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Introduction

The Cherokee Nation in Indian Territory maintained its own constitutional government and records for many years in its districts and at its capital at Tahlequah. In 1893, Congress provided for the creation of the Commission of the Five Civilized Tribes (Dawes Commission) and authorized this body to meet with representatives of the Five Civilized Tribes, including the Cherokees, to persuade them to consent to the extinguishment of title to their lands. This effort met with resistance and rejection. Then, in 1898, the Curtis Act provided that a census be prepared by this commission for each of the Five Civilized Tribes which would be used to determine those individuals who were citizens of the tribes and therefore entitled to allotment of land in severalty. It was necessary to acquire many of the national records of the tribes involved in order to carry out the responsibilities of the Commission. These records were taken from the various national repositories to Muskogee where the main Commission office was located. The Curtis Act also provided that the five governments be abolished on Mar. 6, 1906 prior to Oklahoma statehood. However, at this time the work of the Commission was not completed, and the Act of Congress, Apr. 26, 1906, provided for the continuance of the tribal government with limited autonomy.

The records, that were later stored in the federal building at Muskogee, caught the attention of Dr. Grant Foreman, who believed that they were of great historical value and should be inventoried and placed in some order and place where they would be accessible to historians. He gained the permission of the Indian Office to direct the calendaring of the documents in 1929. Later, he and others were instrumental in having the collection placed in the Oklahoma Historical Building in Oklahoma City. An act of Congress, Mar. 27, 1934, (H. R. 5631 Public No. 133) transferred the records to the Oklahoma Historical Society's care, although ownership remained with the federal government.

Dr. Foreman determined that the categories for the unbound Cherokee documents would be as follows:

Asylum-Insane	Land Division	Religious
Asylum-Orphan	Marriage Licenses	Miscellaneous
Auditor	Minerals	Telephone
Buildings	Miscellaneous	Timber
Buildings-Insurance	National Attorney	Townsites
Cattle	National Council	Townsite
Cemeteries	Newspaper-	Commissioner
Census	Cherokee Advocate	Traders
Citizenship	Payment Strip-	Treasurer
Courts	Orphan	Tribal Officers
Divorce	Per Capita Payments	Tribal Records
Elections	Permits to Non-	Warrants
Estray Property	Citizens Roads	
Federal Relations	Probate Attorneys	
Ferries	Schools: Colored	
Foreign Relations	High	
Railroads	Female	
Hay	Seminary	
Intruders	Male Seminary	

Mrs. Rella Watts, later Rella Looney (Archivist, 1929-1974) divided the Cherokee records into these categories and filed them chronologically within each category.

The 730 bound volumes of the Cherokee National Records originated with the national government as well as in the Cherokee Districts: Canadian, Cooweescoowee, Delaware, Flint, Going Snake, Illinois, Saline, Sequoyah, and Tahlequah. These records, bound and unbound, date mainly from 1868 to 1907, with a few documents dating in the years back to 1840.

The bound volumes for the national government include: Acts of National Council, journals, registers of appropriation acts and miscellaneous National Council Records, school records include the minutes of the Board of Education and records relating to the different schools in the nation, both primary and seminary and Colored High School. Records reflecting the work of the citizenship commission of the nation include records of claimants, affidavits of citizenship, journals, records of citizenship cases, Freedmen doubtful cases, Cherokee rejected cases. Auditor records include register of claims, clerks' reports, warrants, etc. The Cherokee Treasurer's records include reports of national funds, of revenue collected, registers of vouchers, cash journals, sheriffs' and districts clerks' sales of estray property, appropriation acts, etc.

The district governmental records included reports of administrators, estray property, records of wills, civil and criminal district court records, circuit and supreme court records, records of bonds, of appraisements of improvements, court minute books, record of appointments, records of marks and brands of livestock, register of town lots, officers' reports of town lot payments, sheriffs' registers, and other categories.

These Cherokee volumes, many of which were rebound, may have three original titles: a spine title, a front cover title, and an inside page title. There may be also an Indian Archives title written on a protective cover. These titles are not always the same. The spine title may be erroneous, especially in leather bound volumes designated to be used by one branch of the government, i.e. Supreme Court, but actually used by another branch of the Cherokee government, that is, the National Council, for example.

The archives volume number is given first in identification, then an original title, if one was given, then an Archives title if one was assigned. In some cases, one title will be given if there is an agreement between all titles on, in, or assigned to the volume.

Cherokee volumes often contain a variety of different entries. These will be briefly outlined on each content page for each volume.

A second part of the Cherokee National Records came to the Indian Archives, Oklahoma Historical Society, some years after the first group described above. They originated in Tahlequah and are therefore listed as Cherokee (Tahlequah). They were kept separate from the already calendared and partially indexed first group. The Tahlequah collection has not been calendared or indexed, but is filed according to categories similar to those of the unbound records of the first accessioned group. The Cherokee (Tahlequah) holdings are as follows:

Agricultural Leases	Building, Insurance	Courts
Alabama	Capital	Creek Indians
Arkansas	Catawba Indians	Criminal Offense
Arkansas River	Cattle	Delaware Indians
Asylum-Insane	Cemetery	Depredations
Asylum-Orphan	Census	Destitution
Attorney	Chippewa & Munsee	Districts
Attorney General	Churches	Divorce
Auditor	Citizenship	Ejectment
Bank	Civil War	Elections
Boundary	Colorado	Estates
Bowls (Chief)	Constitution	Estray Property

Evangel Mission	Miami Indians	Schools: Colored High
Executive Council	Minerals	Female Seminary
Fair	Miscellaneous	Male Seminary
Family Relations	National Council	Medical
Federal Relations	National Officers	Superintendent
Fences	Neutral Lands	Private
Ferries and Bridges	New Mexico	Religious
Firearms	Newspapers	Miscellaneous
Fire Makers	No Man's Land	Seal
Foreign Relations	North Carolina Cherokees	Seminole Indians
Fort Gibson	Old Settlers	Sequoyah
Fraternal	Osage Indians	Shawnee Indians
Freedmen	Opening of Oklahoma	Sheriff
Grand River	Outbreak	Skiatook Mission
Gravel and Sand	Outlaws	Smallpox
Grist Mills	Pardons	Solicitors
Guardianships	Pensions	Stationery
Hay	Peoria & Miami Indians	Strip, Cherokee
History	Per Capita Payments	Telephone
Horse Stealing	Permits to Non-Citizens	Thanksgiving Proclamations
Horses	Permits to Practice Law	Timber
Hunting	Police (Indian)	Townsites
Indian Captives	Positions, Application for	Traders
Indigents	Postal Routes	Treasurer
International Council	Prison and High Sheriff	Treaties
Intruders	Railroads	Tribal Records
Irrigation	Removal of Restrictions	Ute Indians
Lands	Removal to West	Vices
Language	Revenue Collectors	Vital Statistics
Law-Compilation	Rewards	Warrants
Law Enforcement	Roads	Whites
Light Horse	Sale of Property	Wild Cattle and Games
Marriage	Salines	Wyandotte Indians

A third group of Cherokee records is filed in Section X of the Indian Archives. These are not part of the two groups above placed in trust with the Society by the Department of the Interior in 1934. They are documents which have been gifts to or purchases by the Society since that time.

The National Records kept by the Cherokee Nation are considered to be valuable to historians and others because they represent, along with the national tribal records of the Choctaw, Chickasaw, Creek, and Seminole, the largest group of records of sovereign Indian nations known to exist to this date. As such, they give a view of Indian history that is unknown for other American Indian tribes who did not have constitutional governments and written records.

CHN 1

Cherokee National Records: Letters Received and Other Documents

- ♦ **Cherokee-Enrollment and Census – Letters Received and Documents: Nov. 30, 1866-Jan. 21, 1911**
 - This group of documents and correspondence includes lists of non-Cherokee residents whose citizenship status is doubtful, act of National Council pertaining to census taking, employment of census takers, correspondence from the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, and attorneys of the Cherokee Nation.
- ♦ **Section X-Cherokee-Census: Nov. 26, 1869-1900**
 - Records and other documents relating to the Census of the Cherokees
- ♦ **Section X-Cherokee-Census – Letters Received and Documents Relating to Cherokee Census Matters: 1880-Apr. 8, 1908**

CHN 2

- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Census: July 10, 1817-Dec. 14, 1884**
 - This group of Records includes:
 - **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Census – Register of Persons who wish reservations under Treaty of July 8, 1817: July 10, 1817-Nov. 27, 1819**
 - **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Per Capita – Receipt Roll of Per Capita Payment under an Act of Council dated Dec. 3, 1879-May 14, 1881**
 - **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-North Carolina Cherokees – Lists of North Carolina Cherokees who Removed to the Cherokee Nation West: June 8, 1881-Dec. 13, 1881**
 - **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Per Capita – Roll of North Carolina Immigrants Allowed Per Capita Under Act of 1881**
 - **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-North Carolina Cherokees – Lists of North Carolina Cherokees: Jan. 19, 1882-Feb. 20, 1883**
 - **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Per Capita – Supplemental Roll of Those Left Off the Rolls of 1880-Dec. 14, 1884**
- ♦ **Section X-Cherokee-Census – Cherokee National Records and Other Documents Relating to the Census of the Cherokees: 1835-190-**
 - This group of records includes various census rolls from 1835 through 1868, Civil War rosters of Indian Home Guards, claims for Civil War Service being made in 1899, lists of potential claimants who were supposed to be living in Indian Territory, and some marriages (in the Cherokee language) performed by Reverend George Swimmer from 1864-1895. Also in the group are Receipt Rolls for a per capita payment under an act dated Nov. 19, 1874 for Canadian and Tahlequah Districts and a census fragment 190-.

- Census of Cherokees East, 1835 (Supposed to be taken by heads of families and persons not married but as single persons.)
- Complete list of names of Emigrant Cherokee Indians who drew Emigrant money in 1852 from the Flint District, Cherokee Nation
- Complete list of names of Cherokee Indians from Skin Bayou (or Sequoyah?) District, Cherokee Nation, who drew Emigrant money in 1852 as Emigrants from Skin Bayou (or Sequoyah) District, Cherokee Nation
- Complete list of names of Emigrant Cherokee Indians who drew Emigrant money in 1852 from the Illinois District, Cherokee Nation
- Census of Orphans residing in Sequoyah District
- Civil War rosters of Indian Home Guards
- Claims for Civil War Service
- Original Discharges
- Civil War Potential claimants
- Marriages
- 2nd & 3rd Indian Regiments – Civil War
 - Monteith Roll
- Canadian District
- Tahlequah District
- ♦ **Cherokee-Per Capita – Receipt Roll for Per Capita Payment – Orphan Asylum, Insane Asylum, and National Prison: 1880**
- ♦ **Cherokee-Census – Hester Roll of Eastern Cherokees: Jan. 24, 1884**
 - This roll is a list of Cherokee residing east of the Mississippi River. Joseph G. Hester, Special Agent, made the enumeration in 1882 and 1883, and the roll was approved by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs on Jan. 24, 1884

CHN 3

- ♦ **Cherokee-Census – Canadian District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation): 1890**
 - Vol. 1
 - Vol. 2
 - Vol. 3 (K-Q)
 - Vol. 4 (R-Z)

CHN 4

- ◆ **Cherokee-Census – Cooweescoowee District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation), Volumes 1-9 (Books 10 and 11 continue on CHN 5): 1890**
 - Vol. 1 (A-B)
 - Vol. 2 (B-C)
 - Vol. 3 (C-E)
 - Vol. 4 (E-G)
 - Vol. 5 (H-J)
 - Vol. 6 (J-M)
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 - Vol. 8 (P-R)
 - Vol. 9 (S-T)

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- ◆ **Cherokee-Census – Cooweescoowee District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation), Volumes 10-11: 1890**
 - Vol. 10 (T-W)
 - Vol. 11 (W-Z)
- ◆ **Cherokee-Census – Delaware District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation), Volume 1: 1890**
 - Vol. 1 (A-C)
- ◆ **Cherokee-Census – Flint District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation), Volumes 1-4: 1890**
 - Vol. 1 (A-F)
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- ◆ **Cherokee-Census – Going Snake District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation), Volumes 1-5: 1890**
 - Vol. 1 (A-D)
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- ◆ **Cherokee-Census – Illinois District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation), Volumes 1-5: 1890**
 - Vol. 1 (A-C)
 - Vol. 2 (D-H)
 - Vol. 3 (I-P)
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- ◆ **Cherokee-Census – Saline District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation), Volumes 1-2: 1890**
 - Vol. 1 (A-H)
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- ◆ **Cherokee-Census – Sequoyah District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation), Volumes 1-2: 1890**
 - Vol. 1 (H-R)
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- ◆ **Cherokee-Census – Tahlequah District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation), Volume 1: 1890**
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- ◆ **Cherokee-Census – Tahlequah District – Schedule 1 (Citizens of Cherokee Nation), Volume 1: 1890**
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CHN 8

Cherokee National Council and Senate: Journals, Acts, Proceedings, Memorials, Messages, Proclamations, Resolutions, and some Executive Department Papers.

- ◆ **Volume 248 – Title, Acts and Resolutions: 1863-1866**

- This volume contains proclamations and messages of the Principal Chief; Acts of National Council, a Memorial in honor of John Ross, Chief, Deceased, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 249 – National Council: 1865**
 - This volume contains a roll of members of the National Council, the journal of the National Council, rules of the Council, history and life of John Ross, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 250 – Council Proceedings: 1867-1868**
 - This volume contains Acts of National Council, lists of warrants, agreement between the Cherokee Indians and Munsee or Christian Indians, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 251 – Laws of: 1863-1867**
 - This volume contains proclamations and messages of Acting Principal Chief Thomas Pegg; Acts of the National Council; minutes of the Convention held at Kee-Too-Wah, Cherokee Nation, Nov. 16, 1863 abrogating Pike’s treaty; Message of W. P. Ross, Principal Chief, appointment of W. A. Phillips to appraise Cherokee Neutral lands in Kansas. Note: most of these acts have to do with the Civil War
- ◆ **Volume 252 – Senate Journal: 1867-1868**
 - This volume contains the Cherokee Senate Journal and Acts of National Council.
- ◆ **Volume 253 – Laws of: 1867-1871**
 - This volume contains Acts of National Council; names of officers of the Cherokee Nation, and of the Senate and Council; district judges, solicitors, sheriffs; divorces.
- ◆ **Volume 254 – Senate Proceedings: 1869**
 - This volume contains the proceedings of the Cherokee National Senate at Tahlequah from Nov. 1, 1869-Dec. 10, 1869. Attached on page 135 is, “An Act for Repairing Canadian Courthouse.”
- ◆ **Volume 255 – Council Journal: 1869-1872**
 - This volume contains the Journal of the National Council at Tahlequah, from Dec. 1, 1869 intermittently through Nov. 1, 1872. Also included are rolls of the members.

CHN 9

Cherokee National Council and Senate: Acts, Bills, Journals, Proceedings, Messages, Rolls, Resolutions, and some Executive Department papers.

- ◆ **Volume 256 – National Council: 1870**
 - This volume contains Act of National Council, Nov. 29, 1870, including an Act granting a divorce, Nov. 30, 1870
- ◆ **Volume 257 – Senate: 1870**
 - This volume contains the Journal of the Cherokee Senate, Nov. & Dec., 1870. Various Senate bills are given.
- ◆ **Volume 258 – National Council, Executive Council: 1870-1877**

- This volume contains Acts of National Council, proceedings of the Executive Council, lists of National Council members, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 259 – Senate and National Council: 1871-1875**
 - This volume contains the Journal of the Cherokee Senate proceedings and the National Council, messages from W. P. Ross to the National Council, Senate bills by number, roll of members, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 260 – Senate and National Council: 1871-1874, 1879**
 - This volume contains calendar bills of the Cherokee Senate, and joint resolutions of the National Council, Acts, journal of the Senate, etc.
 - There is an index to Senate Bills and Resolutions, 1871.
- ◆ **Volume 261 – Senate and National Council: 1871, 1884-1885, and some Correspondence of Principal Chief: 1871-1873**
 - Original Title: Laws Passed at Regular and Extra Session of 1884; Letters, 1884; Laws Cherokee Nation, Nov. 1884.
 - This volume contains letters written by Lewis Downing, Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation, Dec. 13, 1871-June 16, 1872 and W. P. Ross, Principal Chief, Nov. 1, 1873; rolls of members; accounts; Acts of National Council and Senate Bills, including acts granting licenses to traders, admitting persons to citizenship, and divorces, etc., 1884-1885

CHN 10

Cherokee National Council and Senate: Acts, Bills, Journals, Proceedings, Messages, Rolls, Resolutions, and some Executive Department papers.

- ◆ **Volume 263 – National Council: 1872-1876**
 - This volume contains the journal and minutes of the National Council, Nov. 1872-Dec. 9, 1876. It also contains rolls of members, divorce records, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 264 – National Council: 1873**
- ◆ **Volume 265 – National Council: 1873-1884**
 - This volume contains the Journal of National Council, Roll of its member, names of committee members, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 266 – Senate and National Council: 1875-1878**
 - Original Title: Record of Council Bills, 1877-1880, 1883-1884
 - This volume contains rolls of Senate members; Journal and members of the National Council; Senate Journal.
- ◆ **Volume 266A – Constitution and Laws of the Cherokee Nation, St. Louis: 1875**
 - Published by Authority of the National Council, St. Louis, 1875
- ◆ **Volume 267 – National Council: Nov. 1, 1875-Dec. 5, 1876**
 - This volume contains the roll of members of the National Council and the Journal, resolutions. Nov. 1, 1875-Dec. 5, 1876

- ◆ **Volume 268 – National Council and Senate: 1875-1884**
 - This volume contains acts of the National Council, Senate Bills and resolutions, appropriations, messages from the Executive Department, etc.

CHN 11

Cherokee National Council, Executive Department, and Treasurer’s Office: Acts, Proceedings, Messages, Rolls, Resolutions, Appointments and Suspensions, Executive Council Minutes, etc.

- ◆ **Volume 269 – National Council and Executive Department: 1875-1878**
 - A Register of letters and resolutions passed by the National Council; acts granting divorces; list of officers of the Cherokee Nation, 1877; Records of death; appointments and suspensions; messages to Council from the Executive Department, 1878; minutes of meetings of the Executive Council, 1878
 - There is an index to yearly appropriations and acts, etc. Pages 185-186 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 270 – Cherokee National Council and Executive Department: 1875-1880**
 - This volume contains Acts of National Council; Annual messages of Charles Thompson, Principal Chief; Acts conferring citizenship and divorce, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 271 – Treasurer’s Office-Appropriations Acts: 1875-1886**
 - This volume contains appropriation Acts passed by the National Council and acts wherein appropriations are made; lists of member, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 272 – Laws and Joint Resolutions of the National Council, Printed in 1878 by the authority of the National Council: 1876-1878**
 - This volume contains Laws and Joint Resolutions of the National Council, passed and adopted at the Regular Session of the National Council, 1876-1877, and Extra Session of 1878.

CHN 12

Cherokee National Council, Senate, and Executive Department: Acts, Resolutions, Bills, Rolls of Members, Rules of Government of National Council, and other Records

- ◆ **Volume 273 – Senate and National Council: 1877-1888**
 - This volume contains Bills, Resolutions, and Acts of the Senate and National Council, pertaining to citizenship, licenses to trade, leasing salines, divorces, right-of-way of Chicago, Kansas, and Nebraska Railroad, announcement of the death of Principal Chief, William Penn Adair.
 - Pages 21-22 are missing.

- ◆ **Volume 274 – National Council: 1877-1882**
 - This volume contains the Journal of the National Council; rolls of members of the National Council; Senate Bills introduced to the Council; etc.
- ◆ **Volume 275 – National Council: 1877-1898**
 - This volume contains National Council and Senate bills, resolutions, rules for government of National Council, Acts pertaining to divorce, citizenship, licenses to traders, telephone line in Cherokee Nation, appropriations for National Prison, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 275A – National Council: 1878-1880**
 - This volume contains Acts of National Council, Cherokee National Officers' appointments and resignations, official Records of the Executive Department, etc.

CHN 13

Cherokee National Council and Senate: Acts, Resolutions, Rolls of Members and Journals, among other records.

- ◆ **Volume 276 – National Council and Senate: 1878-1894**
 - This volume contains National Council and Senate Journals, Financial statement, Cherokee Nation, 1894, Calendar Acts, Acts pertaining to divorce and citizenship, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 277 – Senate: 1879**
 - This volume contains the Senate Journal and lists of Standing Committee for 1879.
- ◆ **Volume 277A – National Council, Executive Council: Nov. 1, 1880-Dec. 11, 1880**
 - This volume contains names of committee members, Journal of the Senate beginning Nov. 1, 1880-Dec. 11, 1880, Joint Resolutions, Senate Bills, notes of messages from Principal Chief, claims against the Nation, listing of Senate Bills of Regular Session, 1880. Extra Session, 1880, and Joint Resolutions.
- ◆ **Volume 278 – Senate and National Council: 1880-1883**
 - This volume contains Registers and Official Record of names of elected, appointed and deceased members of the Executive Department, National Council, Senate, Court, and other officers, Acts of National Council and Joint Resolutions
 - Pages 1-2, 5-6 are missing.

CHN 14

National Council and Senate: Acts of National Council, Senate Bills, Lists of Members, Joint Resolutions, Journals, Calendars and Official Records of National Officers.

- ◆ **Volume 279 – National Council: 1880-1884**

- This volume contains Acts of National Council for 1880-1884, appropriations, Senate Bills, Council Bills, Lists of Senators and Council Members, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 280 – National Council: 1882-1883**
 - This volume contains Council Bills, by number, listed for 1882, with one Joint Resolution for 1883.
 - Only pages 1-11 were used in this volume.
- ◆ **Volume 280A – National Council: 1882-1883**
 - This volume contains Acts and Resolutions of the National Council concerning appropriations, delegations to Washington, citizenship, towns approved, etc. Rolls of members and per diem are given.
 - Pages 1-2 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 281 – Senate: 1882-1883**
 - This volume contains a calendar of joint resolutions and acts approved or rejected pertaining to trade, intermarriage, salaries of officials, building of court houses, claims, appropriations and other matters.
 - Only pages 1-21 were used in this volume.
- ◆ **Volume 282 – National Council: Apr. 30, 1883-Dec. 15, 1883**
 - This volume contains a journal of the council branch of the National Council, beginning on Apr. 30, 1883-Dec. 15, 1883.
- ◆ **Volume 283 – Official Record Offices and Officials, Cherokee Nation: Nov. 18, 1884-1897**
 - The official Record (p. 27; pages 1-26 are missing) begins Nov. 18, 1884. Rosters of officers, 1886-1887, and minor officers, are given for each district.
 - Pages 1-26, 39-42, 51-54 are missing.

CHN 15

National Council, Senate, and Treasurer's Office: Journals, Acts of National Council, Senate Bills, Rosters of Officers, Appropriation Acts.

- ◆ **Volume 284 – National Council and Senate: Dec. 10, 1884-Dec. 8, 1888**
 - This volume contains Acts of National Council, Senate Bills and Joint Resolutions of the National Council from Dec. 10, 1884-Dec. 8, 1888.
 - This volume is indexed.
- ◆ **Volume 285 – Senate: Nov. 17, 1885-Dec. 4, 1886**
 - This volume contains the Senate Calendar from Nov. 17, 1885-Dec. 4, 1886, giving Senate bill and Council bill abstracts and joint resolutions.
 - Pages 47 and 48 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 286 – Senate: Apr. 1886-Dec. 8, 1888**
 - This volume contains the Senate journal beginning Apr. 1886-Dec. 8, 1888. A list of the members of 1885 is included.

- ◆ **Volume 287 – Senate: Nov. 7, 1881-Dec. 17, 1881 and Nov. 6, 1882-Apr. 20, 1886**
 - This volume contains the journal of the Cherokee Senate with entries from Nov. 7, 1881-Dec. 17, 1881 and Nov. 6, 1882-Apr. 20, 1886.
- ◆ **Volume 288 – Treasurer’s Office: Nov. 15, 1886-1896**
 - Original Title: Register of Appropriations, Acts, Commencing with Register of Officers, Salary Nov. 15, 1886
 - This volume contains a Register of Officers of the Cherokee Nation, 1886-1893 and their salaries, Acts of National Council pertaining to appropriations, etc.
 - This volume has in index for 1889-1890.

CHN 16

National Council and Senate: Journals, Acts of National Council, Senate Bills, Resolutions, Rosters of Senate and Council Members and other Records

- ◆ **Volume 289 – National Council: Apr. 14, 1886-Nov. 13, 1886**
 - Laws Passed by the Extra Session of the Cherokee Legislature, Apr. 12, 1886 – Register of Bills
 - This volume contains Acts of National Council for the period Apr. 14, 1886-Nov. 13, 1886, concerning Freedmen citizenship, trading licenses, divorce, per capita payment distribution, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 290 – Senate: Dec. 6, 1886-1887**
 - This volume contains Senate Bills of the Extra Session, Dec. 6, 1886, and Resolutions of the National Council, beginning May 9, 1887, concerning the burning of the Female Seminary, citizenship, delegation to Washington, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 291 – National Council: Dec. 6, 1886-June 30, 1888**
 - This volume contains a list of the Council Members, 1887-1888, Journal of the Council, Dec. 6, 1886-June 30, 1888. Members’ votes are given and messages from the Principal Chief are summarized.
- ◆ **Volume 292 – National Council: 1886-1888**
 - This volume contains the Rolls of Members of Council, Jan. 9, 1888, and Committee Members, Council branch of National Council, 1887-1888; records of voting; journal of the Council branch of the House.
 - Pages 1 and 2 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 293 – Senate: 1887-1888**
 - This volume contains a roll of the Senate members dated Jan. 1888, and the Senate Calendar (1887-1888) beginning with Senate Bill No. 1 and ending with no. 64.
- ◆ **Volume 294 – National Council: July 2, 1888-Dec. 8, 1888**
 - This volume contains a list of the members of the Council for 1888, and a journal of proceedings from July 2, 1888-Dec. 8, 1888.

