

No. 40384

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Perena Dishman.

For share of money appropriated for the Eastern Cherokee Indians by the Act 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,
Recd. AUG 30 1907
No.

*F. A. Labor, Atty
Albany Ky.*

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

Sir:

I hereby make application for such share as may be due me of the fund appropriated by the Act of Congress, approved June 30, 1906 in accordance with the decrees of the 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 true name.
English name. Serene Bishman.
Indian " "
- (2) Residence & Post office. Sumner Brook
- (3) County Wayne
- (4) State Kentucky
- (5) How old are you. 62 Born 1841
- (6) Where were you born. Wayne County
Kentucky
- (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.

	names	ages	Born
(1)			
(2)			
(3)			
(4)			
(5)			
(6)			
(7)			
(11)	<p>Give name of your father and mother, and your mother's name before marriage.</p> <p>Father English name. Thomas Bidleman " Indian name Mother English name Elizabeth¹⁶ " Indian " " Maiden name, Swift</p>		
(12)	<p>Where were they born.</p> <p>Father, State of N. C. Mother Fortness County - Tenn</p>		
(13)	<p>Where did they reside in 1851 if living at that time.</p> <p>Father: Ill Mother: Fortness County Tenn</p>		
(14)	<p>Date of death of your father and mother.</p> <p>Father: died about 1849 or 150 Mother about Feb or March 1864</p>		

- (15) were they ever enrolled for money, annuities, lands or other benefits? if so state when and where and with what tribe of Indians not to my knowledge
- (16) Name all your brothers and sisters giving age and residence if possible?

(9) Potomac Indian Acc.

(10)	Name	Born	Died
(2)	Stellie	Sunny Brook Ky	
(3)	Richard	" "	
(4)	Wiles	Loringston Tenn	
(5)	George	Ill	
(6)	Mary J. Stricker	Ill	
(7)	Louisa Adams	Sunabrook Ky	
(8)	John	Ill	

- (17) State English and Indian names of your grand parents on both Father and Mother side if possible?

Father side	Mother side
Jefferson Bisterman	
Widley	"

- (18) Where were they born - State of CV, G.

- (19) Where did they reside in 1857 if living at that time Ill

- (20) Give names of their children and residence if possible?

Names

	Names	Age
1	Archa	
2	Milus	25
3	Ayde	11
4	Motus	"
5	Joseph	"
6	Thomas	"
7	Mary Roseley	"
8	Willy "	"

(21) Have you 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 grand parents back to 1800? ~~not to my knowledge~~

Great grand mother Kizzie
 Dishman grand father
 Jefferson Dishman

I appoint F. A. Tabor of Albany N.Y. my true and lawful Attorney, to prosecute this claim. I solemnly swear that the foregoing statements made by me are true to best of my knowledge and belief

Attest O. D. Bentham
 Geo. Reno

Signature

Drene ^{et ux} Dishman _{mar}

Subscribed & sworn to before me this 22nd day of Aug. 1907.
 O. D. Bentham N.P.