

No. 40376

EASTERN CHEROKEES.

APPLICATION

OF

Richard Dishman

For share of money appropriated for the 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.

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

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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 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 true name
English " Richard Dishmon
Indian " Dishmon
2. Residence & Post office: Sunnybrook, Ky
3. County: Wayne
4. State: Kentucky
5. How old are you, 64 yrs. July 3, 1843
6. Where were you born:
Wayne Co. Kentucky
7. Are you married: yes
8. Name and age of wife or husband
Elizabeth Dishmon: deceased
9. To what tribe of Indians does he or she belong: wife, to none
10. Name all your children, who were living on May 28-1906, giving ages
(1) Rufus Dishmon ²⁰ age died
(2) William A " 36

- (3) Nancy J. Dishmon 33. age died
- (4) Austin J. " 29 "
- (5) Emerson " 27 "
- (6) Isaac D. " 25 "
- (7) Sereus B. Albertson 22 "
- 17 State English and Indian names of your
grand parents on both father and
mother side if possible.
Father side mother side
Jefferson Dishmon;
Milley "
- 18 where were they born:
both in North Carolina
- 19 where did they reside in 1851. if
living at that time:
both deceased
- 20 Give names of their children. if possible
- (1) Archie. Dishmon
- (2) Moses "
- (3) Miles "
- (4) Azgle "
- (5) Thomas "
- (6) Joseph "
- (7) Lina. Brown
- (8) Mary Ramsey
- (9) Nellie "

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 full English and Indian names if possible of their parents and grand parents back to 1835. my Grand father was Jefferson Dishmon. my Great grand mother was Hizzie Dishmon; my father was Thomas Dishmon a grand son of Hizzie Dishmon; My mother told me the above named persons were Cherokee Indians. (as my father Thomas Dishmon died when I was very young; about 5 years old.)

Said.

I appoint F.A. Tabor of Albany Ky. my true and lawful Atty to prosecute this claim; and hereby agree to pay my said Atty ten (10) per cent of such sum as may be found due me, in the premises, and direct same to be paid to my said Atty. by the Hon Guion Miller Special Commissioner of the U S Court of Claims.

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

Signed Richard ^{of} ~~the~~ _{man} Dishman

Attest

O. D. Bentham

A. H. Crouch

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 24 day of Aug. 1907
O. D. Bentham N.P.

Personally appeared before me
Malissia Dishman and A. H. Crouch
who being duly sworn
on oath deposes and says they
are well acquainted with
Richard Dishman who makes
the foregoing application and
statements, and have known
him for 20 yrs. to be
the 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 claims.

Malissia Dishman
A. H. Crouch