- ◆ **Volume 295 – Senate and National Council: Nov. 1888-Dec. 23, 1892**
 - This volume contains Acts of the National Council and Senate Bills beginning with Nov. 1888-Dec. 23, 1892.
 - This volume has an index.

CHN 17

National Council and Senate: Journals, Acts of National Council, Senate Bills, Resolutions, Lists of Members, and other records

- ◆ **Volume 296 – National Council: Nov. 4, 1889-Nov. 22, 1892**
 - Original Title: Record of Proceedings of the Lower Branch of the National Council, Terms of 1889-1892.
 - This volume contains “Rules for the Government of Council Branch of the National Government,” and its journal of proceedings beginning Nov. 4, 1889-Nov. 22, 1892.
 - There is a partial index. Pages 1-4 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 297 – Senate and National Council: 1889-1905**
 - This volume contains Senate Resolutions and Bills and Acts of National Council, including an act pertaining to the taking of the 1890 Cherokee census, appropriation acts; joint resolutions, fiscal report of 1891; tax acts, and lists of district officials, etc.
 - Pages 86-89 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 298 – Senate: Nov. 4, 1889-Jan. 9, 1892**
 - This volume contains the journal of proceedings of the Senate branch of the National Council from Nov. 4, 1889-Jan. 9, 1892.
- ◆ **Volume 299 – Senate: Dec. 1890**
 - This volume contains eleven pages of Senate Bills and Acts of National Council enacted in Dec. 1890. Page 2 is blank as are all pages after page 11.
- ◆ **Volume 300 – National Council: Nov. 26, 1892-Apr. 15, 1897**
 - This volume contains lists of House members and the journal of the House branch of the National Council from Nov. 26, 1892-Apr. 15, 1893. Lists of Council bills (p. 79-86) are given, including Senate and Council Bills for 1897.
 - Pages 1 and 2 are missing.

CHN 18

Cherokee National Records National Council and Senate: Constitution and Laws, Journals, Acts, Resolutions, Memorials and other Records.

- ◆ **Volume 266B – Constitution and Laws of the Cherokee: 1892**

- This book is printed in the Cherokee language.
- ◆ **Volume 301 – Senate: Nov. 7, 1892-May 3, 1894**
 - This volume contains the journal of the Senate beginning Nov. 7, 1892-May 3, 1894.
 - Pages 189-190 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 302 – Senate and National Council: 1892-1895, 1900-1902**
 - This volume contains Senate Bills, Resolutions, Memorials, copies of letters to the Principal Chiefs, and the Commission to the Five Civilized Tribes, names of members of the Council, Acts of National Council, and Joint Resolutions, etc.
 - There is an index.

CHN 19

National Council and Senate: Journals, Acts of National Council, Senate Bills, Resolutions, Rosters of Senate and Council Members and other Records

- ◆ **Volume 303 – National Council: 1893-1895**
 - This volume contains Acts and Proceedings of the National Council, roster of Council members, records of votes, etc.
- ◆ **Volume 304 – Senate and National Council: 1894**
 - This volume contains stubs and warrants for services as members of the Senate and Council.
- ◆ **Volume 305 – Senate and National Council: 1894-1895**
 - This volume contains stubs and warrants for services as members of the Senate and Council.
- ◆ **Volume 306 – Senate and National Council: 1895-1896**
 - This volume contains stubs and warrants for services as members of the Senate and Council.
- ◆ **Volume 307 – Senate and National Council: 1895-1900**
 - This volume contains 1895 election returns for Delaware, Saline, and Tahlequah Districts in a vote for the Principal Chief and Acts of National Council.
 - Pages 1-26 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 308 – National Council: 1895-1899**
 - This volume contains Acts of Council dealing with appropriations.

CHN 20

National Council and Senate: Acts, Journals, Senate Bills, Rosters of Members

- ◆ **Volume 309 – National Council and Senate: 1895-1897**

- This volume contains Acts of the National Council and a journal of Senate proceedings.
- ◆ **Volume 310 – National Council: Mar. 16, 1896-Aug. 13, 1898**
 - This volume contains the Journal of the National Council from Mar. 16, 1896-Aug. 13, 1898.
- ◆ **Volume 311 – National Council: Aug. 22, 1896-Nov. 30, 1900**
 - This volume contains Acts of the National Council adopted between Aug. 22, 1896 and Nov. 30, 1900.
 - There is an index.

CHN 21

National Council and Senate: Acts, Journals, Rosters of Members, Senate Bills, Resolutions.

- ◆ **Volume 312 – Senate: Nov. 1, 1897-Dec. 14, 1901**
 - This volume contains Senate proceedings from Nov. 1, 1897-Dec. 14, 1901.
 - Pages 1-10 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 313 – National Council: Dec. 8, 1899-Aug. 14, 1901**
 - This volume contains the Council Journal from Dec. 8, 1899-Aug. 14, 1902 and a Council Roll of 1901.
 - Pages 1, 2, 119-122, 202, 261, and 283 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 314 – Senate: Dec. 16, 1901-Sep. 29, 1905**
 - This volume contains proceedings of the Senate from Dec. 16, 1901-Sep. 29, 1905 and a roll of Senators.
 - Pages 297-300 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 315 – National Council: Aug. 14, 1902-Dec. 6, 1902**
 - This volume contains proceedings of the Council from Aug. 14, 1902-Dec. 6, 1902.
 - Pages 19 and 20 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 315A – Senate and National Council: Nov. 13, 1902-Mar. 7, 1905**
 - This volume contains Senate proceedings from Nov. 13, 1902-Mar. 7, 1906 and includes bills, joint resolutions with the council and roster of members.
 - Pages 2-9 serve as index.

CHN 22

Court Records of Canadian District, 1867-1897

- ◆ **Volume 1 – Court Records of Canadian District: Jan. 14, 1867-Apr. 26, 1877**
 - This volume contains court proceedings, decisions, and lists of jurors, wills and other estate records, marriage licenses and notices of estray property.

- ◆ **Volume 1A – Court Records of Canadian District: Feb. 19, 1897-Oct. 7, 1897**
 - This volume contains marriage licenses, sheriff's reports, dockets for the circuit and civil courts and lists of jurors.
 - Pages 3-6 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 1B – Court Records of Canadian District: Dec. 14, 1869-Mar. 1, 1891**
 - Original Title: Proceedings of District Court of Canadian District, Cherokee Nation, beginning with Hon. J. W. Hilderbrand's Second Term of Office, 1869
 - This volume contains marriages, bills of sale, permits to non-citizens, lists of jurors and elected officials, court proceedings, and other records.
- ◆ **Volume 2 – Court Records of Canadian District: June 19, 1868-Apr. 21, 1875**
 - This volume contains criminal dockets of the circuit court, lists of jurors, minutes of meetings, and other records.
- ◆ **Volume 3 – Court Records of Canadian District: Mar. 20, 1875-Aug. 7, 1876**
 - This volume contains stubs for national certificates issued by the District Clerk to guards, supervisors, election officials, and others.
- ◆ **Volume 4 – Court Records of Canadian District: July 7, 1879-Dec. 6, 1888**
 - This volume contains district court dockets, divorces, lists of jurors and witnesses, names of persons paying peddler tax and permits to non-citizens.
- ◆ **Volume 5 – Court Records of Canadian District: Dec. 26, 1890-May 28, 1895**
 - This volume contains marriages, permits to non-citizens and bills of sale.

CHN 23

Court Records of Canadian District, 1876-1896

- ◆ **Volume 6 – Court Records of Canadian District: Aug. 1891-1897**
 - This volume contains district and circuit court dockets, divorces, permit violators and other records.
 - Pages 129-134, 137, 138, 145-146 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 7 – Court Records of Canadian District: Apr. 1, 1895-Dec. 31, 1898**
 - This volume contains alphabetical list of permits to non-citizens, marriage licenses, and some hay permits.
- ◆ **Volume 8 – Court Records of Canadian District: Aug. 2, 1894-July 4, 1898**
 - This volume contains civil and criminal dockets for the circuit and district courts, lists of jurors, witnesses and election officials and sheriff reports.
- ◆ **Volume 9 – Court Records of Canadian District: July 3, 1876-Jan. 4, 1897**
 - This volume contains minutes of the district court in civil and criminal cases, testimony and lists of jurors and witnesses.
- ◆ **Volume 10 – Court Records of Canadian District: Aug. 29, 1886-Aug. 1897**

- This volume contains records of estray property sold by the sheriff including the names of purchasers and price paid.
- Page 9 is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 11 – Court Records of Canadian District: Oct. 24, 1876-Dec. 27, 1897**
 - This volume contains probated wills, including that of Belle Starr. There are also some marriage licenses and bills of sale.
- ◆ **Volume 12 – Court Records of Canadian District: July 1, 1876-Feb. 25, 1897**
 - This volume contains records of administrator and guardianship bonds. The names of principal, sureties and other details given.
- ◆ **Volume 13 – Court Records of Canadian District: July 24, 1876-Sep. 15, 1897**
 - This volume contains appointments of administrators of estates, guardians and election officials.
- ◆ **Volume 14 – Court Records of Canadian District: Mar. 16, 1876-Apr. 1, 1897**
 - This volume contains court minutes of criminal cases and includes testimony, verdicts, and lists of jurors and witnesses.
- ◆ **Volume 16 – Court Records of Canadian District: Apr. 24, 1876-Sep. 30, 1897**
 - This volume contains court dockets and minutes for cases involving improvements, divorces, citizenship and other matters. Also included are court rules, testimony and lists of jurors and witnesses.
- ◆ **Volume 17 – Court Records of Canadian District: Jan. 25, 1877-July 1897**
 - This volume contains dockets and court minutes, testimony and lists of guards, jurors and witnesses.
- ◆ **Volume 18 – Court Records of Canadian District: Feb. 1, 1877-June 2, 1896**
 - This volume contains drawings of brands and crop marks for cattle, horses and hogs, names of individuals adopting the brands and date of recording.
- ◆ **Volume 19 – Court Records of Canadian District: Dec. 3, 1883-June 21, 1898**
 - This volume contains indentures, bills of sale and recording of claim locations.

CHN 24

Cooweescoowee District Records of Marriages, Permits, Wills and Estates, 1858-1898

- ◆ **Volume 19C – Marriage Licenses: Mar. 11, 1867-June 6, 1893**
 - This volume contains mainly marriage licenses, but also a few other documents concerning permits issued, divorces granted, election appointments (p. 208-209), records of improvements, etc.
 - There is an index. Pages 201-202 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 19A – Cooweescoowee District Records: Nov. 8, 1876 and Dec. 16, 1893-Aug. 25, 1897**
 - This volume contains marriage licenses for Cherokees to wed either citizens or non-citizens and certificates of marriage.

- There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 19B – Cooweescoowee District Records: Aug. 16, 1880 and Feb. 6, 1896-June 29, 1898**
 - This volume contains marriage licenses and marriage certificates with ministers' returns with notations as to whether the contracting parties were citizens of the Cherokee Nation or of the United States.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 19D – Cooweescoowee District Records: June 11, 1890-Aug. 2, 1894**
 - This volume contains marriage license records for the Cooweescoowee District of Cherokee citizens and non-citizens to Cherokees.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Marriages: June 17, 1868-Aug. 18 1897**
 - This file contains petitions and recommendations for granting of a license to a United States citizen wishing to marry a Cherokee citizen.
- ◆ **Volume 24 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Mar. 1, 1872-Aug. 16, 1867-July 3, 1885**
 - This volume contains written and nuncupative wills (witnessed oral declarations) and copies of three bills of sale.
- ◆ **Volume 45 – Wills and Property Transfer Instruments: Mar. 1, 1872-Dec. 16, 1897**
 - This volume contains wills, a number of them nuncupative, and a few property transfer instruments. Index page X is missing.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 23 – Wills and Estates: Nov. 27, 1858-Jan. 8, 1878**
 - This volume contains wills, estate matters such as letters of administration, claims against estates, property lists and settlements.
 - There is an index on pages 253-255.
- ◆ **Volume 51A – Cooweescoowee District Records: Jan. 11, 1876-Dec. 29, 1897**
 - This volume lists the name of principal, names of sureties, date, amount, to whom given and for what purpose bond was given, such as guardian or estate administrator.
 - There is an index.

CHN 25

Cooweescoowee District Records: Estate records including Administrator, Guardian, and other appointments, Schedules and Appraisal of Property, Lists of Heirs, etc.

- ◆ **Volume 46 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Dec. 20, 1875-June 4, 1898**
 - This volume contains the name of person appointed, date of appointment, position appointed to, and remarks. Positions include administrators of estates, deputy clerks, judges, guardians, royalty collectors, superintendents, election officials, special district permit clerks, tax collectors, and others.
 - There is an index.

- ◆ **Volume 31 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Oct. 27, 1877-July 5, 1881**
 - This volume contains administrator and guardian records, including inventories, accounts of articles sold, and monies paid out of the estates.
 - There is an index, pages J and X are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 55 – Cooweescoowee District Records: July 2, 1877-June 1898**
 - This volume contains reports of administrators of estates, reports of guardians of minor children of heirs, some semi-annual reports to judge of district.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 47 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Dec. 3, 1875-Apr. 30, 1898**
 - This volume gives the name of deceased, date of estate appraisal, schedule of property and the valuation.
 - There is an index. Pages 27-32 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 33 – Cooweescoowee District Records: May 27, 1879-May 14, 1896**
 - This volume contains reports of administrators and guardians of estates, schedules of property, affidavits of citizens regarding estray property, and an adoption of a child (p. 216). The last will and testament and schedule of property of William Penn Adair are found on pages 114-115 and 136.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 37 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Apr. 10, 1888-July 27, 1897**
 - This volume contains schedules of real and personal property, lists of heirs, estate settlements, notices of granting of letters of administration and guardianship and accounts of expenditures.
 - There is an index. Pages 49-80 were bound out of order.

CHN 26

Cooweescoowee District Records: Permits to Non-Citizens

- ◆ **Volume 58 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Jan. 1, 1893-Apr. 1, 1897**
 - This volume contains the name of the employer, town of residence, his non-citizen employees' (permittees) names and date of employment. The majority of entries are in 1894 and 1895. Some employers listed lived in Tulsa (Creek Nation).
 - There is an index of employers.
- ◆ **Volume 61 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Jan. 1, 1896-Jan. 1, 1899**
 - This volume contains lists of non-citizen permit holders, the date and the number of months for which the permits were issued. Names of employers and their place of residence are also given.
 - There is an index of the employers.

CHN 27

Cooweescoowee District Records: Land Records

- ◆ **Volume 50 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Jan. 16, 1867-Apr. 21, 1890**
 - This volume contains records of improvements, bills of sale of land, deeds of transfer, record of sales and deeds of town lots, records of promissory notes, records of arbitration over division of property, and a copy of depositions regarding illegal sale and shipment of cattle, heard and recorded in the court of J. C. Parker, District Court, Western District of Arkansas, July 12, 1888 (pages 120-121) and copies of telegrams on various matters in the deputy clerk's office.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 30 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Feb. 18, 1875-July 15, 1897**
 - This volume contains a copy of the Act of 1870, creating a Commission to locate and survey town sites, deeds and bills of sale to town lots and farm improvements, chattel mortgages, agreements to land division between divorced parties, and other records.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 36 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Aug. 6, 1895-Aug. 10, 1897**
 - This volume contains bills of sale, deeds and conveyances of improvements, claims and town lots, chattel mortgages, notice of locating a claim on the public domain, and other items.
 - There is an index on pages 1-8.
- ◆ **Volume 20 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Jan. 1, 1890-Apr. 11, 1894**
 - This volume contains bills of sales, deeds and conveyances of town lots and improvements, chattel mortgages, receipts for payment, a divorce decree, judgement rendered in a citizenship case, and other items. The records cover a considerable time span; however, the recording of the copies occurred between 1890 and 1894.
 - There is an index.

CHN 28

Cooweescoowee District Records: Land Records and Estray Property Records

- ◆ **Volume 41 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Dec. 5, 1892-Feb. 19, 1894**
 - This volume contains records of town lot deeds, chattel mortgages, land sales and gifts, records of improvements, sale of land to American Home Missionary Society, licenses to prospect for "stone coal" on certain lands and testimony concerning oral will of Maxwell Chambers.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 42 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Nov. 23, 1892, Aug. 12, 1893-Nov. 16, 1893**

- This volume contains records of town lot bills of sale and deeds for Downingville, Afton, and Adair. Also included is license for a Methodist elder, Warden Riggs, page 84.
- ◆ **Volume 44 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Apr. 21, 1894-Nov. 14, 1894**
 - This volume contains bills of sale of livestock, land, deeds to town lots, sale of farm property, chattel mortgage, and other records.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 21 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Feb. 22, 1897-June 25, 1898**
 - This volume contains bills of sale, deeds to town lots, transfers of property, contracts to lease, and other records.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 22 – Cooweescoowee District Records: May 30, 1903-Mar. 19, 1914**
 - This volume contains the name of the town, date when lot issued by Cherokee Nation, name of person issued to, character of instrument, appraisal value, amount paid, date approved by Secretary of Interior, volume and date recorded by Dawes Commission, and remarks. Towns include Vinita, Collinsville, Bartlesville, Chouteau, and Afton.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Townsites: Nov. 14 1893-Dec. 2, 1905**
 - This file contains a deed to a lot in Claremore, an Act of the National Council authorizing survey and sale of lots in Downingville, and an abstract of title to a lot in Chelsea.
- ◆ **Volume 48 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Jan. 3, 1876-June 6, 1898**
 - This volume contains a record of stray property sold by the sheriff of Cooweescoowee District. Lists of kinds of property, brands, date sold, to whom and amount paid.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 32 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Jan. 1878-Sep. 20, 1893**
 - This volume contains records of stray property sold at the regular terms of the District Court, including description of the animal, brand, age, color, person sold to and amount.
 - There is a partial index inside of front cover. Pages 57-70 and 73-82 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 52 – Cooweescoowee District Records: June 3, 1876-June 3, 1898**
 - This volume contains records of marks and brands of the Cooweescoowee District listing persons who adopted brands, drawing of brand, marks on said animals, date recorded and range area.
 - There is an index.

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Cooweescoowee District Records: Circuit and Supreme Court Records

- ◆ **Volume 25 – Cooweescoowee District Records: June 1, 1868-Jan. 11, 1879**
 - This volume contains Circuit and Supreme Court dockets for civil and criminal cases, verdicts, sentences, lists of jurors, witnesses and court officials, and other records.

- There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 26 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Sep. 9, 1872-Feb. 11, 1876**
 - This volume contains civil and criminal dockets and minutes of the Circuit Court, names of jurors and court officials, verdicts and disposition of cases. Also included are some divorce records and listing of marks and brands.
 - There is no index. Pages 7-14, 17-18, 41-42, 65-88, 95-96, 101-102, 111-112, and 115-166 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 27 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Sep. 9, 1872-May 1887**
 - This volume contains civil and criminal dockets and minutes of the Circuit Court showing disposition of the cases. Some testimony is included.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 29 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Feb. 6, 1874-Aug. 9, 1876**
 - This volume is a register of certificates issued to jurors in cases brought before the Circuit and District Courts. Names of the jurors are given with notation of the cases tried and verdicts for acquittal or conviction.
 - There is no index. A portion of pages 80 and 90 is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 49 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Sep. 12, 1876-Sep. 13, 1890**
 - This volume contains proceedings and testimony in the Circuit Court. Names of jurors are given as well as verdicts.
 - There is a partial index of which page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 51 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Jan. 3, 1876-Feb. 25, 1895**
 - This volume contains minutes of the Supreme Court with testimony and verdicts in a number of criminal cases. Lists of persons summoned for jury duty and those actually serving are given.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 57 – Cooweescoowee District Records: May 12, 1891-June 7, 1894**
 - This volume contains the proceedings of the Circuit Court with testimony, verdicts and disposition of cases. Names of those summoned to jury duty as well as those serving are given.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 34 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Sep. 1887-Oct. 22, 1894**
 - This volume contains civil and criminal dockets with notations of verdicts and disposition of the cases.
 - There is no index.

CHN 30

Cooweescoowee District Records: Circuit and Supreme Court Records

- ◆ **Volume 35 – Cooweescoowee District Records: May 5, 1887-May 14, 1894**

- This Circuit Court volume contains miscellaneous records, including civil and criminal dockets, judgments, lists of jurors, and other items.
- There is a partial index in the body of the volume. Pages 1-20, 25-26, 29-34, 41-44, 47-48, 87-88, 146-146 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 59 – Cooweescoowee District Records: July 16, 1894-June 8, 1898**
 - This volume contains court dockets, testimony, decisions, judgements, postponements, names of judges, jurors, defendants, plaintiffs, and others. Divorce cases are among those heard.
 - There is an index; some pages are blank.
- ◆ **Volume 60 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Feb. 11, 1895-June 6, 1898**
 - This volume contains dockets, testimony and sentences in criminal cases heard and tried before the Circuit and Supreme Court. Names of judges, witnesses and others are given.
 - There is a partial index.

CHN 31

Cooweescoowee District Records: District and Supreme Court and Miscellaneous Records

- ◆ **Volume 28 – Cooweescoowee District Records: July 6, 1874-July 7, 1884**
 - This volume lists civil and criminal dockets, decisions, case postponement or dismissal, names of judges, jurors, plaintiffs, and defendants.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 53 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Jan. 1, 1877-Jan. 4, 1898**
 - This volume contains district court criminal proceedings, including testimony and verdicts, names of judges, jurors, witnesses, and others.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 54 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Jan. 1, 1877-Jan. 6, 1898**
 - This volume contains the journal of the regular term of the District Court, recording testimony and verdict, and giving names of judges, jurors, plaintiffs and defendants.
 - There is a partial index.
- ◆ **Volume 38 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Dec. 23, 1889-June 19, 1897**
 - This volume contains suits for writs of ejectments and hearing and judgements pertaining to them. Pages 174-179 contain criminal dockets for 1896.
 - There is no index. There are numerous missing, torn and blank pages.
- ◆ **Volume 39 – Cooweescoowee District Records: May 5, 1890-Feb. 29, 1892**
 - This volume contains criminal and civil dockets, names of jurors, judges, plaintiffs and others. Beginning on page 58 is an Index to cattle reports which follow and which include numbers of imported cattle, brands, amount of sale and names of owners.
- ◆ **Volume 40 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Apr. 15, 1890-July 5, 1897**

- This volume contains various records including Supreme and District Court verdicts and sentences, juror's names, names of persons shipping hay and revenue received from hay royalties, petitions to lay out public roads, maps and descriptions of roads, reports of road commissioners, applications for peddler's license, and permits and royalties of walnut timber.
- There are numerous inserted letters and documents pertaining to the above matters. There is no index. Pages 7 and 8 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 43 – Cooweescoowee District Records: Nov. 10, 1893-Sep. 23, 1895**
 - This volume contains permit records on pages 3-7 and a marriage record on page 229. The bulk of the volume is criminal and civil court dockets, including names of jurors, witnesses, and others.
 - There is no index. Pages 43-46 and 49-50 are missing.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Courts: July 1, 1857-May 23, 1898**
 - This file contains surety bonds, orders to sheriffs, summons, judgements, jury lists, depositions, warrants of arrest and indictment, commissions, and the proceedings of the Apr. 4, 1898 District Court, Watt Starr, presiding.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Courts: Aug. 6, 1866-July 5, 1869**
 - This file contains proceedings of the District Court with testimony regarding estates, marriages, estray property, permits, theft and other matters.
 - There is no index. Several pages are missing or blank.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Divorce: Apr. 2, 1890**
 - This file contains a summons for appearance in a divorce petition.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Estates: Aug. 24, 1867-June 30, 1898**
 - This file contains several wills and testaments and administrator reports.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Permits: Apr. 21, 1868-Apr. 1, 1893**
 - This file contains several permits to employ non-citizens by citizens of Cooweescoowee District.

CHN 32

Delaware District Records

- ◆ **Volume 62A – Marriages: Dec. 6, 1867-Feb. 19, 1874**
 - This volume contains marriage licenses and returns and lists of white men licensed to marry Cherokee women. Most of the records are arranged alphabetically by the surname of the groom. Also included are a few work permits for non-citizens and an estray property item.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 62B – Marriages: July 7, 1868-Jan. 9, 1891**

- This volume of marriage records gives names of couple, date of ceremony, witnesses, person officiating. Some licenses are included as well as names of persons petitioning for issuance of a license permitting a non-citizen to marry a Cherokee. In one instance, the dates of birth of the couple being married are noted.
- There is an index with page X missing.
- ◆ **Volume 62C – Marriages: Jan. 13, 1890-Apr. 7, 1898**
 - This volume contains marriage licenses and returns with notations of whether the bride and groom were Cherokee or United States citizens. The fly leaf contains a printed list of unclaimed original marriage licenses remaining in the office of the District Clerk.
 - There is an index of grooms, but it is not alphabetically arranged. Pages X, 33-34 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 62D – Marriages: Nov. 21, 1887-Apr. 11, 1896**
 - This volume contains marriage licenses and returns with citizenship status of the contracting parties noted and ages occasionally given. Some divorce, legal separation records and contracts are included.
 - There is no index. Pages 155-158 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 64 – Permits: Jan. 1, 1868-Aug. 29, 1874**
 - This volume, much of which is written in the Cherokee language, contains a variety of records. There are a number of permits for non-citizens to work in the nation, some estate and marriage records, and other items.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 97 – Permits: Jan. 11, 1887-Dec. 2, 1898**
 - This volume contains the names of non-citizens who were in the nation under a work permit with names of their employers, the number of months employed and other information.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 71 – Permits: Jan. 16, 1888-Sep. 25, 1891**
 - This volume contains lists of non-citizens who held work permits with the names of their employers, the number of months worked and cost of the permits noted. Also included are lumber royalty records, lists of grand jurors, and witnesses and other court records.
 - There is a partial index. Pages 1-2, 65-68, 79-82, 85-88, 93-96, and 103-190 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 75 – Permits: Dec. 24, 1891-Dec. 31, 1897**
 - This volume lists the names of non-citizens who were in the nation under work permits, with their employers; number of months worked and permit fees given. A list of grand jurors and other records are also included.
 - There is no index. Pages 1-8, 41-42, and 293-296 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 77 – Permits: Jan. 1, 1893-Dec. 1, 1894**
 - This volume contains lists of non-citizens who were in the nation under work permits and the names of their employers.
 - There is no index. Pages 207-212 and 221-226 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 82 – Permits: Jan. 1, 1895-Dec. 2, 1895**

- This volume contains lists of employers and the non-citizens they hired under the permit laws.
- There are only three entries in the index.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Permits: Nov. 27, 1886**
 - This file contains an authorization for a citizen of the Cherokee Nation to employ a non-citizen as a common laborer for a two month period.

