cherokee Nation; but I do not know the date.

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

	NAME.	BORN.	DIED.
(1)	Jess Felling	about 1868	Now living
(2)	Lizzie Williamson	about 1861	Now living.
(3)	Jennie Felling	about 1849	about 1905.
(4)	Mary Felling	about 1858	about 1870.
(5)	Booker Blanket	about 1870	he is dead.
(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.
Arkabney Felling	Charley Morris

17. Where were they born? in North Carolina.

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

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

(1) English name: I cannot give them.

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: As a citizen of the Cherokee Nation.

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

Edward Felling whose name is found on page 102 of the roll of 1935, taken in the state of North Carolina.

REMARKS.

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

I hereby appoint Belva A. Lockwood, of Washington, D.C. my true and lawful attorney for me, and in my name, place and stead, and allow her a commission of ten (10) per cent.

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

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

John M. Taylor Jr. (Signature.) *Jack Felling*
Spencer A. Stephens
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of September, 1906.

My commission expires

August 24th, 1909.

A. J. Mord
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 M. Taylor Jr.* and *Spencer A. Stephens*, who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say that they are well acquainted with *Jack Felling*, who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him for 12 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

John M. Taylor Jr.
Spencer A. Stephens

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of September, 1906.

My commission expires

August 24th, 1909.

A. J. Mord
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.

November 16, 1907.

Jack Felling,
Cl remore, Okla.

Sir:

Relative to your application for participation in the fund arising from the judgment of the Court of Claims in favor of the Eastern Cherokees, please state full English and Indian names of your father and grandfather on your father's side. Where did they reside in 1851, if living at that time? Please state names of your father's brothers and sisters. Please state full name of your great grandfather on your father's side, and whether he was living in 1851. If not, about when did he die.

Very respectfully,

Special Commissioner.

CHB/ALS

Jack Falling, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is Jack Falling. My age is 57 years. I live with the full-bloods in Saline District. I lived there all my life. I have been enrolled by the Dawes Commission, Cherokee Roll 6445. I got money fifteen years ago. My mother was about a quarter-blood, Rachel Falling; Rachel Myers before marriage. She was enrolled. I cannot be positive but think my mother was enrolled in 1851. She lived in Saline District at that time. ~~Sam Falling~~ Charlie Myers was my mother's father. My mother's mother was Mollie Myers. Indian name Chiouk. *Chu-wa-lu-kee - Sal. 125*

My father was Robert Falling. *Chu-wa-lu-kee* was the Indian name. His father was Sam Falling, Indian name Sau-me. *Sal. 128* My grandmother's Indian name Che-coo-ie. They never received any Old Settler money. They drew money in 1852 at Fort Gibson. I do not know the name of the ancestor who came from the East. I do not know who Edward Falling is. There are some Fallings in the Flint Dist. but I cannot say whether they are any relation to me. I have three children: Lizzie Falling, Jennie Falling, Jess Falling. They were all enrolled by the Dawes Commission: Jennie Falling Cherokee Roll #6450. Lizzie Falling Roll #6447. Nancy Falling, my wife, now dead, Roll No. 6446. I have one brother names Jess Falling; he lives in Coo-wee-scoo-wee District. I have a sister Lizzie Falling, now Lizzie Wilkerson. Levi Silk is my uncle. I never associated with any other tribe of Indians than the Cherokees. They were regarded as Emigrants. The name Chu-wa-lu-kee may be spelled in other ways.

(We had to use an interpreter for this man.)

Jack Falling
Signature of witness.

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

A. S. Manier
Ass't to Special Commissioner of the Court of Claims.