CHN 33

Delaware District Records

- ◆ **Volume 63 – Delaware District Records: 1867-Oct. 26, 1875**
 - This volume contains administrators' reports, property schedules, guardianships, wills, depositions as to legal names and ancestry and other items. Pages 1-73 and various other entries are in the Cherokee language.
 - There is no index. Pages 85-88, 103-104, 123-124, 129-130, 149-150, 161-168, 177, 183, 189-209, and 226-231 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 88 – Record of Appointments, A: Dec. 28, 1875-Mar. 12, 1898**
 - This volume contains appointments of administrators, guardians, executors, judges of elections, Deputy Sheriffs, clerks and other public officials.
 - There is an index. Pages X and 49-50 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 94 – Record of Wills, A: Jan. 30, 1878-Oct. 26, 1897**
 - This volume contains wills both nuncupative and written and depositions of proving witnesses.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 96 – Record of Bonds, A: Feb. 14, 1878-Apr. 30, 1898**
 - This volume of bond records gives the names of the principal, and sureties, date, amount and to whom given. Most of the bonds were for estate administrators or guardians.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 92 – Report of Administrators: Jan. 3, 1881-June 30, 1898**
 - This volume contains annual and semi-annual reports of administrators and guardians, sales of estate property, settlement, lists of assets, and other items.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 91 – Record of Appraisements, A: Dec. 19, 1875-Dec. 28, 1897**
 - This volume contains records of appraisements and inventories of estates showing date, name of deceased, valuation and names of appraisers. Some are written in the Cherokee language.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 76 – Appointments: Nov. 26, 1891-July 3, 1895**

- This volume contains appointments of administrators, guardians, road overseers and sheriffs, marriage licenses, estray property, petitions to open public roads and other records.
- There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 80 – District Judge: Nov. 28, 1893-Jan. 13, 1898**
 - This volume contains appointments of guardians, road overseers, administrators of estates, appraisers and various public officials. Also included are reports by guardians, inventories of estates, lists of bonds and various other items.
 - There is a general topic index.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Estates: May 11, 1858-Mar. 2, 1897**
 - This file contains appointments for administrators of estates and guardians, surety bonds, transfer of title and notice that a citizen had died intestate.

CHN 34

Delaware District Records: Circuit and Supreme Court

- ◆ **Volume 65 – Circuit Court Records: May 2, 1868-Oct. 17, 1871**
 - This volume contains dockets for the circuit court, testimony, verdicts, lists of jurors, witnesses and court officials, record of court expenses and other items.
 - There is no index. Pages 81-82 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 69 – Circuit Court Records: Sep. 6, 1875-Sep. 7, 1885**
 - This volume contains circuit court dockets, appointments, testimony, verdicts, lists of jurors, peddler or trader license and other items.
 - There is no index. Pages 31-32, 61-64, 113-116, 131-134, 137-138, 143-144, 161-162, 177-182, 185-192, 199-202, 215-220, 223-238, and most of 239 and 240 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 87 – Civil Cases, Circuit Court, A: Sep. 4, 1876-Nov. 5, 1890**
 - This volume contains court minutes, testimony, verdicts, summons, continuances, lists of jurors and witnesses, and other items.
 - There is an index of which pages A and X are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 93 – Criminal Cases, Supreme Court, A: May 6, 1878-Apr. 25, 1898**
 - This minute book of criminal cases contains dockets, verdicts and lists of jurors and court officials.
 - There is an index which has only a few entries.
- ◆ **Volume 73 – Circuit Court Record: May 6, 1890-Sep. 9, 1891**
 - This volume contains circuit court dockets, proceedings, cross examinations and lists of witnesses and jurors.
 - There is no index. Pages 1-4, 209-210, 247-264, and 267-278 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 74 – Court Records: Sep. 7, 1891-Oct. 29, 1891**

- This volume contains Circuit Court dockets, testimony, verdicts, names of witnesses and court officials, warrants for arrest and other items.
- There is no index. Pages 1-24 and 33-56 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 78 – Property Sold: May 2, 1892-Jan. 6, 1896**
 - This circuit court minute book contains dockets, verdicts, names of witnesses and grand jury members, lists of estray property, permits and other items.
 - There is no index.

CHN 35

Delaware District Records: Circuit and District Court

- ◆ **Volume 79 – Circuit Court: May 2, 1892-May 2, 1894**
 - This volume contains minute of the Circuit Court, dockets and cross examinations.
 - There is an index which does not contain a page X.
- ◆ **Volume 81 – Delaware District Records: May 1893-June 30, 1898**
 - This volume contains Circuit Court proceedings involving civil and criminal cases, dockets, sheriffs' reports, estray property lists, names of jurors and witnesses and other items.
 - There is no index. Pages 135-136 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 83 – Circuit Court Records: Sep. 10, 1894-Sep. 16, 1896**
 - This volume contains dockets, summons, testimony, depositions and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 84 – Circuit Court Records: Apr. 26, 1897-Apr. 27, 1898**
 - This volume contains dockets, decisions, testimony, lists of jurors and witnesses and one marriage license.
 - There is no index. Pages 1-2 and 101-102 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 62 – Delaware District Records: July 12, 1853-July 11, 1861**
 - This volume contains entries in Cherokee and English regarding court dockets, estate settlements, judgements, and names of jurors and witnesses.
- ◆ **Volume 67 – District Court Records, Book I: Feb. 17, 1872-Jan. 20, 1874**
 - This volume contains District Court dockets, testimony, marriage license, certificates issued, lists of witnesses and other items.
 - There is no index. Many pages are missing or blank and others are faded. Some copies of pages have been inserted that were bound by error in an earlier dated volume (Cherokee Volume 62).
- ◆ **Volume 66 – Delaware District Records: Jan. 10, 1872-Sep. 17, 1875**
 - This volume, written in English and some in Cherokee, contains summons, marriage licenses, appointment of administrators of estates and guardians, schedule of property,

settlements, bonds, list of estray property sold, appointment of deputy sheriff and other items.

- There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 68 – District Court, D: July 6, 1874-Jan. 1, 1877**
 - This volume contains district court civil and criminal cases with dockets, verdicts, testimony, application for a permit, deposits, surety bonds and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is only one entry in the index.
- ◆ **Volume 90 – Criminal Cases District Court, A: July 4, 1877-June 3, 1898**
 - This volume contains dockets, testimony, decisions, cross-examinations and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is an index having only a few entries. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 95 – District Court – Civil Cases: 1877-1898**
- ◆ **Volume 70 – Permits: Dec. 22, 1885-Mar. 16, 1895**
 - This volume contains a variety of records including letters of administration and guardianship, property schedules and other estate matters, permits issued, stray property sold, records of marriage, school funds received and disbursed, census figures 1890 (p. 148), court testimony, dockets and other items.
 - There is an index of which pages A, B, and X is missing as are pages 155-158 and 183-184.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Divorce: Nov. 4, 1902**
 - This letter to the district clerk is a request from J. L. Rogers for a copy of a divorce decree granted in 1886 or 1887.

CHN 36

Delaware District Court Records

- ◆ **Volume 85 – Improvements: Apr. 6, 1875-May 19, 1898**
 - This volume contains bills of sale and transfers of improvements, deeds, registration of land claims, petitions for road building, mineral licenses, settlement of estates, divorces, chattel mortgages and other items.
 - There is an index which contains no page X.
- ◆ **Volume 86 – Marks and Brands of: Apr. 20, 1876-May 12, 1898**
 - This volume contains bills of sale, records of marks and brands showing style of brand, ear and flesh marks and names of owners.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing and Y and Z are blank.
- ◆ **Volume 89 – Estray Property: Dec. 1875-Apr. 25, 1898**
 - This volume contains records of estray property sold by the sheriff and gives the kind of animal, to who sold, amount paid and medium of payment.

- There is a partial index of which page X is missing and pages A-H, K-W, Y and Z are blank.
- ◆ **Volume 72 – Estray Property: Nov. 1889-Oct. 25, 1895**
 - This volume contains description of estray property, names of buyers and prices paid, lists of peace guards for a religious meeting, expense accounts for keeping prisoners and other items.

CHN 37

Flint District Records

- ◆ **Volume 100 – Estates: Apr. 21, 1876-Jan. 12, 1898**
 - This volume contains lists of appointments of positions such as administrator, administrator, guardian, deputy sheriff, etc.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing and Y-Z is blank.
- ◆ **Volume 101 – Estates: May 10, 1876-Oct. 27, 1897**
 - This volume contains records of bonds, names of principal and sureties, date, amount, to whom given, date additional sureties given, reports of administrators of estates, original bond and other items.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing and X-Y is blank.
- ◆ **Volume 102 – Estates: Apr. 18, 1876-Jan. 9, 1898**
 - This volume contains names of persons, estate appraisals, date and schedule of property valuation, report of administrator of estate and other items.
 - There is an index of which X is missing and B, Y, and Z are blank. In addition, pages 5-6 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 104 – Estates: Aug. 1, 1877-Apr. 4, 1898**
 - This volume contains wills, written and verbal, sworn and subscribed, sales and leases of land, power of attorney, deed of gift, chattel mortgage, and other items.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 108 – Estates: July 6, 1878-Feb. 28, 1898**
 - This volume contains receipts for proceeds of estates, administrators and guardian reports, some property schedules listed as well as sale prices and other items.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing. Pages 1-2 are also missing.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Estates: Dec. 3, 1849-July 4, 1893**
 - This file includes financial reports of administrators and guardians, bills of sale, receipts, inventories and surety bonds.
- ◆ **Volume 98 – Estray Property: Sep. 11, 1876-Jan. 3, 1898**
 - This volume contains record of estray property sold by the sheriff of Flint District, giving the type of property as to sex, color, brands, flesh marks, when taken up, advertised, sold, to who sold and payment and other items.
 - There is no index. Page 1 is missing.

- ◆ **Volume 99 – Marks and Brands: Sep. 4, 1876-Oct. 16, 1896**
 - This volume contains records of marks and brands, flesh marks, style of brand, by who adopted, remarks, receipts, and other items.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing
- ◆ **Volume 109 – Marks and Brands: July 7, 1878-Apr. 27, 1897**
 - This volume contains a record of marks and brands, by who adopted, style of brand, ear and flesh marks, date recorded and other items.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 110 – Improvements: July 2, 1881-1893**
 - This volume contains bills of sale and record of improvements, descriptions of improvements, indentures, partnership agreements and other items.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.

CHN 38

Flint District Records: Supreme, Circuit, and District Courts

- ◆ **Volume 103 – Criminal Cases, Circuit and Supreme Court, A: May 15, 1877-Jan. 7, 1898**
 - This volume contains criminal proceedings, jurors, verdicts, witnesses, legal opinions by the Principal Chief, testimony and direct cross examination and other items.
 - There is an index with few entries. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 97A – Apr. 14, 1868-Nov. 3, 1895**
 - Besides marriage records, this volume contains wills, deeds of gift, bills of sale, property schedules, court dockets, estate settlements, appointments of administrators and guardians and other items. There is a record of a deed of gift for Apr. 17, 1847 (page 1).
 - There is no index. There are numerous missing and blank pages.
- ◆ **Volume 97B – Marriage Records: July 6, 1874-Nov. 1, 1895**
 - This volume contains marriage licenses and certificates of marriage, character references for those non-citizens marrying Cherokees, permits, and some district court criminal and civil cases
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 105 – Civil Cases, Circuit Court, A: Sep. 15, 1877-Mar. 10, 1895**
 - This volume contains civil proceedings, verdicts, dockets, testimony, direct and cross examinations, bills of court costs, divorces, permits, a marriage, and lists of jurors.
 - The index has only a few entries.
- ◆ **Volume 106 – Criminal Cases, District Court, A: Jan. 1, 1877-Jan. 21, 1897**
 - This volume contains criminal court dockets, proceedings, verdicts and sentences, legal opinions, testimony and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 107 – Civil Cases, District Court, A: Jan. 7, 1878-July 4, 1892**

- This volume contains district court proceedings, verdicts, and lists of jurors and witnesses.
- There is an index with two entries.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Courts: Dec. 29, 1844 and Sep. 12, 1890**
 - This file contains two surety bonds from the Flint District
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Marriages: July 16, 1893, July 31, 1893, and Aug. 3, 1893**
 - This file contains three marriage certificates showing ages and the fact that all parties were Cherokees by blood.

CHN 39

Going Snake District Records: Marriages, Estates, Property Improvements and Estray Property

- ◆ **Volume 110B – Marriage Records: Mar. 27, 1880-Apr. 10, 1898**
 - This volume contains marriage licenses and returns, names of bride and groom and whether Cherokee or United States citizen, with ages frequently given, witnesses, character references for non-citizens applying for marriage license. Also included is a July 22, 1876 marriage from Saline District (p. 11)
 - There is no index. Pages 1-2 and 245-248 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 111 – Estates: July 29, 1868-July 5, 1881**
 - This volume contains wills, schedules of effects and property, appraisals of property, stray property reported and sold by sheriff, proceeds of public sales and other items.
 - One inserted and glued page, dated Jan. 2, 1893, is an administrator's report for the J. R. Wright estate. Six documents dated 1848 to 1859 were bound by mistake in this volume, p. 150a-150d.
 - There is no index. Missing pages are: 1-2, 23-26, 47-50, 119-120, 143-147, and portions of 163 and 164.
- ◆ **Volume 122 – Wills: July 27, 1876-Apr. 27, 1897**
 - This volume contains records of wills, including both verbal and written.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 123 – Appointments: June 7, 1876-June 8, 1898**
 - This volume contains lists of persons appointed for administration of estate, power of attorney, arbitration, appraisement, deputy sheriff, deputy clerk, guardianship, and the dates of their appointment.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 124 – Report of Administrators, A: Apr. 29, 1876-July 24, 1894**
 - This volume contains letters of administration and guardianship, surety bonds, legal notices calling on settlement of accounts, and presentation of claims against estates, financial reports of administrators and guardians, estate settlements and other items.

- There is an index in which some indexing by first name is done.
- ◆ **Volume 126 – Appraisements: Feb. 19, 1878-June 14, 1898**
 - This volume contains names of deceased persons and of appraisers, date of appraisal, property schedules and valuations.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Estates: Mar. 25, 1848-Dec. 17, 1904**
 - This file contains a few documents that are schedules of estate property, an agreement between heirs concerning the division of an estate, a will, and grant of Letters Testamentary.
- ◆ **Volume 117 – Property Improvements and Estray Property: May 5, 1880-Jan. 7, 1898**
 - This volume contains records of conveyances, deeds of gift, indentures, bills of sale, descriptions of claim boundaries, chattel mortgages and other items. Three earlier instruments are dated Sep. 22, 1869, Mar. 8, 1872, and May 2, 1879.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 120 – Property Improvements and Estray Property: Sep. 4, 1876-July 6, 1896**
 - This volume lists the kind of animal with physical characteristics, brands, flesh marks, dates taken up, advertised, sold, to who sold, amount paid and medium of payment.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 113 – Property Improvements and Estray Property: Nov. 1, 1867-Apr. 4, 1898**
 - This volume contains records of estray property “taken up,” “proven away,” or sold, appraisals and estate property schedules, administrators and guardians, bonds and estate settlements, a few wills and marriage certificates and other items. Two extraneous document pages dated 1848 and 1853 are bound into this volume between pages 316-317.
 - Some portions are in the Cherokee language. There is no index but a brief table of contents. Many pages are blank or missing.
- ◆ **Volume 114 – Property Improvements and Estray Property: May 2, 1890-Feb. 3, 1898**
 - This volume contains bill of sale, lists of estray property sold by the sheriff, with physical description of the animals, where found, to whom sold and purchase price, affidavits of claimants to strays, also notice of appointment of deputy sheriffs, inventories of estates, reports of administrators and guardians, a deposition concerning the Civil War service of a deceased Union soldier, and two marriage returns found on page 171.
 - There is no index but there is a table of contents.

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Going Snake District Records: Supreme, Circuit, and District Courts

- ◆ **Volume 125 – Criminal Cases, Circuit and Supreme Court, A: Nov. 7, 1876-Dec. 13, 1894**

- This volume contains criminal cases' testimony and verdicts, names of court officers, jurors and witnesses.
- There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 115 – Sheriff Reports: July 11, 1890-Jan. 13, 1896**
 - This volume contains the district sheriff's financial accounts, lists of jurors, witnesses, and guards with the amounts paid for their service, notations of cases and verdicts and other items.
 - There is no index. Pages 13-14, 33-34, 239-240, and 247-248 are missing and there are numerous blank pages.
- ◆ **Volume 112 – Sheriff Register: Mar. 22, 1874-July 22, 1890**
 - This volume contains lists of jurors, witnesses and guards and certificates for payment to them; names of accused persons and case hearing date; sheriff's expenses; lists of government claims; amounts of estray sales and other information
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 119 – Civil Cases, Circuit Court, A: Sep. 4, 1876-Apr. 10, 1898**
 - This volume is a Circuit Court Minute Book giving lists of jurors, witnesses and attorneys, testimony, verdicts, arbitrations, indentures, summons and demurrers. The Civil Cases include divorces and some criminal cases.
 - There is a partial index. Missing pages are 137-142.
- ◆ **Volume 116 – Register of Certificates, Cattle Register, Ticket Register Belonging to the Clerk's Office: Mar. 5, 1891-July 15, 1897**
 - This volume contains a register of cattle brought into the Cherokee Nation including name of party bringing them, number of cattle brands, etc.; sheriff's reports, including list of guards and amount paid for their board; lists of court witnesses and amount paid to them; lists of dockets and defendants' names; receipts for permit revenues received from Revenue Collection, and other items. A few isolated dates are in 1877.
 - There is no index. Pages 19-20, 33-34, 37-38 and a portion of 59 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 235 – Wills of Property: July 1850-July 6, 1874**
 - This volume contains estate schedules of property and "effects," including slaves, values of and final settlement of estates, several slave manumissions (pages 18, 64, 71), an oath of office, last wills and testaments, names of orphans and guardians, marriage licenses and other records. Some entries are in Cherokee.
 - There is no index. Numerous pages are missing or partially missing.
- ◆ **Volume 118 – Civil Cases, District Court, A: Feb. 5, 1874-Nov. 27, 1889**
 - This volume contains marriage licenses and certificates, Civil Court procedures, dockets, jurors' lists, bills of sale of improvements, articles of agreement, estate settlement and other records.
 - There is an index in which some entries are by first names. Part of page 13 has been cut out.
- ◆ **Volume 121 – Record of Bonds, A: Dec. 21, 1875-June 22, 1897**
 - This volume contains records of bonds with names of principal, sureties, date, to whom given, for what purpose or condition, such as estate administration, guardianship, etc.

- There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 127 – Criminal Cases, District Court, A: July 4, 1877-July 26, 1894**
 - This volume contains criminal case records including testimony, indictments, verdicts, names of plaintiffs, defendants, jurors and witnesses.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 110A – Marriages, Guardians, Administrators, Schedules of Deceased Property, etc.: Dec. 4, 1889-May 24, 1898**
 - This volume contains administrators’ reports, schedules of property and improvements, livestock thefts, reports, and sales by sheriff, appointments of guardians and revocation of guardianships, marriage certificates, wills and other records.
 - There is no index but a table of contents (pages 1-7). There are numerous missing and blank pages.

CHN 41

Illinois District Records: Marriages, Estates, and Permits

- ◆ **Volume 127A – Marriage Records: Oct. 12, 1892-June 23, 1898**
 - This volume is a record of marriage licenses and certificates of marriage.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 127B – Marriage Certificates: July 1868-Apr. 14, 1892**
 - This volume contains marriage licenses and certificates of marriage, many of which are for United States citizens marrying Cherokee citizens.
 - There is an index of which A-D and W-Z are missing, as are pages 1 and 2.
- ◆ **Volume 128 – Wills, Bonds, and Marriage Records: Aug. 23, 1859-Jan. 22, 1879**
 - This volume contains wills, bonds, marriage records, letters of administration, appointments of guardians, a deed of gift and other items.
 - There is an index of which J and X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 129 – District Judge Records: Nov. 26, 1860-Nov. 3, 1870**
 - This volume contains schedules of property, land appraisals, bonds given for administration of estates, also settlement of estates, a divorce agreement and letters of guardianships and of administration.
 - There is no index. Some pages were bound upside down and out of order. There are several pages partially torn.
- ◆ **Volume 133 – Register of Letters of Guardianship Administration and Schedules of Property Administration and Schedules of Property of estates of Deceased persons and minors: May 1862-Sep. 21, 1879**
 - This volume contains estates, schedule of property, administrators’ reports of settlement of estate, verbal and written wills, bonds, sale of stray property, and other items. Portions are written in the Cherokee language.

- There is an index. Pages X-Z, 59-63, 113-114, and 273-274 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 134 – Schedule of Valuation of Estates: June 18, 1868-May 6, 1870**
 - This volume contains records of estates, schedules of evaluation, giving name of deceased, administrator and evaluator (appraiser), lists of items and dates.
 - There is an index in which some letters contain no entries.
- ◆ **Volume 148 – Record of Wills, A: Nov. 3, 1875-Jan. 27, 1898**
 - This volume contains wills, estate settlements, adoptions, bills of sale, articles of agreement, transfers of property and other records.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 151 – Records of Bonds, A: Jan. 19, 1876-Dec. 28, 1897**
 - This volume contains bond records showing names of the principal and sureties, date, amount and other information. There are surety bonds for guardians and administrators which list the names of wards and deceased persons.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Estates: May 15, 1876-Nov. 13, 1897**
 - This volume contains indentures, financial reports of guardians and administrators, powers of attorney, grants of letters of administration, appointment of guardians and claims for strip payment money.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 141 – Permit Records: Jan. 1, 1895-Jan. 1, 1897**
 - This volume contains lists of non-citizens residing in the Illinois District under permit, their occupation, date covered by permit and name of employers.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 145 – Permits: Jan. 1, 1897-Dec. 1898**
 - This volume contains names of persons residing in the Illinois District under permit, District Court dockets listing name of defendant, nature of crime, dates of trial and please entered (pages 85-87).
 - There is an index. Pages 11 and 12 are missing.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Permits: Dec. 1895-Jan. 6, 1896**
 - This file contains a request for permits to be issued giving the names of the Cherokee employers and of the non-citizens for whom permits were sought.

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Illinois District Records: Property Improvements, Marks and Brands, Estray Property, and Supreme and Circuit Courts

- ◆ **Volume 155 – Record of Improvements, A: Feb. 6, 1880-Aug. 28, 1897**
 - This volume contains deeds and bills of sale for town lots and improvements, articles of agreement, affidavits concerning title, cancellation of a deed of gift, chattel mortgages

and a plat of a portion of the town of Fort Gibson. A number of the instruments are dated much earlier than their recording date. Some in this volume are dated as early as 1856.

- There is an index of which page X is missing. Pages 67-68 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 156 – Record of Marks and Brands: Oct. 2, 1876-Apr. 26, 1897**
 - This volume lists the names of persons adopting the brands, description and hand drawn picture of the brand or mark, date recorded and remarks noting that some had been adopted at a much earlier time.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 157 – Record or Stray Property Sold, A: May 22, 1876-Sep. 28, 1887**
 - This volume contains physical descriptions of the estrays, date the property was advertised, date sold, name of the purchaser and the amount paid.
 - There is an index with only a few entries.
- ◆ **Volume 131 – Permits: Sep. 18, 1865-Dec. 17, 1887**
 - This Circuit Court minute book contains dockets, names of witnesses and jurors, lists of employees showing date hired, length of service to be rendered, for what purpose and amount paid and other items.
 - Parts of pages 79-80 and 113-114 and pages 99-100, 117-118, and 155-158 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 142 – Court Docket: May 27, 1867-June 10, 1896**
 - This volume contains Supreme Court proceedings, testimony, verdicts, sheriffs' financial reports, names of interpreters, guards, messengers, jurors and witnesses showing fees paid to them by the District and Circuit Courts, a list of taxes collected from peddlers at Fort Gibson, one group of permits to non-citizens and an order for the execution of a convicted murderer.
 - Page 89 is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 132 – Certificate Register: Dec. 5, 1867-Apr. 30, 1880**
 - This volume contains dockets, names of defendant and nature of crime, lists of jurors and witnesses for the special and regular terms of the Circuit Court. The amount paid each person and the number of days of service is given.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 138 – Circuit Court Docket: May 25, 1874-May 1884**
 - This minute book of the Circuit Court contains dockets, proceedings and verdicts in civil and criminal cases and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is no index. Pages 41-42, 49-52, and 137-164 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 152 – Criminal Cases, Circuit and Supreme Court, A: Oct. 4, 1876-June 20, 1898**
 - This minute book contains proceedings, testimony, verdicts, dockets, and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 153 – Civil Cases, Circuit Court, A: May 22, 1876-July 6, 1898**
 - This volume contains proceedings of the District Court, testimony, verdicts, dockets, and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is an index which has only a few entries.

CHN 43

Illinois District Records: Supreme, District, and Circuit Courts

- ◆ **Volume 232 – Court Charges: Aug. 23, 1892-Nov. 9, 1893**
 - This volume is an account book listing District and Supreme Court expenditures for such items as board bills, pay for jury duty, and so on for specifically named civil and criminal cases. Also included are lists of guards and witnesses and sheriffs' reports of expenses.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 139 – Certificate Register: Nov. 27, 1893-Nov. 4, 1895**
 - This volume contains lists of jurors and guards serving the Circuit and Supreme Courts, names of persons being tried, verdicts, Deputy Sheriffs' reports and other items.
- ◆ **Volume 143 – Register of Tickets Issued from: May 27, 1895-Sep. 30, 1897**
 - This volume contains sheriffs' reports of cost involved in specific cases, lists of jurors with amounts paid for their services in the Circuit and Supreme Courts and other items.
 - The index is blank.
- ◆ **Volume 146 – Certificate Register Ledger: Oct. 15, 1897-June 20, 1898**
 - This volume contains sheriffs' financial reports showing fees paid for board bills, interpreters, jurors, witnesses and guards serving the Supreme and District Courts. Verdicts are noted in some cases.
 - Pages 1-12 and 83-84 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 130 – Bills of Sales: Feb. 28, 1862-Feb. 20, 1884**
 - This volume contains bills of sale, agreements, deeds of gift, permits, and some isolated pages of court testimony.
 - There is no index. Portions of pages 24-25, 40-41, and 89 and pages 1, 42-43, 54-59, 64-67, 76-79, and 84-87 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 135 – Court Records: July 6, 1868-Jan. 1, 1883**
 - This volume contains proceedings of the District Court, dockets, testimony, evidence, verdicts and names of court officials and jurors.
 - There is no index. Pages 38-39 and 114-115 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 136 – Stray Property: Jan. 1869-Oct. 5, 1881**
 - This volume contains a register of stray property listed by the sheriff, proceedings of the District Court, testimony, names of jurors, and lists of supplies.
 - There is no index. Pages 1-4, 21-22, 35-50, 55-58, 101-107, 112-114, 117-126, 145-146, 167-168, 187-190 and portions of a number of other pages are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 149 – Illinois District Records: Jan. 16, 1874-Aug. 1895**
 - This volume contains appointments of guardians, administrators, appraisers, Assistant Court Clerks, election officials and Deputy Sheriffs with dates of appointment, verdicts, and fees paid to guards, jurors, witnesses, interpreters, and others involved in cases in the District and Circuit Courts. Some entries are in the Cherokee language.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 150 – Criminal Cases, District Court, A: May 16, 1876-July 5, 1897**

- This volume contains court records listing jurors and witnesses in each case, the type of case, verdicts and other items.
- There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 154 – Civil Cases, District Court, A: July 3, 1876-July 6, 1896**
 - This minute book contains dockets, verdicts, lists of jurors and witnesses in regular and special terms of the District Court and Grand Jury and one term of a special Probate Court.
 - There is an index, but it has only two entries. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 140 – District Court Docket: Jan. 1, 1894-July 7, 1897**
 - This volume contains dockets for civil and criminal cases, testimony, verdicts, and notations of disposition of cases.
 - There is no index. Pages 53-54, 59-60, 105-106, and 117-126 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 144 – Old Settler Claims, Applications for Unclaimed Shares of Old Settlers: Oct. 26, 1896-Dec. 7, 1896**
 - This volume deals with a special session of the District Court convened to determine the rightful heirs to the estates of 124 Old Settlers who had not claimed their shares of a United States government payment. The decisions give the names of claimants and their relationship to the Old Settler, and names of attorneys and of witnesses offering supporting statements.
 - There is an index of the Old Settlers involved in pages 2-3 and of the applicants on pages 4-7.
- ◆ **Volume 147 – Dockets: Feb. 3, 1898-Feb. 26, 1898**
 - This volume contains dockets, lists of present and absent jurors, court proceedings and other items.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Courts: Feb. 10, 1868-Feb. 5, 1896**
 - This file contains tickets issued by a Deputy Sheriff, a statement describing a house fine, court trial notes, charges, testimony, a clerk's report on certificates issued, and other items.

CHN 44

Saline District Records: Marriages, Estates, Permits, Property Improvement, Estray Property, and Marks and Brands

- ◆ **Volume 157A – Marriages: June 17, 1868-Nov. 25, 1894**
 - This volume contains applications for a marriage license, licenses themselves, certifications of marriage, surety bonds, character references for non-citizens, wills, sheriff's reports concerning apprehension of prisoners, lists of guards and jurors with amounts paid for their service and other items.

- There is a two page table of contents. Pages 1-4, 157-158, and 163-168 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 157B – Marriages: Jan. 4, 1892-Nov. 14, 1897**
 - This volume contains marriage license applications, the licenses themselves and certificates, a blank subpoena, character references for non-citizens, lists of jurors and some court proceedings.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 158 – Charles Wickliffe, District Judge: Sep. 19, 1866-July 6, 1874**
 - This volume contains property schedules of estates, administrators’ and guardians’ reports, written and nuncupative wills and names of appraisers. Many of the entries are in the Cherokee language.
 - There is no index. Pages X and 87-88 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 159 – District Judge Records: 1867-Jan. 2, 1893**
 - This volume contains property schedules of estates, wills, administrators’ reports, some records from Cooweescoowee District and other items. Approximately 117 pages are wholly or in part in the Cherokee languages.
 - There is an index. Page X, 322, 333, and 386 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 168 – Record of Wills, A: Sep. 18, 1875-Mar. 10, 1898**
 - This volume contains wills, deeds of gifts, and bills of sale.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 172 – Record of Appraisements, A: Sep. 25, 1876-Mar. 16, 1896**
 - This volume gives name of the person whose property was being appraised, date, property schedule, valuation, and names of administrators, guardians, appraisers, minor heirs and bondsmen.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 169 – Record of Appointments, A: Sep. 25, 1876-Mar. 9, 1896**
 - This volume contains lists of persons appointed administrators of estates, guardians, election officials and appraisers. Also included are some estate valuations.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 176 – Record of Bonds, A: Sep. 25, 1876-May 11, 1892**
 - This volume contains records of bonds given for estate administrations, guardianships, permits and court trials. Names of the sureties, date, and amount of the bond, person to whom the bond was given and purpose of the bonds are noted.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 174 – Reports of Administrators, A: July 3, 1877-Sep. 19, 1897**
 - This volume contains reports of administrators and guardians concerning property schedules, sales of estate property, distribution to heirs and other matters.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 164 – Court Records: Dec. 29, 1884-Jan. 8, 1898**
 - This volume contains wills, inventories, reports of administrators and guardians, bills of sale appointment and a sheriff’s report of estray property. Some of the items are in the Cherokee language.
 - There is an index. Half of pages 5-6 and 99-100 are missing.

- ◆ **Volume 166 – District Records: Aug. 19, 1892-Mar. 10, 1898**
 - This volume contains wills, property schedules, reports of guardians, some marriage entries, and an appointment of a Deputy Sheriff.
 - There is an index of which X-Z are missing, as well as pages 39-40.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Estates: Feb. 23, 1875**
 - This file contains a single document: the appointment of B. F. Adair as administrator of the estate of Martha H. Adair.
- ◆ **Volume 162 – Record of Permits: Dec. 31, 1881-Apr. 15, 1892**
 - This volume contains the names of Cherokee employers and the non-citizens who held permits to work. Occupations, dates of permits and fees paid are also noted.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 420 – Record of Permits Issued: Dec. 4, 1891-May 1, 1898**
 - This volume contains lists of work permits for non-citizens noting dates, employers, length of time worked and the amount paid for the permit.
 - There is no index. Part of pages 37-38 are missing.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Permits: June 30, 1889-July 1, 1889**
 - This file consists of a quarterly report of permits to non-citizens issued by the Clerk of Saline District. The names of the permit holders, their employers, nature of their work, dates of issuance, times covered, and amount of fees paid are noted.
- ◆ **Volume 179 – Record of Improvements, A: Feb. 15, 1889-Jan. 18, 1898**
 - This volume contains land claims with description of location and bills of sale.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 170 – Record of Stray Property Sold, A: July 3, 1876-May 1897**
 - This volume contains sheriffs' records of estray property sales listing physical description of the animals, date and amount paid, name of purchasers, and other items.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 165 – Record of Stray Property: May 1892-May 16, 1898**
 - This volume contains sheriffs' records of estray property listing area where the animals were found, physical description of the estrays, names of purchasers, and amounts paid.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 178 – Record of Marks and Brands: Jan. 9, 1883-Nov. 22, 1897**
 - This volume contains a description of brands, ear and flesh marks with the names of persons adopting them and the dates of registration.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.

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Saline District Records: Supreme, Circuit, and District Courts

- ◆ **Volume 160 – Record of Docket Book for the Circuit Court: May 20, 1872-Jan. 13, 1882**

- This volume contains testimony, dockets, verdicts, sheriffs' reports of expenses, work permits for non-citizens, lists of witnesses and other items.
- There is no index. Pages 235-236 and 253-256 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 173 – Criminal Cases, Circuit and Supreme Court, A: Oct. 27, 1876-Oct. 28, 1897**
 - This volume contains indictments, charges, testimony, verdicts and names of jurors, witnesses and court officials.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 171 – Civil Cases, Circuit Court, A: Sep. 18, 1876-Sep. 20, 1897**
 - This volume contains proceedings of the Circuit Court, charges, testimony, verdicts and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is an index which has only four entries. Page X and 41-42 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 175 – Civil Cases, District Court, A: Jan. 1, 1877-Jan. 3, 1898**
 - This volume contains court proceedings, charges, testimony, verdicts, and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 177 – Criminal Cases, District Court, A: Mar. 11, 1878-Jan. 3, 1898**
 - This volume contains court proceedings, charges, testimony, verdicts and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is an index of which page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 161 – Register of Certificates: Dec. 31, 1877-May 20, 1895**
 - This volume of sheriffs' records contains lists of guards, jurors, and witnesses with amounts paid for their services, names of prisoners and expenses incurred in holding them in custody and other court costs.
 - There is no index. Pages 145-182, 251-252, 277-278, and 295-296 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 163 – Record of Certificates Issued for Services Proven before Sheriff: Jan. 2, 1882-Oct. 2, 1883**
 - This volume contains financial records of the sheriff listing certificates issued, names of guards and amounts paid for board bills.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 167 –Certificate Register: Jan. 6, 1896-Nov. 2, 1898**
 - This sheriff's record book contains lists of guards, board bills, lists of estray property and sales, dates of bond issuance, notation of sheriff's appointment and other items.
 - There is no index. Pages 195-200 are missing.

CHN 46

Sequoyah District Records: Marriages, Estates, Estray Property, and Property Improvements

- ◆ **Volume 192A – Marriages and Marks and Brands: Aug. 14, 1874-July 2, 1898**

- This volume contains marriage licenses and certifications as well as lists of marks and brands showing by whom and when the marks were adopted. Some original marriage certificates 1891-1895 are included.
- There is an index. Pages X and 17-18 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 184 – Record of Wills, A: Nov. 20, 1876-Nov. 10, 1897**
 - This volume contains nuncupative and written wills of citizens of the district.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 186 – Record of Appraisements, A: Mar. 10, 1876-Nov. 27, 1897**
 - This volume contains property schedules and valuation of estates. Names of executors, administrators and appraisers are listed.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 192 – Reports of Administrators, A: Feb. 10, 1877-June 30, 1898**
 - This volume contains appointments of administrators and guardians, judges’ opinions and verdicts, schedules of estate property, reports of property sales and other items. Some entries are in the Cherokee language.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 187 – Record of Bonds, A: Mar. 10, 1876-Nov. 29, 1897**
 - This volume contains records of bonds showing names of sureties, date given, amount of bond and to who issued. Most of the bonds were given for purposes of administration or guardianship of estate or to insure appearance in court.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 188 – Record of Appointments, A: Feb. 10, 1870-Nov. 27, 1897**
 - This volume contains records of appointments of executors and administrators, guardians, doctors of medicine, election officials, deputy sheriffs, and deputy clerks.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Estates: June 20, 1897**
 - This file contains a receipt for an attorney fee for settlement of an estate.
- ◆ **Volume 185 – Record of Stray Property Sold, A: May 15, 1876-May 16, 1898**
 - This volume gives descriptions of the estray property, dates of sale by the sheriff and names of purchasers.
 - All of the index is blank except for an entry on the “M” page.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Estray Property: May 20, 1889-Sep. 18947**
 - This file contains lists of estray property sold with names of purchasers and amount paid.
- ◆ **Volume 190 – Record of Improvements, A: Jan. 15, 1877-June 27, 1898**
 - This volume contains bills of sale, deeds of gift, record of marks and brands, deeds, mortgages and other items.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.

CHN 47

Sequoyah District Records: Supreme, Circuit, and District Courts

- ◆ **Volume 183 – Criminal Cases, Circuit and Supreme Court, A: Jan. 1, 1876-Aug. 16, 1897**
 - This volume contains court proceedings, charges, testimony and verdicts.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 191 – Civil Cases, Circuit Court, A: May 21, 1877-Sep. 20, 1897**
 - This volume contains court proceedings, dockets, testimony, verdicts, and lists of jurors and grand jurors.
 - There is an index with entries only under the letters P and R. Pages X, 29-30, and half of 91-92 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 181 – Records: Sep. 30, 1852-Dec. 2, 1889**
 - This volume contains records of administrator and guardian bonds, marriages, wills, property schedules, citizenship record, bills of sale, brief court proceedings and other items.
 - There is no index. Parts of pages 63-64 and 74-75 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 182 – Criminal Cases, District Court, A: May 8, 1876-June 7, 1897**
 - This volume contains court proceedings, dockets, testimony, verdicts, sentences and lists of jurors and witnesses.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 189 – Civil Cases, District Court, A: Jan. 1876-Nov. 29, 1897**
 - This volume contains dockets, verdicts, lists of petit jurors and interpreters, Old Settler claimants and other items.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 180 – District Judge Records: July 10, 1888-Apr. 23, 1898**
 - This volume contains appointments of administrators, guardians, and deputy sheriffs, settlement of estates, list of persons convicted, record of bonds, sheriff's notice of estray property sales and other items.
 - There is a table of contents on page 3. Pages 1-2 and 175-176 are missing.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Courts: Mar. 26, 1894**
 - This file consists of a subpoena summoning four men to appear in court to testify in a case.

CHN 48

Tahlequah District Records: Marriages, Estates, and Permits

- ◆ **Volume 194 – Court Records: Nov. 11, 1856-July 20, 1868**
 - This volume contains marriages, nuncupative wills, property schedules, deeds of emancipation which give the name and age of the slaves in some cases and a hand

drawn map of the district with creeks and rivers located. Also included are proceedings of the National Committee listing members, the district they represented and actions take.

- There is no index. Pages 64-65 are missing and pages 92-93 are partially torn.
- ◆ **Volume 236 – Offices of District Court: Jan. 23, 1864-May 12, 1876**
 - This volume contains a register of letters of administration and guardianship, estates of soldiers of the War of 1812, letters of guardianship, bonds, and pensions granted to crippled individuals. An isolated group of records dated 1897 lists ejectment cases.
 - There is a table of contents.
- ◆ **Volume 237 – Court Bond Register: Mar. 20, 1867-July 20, 1875**
 - This volume contains a register of bonds showing name of the person making the bond, the amount, names of securities, and date of bond. The bonds were given primarily by guardians and administrators of estates. There are also isolated dates as early as 1864.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 193 – Register of Wills, Schedules, Marriages: Nov. 22, 1871-Oct. 14, 1898**
 - This volume contains nuncupative and written wills, marriage licenses, deeds of gift, and deposition regarding a claim in Crawford County, Arkansas. There is an isolated entry dated 1856.
 - There is no index. Pages 191-192 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 199 – Book of Schedules: May 12, 1872-1880**
 - This volume contains a register of letters of administration and guardianship, surety bond notations, property schedules of estates, appraisements, estates of United States pensioners, guardianships for invalid or blind pensioners of the Indian Home Guard, election results for court clerk, list of election officials and marriage certificates. There is one loose document written in the Cherokee language. There are a few entries dated as early as 1866.
 - There is a brief table of contents.
- ◆ **Volume 211 – Record of Appointments, A: Nov. 17, 1873-Apr. 1, 1898**
 - This volume contains a register of appointments listing persons appointed, dates, and reasons for appointment, such as guardian or administrator of an estate.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 193C – Register of Will, Schedules, Marriages: Jan. 21, 1874-Feb. 28, 1876**
 - This volume contains schedules of estate property, letters of guardianship and administration, wills, records of elections, marriages, memorials to deceased persons, and other items.
 - There is an index. Pages X, 41-44, 57-58, 160, and 185 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 215 – Record of Wills: July 11, 1876-Dec. 9, 1897**
 - This volume contains written and verbal wills, one revocation of a will, administrators' reports of estates, deed of gift, property agreements, property schedules, and other items. Some portions are in the Cherokee language.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 213 – Record of Appraisements, A: Feb. 6, 1876-Feb. 26, 1898**

- This volume contains property schedules giving names of deceased owners, dates of appraisal, valuation, names of administrators, guardians, and appraisers.
- There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 214 – Reports of Administrators, A: July 5, 1876-June 30, 1898**
 - This volume contains financial reports of executors, administrators, and guardians showing valuations of estates, expenditure of funds, final settlements to heirs and property schedules. There are some loose documents consisting of original reports.
 - Pages 89-90 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 219 – Record of Bonds: Feb. 29, 1876-Jan. 26, 1901**
 - This volume contains the name of the person who is making the bond, names of sureties, date of bond, amount, to whom given and for what purpose. Most bonds were by administrators or guardians. A few as collateral for loans and to ensure payment of court costs or appearance in court.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 193A – Marriages: Feb. 16, 1892-Nov. 11, 1897**
 - This volume contains marriage certificates, licenses issued and names of persons involved, dates, and officials.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Estates: May 10, 1875-Jan. 1, 1886**
 - This file contains administrators' and guardians' reports, schedules of property, lists of heirs, wills, a claim against an estate, administrators' bonds, appraisements, and other items.
- ◆ **Volume 242 – Permit Records: Apr. 16, 1875-May 28, 1886**
 - This volume lists the names of persons holding permits to employ non-citizens, date of issue and length of time of permit, amount paid, and name of the person employed. There is also a notice of estray property and a notation regarding an agent of the United States government who was in the nation to investigate claims for property lost during the Civil War.
- ◆ **Volume 203 – Permit Register: Jan. 1, 1886-Feb. 8, 1892**
 - This volume contains lists of permits issued with name of employer, employee, occupation, date issued, number of months covered by the permit, and amount paid for it. Also included are lists of jurors and witnesses showing days of service, amounts paid them, board bills due to court cases, and a bill of sale.
 - There is no index. Pages 193-194 and 209-210 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 204 – Sheriff's Reports: Sep. 1, 1887-Feb. 1, 1894**
 - This volume contains financial reports by the sheriffs listing board bills, names of prisoners and guards, and permits to employ non-citizens.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Permits: 1883-1890**
 - This file contains requests for permits to employ non-citizens for various lengths of time and an original permit.

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Tahlequah District Records: Property Improvements, Estray Property, and Marks and Brands

- ◆ **Volume 218 – Record of Improvements, A: June 2, 1876-Mar. 31, 1898**
 - This volume contains bills of sale, deeds for town lots and improvements, indentures, deeds of gift, and other items.
 - There is an index. Pages X and 36-37 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 209 – Improvements: Nov. 13, 1896-Apr. 21, 1898**
 - This volume contains bills of sales of property and improvements. It also has six pages of grocery store accounts of Ben Johnson, who was a trader as well as court clerk, listing his customers and their purchases.
 - There is no index. Page 8 and half of pages 7, 9, 11, and 16 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 197 – Estray Book, E, Estray Advertisements and Report of Estray Sales: Jan. 1872-Nov. 23, 1876**
 - This volume contains lists of estray property being advertised for sale with a physical description of the property, sheriffs' reports of property sold and amounts paid by the purchases and affidavits of persons claiming ownership of estrays.
- ◆ **Volume 221 – Record of Stray Property Sold, A: May 22, 1876-Sep. 23, 1889**
 - This volume contains sheriffs' records listing the kind of estray property, age, color, brands and flesh marks, where taken up, date advertised and sold, names of purchasers, amount paid, and medium of payment.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 207 – Sheriff's Record of Estray Property: Apr. 10, 1892-Sep. 4, 1892**
 - This volume contains lists of estray property to be sold with a physical description of the estrays. Also included are a pension inquiry, a power of attorney notice, and a letter regarding a claim.
 - There is no index. Pages 1-10 are missing.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Estray Property: July 10, 1890**
 - This file contains one document dealing with loss of livestock on which there were no marks or brands of any kind.
- ◆ **Volume 216 – Record of Marks and Brands: Apr. 11, 1876-Nov. 4, 1897**
 - This volume lists the names of persons adopting brands or marks, the style of the brand, ear or flesh marks, and date of the recording.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.

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Tahlequah District Records: Supreme, Circuit, and District Courts

- ◆ **Volume 195 – Certificates and Reports: Sep. 25, 1865-Nov. 10, 1875**

- This volume contains a Circuit Court register listing certificates issued to jurors and witnesses, type of court case and verdicts. Also, there are dockets and a court summons. There is an isolated date of July 14, 1879.
- There is no index. Pages 1-118, half of 127-136, 167-168, 193-194, parts of 195-196, 219-220, and 231-236 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 198 – Officers Reports: Aug. 1, 1873-Nov. 1, 1873**
 - This volume contains Sheriff’s records on board bills and cost of guards for prisoners in his care.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 212 – Civil Cases, Circuit Court, A: Sep. 25, 1876-Sep. 7, 1897**
 - This volume contains Circuit Court records, including dockets, lists of jurors and witnesses, types of cases with testimony, and depositions taken. Such cases include arbitration, divorce, property disputes, claims to estates, and property improvements.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 217 – Criminal Cases, Circuit and Supreme Court, A: Jan. 10, 1876-June 6, 1898**
 - This volume contains Supreme and Circuit Court records with trial proceedings, including testimony taken, lists of jurors and witnesses, verdicts, and dockets.
 - There is an index. Pages X and 315-318 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 201 – Certificate Register: Sep. 30, 1876-Sep. 19, 1879**
 - This volume contains a register of certificates issued to persons such as: Superintendent at an election, clerks, jurors and witnesses for days worked and amount paid. Also entries on administrator report, estray sales with description of property, person purchasing property and amount paid for same. There are a few entries written in the Cherokee language.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 202 – Circuit Court Docket: Jan. 7, 1884-Nov. 16, 1896**
 - This volume contains appointments, dockets, list of jurors and grand jurors for the District Court, bills of sale, and other matters.
 - There is no index. Pages 63-64 and 253-254 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 205 – Certificates: Apr. 9, 1888-Apr. 17, 1891**
 - This volume contains certificates issued to grand jurors, jurors, guards and board bills, including days worked and amounts paid, plus date issued. Also included is a National Certificate Warrant, and lists of appointments.
 - There is no index. Pages 49-50, 59-60, 75-76, 89-90, 203-204, and 263-258 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 206 – Certificate Register: Jan. 6, 1890-June 6, 1898**
 - This volume contains contracts and agreements; administrators’ reports; bills of sale; tickets issued by the Circuit Court listing names of persons receiving tickets, days worked, and amounts paid; sheriff’s reports on guards and their board bills, and other matters.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 208 – Court Dockets: Sep. 26, 1892-May 28, 1894**
 - This volume contains court dockets with notations and articles of agreement.

- There is no index. Pages 1-2 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 193B – District Court Records: Feb. 2, 1867-Mar. 10, 1876**
 - This volume contains dockets of the District Court, court proceedings with jurors and witnesses listed, proceedings of a Court of Arbitration, permits to employ whites, marriage licenses, estray property sold, and other items. There are several early isolated dates with one isolated later date.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 196 – Register of Certificates: Dec. 29, 1871-Mar. 21, 1890**
 - This volume contains a register of certificates issued for the Sheriff for guards in payment of board bills listing persons issued to, number of days worked, and amount paid. Also, Election Certificates issued to poll watchers and other items are included.
 - There is no index. Pages 137-140 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 240 – Court Records: Aug. 23, 1872-Sep. 27, 1882**
 - This volume contains records of the District Court, including civil and criminal dockets, lists of jurors and witnesses, verdicts, and disposition of cases. There are a few circuit and Supreme Court records, and other items.
 - There is no index. Pages 81-82 and 97-98 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 200 – Officer’s Report Book: Sep. 17, 1874-Dec. 26, 1875**
 - This volume contains a list of special guards protecting the town of Tahlequah, with dates of service and amount paid. Also, certificates issued for board bills, jurors, interpreters, and witnesses.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 220 – Criminal Cases, District Court, A: Jan. 6, 1877-Mar. 23, 1898**
 - This volume contains dockets of court cases, including trial dates, names of jurors and witnesses, testimony, and verdicts rendered.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 222 – Civil Cases, Circuit Court, A: Oct. 27, 1877-Aug. 30, 1898**
 - This volume contains court records, including arbitration, property rights, administration of estates, plea of debt, lists of jurors and witnesses and testimony. Also included are suits involving divorce, per capita, Cherokee Strip money, and other items.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 210 – Record of Certificates: Sep. 28, 1897-June 29, 1898**
 - This volume contains sheriff’s reports of certificates issued to persons named as guards, with time worked and amount paid, and board bills. Also, Clerk’s report of certificates issued to jurors and witnesses is included.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Courts: July 3, 1876-July 22, 1904**
 - This file contains summons for the District Court, list of Circuit Court indictments, some setting date of trial; Special District Court proceedings, including name of accused, nature of crime, list of jurors and witnesses; depositions, Civil Court docket, and other matters.

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- ◆ **Volume 481A – Record of Persons Admitted to Cherokee Nation by the National Council and the Supreme Court Since the Treaty of 1866: July 11, 1865-Dec. 2, 1886**
 - This volume contains names of those persons admitted and re-admitted by the National Council and Supreme Court. Names of individuals are listed alphabetically with date of admission or readmission and conditions to be met (such as returning and permanently settling in the nation). There are also notations of whether individuals were entitled by blood, marriage, or as North Carolina Cherokee, Delawares, or Shawnees.
 - There is no index. Half of pages 23-26 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 462 – Minutes, Special Court of Commission: Dec. 6, 1870-Oct. 15, 1874**
 - This volume contains records concerning the creation of a Court of Commissioners to decide the rights of citizenship of doubtful persons on the last census taken by census takers of the several districts. The proceedings of the Commission are given with testimony, list of applicants applying too late and decisions by the Commission on each applicant.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 461 – Record of Applications and Affidavits in Citizenship Cases before the Supreme Court of the Cherokee Nation: Dec. 8, 1870-Dec. 22, 1871**
 - This volume contains applications for admission to citizenship with affidavits made in support of the claim and notation of the court's decision for admission or rejection. All applicants were Eastern Cherokees who had remained in the East until shortly before the date of their applications. Also included are age of the applicant, place of birth, and residence in the East, as well as ancestry and names of family members.
- ◆ **Volume 462A – Docket of Doubtful Cases for Cherokee Citizenship: Dec. 8, 1870-June 20, 1871**
 - This volume contains dockets for cases where citizenship is doubtful with judgements for admission or rejection. There are lists of white who were married to Cherokees with the number of people in the family who had moved to the Cherokee Nation since Nov. 1868. Also there are Cherokees and whites who had taken reservations in Kansas and had since removed to the nation. Cases of black doubtful persons are included.
- ◆ **Volume 462B – Register of Evidence Before Court of Commission Chambers Court for Citizenship: Feb. 24, 1871-Apr. 22, 1884**
 - This volume contains the names of applicants petitioning the Court of Commission for Citizenship in the Cherokee Nation. Testimony is noted with evidence admitted and witnesses appearing on behalf of the applicants. There are affidavits from individuals from the states of Texas, Arkansas, and Kansas and a resolution by the Eel River Miami Indians residing in Kansas appointing an attorney to present their case before the Commission. There are several isolated dates dating as early as 1867.
 - There is no index. Pages 211-212 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 460A – Application for Citizenship: Nov. 10, 1871-June 5, 1879**

- This volume contains letters of recommendation of certain citizens to the Court of Commission stating knowledge of acquaintanceship with individuals claiming citizenship in the Cherokee Nation. Also included are affidavits from individuals living in the United States. There is an isolated date of 1827 in this volume on page 149.
- There is no index. Pages 1-2 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 463 – Records, Supreme Court: Apr. 3, 1875-Apr. 1, 1876**
 - This Supreme Court volume contains testimony of applicants claiming citizenship in the Cherokee Nation. Also testimony by citizens of the nation concerning acquaintanceship with applicants.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 671 – Tickets Rejected and to Whom Sent for: Feb. 11, 1878-May 5, 1894**
 - This volume contains proceedings of the Commission to Citizenship, including subpoenas issued to individuals to be witnesses for applicants. Also included are lists of tickets issued by the Commission to individuals appearing before the Commission and rejected certificates.
 - There is no index. Pages 35-36 and 39-40 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 463A – Docket of the Chambers Commission to Citizenship: Feb. 18, 1878-June 30, 1879**
 - This volume contains minutes of the Commission to Citizenship listing applicant's name, the dates cases were brought before the Commission, and decisions rendered by the Court.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 670A – Docket, Chambers Court: Apr. 9, 1878-Sep. 24, 1889**
 - This volume contains dockets of cases before the Commission on Citizenship. In some cases, opinions of the Commission are given with a brief statement on the bases on which the application for citizenship was made and the judgement for admission or rejection with reasons for the action. In other cases, claimants are given in alphabetical order with place of residence, name of ancestor, and decision of the court.
 - There is a one page index.
- ◆ **Volume 672 – Record of Claims to Citizenship Investigated Before the Council Committee During the Regular Session: Nov. 13, 1885-Nov. 27, 1885**
 - This volume contains dockets of cases before the Committee on Citizenship of the National Council and, in some cases, decisions for acceptance or rejection of claims.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 674 – Blank Book of Census Takers: June 4, 1886-Sep. 30, 1896**
 - This volume contains depositions made before the census takers of Tahlequah District regarding the citizenship of various individuals. There is also a list of persons applying for enrollment who were rejected with reasons stated for rejection. Also given are names of persons to whom Bread Money of 1880 was paid. There are accounts of D. W. Lipe, National Treasurer, concerning the Intruder fund and the Orphan, Asylum, and Per Capita funds.
 - There is no index.

- ◆ **Volume 675 – Account Book, R. F. Wyly, Attorney Commission on Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1887-Nov. 5, 1888**
 - This volume contains financial records of the Citizenship Commission listing Commissioners, attorneys, clerks, sheriffs, and interpreters with amounts paid for their services. Also noted are amounts paid for office supplies, printing, and other items. A portion of the volume is written in the Cherokee language.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 676 – Cherokee Citizenship: July 15, 1887-Dec. 23, 1889**
 - This volume contains an alphabetical list of names of persons rejected by the Commission on Citizenship. Included are the places of residence within the Cherokee Nation, Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Texas, North Carolina, Illinois, Georgia, and several other states as well.
- ◆ **Volume 676A – Persons Admitted: Mar. 30, 1887-Oct. 22, 1889**
 - This volume contains lists of individuals admitted to citizenship, the date of admission, where testimony and decision of the Commission was recorded (Cherokee Volume 466) and names of ancestors on the rolls of 1835, 1851, and 1852 in many instances. Also there are lists of persons readmitted, a number of whom were Old Settlers.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ◆ **Volume 466 – Journal: Mar. 30, 1887-May 16, 1888**
 - This volume contains dockets and testimony of the Commission on Citizenship with statements of witnesses, testimony by descendants of the Ridge, Ross, Boudinot, Murrell, Taylor, Foreman, and other prominent Cherokee families tracing lineages to 1835. The names of the Commission officials and some cases concerning fraud and bribery are included.
 - There is an index. Pages I and X are missing.

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- ◆ **Volume 467 – Applicants for Cherokee Citizenship who have been rejected by the Commission on Citizenship during the years: Apr. 16, 1887-Aug. 23, 1889**
 - This volume contains lists of names of claimants, place of residence, or post office address and the date of rejection.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 481B – Register of Rejected Citizens: May 31, 1887-July 27, 1889**
 - This volume contains names of applicants rejected by the Court of Commissioners on Citizenship. Places of residence or post office addresses are included and the date of the Commission’s decision on rejection. There is also a list of Deputy Sheriffs.
 - There is no index.

- ♦ **Volume 468 – Records: Feb. 18, 1888 – Oct. 27, 1888**
 - This volume contains affidavits in support of or opposition to persons claiming citizenship, with depositions and cross examinations of witnesses. Also included are notes on lineage of the Fields, Ross, Coody, Chisholm, Choate, and other well-known Cherokee families. There are some documents dating from 1887.
 - There is an index.
- ♦ **Volume 678 – Account Book, Commission Court: Jan. 29, 1889-Nov. 11, 1889**
 - This volume contains lists of witnesses appearing on behalf of the Cherokee Nation in specific citizenship cases with their place of residence given. There is a notice of a Delaware Indian applicant. Also included are the names of officers of the Commission on Citizenship Court showing title, date, number of days of service, amount paid, and expense account.
 - There is no index, but there is one page of Contents. Pages 19-22 are missing.
- ♦ **Volume 464 – Cherokee Citizenship: July 2, 1888-June 15, 1889**
 - This volume contains dockets of cases before the Commission on Citizenship with testimony and explanations of documents offered in evidence. There are depositions and copies of Acts of the Nation relating to citizenship (dating from 1869-1874) and opinions by the Supreme Court on construction of laws in a prolonged case involving fraudulent testimony and bribery. Also included are decisions in each case and other matters concerning citizenship.
 - There is an index. Page X is missing.
- ♦ **Volume 677 – Register of persons to whom Certificates of Citizenship have been issued as required by Act dated Dec. 5, 1888 and other acts: Aug. 16, 1889-June 6, 1894**
 - This volume contains names of persons to whom certificates of citizenship had been issued and dates of arrival and admission into the nation as citizens.
 - There is no index.
- ♦ **Volume 679 – Cherokee Citizenship: Aug. 23, 1889-Aug. 30, 1889**
 - This volume contains lists of names of applicants for citizenship and their place of residence. The dates shown in conjunction with application may refer to either the date the application was made or the date the decision was rendered.
 - There is an index which can be found on pages 3-25. Pages 1-2 are missing.
- ♦ **Volume 465 – Record, 3: Aug. 31, 1889-Oct. 21, 1889**
 - This volume contains dockets of cases before the Commission on Citizenship with testimony and depositions.
 - There is an index
- ♦ **Volume 469 – Record: July 16, 1896-Sep. 19, 1896**
 - This volume contains a newspaper article by the Dawes Commission giving instructions for applying for citizenship. Also included is a docket of claims for Cherokee citizenship in 1896, listed by case number of claimant showing date the application was filed, and a list of cases addressed to the National Council. There is a total of 4,966 cases in the volume.
 - There is no index.

- ◆ **Volume 470 – Ledger: July 31, 1897-Sep. 11, 1897**
 - This volume contains dockets of claims for Cherokee enrollment for the year 1897. The names of applicants are listed as well as the date when claim was placed on the docket.
 - There is an index with only 2 entries. Pages 1-12 are missing.

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- ◆ **Volume 471 – Cherokee Memorandum Cases, A, Documents 1-600: May 31, 1900-Mar. 9, 1907**
 - This volume contains notes on cases before the Citizenship Commission giving the name, age, sex, and post office address of applicants and family members. Decisions are recorded for admission or transfer to rejected or doubtful status. Names of attorneys are sometimes given.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 477 – Cherokee Doubtful Cases, A, Documents 1-600: May 11, 1900-Mar. 4, 1907**
 - This volume contains notes on cases before the Citizenship Commission concerning applicants whose status as citizens was doubtful. The name, age, sex, and post office address of applicants and family members are given. Decisions and disposition of the cases are also recorded.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 472 – Cherokee Doubtful Cases, B, Documents 601-1200: Oct. 16, 1900-May 17, 1907**
 - This volume contains notes on cases before the Citizenship Commission concerning applicants whose status as citizens was doubtful. The name, age, sex, and post office address of applicants and family members are given. Decisions and dispositions of the cases are also recorded.
 - There is no index.

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Cherokee Citizenship

- ◆ **Volume 473 – Cherokee Doubtful Cases, C, Documents 1201-1800: May 16, 1901-Dec. 27, 1907**
 - This volume contains notes on cases before the Citizenship Commission concerning applicants whose status as citizens was doubtful. The name, age, sex, and post office address of applicants and family members are given. Decisions and dispositions of the cases are also recorded.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 478 – Cherokee Doubtful Cases, D, Documents 1801-3000: July 1, 1902-Mar. 4, 1907**

- This volume contains notes on cases before the Citizenship Commission concerning applicants whose status as citizens was doubtful. The name, age, sex, and post office address of applicants and family members are given. Decisions and dispositions of the cases are also recorded.
- There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 481 – Cherokee Doubtful Cases, E, Documents 3001-4200: July 1, 1902-Dec. 27, 1907**
 - This volume contains notes on cases before the Citizenship Commission concerning applicants whose status as citizens was doubtful. The name, age, sex, and post office address of applicants and family members are given. Decisions and dispositions of the cases are also recorded.
 - There is no index.

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- ◆ **Volume 479 – Cherokee Rejected Cases, A, Documents 1-600: May 11, 1900-Mar. 4, 1907**
 - This volume contains notations on cases before the Commission on Citizenship in which applications for citizenship were rejected. Names, ages, sex, and places of residence of applicants and family members are recorded together with the nature of the claims, decisions, and dispositions of the cases.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 476 – Cherokee Rejected Cases, B, Documents 601-1200: May 11, 1900-May 17, 1907**
 - This volume contains notations on cases before the Commission on Citizenship in which applications for citizenship were rejected. Names, ages, sex, and places of residence of applicants and family members are recorded together with the nature of the claims, decisions, and dispositions of the cases.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 480 – Cherokee Freedmen Doubtful Cases, A, Documents 1-650: July 18, 1900-May 17, 1907**
 - This volume contains notations on Freedmen cases before the Commission on Citizenship in which the status of the applicants was judged to be doubtful. Names, ages, sex, places of residence, names of parents, and of former owners are given. Also recorded are the nature of the claims, references, and the final decision of the Commission for enrollment, denial, or cancellation.
 - There is no index.

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- ◆ **Volume 474 – Cherokee Freedmen Doubtful Cases, B, Documents 651-1300: June 10, 1901-Dec. 27, 1907**
 - This volume contains notations on Freedmen cases before the Commission on Citizenship in which the status of the applicants was judged to be doubtful. Names, ages, sex, places of residence, names of parents, and of former owners are given. Also recorded are the nature of the claims, references, and the final decision of the Commission for enrollment, denial, or cancellation.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 475 – Cherokee Freedmen Rejected Cases, A, Documents 1-600: Apr. 3, 1901-Mar. 9, 1907**
 - This volume contains notations on Freedmen cases in which the claims had been rejected by the Commission on Citizenship. Names, ages, sex, places of residence, names of parents, and of former owners are given. Also recorded are the nature of claims, lists of witnesses, attorneys, and the final decision of the Commission.
 - There is no index.

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- ◆ **Cherokee-Citizenship, Documents 447-449 and 358-369: Oct. 18, 1876-Nov. 30, 1887**
 - This file contains Intruder Rolls, names of persons accepted by the Dawes Commission, notice of Delawares being admitted to citizenship, testimony, and an investigation of alleged fraud and bribery in obtaining citizenship.
- ◆ **Cherokee-Citizenship, Documents 370-446: Feb. 2, 1888-Sep. 8, 1911**
 - This file contains lists of intruders and instructions prohibiting the issuance of permits to them, depositions, testimony, names of rejected applicants, census records of individuals, receipts to Shawnee and Delaware Indians paying to be admitted, character references, contracts made by the Principal Chief hiring attorneys and applications.
 - Documents 374 and 379 are missing.
- ◆ **Cherokee-Citizenship, Documents 450-601: June 10, 1871-Dec. 7, 1881**
 - This file contains a series of pamphlets giving the 1880 census of the nation by districts, North Carolina Cherokee, Shawnees and an 1880 Roll of orphans. In the 1880 census, section names, ages, sex, and nativity are given with names arranged in rough alphabetical order by the heads of house. Abbreviations used are N Cher (Native Cherokee, i.e. Cherokee by Blood), A White (Adopted White), A Col (Adopted Colored), A Del (Adopted Delaware), and A Sha (Adopted Shawnee). These pamphlets are especially

valuable because of the annotations showing in some cases how citizenship was granted, changes in names, ages or sex, names left off the roll, and so on. The original schedule numbers referred to in these annotations were 1) Cherokee by Blood, 2) Orphan's Roll under age 16, 3) Rejected Roll, 4) Those who claim Cherokee Citizenship, 6) Non-Citizen in Nation by permit.

- Canadian District
 - Cooweescoowee District
 - Pages 3-8 and 72 are missing.
 - Delaware District
 - Pages 1 and 2 are missing.
 - Flint District
 - Going Snake District
 - Illinois District
 - Saline District
 - Sequoyah District
 - Tahlequah District
 - North Carolina Cherokees
 - Shawnees
 - Roll of Orphans
- ♦ **Section X-Cherokee-Citizenship: Nov. 16, 1871-Dec. 7, 1925**
- This file contains an undated list of Eastern and Western Cherokees with names in the Cherokee language as well as in English, decisions of the Supreme Court, applications for admission, certificates of rejection and admission, Commissioner of Indian Affairs copies of 1829 to 1833 emigrant lists naming selected individuals, notice of payment to Eastern Cherokees by Guion Miller and gift of one of the warrant boxes to a historical society and other documents. All pages have been filmed regardless of degree of legibility.

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Cherokee (Tahlequah) Citizenship: Oct. 15, 1841-Dec. 13, 1882

- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Oct. 15, 1841-Dec. 13, 1882**
 - These files contain acts, bills, and resolutions of the National Council on matters relating to citizenship, applications, and petitions for admission or re-admission, decisions for rejection or acceptance, intruder lists, certificates of citizenship, letters sent and received by the Principal Chief, other tribal officials and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, financial records of the Commission on Citizenship, affidavits, depositions, judicial writs, and other documents.
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Oct. 15, 1841-Dec. 8, 1876**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: June 17, 1877-Dec. 7, 1877**

- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 9, 1878-Dec. 21, 1878**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 31, 1879-Nov. 18, 1879**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 6, 1880-Dec. 30, 1880**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1881-Dec. 7, 1881**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 5, 1882-Dec. 13, 1882**

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Cherokee (Tahlequah) Citizenship: Jan. 5, 1883-Dec. 28, 1887

- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 5, 1883-Dec. 14, 1883**
 - These files contain acts, bills, and resolutions of the National Council on matters relating to citizenship, applications, and petitions for admission or re-admission, decisions for rejection or acceptance, intruder lists, certificates of citizenship, letters sent and received by the Principal Chief, other tribal officials and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, financial records of the Commission on Citizenship, affidavits, depositions, judicial writs, and other documents.
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 1884-Dec. 28, 1884**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1885-Dec. 26, 1885**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1886-Aug. 30, 1886**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Sep. 4, 1886-Dec. 31, 1886**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 6, 1887-Dec. 28, 1887**

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Cherokee (Tahlequah) Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1888-Dec. 19, 1889

- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1888-July 6, 1888**
 - These files contain acts, bills, and resolutions of the National Council on matters relating to citizenship, applications, and petitions for admission or re-admission, decisions for rejection or acceptance, intruder lists, certificates of citizenship, letters sent and received by the Principal Chief, other tribal officials and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, financial records of the Commission on Citizenship, affidavits, depositions, judicial writs, and other documents.
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Aug. 11, 1888-Oct. 26, 1888**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Nov. 5, 1888-Dec. 8, 1888**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Undated, 1889**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1889-June 28, 1889**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: July 5, 1889-Sep. 30, 1889**

- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Oct. 1, 1889-Oct. 22, 1889**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Nov. 4, 1889-Nov. 29, 1889**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Dec. 2, 1889-Dec. 19, 1889**

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Cherokee (Tahlequah) Citizenship: Jan. 7, 1890-Dec. 31, 1892

- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 7, 1890-Oct. 31, 1890**
 - These files contain acts, bills, and resolutions of the National Council on matters relating to citizenship, applications, and petitions for admission or re-admission, decisions for rejection or acceptance, intruder lists, certificates of citizenship, letters sent and received by the Principal Chief, other tribal officials and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, financial records of the Commission on Citizenship, affidavits, depositions, judicial writs, and other documents.
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Nov. 30, 1890-Dec. 19, 1890**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1891-Oct. 31, 1891**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Nov. 2, 1891-Dec. 19, 1891**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 13, 1892-Sep. 26, 1892**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Oct. 1, 1892-Dec. 31, 1892**

CHN 62

Cherokee (Tahlequah) Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1893-Aug. 31, 1893

- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Undated**
 - These files contain acts, bills, and resolutions of the National Council on matters relating to citizenship, applications, and petitions for admission or re-admission, decisions for rejection or acceptance, intruder lists, certificates of citizenship, letters sent and received by the Principal Chief, other tribal officials and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, financial records of the Commission on Citizenship, affidavits, depositions, judicial writs, and other documents.
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1893-Feb. 23, 1893**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Mar. 2, 1893-Apr. 29, 1893**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: May 1, 1893-June 30, 1893**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: July 1, 1893-July 29, 1893**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Aug. 1, 1893-Aug. 31, 1893**

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Cherokee (Tahlequah) Citizenship: Sep. 1893-Dec. 31, 1893

- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Sep. 1893**
 - These files contain acts, bills, and resolutions of the National Council on matters relating to citizenship, applications, and petitions for admission or re-admission, decisions for rejection or acceptance, intruder lists, certificates of citizenship, letters sent and received by the Principal Chief, other tribal officials and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, financial records of the Commission on Citizenship, affidavits, depositions, judicial writs, and other documents.
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Oct. 2, 1893-Oct. 19, 1893**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Oct. 20, 1893-Oct. 31, 1893**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Nov. 1, 1893- Nov. 15, 1893**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Nov. 16, 1893-Nov. 29, 1893**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Dec. 1, 1893-Dec. 31, 1891**

CHN 64

Cherokee (Tahlequah) Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1894-Feb. 3, 1911

- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1894-Oct. 29, 1894**
 - These files contain acts, bills, and resolutions of the National Council on matters relating to citizenship, applications, and petitions for admission or re-admission, decisions for rejection or acceptance, intruder lists, certificates of citizenship, letters sent and received by the Principal Chief, other tribal officials and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, financial records of the Commission on Citizenship, affidavits, depositions, judicial writs, and other documents.
 - No files for 1910.
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Nov. 1894**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Dec. 1894**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Mar. 11, 1894-Nov. 26, 1894**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Dec. 1895**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Feb. 7, 1896-Dec. 1, 1896**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 6, 1897-Dec. 24, 1897**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Feb. 11, 1898-Dec. 20, 1898**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 23, 1899-Dec. 18, 1899**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Apr. 30, 1900-Dec. 22, 1900**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 7, 1901-Nov. 25, 1901**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Feb. 17, 1902-Dec. 14, 1902**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 24, 1903-Oct. 17, 1903**

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Sep. 6, 1904-Nov. 9, 1904
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 1, 1905-Nov. 29, 1905
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Feb. 21, 1906-Dec. 19, 1906
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 17, 1907-Dec. 17, 1907
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Apr. 17, 1908
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Jan. 28, 1909-Aug. 2, 1909
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Citizenship: Feb. 3, 1911

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Agency: September 1, 1875-Sep. 22, 1875
- ♦ Cherokee-Agricultural Leases: Feb. 7, 1876-Feb. 25, 1886
- ♦ Cherokee-Agricultural Leases (Tahlequah): Sep. 5, 1877-Sep. 21, 1905
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Alabama: Oct. 19, 1881
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Arkansas: Feb. 16, 1832-Sep. 11, 1891
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Arkansas River: Nov. 18, 1896
- ♦ Cherokee-Insane Asylum, Documents 1-82: Apr. 1890-May 5, 1908
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Insane Asylum: Nov. 21, 1872-Dec. 30, 1884

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Insane Asylum: Jan. 1, 1885-Feb. 16, 1910
- ♦ Cherokee-Orphan Asylum, Documents 83-125: May 20, 1890-Mar. 31, 1902

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee-Orphan Asylum, Documents 126-240: Jan. 1, 1902-Mar. 1, 1906
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Orphan Asylum: Oct. 23, 1866-Sep. 18, 1909

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Attorneys: Nov. 14, 1872-Dec. 19, 1901
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Attorney General: Nov. 29, 1890-Sep. 3, 1906
- ◆ Cherokee-Auditor, Document 241: June 12, 1900
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Auditor: Nov. 19, 1851-Nov. 18, 1903
- ◆ Cherokee-Miscellaneous-Banks, Document 1757.15: July 8, 1907-July 16, 1907
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Banks: Feb. 27, 1887; July 31, 1894; Jan. 12, 1901
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Boundary Lines: Apr. 7, 1874-Mar. 3, 1910
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Bowls (Chief): Nov. 16, 1893; Nov. 28, 1893; Dec. 1, 1893
- ◆ Cherokee-Buildings, Documents 242-310: Apr. 4, 1903-July 3, 1912
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Buildings: Oct. 27, 1852-June 8, 1911
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Buildings (Insurance): Nov. 29, 1884-Aug. 8, 1908
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Capital: Oct. 19, 1841-Oct. 25, 1907

CHN 69

Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ Cherokee-Cattle and Pastures, Documents 311-318: Sep. 1, 1886-Apr. 26, 1905
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Cattle and Pastures: Sep. 1, 1874-June 11, 1907
- ◆ Cherokee-Cemeteries, Documents 319-353: Jan. 7, 1903-Feb. 1, 1904
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Cemeteries: Nov. 9, 1866-Sep. 4, 1908
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Churches: Nov. 9, 1866-Sep. 4, 1908
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Civil War: 1862-Jan. 2, 1888

CHN 70

Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Claims Against the Government: Undated-June 5, 1907
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Claims Against Individuals: Sep. 10, 1881-May 14, 1894
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Colorado: June 9, 1874
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Constitution: Oct. 15, 1866-Nov. 14, 1890
- ◆ Cherokee-Courts, Documents 462-533: Jan. 22, 1867-Aug. 28, 1878

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ **Cherokee-Courts, Documents 534-743: Mar. 14, 1876-Dec. 31, 1889**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ **Cherokee-Courts, Documents 744-883: Undated and Jan. 10, 1890-Mar. 24, 1898**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Courts: Nov. 28, 1843-Nov. 28, 1877, and Undated**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Courts: Jan. 8, 1878-Dec. 23, 1891**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Courts: Jan. 6, 1892-Oct. 28, 1909**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Depredations: Mar. 19, 1872-Jan. 21, 1897**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Destitution: Sep. 25, 1874-Mar. 31, 1902**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Districts: Nov. 8, 1843-Dec. 27, 1885**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Districts: Jan. 30, 1886-July 20, 1902**
- ♦ **Cherokee-Divorce, Documents 884-917: May 30, 1874-Sep. 16, 1895**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Divorce: Undated and Nov. 12, 1847-Aug. 30, 1909**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Doctors: Jan. 7, 1873-Feb. 21, 1906**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Ejectment: Undated and May 17, 1880-Sep. 4, 1899**

- ◆ Cherokee-Elections, Documents 918-939: Undated and Sep. 8, 1877-Oct. 17, 1904
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Elections: Nov. 30, 1873-Feb. 24, 1899

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Elections: Apr. 6, 1901-Aug. 1, 1909
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Estates: Undated and Dec. 20, 1868-Feb. 8, 1911
- ◆ Cherokee-Estray Property, Documents 940-1026: Undated and June 21, 1873-June 26, 1906
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Estray Property: Undated, 1860, 1867, and Jan. 6, 1873-Sep. 25, 1886

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Estray Property: Jan. 3, 1887-Apr. 23, 1907
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Executive Council: Nov. 8, 1876-Oct. 1, 1903
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Fairs: Oct. 31, 1876-Sep. 17, 1902
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Family Relations: Aug. 24, 1881-Sep. 18, 1891
- ◆ Cherokee-Federal Relations, Documents 1027-1074: Undated and Jan. 30, 1871-June 13, 1913

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Federal Relations: Jan. 4, 1878-June 16, 1886

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Federal Relations: July 12, 1886-Dec. 23, 1898

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Federal Relations: Jan. 4, 1899-Jan. 20, 1911
- ♦ Section X-Cherokee-Federal Relations: June 1829-Dec. 27, 1839
- ♦ Section X-Cherokee-Federal Relations: May 1846-Feb. 24, 1889
- ♦ Section X-Cherokee-Federal Relations: Sep. 11, 1895-Aug. 21, 1967
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Fences: Sep. 25, 1839-Dec. 12, 1892
- ♦ Cherokee-Ferries, Documents 1075-1152: Apr. 18, 1895-Nov. 9, 1903
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Ferries and Bridges: Undated and Oct. 31, 1849-Sep. 20, 1905
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Firearms: Nov. 23, 1874-Nov. 23, 1893
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Firemakers: 1876-Dec. 10, 1880

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee-Foreign Relations, Documents 1153-1159: Apr. 8, 1867-Apr. 15, 1905
 - Document 1156 not included.
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Foreign Relations, Undated and Nov. 9, 1866-Aug. 3, 1909
- ♦ Section X-Cherokee-Foreign Relations: Oct. 8, 1861-Apr. 4, 1896
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Fort Gibson: Jan. 20, 1868-Dec. 9, 1904
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Fraternal Organizations: Nov. 12, 1886-Dec. 13, 1901
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Freedmen: Undated and June 21, 1871-June 30, 1906

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Freedmen: July 2, 1906-Sep. 24, 1910
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Grand River: 1883-Feb. 8, 1910
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Gravel and Sand: May 15, 1883-Nov. 27, 1907
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Grist Mills: Nov. 6, 1844-Feb. 9, 1889
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Guardianships: Oct. 12, 1841-Apr. 6, 1911
- ♦ Cherokee-Hay, Documents 1160-1163: Aug. 30, 1890-Apr. 18, 1902
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Hay: Nov. 28, 1872-Nov. 19, 1903
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-History: Aug. 17, 1882-Jan. 17, 1910
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Horse Stealing: Undated and Jan. 28, 1886

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Horses: Oct. 18, 1841-Dec. 17, 1879
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Hunting: Aug. 1, 1882-Nov. 13, 1901
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Captives: July 19, 1878-Nov. 25, 1878
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Home Guards: Sep. 6, 1879
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-North Carolina Cherokees: Undated and 1866-1909
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Old Settlers: 1874-1902
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Catawba: 1887
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Chippewa and Munsee: 1882-1883
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Creek: Undated and 1879-1889
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Delaware: 1867-1904
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Miami: May 3, 1881
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Osage: 1879-1888
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Peoria and Affiliated Tribes: 1881-1886
 - Weas, Kaskaskias, Piankashaws, and Western Miamis
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Ponca: Jan. 29, 1881
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Seminole: Jan. 7, 1880
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Shawnee: 1883-1897
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Ute: Dec. 15, 1879
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Tribes-Wyandotte: Feb. 20, 1886
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indigents: Undated and Oct. 19, 1866-May 1, 1902

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-International Council: Mar. 13, 1880-Nov. 21, 1907
- ♦ Cherokee-Intruders, Documents 1164-1231: Dec. 4, 1874-Mar. 25, 1912
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Intruders: Undated and Nov. 8, 1859-Dec. 26, 1884

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Intruders: Feb. 4, 1885-Dec. 1, 1904
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Irrigation: Aug. 12, 1898
- ♦ Cherokee-Land Divisions, Documents 1232-1286
- ♦ Cherokee-Land Divisions-Miscellaneous, Documents 1757.16 and 1757.17: Feb. 2, 1882-Feb. 26, 1913
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Lands: Dec. 2, 1842-June 8, 1911

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Language: 1866-July 12, 1909
- ♦ Cherokee-Language-Miscellaneous, Documents 1758.3-1758.8: Undated and 1887-1901
- ♦ Section X-Cherokee-Language: 1840-1909

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Law Enforcement: Undated and Jan. 9, 1884-Nov. 29, 1897
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Laws: Undated and Nov. 12, 1866-July 26, 1909
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Lighthouse: Undated and Nov. 17, 1883
- ♦ Cherokee-Marriages, Documents 1287-1421 and 1764.7: Undated and Dec. 23, 1869-Dec. 7, 1895
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Marriages: Undated and Sep. 19, 1839-Nov. 10, 1910
- ♦ Cherokee-Minerals, Documents 1422-1756: Undated and Nov. 29, 1882-June 1913

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Minerals: Undated and Nov. 2, 1843-Dec. 31, 1893

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Minerals: Undated and Jan. 1, 1894-July 14, 1909
- ♦ Section X-Cherokee-Minerals: Feb. 7, 1882
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Missing Persons: Dec. 12, 1881-Apr. 13, 1909
- ♦ Cherokee-National Attorney, Documents 1765-1989: Jan. 16, 1900-June 30, 1914
- ♦ Section X-Cherokee-National Attorney: Jan. 31, 1906

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee-National Council, Documents 1990-2007: Jan. 24, 1876-June 1900

- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-National Council: Undated and Sep. 19, 1839-Dec. 20, 1899

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-National Council: Feb. 17, 1900-Nov. 26, 1907
- ◆ Section X-Cherokee-National Council: Undated and Oct. 24, 1820-Nov. 15, 1905
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Neutral Lands: Aug. 14, 1866-Nov. 9, 1896
- ◆ Section X-Cherokee-Neutral Lands: Jan. 13, 1871
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-New Mexico: Feb. 24, 1875
- ◆ Cherokee-Newspapers, Documents 2008-2022: May 23, 1871-Aug. 22, 1911
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Newspapers: July 8, 1865-Dec. 1, 1885

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Newspapers: June 1886-Mar. 29, 1911
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-No Man's Land: Jan. 13, 1888-Feb. 7, 1888
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Opening of Oklahoma: Nov. 30, 1880-Feb. 22, 1884
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Outbreaks: Nov. 15, 1880-Feb. 3, 1904
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Outlaws: June 9, 1886-Nov. 17, 1894
- ◆ Section X-Cherokee-Outlaws: Jan. 16, 1845-Sep. 24, 1846
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Pardons: Sep. 26, 1877-Nov. 30, 1901
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Pensions: Undated and Dec. 3, 1874-Aug. 24, 1897
- ◆ Cherokee-Per Capita Payments, Documents 2023-2419: Dec. 11, 1884-June 30, 1889
 - Document 2414 is missing.
- ◆ Cherokee Orphans-Strip Payment, Documents 2420-2512: May 17, 1895-Sep. 23, 1899

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Per Capita Payments: Undated and Oct. 28, 1851; Nov. 24, 1868-Dec. 4, 1891

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Per Capita Payments: Jan. 11, 1892-July 12, 1910**
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee-Per Capita Payments: Mar. 4, 1846-May 7, 1912**
- ◆ **Cherokee-Permits to Non-Citizens: Undated and Jan. 5, 1872-Dec. 31, 1881**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Permits to Non-Citizens: Undated and Jan. 5, 1872-Dec. 31, 1881**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Permits to Non-Citizens: Jan. 8, 1882-Dec. 31, 1885**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Permits to Non-Citizens: Jan. 17, 1886-Mar. 21, 1898**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Permits to Practice Law: Nov. 15, 1847-Feb. 9, 1909**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Indian Police: Jan. 9, 1882-July 27, 1899**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Political Parties: Aug. 9, 1883-Nov. 6, 1903**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Applications for Positions: Dec. 2, 1879-Aug. 10, 1901**
Starts on Frame #1007
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Postal Routes and Related Matters: Jan. 7, 1880-Nov. 4, 1902**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Prison and High Sheriff: Undated and Dec. 3, 1874-Dec. 10, 1879**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Prison and High Sheriff: Apr. 16, 1880-Mar. 20, 1909**
- ◆ **Cherokee-Probate Attorneys, Documents 2613-2655: Nov. 24, 1913-June 30, 1914**
- ◆ **Cherokee-Railroads, Documents 2656-2696: Mar. 2, 1882-June 21, 1904**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Railroads: Undated and Nov. 21, 1867-May 4, 1880**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Railroads: Apr. 28, 1881-Dec. 8, 1910
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Removal to the West: Nov. 13, 1876-Jan. 2, 1897
- ♦ Section X-Cherokee-Removal to the West: May 5, 1834-July 12, 1894
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Removal of Restrictions: Oct. 13, 1905
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Revenue Collectors: June 3, 1878-Nov. 24, 1906
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Rewards: Undated and Oct. 6, 1880-May 16, 1898
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Roads: Undated and Dec. 7, 1874-Jan. 14, 1904

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Sale of Property: Sep. 24, 1839-Sep. 23, 1909
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Salines: Undated and Oct. 30, 1843-Dec. 24, 1898
- ♦ Cherokee-Schools-Colored High School, Documents 2697-2734: Feb. 1, 1889-Sep. 25, 1906
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Schools-Colored High School: Dec. 4, 1888-Mar. 13, 1911
- ♦ Cherokee-Schools-Female Seminary, Documents 2735-2777: May 11, 1887-Dec. 1902

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee-Schools-Female Seminary, Documents 2778-2864: Dec. 31, 1902-June 29, 1905

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ Cherokee-Schools-Female Seminary, Documents 2865-2870: July 1, 1905-May 1909
- ♦ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Schools-Female Seminary: Undated and Dec. 5, 1874-Jan. 16, 1909
- ♦ Cherokee-Schools-Male Seminary, Documents 2871-2924: Aug. 29, 1887-Dec. 1, 1903

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ **Cherokee-Schools-Male Seminary, Documents 2925-2984: Jan. 1, 1904-July 3, 1905**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Schools-Male Seminary: Undated and Dec. 10, 1875-Feb. 1, 1911**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Schools-Medical Superintendent: Undated and Nov. 22, 1876-Jan. 12, 1901**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Schools-Private and Religious: Undated and Nov. 24, 1842-May 26, 1906**
- ♦ **Cherokee-Schools-Religious, Documents 2985-3006: Oct. 6, 1888-Nov. 8, 1906**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ **Cherokee-Schools-Miscellaneous, Documents 3007-3292: June 2, 1890-June 10, 1913**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Schools-Miscellaneous: Undated and Dec. 16, 1841-Dec. 30, 1884**

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- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Schools-Miscellaneous: Jan. 21, 1885-Mar. 20, 1911**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Seal: Nov. 12, 1869-July 8, 1882**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Sequoyah: Dec. 29, 1843-Dec. 5, 1888**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Sheriffs: Undated and October 30, 1867; Nov. 10, 1871-Dec. 6, 1883**

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- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Sheriffs: Apr. 4, 1884-Mar. 4, 1902**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Skiatook Mission: Oct. 16, 1902**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Solicitors: Oct. 14, 1846-Apr. 13, 1899**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Stationery: Undated and Feb. 12, 1874-Oct. 31, 1908**
- ♦ **Volume 384 – Cherokee Strip Documents: Nov. 17, 1891-Dec. 21, 1891**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Strip: Undated and Oct. 21, 1871-Nov. 9, 1881**

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- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Strip: Jan. 11, 1882-Dec. 30, 1893**

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- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Strip: Jan. 1, 1894-Dec. 16, 1899**
- ◆ **Section X-Cherokee- Strip: Feb. 11, 1891-Aug. 19, 1893**
- ◆ **Cherokee-Telephone, Document 3293: Dec. 30, 1901**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Telephone and Telegraph: Undated and May 17, 1883-Sep. 24, 1907**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Thanksgiving and Other Proclamations: Nov. 3, 1880-Nov. 11, 1901**
- ◆ **Cherokee-Timber, Documents 3294-3305: Mar. 8, 1886-July 28, 1898**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Timber: Feb. 1, 1872-Oct. 1, 1903**

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- ◆ **Cherokee-Townsites, Documents 3306-3529: Aug. 6, 1902-Dec. 29, 1905**
 - Schedule of Appraisements for towns list names of individuals who owned lots in the townsite and what and what improvements were made on the land they reside on. Dated around 1903
 - A list of rules and regulations governing applications for the unrestricted alienation of lands for town site purposes in the Indian Territory Document 3353
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 175 to 182: Feb. 1904 Document 3354
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 191-254: Apr. 17, 1904 Document 3363
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 255 to 323: Apr. 1904 Document 3367
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 398 to 472: June 1906 Document 3393
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 567 to 907: Apr. 6, 1905 Document 3440
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 908 to 1049: Aug. 1905 Document 3496
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 1050 to 1212: Aug. 1905 Document 3497
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 1214 to 1333: Sep. 1905 Document 3499
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 706 to 866: 1905 Document 3529
 - **Adair**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: June 6, 1904 Document 3381

- Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3421
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 10, 1905 Document 3463
- **Afton**
 - Schedule of Appraisement: Feb. 17, 1903 Document 3324
 - Schedule of Appraisement: Oct. 17, 1903 Document 3324
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: Nov. 28, 1903 Document 3341
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Sep. 29, 1904 Document 3347
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 25, 1903 Document 3423
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 496 to 509: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3416
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 11, 1905 Document 3503
- **Bartlesville**
 - Schedule of Appraisement: Feb. 5, 1904 Document 3343
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: Oct. 30, 1903
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 614 to 705: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3416
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Sep. 19, 1904 Document 3420
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 20, 1905 Document 3459
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 28, 1905 Document 3465
- **Bennett**
 - Schedule of Appraisement: Mar. 27, 1905 Document 3438
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 15, 1905 Document 3525
- **Big Cabin**
 - Schedule of Appraisement: June 15, 1904 Document 3385
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3419
- **Blue Jacket**
 - Schedule of Appraisement: Jan. 6, 1903 Document 3321
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: Oct. 17, 1903 Document 3339
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 18, 1903 Document 3348
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 521 to 523: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3416
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Sep. 23, 1904 Document 3422
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 26, 1905 Document 3466
- **Braggs**
 - Schedule of Appraisement: Apr. 24, 1905 Document 3446
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 6, 1905 Document 3516
- **Briartown**
 - Schedule of Appraisement: Mar. 27, 1905 Document 3437
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 17, 1905 Document 3526
- **Campbell**
 - Schedule of Appraisement: Apr. 8, 1905 Document 3441
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 8, 1905 Document 3517
- **Catoosa**
 - Schedule of Appraisement: Feb. 4, 1903 Document 3323
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: Oct. 21, 1903 Document 3342

- Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Dec. 3, 1903 Document 3349
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 368 to 397: May 4, 1904 Document 3372
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 488 to 495: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3416
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 10, 1905 Document 3475
- **Centralia**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Oct. 25, 1904 Document 3425
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 22, 1905 Document 3485
- **Chelsea**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Feb. 24, 1903 Document 3322
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Dec. 1, 1903 Document 3350
 - List of Deeds Approved -Files 324 to 367: May 2, 1904 Document 3362
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: Nov. 4, 1904 Document 3402
 - List of Deeds Approved -Files 474 to 480: Sep. 6, 1904 Document 3409
- **Choteau**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Oct. 10, 1903 Document 3337
 - List of Deeds Approved -Files 524 to 535: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3416
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Sep. 17, 1904 Document 3418
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 24, 1905 Document 3488
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Sep. 30, 1905 Document 3502
- **Claremore**
 - Supplemental of Appraisalment: Nov. 29, 1903 Document 3344
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: Nov. 3, 1904 Document 3399
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 536 to 570: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3416
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Sep. 20, 1904 Document 3424
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 30, 1905 Document 3494
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 30, 1905 Document 3495
- **Collinsville**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Jan. 9, 1905 Document 3412
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: May 20, 1905 Document 3458
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 19, 1905 Document 3484
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 26, 1905 Document 3489
- **Fairland**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Oct. 17, 1904 Document 3396
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 9, 1905 Document 3476
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 26, 1905 Document 3486
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 9, 1905 Document 3500
- **Fort Gibson**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Feb. 28, 1905 Document 3431
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Sep. 11, 1905 Document 3498
- **Gans**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Apr. 21, 1905 Document 3444
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 24, 1905 Document 3521

- **Gritts**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Mar. 24, 1905 Document 3435
- **Grove**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Sep. 20, 1904 Document 3414
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 8, 1905 Document 3469
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 22, 1905 Document 3481
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 13, 1905 Document 3506
- **Hanson**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Mar. 25, 1904 Document 3357
 - List of Deeds Approved-File 485: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3416
 - Vacant Lots Sold At Auction: June 2, 1905 Document 3462
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 29, 1905 Document 3519
- **Hillside**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: May 3, 1905 Document 3448
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 23, 1905 Document 3512
- **Kansas**
 - Schedule of appraisalment: Apr. 22, 1905 Document 3445
- **Ketchum**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Nov. 18, 1904 Document 3426
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 16, 1905 Document 3511
- **Lenapah**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Apr. 25, 1904 Document 3365
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 15, 1905 Document 3480
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 26, 1905 Document 3487
- **Long**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Mar. 22, 1905 Document 3432
- **Maple**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Mar. 22, 1905 Document 3433
- **McLain**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Mar. 25, 1905 Document 3436
- **Muldrow**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Mar. 24, 1904 Document 3356
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 3, 1905 Document 3471
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 10, 1905 Document 3472
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Dec. 1, 1905 Document 3520
- **North Tulsa**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3415
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 22, 1905 Document 3482
- **Nowata**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Apr. 26, 1904 Document 3366
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: May 20, 1905 Document 3455
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 14, 1905 Document 3483

- Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 27, 1905 Document 3491
- **Ochelata**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: May 8, 1905 Document 3452
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 25, 1905 Document 3508
- **Oolagah**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Jan. 9, 1905 Document 3428
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 12, 1905 Document 3477
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 4, 1905 Document 3507
- **Owasso**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Sep. 17, 1904 Document 3411
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 20, 1905 Document 3479
- **Peggs**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Apr. 15, 1905 Document 3443
- **Pryor Creek**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Aug. 24, 1904 Document 3380
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: May 29, 1905 Document 3461
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 26, 1905 Document 3467
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 2, 1905 Document 3504
- **Ramona**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Nov. 26, 1904 Document 3413
 - Vacant Lots Sold At Auction: June 17, 1905 Document 3464
- **Redland**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Mar. 27, 1905 Document 3439
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 22, 1905 Document 3524
- **Ruby**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: May 3, 1905 Document 3449
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 30, 1905 Document 3515
- **Sallisaw**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Apr. 8, 1904 Document 3360
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 510 to 520: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3416
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: May 20, 1905 Document 3456
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 27, 1905 Document 3490
- **Spavinaw**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Nov. 26, 1905 Document 3429
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 18, 1905 Document 3505
- **Stillwell**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: May 15, 1905 Document 3454
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Dec. 4, 1905 Document 3527
- **Tahlequah**
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 183 to 190: Mar. 1904 Document 3359
 - Deed Approved-File 473: July 1, 1903 Document 3406
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Oct. 18, 1904 Document 3408

- Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: May 20, 1905 Document 3457
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 6, 1905 Document 3473
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 6, 1905 Document 3474
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 27, 1905 Document 3492
- **Talala**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Nov. 23, 1904 Document 3427
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: June 13, 1905 Document 3478
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 27, 1905 Document 3493
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 3, 1905 Document 3509
- **Texanna**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Mar. 23, 1905 Document 3434
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 20, 1905 Document 3523
- **Vera**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: May 5, 1905 Document 3451
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 21, 1905 Document 3514
- **Vian**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Mar. 30, 1904 Document 3358
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 486 to 487: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3416
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: June 28, 1905 Document 3468
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: May 31, 1905 Document 3470
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 10, 1905 Document 3522
- **Vinita**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Feb. 14, 1903 Document 3320
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 1 to 70: Aug. 14, 1903 Document 3333
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: Oct. 12, 1903 Document 3338
 - Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 28, 1903 Document 3346
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 71 to 174: July 1, 1903 Document 3351
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 571 to 613: Sep. 26, 1904 Document 3416
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: June 27, 1905 Document 3441
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 4, 1905 Document 3501
- **Watova**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: May 4, 1905 Document 3450
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 1, 1905 Document 3510
- **Webbers Falls**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Apr. 13, 1905 Document 3442
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 13, 1905 Document 3518
- **Weldon**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: May 3, 1905 Document 3447
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Oct. 25, 1905 Document 3513
- **Welch**
 - Schedule of Appraisalment: Mar. 2, 1903 Document 3325
 - Supplemental Schedule of Corrections: Oct. 17, 1903 Document 3340

- Vacant Lots Sold at Auction: Nov. 17, 1903 Document 3345
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 481 to 484: Sep. 6, 1904 Document 3409
- **Westville**
 - Schedule of Appraisement: May 13, 1905 Document 3453
 - List of Lots Sold at Auction: Dec. 6, 1905 Document 3528

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- ◆ **Cherokee-Townsites, Documents 3530-3764: Undated and Jan. 17, 1906-June 29, 1914**
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 1334 to 1505: Jan. 1906 Document 3530
 - List of Deeds Approved-Files 1506 to 1526: Feb. 1906 Document 3531
 - List of Town Lot Patents Executed by the Principal Chief: Apr. 9, 1910 Document 3629
 - List of Town Lot Patents Executed by the Principal Chief: Sep. 20, 1910 Document 3666
 - List of Town Lot Patents Executed by the Principal Chief: Sep. 20, 1910 Document 3671
 - List of Town Lot Patents Executed by the Principal Chief: Feb. 20, 1911 Document 3677
 - List of Town Lot Patents Executed by the Principal Chief: Apr. 10, 1911 Document 3678
 - List of Town Lot Patents Executed by the Principal Chief: Aug. 22, 1911 Document 3685
 - List of Town Lot Patents Executed by the Principal Chief: Mar. 26, 1912 Document 3694
 - List of Town Lot Patents Executed by the Principal Chief: Aug. 1, 1912 Document 3708
 - Statement of Status of Town Lots and Town Sites Document 3764
 - **Adair**
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 15, 1907 Document 3586
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: July 20, 1908 Document 3616
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3630
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Mar. 22, 1905-Jan. 25, 1906 Document 3735
 - **Afton**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3567
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 23, 1907 Document 3587
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3631
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Apr. 28, 1904-Oct. 9, 1906 Document 3736
 - **Bartlesville**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 30, 1906 Document 3546
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 26, 1907 Document 3599
 - Patents Issued in Document 3610
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: June 28, 1905-Jan. 30, 1906 Document 3737
 - **Bennett**
 - Forfeited Lots: Nov. 22, 1910
 - **Big Cabin**

- Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Mar. 25, 1905-Jan. 22, 1906 Document 3738
 - **Blue Jacket**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3570
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3632
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: May 9, 1904-Jan. 22, 1906 Document 3739
 - **Braggs**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 30, 1906 Document 3547
 - Supplemental Schedule: Apr. 18, 1907 Document 3578
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 25, 1907 Document 3595
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: Sep. 1, 1910 Document 3688
 - Town Lot Sold in: June 4, 1912 Document 3700
 - Town Lot Sold in: June 4, 1912 Document 3701
 - Town Lot Sold in: June 4, 1912 Document 3702
 - Town Lot Sold in: June 4, 1912 Document 3703
 - **Campbell**
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 9, 1906 Document 3534
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3562
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3633
 - **Catoosa**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 31, 1906 Document 3548
 - Supplemental Schedule: Apr. 18, 1907 Document 3577
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Sep. 28, 1904-Sep. 4, 1905 Document 3740
 - **Centralia**
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 18, 1907 Document 3593
 - Patents Issued in Document 3610
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: July 20, 1908 Document 3620
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3634
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Aug. 14, 1905-Jan. 26, 1906 Document 3741
 - **Chelsea**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 31, 1906 Document 3553
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 11, 1907 Document 3590
 - Patents Issued in Document 3610
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: July 20, 1908 Document 3619
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3635
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: May 6m 1910 Document 3689
 - Town Lot Sold in: June 4, 1912 Document 3698
 - Town Lot Sold in: June 4, 1912 Document 3699
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Aug. 15, 1905-Aug. 31, 1906 Document 3742
 - **Choteau**
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Sep. 28, 1904-Jan. 31, 1906 Document 3743
 - **Claremore**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Oct. 23, 1907 Document 3607

- Patents Issued in Document 3610
 - Supplemental Schedule: Feb. 18, 1907 Document 3611
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: July 20, 1908 Document 3621
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3636
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 30, 1910 Document 3665
 - Lot Payments: Aug. 11, 1886-Aug. 15, 1892
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Sep. 28, 1904-Jan. 15, 1907 Document 3744
- **Collinsville**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3558
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 14, 1907 Document 3584
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3637
 - Supplemental Schedule: Oct. 3, 1910 Document 3667
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Oct. 23, 1905-Feb. 1, 1906 Document 3745
- **Dewey**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Apr. 5, 1909 Document 3626
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold Document 3628
 - Supplemental Schedule: Dec. 12, 1910 Document 3668
- **Fairland**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3568
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 31, 1907 Document 3605
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3638
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Aug. 11, 1905-Oct. 18, 1905 Document 3746
- **Fort Gibson**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 3, 1906 Document 3545
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 27, 1907 Document 3588
 - Supplemental Schedule: Oct. 29, 1907 Document 3608
 - Supplemental Schedule: Feb. 21, 1907 Document 3613
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: July 20, 1908 Document 3623
 - Supplemental Schedule: Jan. 14, 1909 Document 3625
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3639
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Jan. 23, 1906-Jan. 29, 1906 Document 3747
- **Gans**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 31, 1906 Document 3552
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3561
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 13, 1907 Document 3591
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3640
- **Gritts**
 - Forfeited Lots: Nov. 22, 1910
- **Grove**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3566
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 22, 1907 Document 3602
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: June 28, 1905-Jan. 22, 1906 Document 3748

- **Hanson**
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 12, 1906 Document 3533
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3563
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Mar. 22, 1905-Jan. 23, 1906 Document 3749
- **Hillside**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3559
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: July 20, 1908 Document 3617
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3641
 - Forfeited Lots: Nov. 22, 1910
- **Kansas**
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 9, 1906 Document 3535
- **Ketchum**
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 9, 1906 Document 3536
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3572
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3642
- **Lenapah**
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 13, 1907 Document 3592
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3643
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Mar. 22, 1905-Feb. 1, 1906 Document 3750
- **Long**
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 31, 1906 Document 3543
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3565
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3644
- **Maple**
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 9, 1906 Document 3537
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3645
- **Muldrow**
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 3, 1907 Document 3582
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3646
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Mar. 21, 1905-Jan. 22, 1906 Document 3751
- **North Tulsa**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Apr. 8, 1907 Document 3575
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 4, 1907 Document 3589
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: May 17, 1910 Document 3690
 - Town Lot Sold in: June 4, 1912 Document 3704
 - Town Lot Sold in: June 4, 1912 Document 3705
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Oct. 17, 1905-Nov. 13 Document 3752
- **Nowata**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 31, 1906 Document 3549
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 11, 1907 Document 3583
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 26, 1907 Document 3596
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Mar. 22, 1905-Mar. 15, 1906 Document 3753

- **Ochelata**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3557
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 3, 1907 Document 3581
 - Supplemental Schedule: Oct. 30, 1907 Document 3609
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: July 20, 1908 Document 3614
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3647
- **Oologah**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 31, 1906 Document 3550
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3560
 - Supplemental Schedule: Sep. 12, 1907 Document 3606
 - Forfeited Lots: Nov. 22, 1910
 - Town Lot Sold in: Apr. 4, 1912 Document 3697
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Oct. 20, 1905-Feb. 1, 1906 Document 3754
- **Owasso**
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 21, 1906 Document 3538
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3648
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Oct. 6, 1905-Feb. 10, 1906 Document 3755
- **Peggs**
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3649
- **Pryor Creek**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3573
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 21, 1907 Document 3594
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: July 20, 1908 Document 3618
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3650
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Aug. 11, 1905-Jan. 22, 1906 Document 3756
- **Ramona**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 24, 1907 Document 3603
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3651
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: May 12, 1910 Document 3691
 - Town Lot Sold in: June 4, 1912 Document 3695
 - Town Lot Sold in: June 4, 1912 Document 3696
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Oct. 6, 1905-Jan. 22, 1906 Document 3757
- **Redland**
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 30, 1906 Document 3542
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3652
- **Sallisaw**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 31, 1906 Document 3551
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 14, 1907 Document 3585
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3653
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: May 14, 1910 Document 3692
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Mar. 22, 1905-Jan. 25, 1906 Document 3758
- **Stilwell**

- Supplemental Schedule: July 31, 1906 Document 3544
- **Tahlequah**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Sep. 5, 1906 Document 3555
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3569
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 26, 1907 Document 3598
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 5, 1907 Document 3601
 - Supplemental Schedule: Feb. 14, 1910 Document 3627
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3655
 - Forfeited Lots: Jan. 27, 1911 Document 3676
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: May 9, 1910 Document 3693
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: May 4, 1906-May 9, 1906 Document 3759
- **Talala**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3574
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3654
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Jan. 30, 1906 Document 3760
- **Texanna**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3556
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: July 20, 1908 Document 3622
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3656
- **Vera**
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 21, 1906 Document 3539
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3657
- **Vian**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Sep. 5, 1906 Document 3554
 - Supplemental Schedule: June 26, 1907 Document 3597
 - Patents Issued in Document 3610
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 26, 1908 Document 3624
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3658
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Sep. 28, 1904-Nov. 2, 1905 Document 3761
- **Vinita**
 - Supplemental Schedule: Mar. 9, 1906 Document 3532
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 1, 1907 Document 3579
 - Supplemental Schedule: Aug. 28, 1907 Document 3604
 - Patents Issued in Document 3610
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: July 20, 1908 Document 3615
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3659
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Sep. 28, 1904-Feb. 7, 1906 Document 3762
- **Watova**
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 25, 1906 Document 3540
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3660
- **Webbers Falls**
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3661

- **Welch**
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3571
 - Supplemental Schedule: May 2, 1907 Document 3580
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3662
 - Receipts for Town Lot Deeds: Apr. 23, 1904-Feb. 26, 1906 Document 3763
- **Weldon**
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3663
- **Westville**
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 27, 1906 Document 3541
 - List of Vacant Lots Sold: Jan. 3, 1907 Document 3564
 - Supplemental Schedule: July 10, 1907 Document 3600
 - List of Forfeited Lots Sold: July 26, 1910 Document 3664
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Townsites: Undated and Oct. 28, 1843-Oct. 24, 1904**
 - Various documents regarding townsites, included Certificates of Sale, official Acts establishing right to survey townsites, registers of sale of town lots, Town Commission Reports, abstracts, etc.

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- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Townsites: Jan. 4, 1904-Mar. 6, 1911**
- ◆ **Cherokee-Townsite Commissioner, Documents 3765-3799: May 19, 1904-July 17, 1905**
- ◆ **Cherokee-Traders, Documents 3800-4083: Mar. 18, 1886-June 8, 1901**

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- ◆ **Cherokee-Traders, Documents 4084-4090: Undated and 1900-Feb. 19, 1901**
- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Traders: Undated and Oct. 31, 1841-June 30, 1884**

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- ◆ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Traders: July 1, 1884-Dec. 31, 1886**

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- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Traders: Jan. 6, 1887-June 30, 1894**

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- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Traders: July 2, 1894-Nov. 22, 1906**
- ♦ **Section X-Cherokee-Traders: Apr. 3, 1885-Apr. 20, 1898**
- ♦ **Cherokee-Treasurer, Documents 4091-4402: Nov. 21, 1874-1910**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Treasurer: Undated and Oct. 4, 1839; Oct. 23, 1865-Dec. 29, 1876**

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- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Treasurer: Jan. 2, 1877-Dec. 16, 1890**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents

- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Treasurer: Jan. 1, 1891-Jan. 24, 1911**
- ♦ **Cherokee-Tribal Officers, Documents 4403-4453: Nov. 10, 1879-June 30, 1914**
- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Tribal Officers: Undated and Nov. 17, 1843; Nov. 29, 1866-Dec. 27, 1889**

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- ♦ **Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Tribal Officers: Feb. 17, 1890-Jan. 27, 1910**
- ♦ **Section X-Cherokee-Tribal Officers**
 - **John Ross: Nov. 27, 1829-June 4, 1865**
 - **Stand Watie: Jan. 8, 1846-Apr. 26, 1866**

- Lewis Downing: Oct. 9, 1869-Nov. 7, 1871
- D. W. Bushyhead: Nov. 4, 1885
- S. H. Mayes: Jan. 15, 1896
- T. M. Buffington: Nov. 7, 1900-Nov. 6, 1902
- William C. Rogers: Nov. 6, 1903-Nov. 9, 1904
- ◆ Financial Records of the Tribal Officers: Dec. 30, 1905-June 30, 1913
- ◆ Cherokee-Tribal Records, Documents 4454-4463: June 5, 1913-July 1, 1913
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Tribal Records: June 30, 1908
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Whiskey Traffic and Gambling Suppression (Vices): Feb. 11, 1880-Dec. 6, 1909
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Vital Statistics: Undated and Oct. 8, 1849-Nov. 20, 1896
- ◆ Cherokee-Warrants, Documents 4464-4477: Dec. 1, 1877-Aug. 20, 1898

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- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Warrants: Undated and Aug. 22, 1873-Oct. 2, 1909
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Whites in Indian Territory: Mar. 1, 1883-Aug. 4, 1893
- ◆ Cherokee (Tahlequah)-Wild Cattle and Game: Nov. 20, 1866; Dec. 8, 1877; May 2, 1878; Feb. 29, 1880; 1885-1891; Apr. 9, 1901
- ◆ Volume 444 – Per Capita Payment-Canadian District: 1886
- ◆ Volume 448 – Per Capita Payment-Canadian District: 1886
 - Pages 1-240 are missing
- ◆ Volume 445 – Per Capita Payment-Cooweescoowee District: 1886
- ◆ Volume 447 – Per Capita Payment-Delaware District: 1886
- ◆ Volume 449 – Per Capita Payment-Saline District: 1886

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- ◆ Volume 449 – Per Capita Payment-Saline District: 1886
 - Continued from CHN 116-1
- ◆ Volume 450 – Per Capita Payment-Sequoyah District: 1886
- ◆ Volume 446 – Per Capita Payment-Tahlequah District: 1886
- ◆ Volume 451 – Per Capita Payment-Mixed Districts: 1886
 - Canadian, Cooweescoowee, Flint, Going Snake, Illinois, Saline, and Sequoyah
 - Lists of names of parties left off payrolls of Per Capita funds in various districts

CHN 117

Cherokee National Records: Land, Permit, Estate, and Court Records, 1871-1898

- ◆ **Volume 56 – Coowescoowee District-Register of Town Lots**
 - Vinita (Downingville) Volume Pages 1-9; 206
 - Claremore Volume Pages 100-112
 - Tahlequah Volume Pages 200-201;613
 - Nowata Volume Pages 233-245
 - Oolagah Volume Pages 286-295;635
 - Chouteau Volume Pages 300-306
 - Talala Volume Pages 342-347
 - Rossville Volume Pages 350-353
 - Chelsea Volume Pages 400-408
 - Catoosa Volume Pages 448-451
 - Pryor Creek (Coo-Y-Yah) Volume Pages 500-512
 - Adair Volume Pages 550-558
 - Lenepah Volume Pages 575
 - Blue Jacket Volume Pages 600-603
 - Afton Volume Pages 625-634
- ◆ **Volume 246 – Coowescoowee District Court Records: Jan. 4, 1897-Apr. 4, 1898**
 - This volume contains dockets of civil and criminal cases before the district court.
- ◆ **Volume 247 – Northern Judicial Circuit Court: June 10, 1898-July 8, 1898**
 - This volume contains testimony in civil cases and includes some divorce records.
 - Pages 1-40, 60-63, 92, and 105-110 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 229 – Flint District-Supreme and District Court Records: Jan. 12, 1892-Jan. 6, 1896**
 - This volume contains criminal and civil case dockets, testimony in murder trials, verdicts, jury lists, and other items.
- ◆ **Volume 137 – National and Illinois District: Dec. 16, 1873-June 19, 1886**
 - This volume contains minutes of the meetings of the Board of Trustees of the nation's high schools (pages 1-39), the appointment of administrators, guardians and appraisers of estates, schedules of property, bonds, and other items for Illinois District.
 - There is an index. Pages X-Z, 52-58, 202-218, 273-276, and 278-279 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 245 – Illinois District-Permit Records: Aug. 1, 1892-Feb. 19, 1895**
- ◆ **Volume 244 – Tahlequah District-Circuit and Court Records: May 23, 1892-July 6, 1897**
 - This volume contains dockets of civil and criminal cases with notations of verdicts and disposition of the cases.
 - Pages 1-12, 15-18, 25-26, and 37-38 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 238 – Cherokee Officers' Reports-Mixed Districts: Aug. 19, 1869-Sep. 13, 1897**

- This volume contains reports by Sheriffs and Clerks of various districts on court cases involving murder, theft, drunkenness, and whiskey sales. Lists of jurors and witnesses are noted with the number of days served and the amount paid for those services.
- There is a partial index.
- ◆ **Volume 239 – Cherokee Officers’ Reports-Mixed Districts: July 9, 1872-Oct. 15, 1872**
 - This volume contains reports by sheriffs and Circuit and District Clerks of various districts giving lists of jurors and witnesses with length of service and amount paid.
 - There is a partial index.
- ◆ **Volume 241 – Cherokee Officers’ Reports-Mixed Districts: Oct. 1874-Sep. 30, 1875**
 - This volume contains reports by District Clerks of all districts of the days served and amounts paid to jurors, witnesses, interpreters, guards, and other court officials.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 242A – Cherokee Officers’ Reports-Mixed Districts: Oct. 8, 1875-June 30, 1876**
 - This volume contains reports by Sheriffs and District and Circuit Clerks of amounts paid to jurors, witnesses, interpreters, guards, and court officials.

CHN 118

Cherokee National Records: Supreme Court Records, 1868-1887

- ◆ **Volume 223 – Supreme Court Records: Oct. 5, 1868-Dec. 3, 1875**
 - This volume contains minutes of the proceedings of the Supreme Court in cases involving estates, property disputes, trespassing, damages, guardianships, and other matters.
- ◆ **Volume 223A – Supreme Court Records: Oct. 5, 1868-Nov. 12, 1886**
 - This volume contains minutes of the proceedings of the Supreme Court in original and appeal cases involving estates, guardianships, property rights, trespassing, damage suits, debt claims, and other matters.
 - There is a case index.
- ◆ **Volume 224 – Supreme Court Records: Oct. 2, 1871-Dec. 3, 1875**
 - This volume contains records of original cases and those on appeal from the lower courts in matters involving estates, guardianships, divorce, property rights, forfeiture of bonds, and other items.
- ◆ **Volume 225 – Supreme Court Records: Mar. 30, 1876-Nov. 20, 1884**
 - This volume contains minutes of the proceedings of the Supreme Court in cases involving estates, guardianships, divorce, defaults on debts, damage suits, murder, and other matters.
 - Pages 19-22 and 409-410 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 226 – Supreme Court Records: Sep. 24, 1877-Oct. 6, 1887**

- This volume contains minutes of the proceedings of the Supreme Court in cases involving contested elections.

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Cherokee National Records: Supreme Court Records and Executive Council Records

- ◆ **Volume 227 – Supreme Court Records: Oct. 4, 1886-Dec. 10, 1889**
 - This volume contains dockets and minutes of the Supreme Court in cases involving estates, divorces, property transfers, damage suits, intruders, and other matters.
 - Pages 33-34 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 228 – Supreme Court Records: Dec. 11, 1889-June 2, 1892**
 - This volume contains minutes of the proceedings of the Supreme Court in cases involving estates, divorce, damage suits, improvements, and other matters.
- ◆ **Volume 230 – Supreme Court Records: May 30, 1892-Aug. 19, 1893**
 - This volume contains dockets and minutes of the Supreme Court in cases involving divorce and alimony, damage suites, improvements, intrusion, and other matters.
- ◆ **Volume 233 – Supreme Court Records: Oct. 2, 1893-May 29, 1894**
 - This volume contains minutes of the court in cases involving improvements, intrusion, debts, property rights, and other matters. Also included are lists of witnesses, interpreters, and other court officials with notations of amounts paid for their services.
- ◆ **Volume 231 – Supreme Court Records: Apr. 18, 1893-Nov. 1897**
 - This volume contains dockets for cases before the court dealing with estates, divorce and alimony, contested elections, land disputes, per capita payments, injunctions, and other matters. A few pages of minutes are also included.
- ◆ **Volume 234 – Supreme Court Records: Oct. 1, 1894-Feb. 21, 1899**
 - This volume contains minutes of the proceedings of the court dealing with cases involving estates, property settlements, permit violations, timber, land ownership, Old Settler claims, and other matters.
- ◆ **Volume 710 – Supreme Court Records: Jan. 12, 1880-May 20, 1886**
 - This volume contains minutes of the Executive Council whose deliberations involved petitions for pardon of convicts confined in the National Prison, rules for the prison, per capita payment, procedures in census taking, illegal timber cutting, and other matters.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 712 – Executive Council Records: July 5, 1886-Nov. 3, 1887**
 - This volume contains minutes of the Executive Committee in sessions where petitions for pardon of convicts in the National Prison, per capita payments, rights of citizenship, and other matters were considered.
- ◆ **Volume 713 – Executive Council Records: Mar. 20, 1888-June 20, 1899**

- This volume contains minutes of the proceedings of the Executive Committee who deliberations involved removal of North Carolina Cherokees into nation, pardons of convicts in the National Prison, leasing land in the Cherokee Strip, and other matters.

CHN 120

Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received and other Documents, 1879-1882

- ◆ **Volume 715A – Principal Chief D. W. Bushyhead: Nov. 10, 1879-Jan. 5, 1880**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of correspondence, proclamations and messages by Chief Bushyhead bearing upon all matters coming to the attention of the executive office. Among the matters dealt with were problems of collecting taxes on stock pastured in the Cherokee Outlet and problems of extending jurisdiction over railroad rights-of-way.
 - This volume is not indexed.
- ◆ **Volume 715B -Principal Chief D. W. Bushyhead and Assistant Chief Rabbit Bunch: Apr. 16, 1880-Mar. 16, 1881**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of correspondence, proclamations and commissions by Chief D. W. Bushyhead and Assistant (on occasion Acting) Principal Chief Rabbit Bunch bearing upon all matters coming to the attention of the executive office. It includes attentions to such matters as regulation of the cattle industry of non-Cherokees, problems of effecting extraditions, claims of the North Carolina Cherokees and the taking of the 1880 Cherokee Nation census (there is included a summary of the census).
 - There is a partial index.
- ◆ **Volume 715C – Principal Chief D. W. Bushyhead, Assistant Chief Rabbit Bunch and Assistant Executive Secretary William F. Rasmus**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of correspondence and proclamations of Principal Chief D. W. Bushyhead, Assistant (on occasion Acting) Chief Rabbit Bunch, and Assistant Executive Secretary William F. Rasmus, bearing upon all matters coming to the attention of the executive office. Includes names of persons (p. 22-79) who failed to prove Cherokee citizenship before the Commission on Citizenship.
 - There is a partial index.
- ◆ **Volume 715D -Principal Chief D. W. Bushyhead: Oct. 19, 1881-Dec. 3, 1884**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of correspondence, proclamations, commissions, and messages by and of Chief D. W. Bushyhead, bearing upon all matters coming to the attention of the executive office. Among the matters considered were the process of citizenship determination, relations with the North Carolina Cherokees,

protection of timber lands from the depredations of non-Indians, proposals for leasing salt deposits, and efforts to prevent railroad companies from gaining rights-of-way through the Cherokee Nations.

- There is a partial index.

CHN 121

Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received by Principal Chiefs and other Executive Documents, 1882-1883

- ◆ **Volume 715E – Principal Chief D. W. Bushyhead: Jan. 13, 1882-June 16, 1882**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of correspondence, proclamations and commissions by Chief D. W. Bushyhead bearing on matters coming to the attention of the executive office. It includes references to building the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad, timber cutting and grazing rights, intruders, permits to non-citizens, disposal of Cherokee lands in Alabama, Arkansas and Kansas, permission for the Society of Friends to establish a school, and other matters.
 - There is a partial index. Pages 87, 141, 199, 214, and 266-268 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 715F – Principal Chief D. W. Bushyhead: Apr. 2, 1882-Dec. 12, 1883**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of correspondence, proclamation, commissions and licenses by Chief Bushyhead and Rabbit Bunch, Assistant Chief. It contains references to citizenship claims, timber cutting, grazing laws, sale of town lots, and many other matters.
 - There is a partial index.

CHN 122

Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received by Principal Chiefs and other Executive Documents, 1884-1887

- ◆ **Volume 715G – Principal Chief D. W. Bushyhead: Dec. 4, 1884-Aug. 15, 1885**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of letters sent by Chief Bushyhead bearing on matters coming to the attention of the executive office.
 - There is a partial index.
- ◆ **Volume 715H – Principal Chief D. W. Bushyhead: Nov. 15, 1886-Mar. 23, 1887**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of letters sent and received by Chief D. W. Bushyhead bearing on matters coming to the attention of the executive office.

CHN 123

Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received by Principal Chiefs and other Executive Documents, 1887-1890

- ◆ **Volume 715I – Principal Chief J. B. Mayes: Mar. 23, 1887-July 18, 1887**
- ◆ **Volume 715J – Principal Chief J. B. Mayes: Nov. 16, 1888-Aug. 27, 1890**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of correspondence proclamations and commissions by Chief J. B. Mayes bearing upon all matters coming to the attention of the executive office. It includes attention to such matters as regulation of the cattle industry, citizenship, appointments, pardons, and writs of ejectment.
 - There is a partial index. Pages 2-3, 57-58, 60, 173, 349-350, 357, 372, 393-401, 482-485, and 488-493 are missing.
- ◆ **Third Annual Message of Hon. J. B. Mayes: 1889**

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Cherokee National Records: Letters Sent and Letters Received by Principal Chiefs and other Executive Documents, 1889-1904

- ◆ **Volume 715K – Principal Chief J. B. Mayes: Nov. 11, 1889-Jan. 4, 1892**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of correspondence proclamations and commissions by Chief J. B. Mayes bearing upon all matters coming to the attention of the executive office. It includes attention to such matters as regulation of the cattle industry regarding non-Cherokees, citizenship, per capita, railroads, and intruders.
 - This volume is not indexed. Pages 7, 108-112, 155, 174, 245, 276, and 476-485 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 715L – Principal Chief J. B. Mayes: Aug. 29, 1890-Dec. 14, 1891; Principal Chief C. J. Harris: Dec. 24, 1891-Dec. 17, 1894**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of correspondence, proclamations and commissions by Chief J. B. Mayes followed by those of Chief C. J. Harris bearing upon all matters coming to the attention of the executive office. It includes attentions to such matters as the sale of Cherokee lands, intruders, ejectments, permits, railroads, and encroachments.
 - This volume is not indexed. Page 244 is missing.
- ◆ **First Annual Message of Hon. Joel B. Mayes: 1891**
- ◆ **Volume 715M – Principal Chief C. J. Harris: Mar. 1, 1892-Dec. 19, 1893**
 - This volume contains letterpress copies of correspondence, proclamations and commissions by Chief C. J. Harris bearing upon all matters coming to the attention of the executive office. It includes attention to such matters as citizenship, improvements, intruders, timber, railroads, and medical practice and malpractice.

- This volume is not indexed.
- ◆ **Message of Chief S. H. Mayes: 1895**
 - Not on microfilm
- ◆ **First Annual Message of Hon. William C. Rogers: 1903**
 - Splice in microfilm reel starts frame numbers
- ◆ **Second Annual Message of Hon. William C. Rogers: 1904**

CHN 125

Cherokee National Records: Records of the National Treasurer, 1866-1894; 1900

- ◆ **Volume 388 – Warrant Register: Oct. 31, 1866-Dec. 13, 1868**
 - This volume contains lists of warrants held by various individuals and mercantile companies within the Cherokee Nation, also issuance of license for ferry operations on the Arkansas River and Pryor Creek. Also, there are records concerning the leasing of various salines in the nation, including Union Mission lick and Mackey's on the Illinois River.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 389 – List of Delinquent Tax Payers: Nov. 9, 1866-Oct. 6, 1870; Dec. 8, 1883**
 - This volume contains permits to non-citizens as laborers in the Cherokee Nation. The permit gives names of individual, date, length of service, vocation of permittee and who purchased permit. Also, there is mentioned the leasing of Grand Saline to Lewis Ross and other related matters.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 397 – Record of Royalty Received: Nov. 1, 1875-Aug. 28, 1894**
 - This volume contains financial records maintained by the National Treasurer of the Cherokee Nation concerning fees collected for permits, estray property, licenses, and other related matters.
 - There is no index. Pages 141-142 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 399 – Miscellaneous Records: Dec. 31, 1875-Nov. 12, 1879**
 - This volume contains entries of revenue collected by the district clerks of the Cherokee Nation for licenses to operate ferries which includes the name of the person the license was issued to, also location of ferry, other entries concern coal mining, traders, attorneys, toll bridges, and saw mills operating within the nation.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 398 – Register of Vouchers, Treasurer D. W. Bushyhead: Sep. 30, 1876-1884**
 - This volume is the General Fund Ledger maintained by the National Treasurer of the Cherokee Nation. Contained within are records of claims paid to individuals, officials, and educators.

- Please note that there are dates scattered throughout this volume prior to 1876, beginning with Nov. 23, 1847. There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 400 – Annual Reports of Revenue Collected, Treasurer D. W. Bushyhead: Sep. 30, 1876-Sep. 30, 1888; Oct. 24, 1900**
 - This volume contains the reports of Treasurers Dennis W. Bushyhead, D. W. Lipe, Henry Chambers, and Robert B. Ross. Reports concern revenue collected from various sources included ferries, permits issued to non-citizens, attorneys, traders, minerals (in particular coal), toll gates and bridges, the Cherokee Livestock Association, and in some instances citizenship. Under report of Treasurer Robert B. Ross, recommendations are advanced to tighten regulations involving mineral deposits, especially petroleum, to unlicensed companies operating within the Cherokee Nation.
 - There is no index. Pages 215-216 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 403 – “A A” Reports – Executive: Dec. 31, 1879-Dec. 11, 1885**
 - Contained within this volume are annual reports of the various boards, commissions and institutions administered by the Cherokee Nation including the Board of Education, Cherokee Advocate, Orphan and Insane Asylums, and especially the Commission on Citizenship which lists the individuals name, whether admitted or rejected, or if case has been dismissed. Please note that on page 88, Robert L. Owen along with his mother Narcissa and brother, W. O. Owen, were admitted in 1881. There are also records of permits issued and other relation matters.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 401 – Revenue “Memorandum” Henry Chambers: Dec. 23, 1880-June 11, 1884**
 - This volume is a record kept by Henry Chambers, Treasurer of the Cherokee Nation, concerning revenue collected by country or district clerks for marriage licenses, permits to non-citizens, estray property and mercantile operations, which in some cases, named the individuals from whom the tax was collected. Also contained in this volume is a record of appraisalment on the estate of John M. Smith (p. 237-238). There are scattered throughout this volume, dates prior to 1880 beginning as early as 1868.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 412 – Official Reports: June 25, 1883-Nov. 14, 1887**
 - This volume contains reports of boards, commissions and institutions of the Cherokee Nation, including the Board of Education, Medical Superintendent (mentions outbreak of whooping cough), Town Lots Commission which contains register of lots sold, date of sale, to whom sold, location, and sale price. Also included are reports from the Citizenship Commission and International Council for 1886-1887.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 405 – Register of Licenses Issued to Traders: Dec. 8, 1883-May 9, 1890**
 - This volume contains lists of traders and merchants issued license to trade within the Cherokee Nation. Lists include name of firm, nature of business, location of business, names of individuals connected to the business establishment, date of Act of Council Authorizing license and in some cases, date of license.
 - There is no index.

CHN 126

Cherokee National Records: Records of the National Treasurer and Records of Town Lot Sales, License Register, and Intruder Improvements

- ◆ **Volume 413 – Revenue: Nov. 28, 1884-Oct. 19, 1892**
 - This volume contains quarterly accounts of revenue collected from merchants trading in the Cherokee Nation. Accounts listing name of firm and amounts received for each quarter, in some cases town and district in which firm is located is mentioned. Also there are accounts listing coal leases naming individual, quarterly tax being paid and amount collected, plus other related materials.
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Volume 392 – Stock Ledger: Oct. 12, 1891-Dec. 21, 1891**
 - This volume contains lists of traders from which tax revenue was received for a brief two month period in 1891.
- ◆ **Volume 316 – Commission Report: Feb. 1, 1869-Nov. 21, 1890**
 - This volume contains the report of the Commission investigating claims concerning ownership of town lots at Fort Gibson, Tahlequah, and Downingville (later Vinita), Cherokee Nation.
- ◆ **Volume 317 – Town Lots: Sep. 9, 1871-Apr. 30, 1900**
 - This volume contains the register of town lots sold in Downingville, Tahlequah, Rossville, and Fort Gibson. Information includes name of purchaser, location of lots sold, amount paid for said lot, and other related data.
 - Pages 1-6 and 359-360 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 336 – Register of Mineral License: Apr. 12, 1884-Feb. 14, 1894**
 - Contained within this volume are names of individuals issued mineral licenses for mining zinc, lead, oil, coal, salt, and other natural resources. License includes number of years license is valid, date of issuance, district located, name of firm listing sureties, and post office address.
- ◆ **Volume 335 – License Record: Apr. 12, 1887-May 10, 1899**
 - This volume contains licenses issued to individuals operating ferries within the Cherokee Nation. Included is the name to whom license is issued, date of issuance, location of ferry operation including the river and district and amount paid for license. Of special note is the issuance to operate a ferry in the Cherokee Strip on the Arkansas River (p. 79) and the number of women operating ferry concerns.
- ◆ **Volume 318 – Town Lots-Adair: Dec. 20, 1888-Apr. 15, 1897**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold in Adair, Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes name of seller, to whom sold, location of lot, amount of sale, and other pertinent information.
- ◆ **Volume 698 – Record of Claims for Improvements: Aug. 11, 1893-Oct. 3, 1893**

- This volume contains a record of improvements held by intruders in the Cherokee Nation. Statements include name of intruder, age, post office address, year settled in the nation with improvements listed and evaluation of same.
- ◆ **Volume 699 – Improvement Record: May 27, 1895-Aug. 23, 1895**
 - This volume contains papers relating to the appraisal of intruders improvements in the Cherokee Nation. Of special note is the John O. Cobb case.

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Cherokee National Records: Intruder Improvements and Ferry License Record, 1896-1907 and Register of Town Lot Sales, 1883-1897

- ◆ **Volume 700 – Intruder Improvements: Aug. 8, 1896-May 30, 1898**
 - This volume contains the sale of intruder improvements to citizens of the Cherokee Nation. Name of property and location are mentioned as well as purchaser and amount paid for property.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Volume 701 – Improvements: Apr. 21, 1897-June 13, 1898**
 - This volume contains sale of intruder improvements to Cherokee citizens. Information includes the district where property is located, description of property, and appraised value of same.
 - Please note that the stamped numbered pages jump from page 310 to 331.
- ◆ **Volume 334 – License Book: Oct. 31, 1899-Dec. 2, 1907**
 - Contained in this volume is a record of licenses granted to individuals to operate ferries in the Cherokee Nation. The stub lists date license was issued, to whom issued, river where ferry is located, district, and amount paid for the license.
- ◆ **Volume 324 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Claremore: Aug. 11, 1883-Sep. 1, 1896**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold in Claremore, Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes name of individuals who purchased lots, location and dimension of lots sold, and amount paid for said lot.
- ◆ **Volume 322 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Chelsea: Aug. 12, 1884-June 22, 1896**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold at Chelsea, Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes name of individuals buying and selling town lots, location of said lot with dimensions and purchase price paid for said lot.
- ◆ **Volume 323 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Choteau: Mar. 9, 1885-Apr. 3, 1896**
 - This volume is the town lot register for Choteau, Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. The data includes the names of individuals who purchased lots within the community, location and dimension of said lots, and amount paid for them.
- ◆ **Volume 325 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Pryor Creek: Dec. 20, 1888-Apr. 17, 1897**

- This volume is a register of town lots sold at Coo-Y-Yah (Pryor Creek), Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes names of individuals who purchased lots within the community, date of sale, location and dimension of said lot, and amount paid for same.
- ◆ **Volume 319 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Afton: Aug. 16, 1890-Sep. 3, 1896**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold at Afton, Delaware District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes names of individuals who purchased lots within the community, date of sale, location and dimension of said lot, and amount paid for same.
- ◆ **Volume 320 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Blue Jacket: Aug. 20, 1890-Sep. 4, 1896**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold at Blue Jacket, Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes names of individuals who purchased lots within the community, date of sale, location and dimension of said lot, and amount paid for said lot.
- ◆ **Volume 321 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Catoosa: Sep. 15, 1892-Aug. 31, 1896**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold at Catoosa, Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes names of individuals who purchased lots within the community, date of sale, location and dimension of said lot, and amount paid for said lot.
- ◆ **Volume 326 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Vinita: Jan. 26, 1897**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold at Downingville (Vinita), Cherokee Nation. Data includes names of individuals who purchased lots and amount paid for said lot.
- ◆ Pages 1-10 are missing.

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- ◆ **Volume 331 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Rossville: Sep. 9, 1871-Aug. 18, 1890**
 - Contained within this volume is a register of lots sold to individuals in the community of Rossville, Delaware District, Cherokee Nation. Lots offered for sale include the name of the buyer, date of sale, purchase price, location of said lot, and dimension of same.
- ◆ **Volume 327 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Vinita: Oct. 13, 1871-Aug. 15, 1891**
 - Contained within this volume is a register of lots sold to individuals in the community of Downingville (Vinita), Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes names of individuals selling and/or purchasing lots within the community, date of sale, purchase price, location, and dimension of said lot.
- ◆ **Volume 332 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Tahlequah: Oct. 12, 1872-May 7, 1895**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold at Tahlequah, Cherokee Nation. Entries in some cases pre-date the Civil War with regards to individuals purchasing lots in

Tahlequah. Data also includes date of sale, purchase price, location, and dimension of said lots.

- ◆ **Volume 329 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Nowata: June 13, 1892-June 26, 1896**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold to individuals residing at Nowata, Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Information includes the date of sale, names of individuals purchasing lots, location and dimension of lot, and purchase price for same.
- ◆ **Volume 333 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Talala: June 15, 1892-June 25, 1896**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold in the community of Talala, Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes names of individuals purchasing lots, amount paid for same, date of sale, location, and dimension of said lots.
- ◆ **Volume 330 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Oolagah: June 17, 1892-June 24, 1896**
 - This volume is a register of town lots sold in the town of Oolagah, Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes names of individuals who purchased lots, date of sale, purchase price, location, and dimension of said lots.
- ◆ **Volume 328 – Register of Lots Sold in the Town of Lenapah: Oct. 17, 1892-Oct. 17, 1893; Apr. 28, 1904**
 - This volume is a register of lots sold in the town of Lenapah, Cooweescoowee District, Cherokee Nation. Data includes names of individuals selling and/or purchasing lots, date of sale, location, and dimension of said lots.
- ◆ **Volume 511 – Record of Cherokee School Fund Payments: Jan. 12, 1867-Dec. 9, 1870**
 - This volume contains records of Cherokee school fund payments maintained by Spring Frog, National Treasurer of the Cherokee Nation. Included are the names of individuals being paid for services rendered and date of payment.
 - Pages 1-2 are missing.
- ◆ **Volume 512 – Minutes of the Board of Education: Dec. 15, 1875-Feb. 5, 1878**
 - This volume contains the minutes of the Board of Education for the Cherokee Nation. Included are appointments of teachers and superintendents for the Male and Female Seminaries, Orphan Asylum, and district schools. Mentioned also is a resolution upon the death of Reverend Hamilton Balentine of the Female Seminary. Also bids for supplying the seminaries and asylum with food commodities and other related matters.
- ◆ **Volume 513 – Register of Persons Holding Certificates of Examination: Feb. 1, 1876-Nov. 19, 1894**
 - This volume is a register of individuals having certificates of examination to teachers in the Cherokee Nation. Data includes name of teacher, date of examination, grade qualified to teach, post office address, in some cases name of school is listed and district located. Also, proceedings of the Board of Education including financial transactions and other related matters.

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Cherokee National Records: Allotment Plat Maps, 1906

♦ **Allotment Plat Maps, 1906**

- The following records are plat maps of the Cherokee Nation by Range and Township listing citizens enrolled by the Dawes Commission. Information includes the name of the allottee, location of, and size of allotment. The plats were published and copyrighted by the Indian Territory Map Company of Muskogee, Indian Territory.
- There is no index.

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Cherokee National Records: Cherokee Per Capita Payment, 1875

♦ **For Cherokees by Blood, Minor Children, Freedmen, and Minor Freedmen as of Mar. 4, 1907 and Aug. 1, 1914**

- The following volumes contain a record of those original Dawes Enrollees living as of Nov. 5, 1975 who were eligible to receive a per capita payment due them as a result of a decision by the Indian Claims Commission in Oc. 1973.
- The award was in favor of the Cherokee Nation as it existed from 1872 to 1893. The land in question was acquired by the United States during this period.
- Those eligible included those still living as of Nov. 5, 1975 who were enrolled by the Dawes Commission and approved Mar. 4, 1907. This includes Cherokees by Blood, Minor Children, Delaware Cherokees, by Intermarriage, Freedmen, and Minor Freedmen.
- There were also those who were added to the rolls by Act of Congress in Aug. 1914. These include Cherokees by Blood and Freedmen.
- The Per Capita Payment Roll will include the name of the original enrollee, their Roll Number, Application Number, address, date of birth, and any remarks.
 - Cherokees by Blood, Approved Mar. 4, 1907; Cherokees by Blood, Approved Aug. 1, 1914
 - Cherokees by Blood; Minor Children, 1907
 - Cherokee Freedmen, Approved Mar. 4, 1907; Cherokee Freedmen, Approved Aug. 1, 1914; Cherokee Freedmen, Minor Children, 1907

♦ **Volume 544 – Primary Schools: June 26, 1896-Sep. 30, 1907**

- The following volume contains a record of teachers employed by the Cherokee Nation. Included will be the name of the educator, name of schools, the district the school is located, and salary paid.
- Pages 63- 68 are missing. There is no frame number, but the volume starts after a large gap in the microfilm.

Microfilm Rolls from the Western History Collection at the University of Oklahoma

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 1

Cherokee National Papers: Introduction; Map of the Cherokee Nation; Genealogical Chart; Folder/Roll Checklist; Inventory; Index

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 2

Cherokee National Papers: Cherokee Census; Cherokee Outlet; Citizenship

- ◆ **Cherokee Advocate: Undated and 1869-1906**
 - The newspaper, the Cherokee Advocate, was effectively an official organ of the Cherokee government, and the editor, a Cherokee official elected by the National Council. The Advocate also assumed various printing functions for the government. The material consists of financial and employment records, including officer and performance bonds, as well as related correspondence and legislative documents.
- ◆ **Cherokee Boundary Survey: 1871-1873**
 - The documents in this subgroup consist of correspondence, reports, and field surveys performed for the Cherokee Boundary Survey. The purpose of the survey was to delimit the boundary between the Cherokee Nation and the states of Arkansas, Missouri, and Kansas. The survey was directed by two commissioners, one representing the United States and the other representing the Cherokee Nation, who were appointed in accordance with provisions contained in Article 21 of the Cherokee Treaty of July 19, 1866
- ◆ **Cherokee Census**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 3

Cherokee National Papers: Dawes Commission; Delegations; Agents; Attorneys

- ◆ **Cherokee Census**
- ◆ **Cherokee Outlet: Undated and 1871-1896**
 - The Cherokee Outlet, often referred to as the Cherokee Strip, was a large, sparsely populated area in what is now northwestern Oklahoma which was the source of many problems and controversies for the Cherokee government. In addition to miscellaneous

documents relating to the Outlet, this subgroup includes materials relating to the lease with the Cherokee Strip Livestock Association, and to the sale of the Outlet in 1893

- ◆ **Cherokee Citizenship: Undated and 1856-1904**
 - Citizenship determinations, because of their attendant rights to money and property use within the Nation, provided a constant source of controversy and agitation for the Cherokee government. Matters were further complicated by the frequent intervention of the United States government on behalf of many claimants. These materials include correspondence and financial records relating to legislation and citizenship determinations for specific groups and individuals.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 5

Cherokee National Papers: Dawes Commission; Delegations; Agents; Attorneys

- ◆ **Dawes Commission**
- ◆ **Delegations, Agents, and Attorneys: Undated and 1816-1910**
 - The documents in this subgroup include acts of the Cherokee National Council appointing and instructing a Cherokee delegation in Washington, D. C. for the purpose of promoting and defending the interests of the Cherokee Nation. Also found in this subgroup are correspondence between the Cherokee delegation and various U. S. government officials, reports submitted to the National Council by the delegates, and correspondence between the Principal Chief and several special agents or national attorneys who were hired to represent the interests of the Cherokee Nation in congress or in various legal cases that were tried in U. S. courts.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 6

Cherokee National Papers: Eastern (North Carolina) Cherokees

- ◆ **Eastern (North Carolina) Cherokees: Undated and 1871-1909**
 - These documents pertain to the Eastern or North Carolina Cherokees and their removal to the Cherokee Nation after the Civil War. Included are lists of emigrants and funds allocated for removal, claims submitted by individuals for removal, applications for citizenship with supporting documentation, acts of the National Council relative to the removal and resettlement of the Eastern Cherokees, correspondence between U. S. government officials and the Eastern and Western Cherokees, and court records pertaining to cases tried involving claims of the Eastern Cherokees vs. the U. S. and the Western Cherokees.
- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**

- The Cherokee public schools, the male and female seminaries, and the orphan asylum were operated separately and jointly at various times by a board of education, a superintendent, and a board of trustees. This material consists of a large number of financial records, reports by school officials, and acts of the National Council, as well as documents relating to the activities of the Medical Superintendent.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 7

Cherokee National Papers: Education (including Orphan Asylum)

- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**
 - See CNP 6 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 8

Cherokee National Papers: Education (including Orphan Asylum)

- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**
 - See CNP 6 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 9

Cherokee National Papers: Education (including Orphan Asylum)

- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**
 - See CNP 6 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 10

Cherokee National Papers: Education (including Orphan Asylum)

- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**
 - See CNP 6 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 11

Cherokee National Papers: Education (including Orphan Asylum)

- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**
 - See CNP 6 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 12

Cherokee National Papers: Education (including Orphan Asylum)

- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**
 - See CNP 6 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 13

Cherokee National Papers: Education (including Orphan Asylum)

- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**
 - See CNP 6 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 14

Cherokee National Papers: Education (including Orphan Asylum)

- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**
 - See CNP 6 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 15

Cherokee National Papers: Education (including Orphan Asylum)

- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**
 - See CNP 6 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 16

Cherokee National Papers: Education (including Orphan Asylum)

- ◆ **Education (including Orphan Asylum): Undated and 1856-1906**
 - See CNP 6 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 17

Cherokee National Papers: Elections

- ◆ **Elections: Undated and 1856-1901**
 - The Cherokees maintained an election system with a format for reporting which is comparable to modern systems. This subgroup includes certificates of election, reporting forms, officer bonds, election legislation, and documents relating to election disputes.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 18

Cherokee National Papers: Elections; Insane Asylum; Intruders

- ◆ **Elections: Undated and 1856-1901**
 - See CNP 17 for more information
- ◆ **Insane Asylum: Undated and 1874-1907**
 - The Insane Asylum was an institution which provided care for the mentally and physically handicapped residents of the Cherokee Nation. The asylum was operated by a board of five officials, and was overseen by a steward. The materials in this subgroup include financial documents, reports by the steward, legislative documents, and bonds.
- ◆ **Intruders: Undated and 1868-1902**
 - U. S. citizens and other individuals of non-Cherokee citizenship residing within the Cherokee Nation without authorization from the Cherokee government were considered to be intruders. The questions of citizenship determination and the legal issues associated with the admission and expulsion of intruders caused many problems for the Cherokee government. The bulk of the material in this subgroup is composed of correspondence between Cherokee and U. S. officials regarding pending intruder cases and related questions. Also included are financial documents, claims, and lists of intruders.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 19

Cherokee National Papers: Intruders; Legislative Affairs

- ◆ **Intruders: Undated and 1868-1902**
 - See CNP 18 for more information
- ◆ **Legislative Affairs: Undated, 1834-1905, and 1985**
 - This material consists of acts and resolutions of the National Council, proposed bills, claims, committee reports, Cherokee Senate minutes, and drafts of Cherokee laws. Also included are a number of messages of the principal chief to the National Council, and correspondence between Cherokee officials regarding legislative business.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 20

Cherokee National Papers: Legislative Affairs

- ◆ **Legislative Affairs: Undated, 1834-1905, and 1985**
 - See CNP 19 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 21

Cherokee National Papers: Legislative Affairs; Licenses; Permits; Fees; United States-Cherokee Disputes

- ◆ **Legislative Affairs: Undated, 1834-1905, and 1985**
 - See CNP 19 for more information
- ◆ **Licenses, Permits, and Fees: Undated and 1856-1902**
 - Much of the material in this subgroup consists of licenses and permits, as well as applications and supporting documentation submitted to obtain licenses and permits. Marriage, mining, trading, lumbering, cattle grazing, the employment of non-citizens, and the practice of medicine are some of the many activities regulated by the Cherokee government. These activities are reflected in the wide range of documents found in this subgroup, including various reports and financial statements that were submitted for tax purposes by license and permit holders.
- ◆ **United States-Cherokee Disputes: 1874-1899**
 - This material relates to litigation and disputes involving the Cherokee Nation and the U. S. government. The nature of the disputes centers upon property claims, damage claims, and charges of murder. This subgroup consists of all manner of legal documents

including trial proceedings, affidavits, financial records, judicial opinions, and correspondence between Cherokee and U. S. officials,

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 22

Cherokee National Papers: United States-Cherokee Disputes; Executive Documents

- ◆ **United States-Cherokee Disputes: 1874-1899**
 - See CNP 21 for more information
- ◆ **Executive Documents: Undated and 1801-1909**
 - This subgroup mainly consists of correspondence of the Executive Department of the Cherokee Nation government. Correspondents include U. S. and Cherokee Nation government officials, and members of various committees and delegations of the Cherokee government. Also included are financial documents of the Executive Department.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 23

Cherokee National Papers: Executive Documents

- ◆ **Executive Documents: Undated and 1801-1909**
 - See CNP 22 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 24

Cherokee National Papers: Executive Documents; Financial Records

- ◆ **Executive Documents: Undated and 1801-1909**
 - See CNP 22 for more information
- ◆ **Financial Records: Undated and 1868-1909**
 - The material in this subgroup consists of assignments for warrants, requisitions, salary claims, estimates for operational expenses, receipts, national certificates, and other related items. Subjects covered by these financial documents are expenses for various departments, offices, and institutions of the Cherokee Nation government, as well as for private citizens of the Nation.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 25

Cherokee National Papers: Financial Records

- ◆ **Financial Records: Undated and 1868-1909**
 - See CNP 24 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 26

Cherokee National Papers: Financial Records

- ◆ **Financial Records: Undated and 1868-1909**
 - See CNP 24 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 27

Cherokee National Papers: Financial Records

- ◆ **Financial Records: Undated and 1868-1909**
 - See CNP 24 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 28

Cherokee National Papers: Financial Records

- ◆ **Financial Records: Undated and 1868-1909**
 - See CNP 24 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 29

Cherokee National Papers: Financial Records

- ◆ **Financial Records: Undated and 1868-1909**
 - See CNP 24 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 30

Cherokee National Papers: Financial Records; National Officers

- ◆ **Financial Records: Undated and 1868-1909**
 - See CNP 24 for more information
- ◆ **National Officers: Undated and 1855-1902**
 - This subgroup is comprised primarily of bonds of elected and appointed officials of the Cherokee Nation. Such bonds provided a financial guarantee of proper conduct while in office. Other documents found in this subgroup include reports and requisitions filed by National Officers; correspondence regarding the election, appointment, and investigation of officers; and acts of the National Council pertaining to elected and appointed officials.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 31

Cherokee National Papers: National Officers; National Prison and High Sheriff; Old Settlers Party; Western Cherokees; Pardons and Commutations

- ◆ **National Officers: Undated and 1855-1902**
 - See CNP 30 for more information
- ◆ **National Prison and High Sheriff: Undated and 1870-1900**
 - The National Prison was authorized in 1873, and was constructed with proceeds from the sale of the Cherokee Outlet. The position of High Sheriff, created in 1875, included responsibilities as warden and treasurer of the prison. The administration of the prison was shared with a Board of Supervisors, which consisted of the Principal Chief, Assistant Principal Chief, and the Executive Council. The items in this subgroup include the correspondence and bonds of officials, financial records, and official reports of the High Sheriff.
- ◆ **Old Settlers Party, or Western Cherokee: Undated and 1842-1902**
 - The Old Settlers, also known as the Western Cherokee, were a branch of Cherokee who voluntarily removed to what is now northeastern Oklahoma under the terms of the Treaty of 1828. The material in this subgroup consists largely of correspondence concerning claims by the Cherokee Nation and Old Settler Cherokees to land and improvements originally granted by the Treaties of 1828 and 1833. Other documents in this subgroup include a report and a resolution of the Convention of Old Settlers, as well as a register of claims brought about by the Treaties of 1828 and 1833.
- ◆ **Pardons and Commutations: Undated and 1876-1898**
 - Pardons and commutations for persons convicted of crimes within the Cherokee Nation could be granted by the Principal Chief with the consent of the Executive Council. Individuals who petitioned for pardon or commutation were required to submit letters

of recommendation and copies of case evidence. This subgroup consists of applications for pardons and commutations, letters of recommendation, trial transcripts, and related legal documents.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 32

Cherokee National Papers: Pardons and Commutations

- ◆ **Pardons and Commutations: Undated and 1876-1898**
 - See CNP 31 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 33

Cherokee National Papers: Pardons and Commutations

- ◆ **Pardons and Commutations: Undated and 1876-1898**
 - See CNP 31 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 34

Cherokee National Papers: Pardons and Commutations

- ◆ **Pardons and Commutations: Undated and 1876-1898**
 - See CNP 31 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 35

Cherokee National Papers: Pardons and Commutations

- ◆ **Pardons and Commutations: Undated and 1876-1898**
 - See CNP 31 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 36

Cherokee National Papers: Per Capita Payments; Railroads

- ◆ **Per Capita Payments: Undated and 1875-1902**
 - Proceeds from the sale of Cherokee lands were disbursed to citizens of the Cherokee Nation by means of per capita payments. This subgroup consists mainly of claims, correspondence, and financial documents concerning payments. Also included are related reports and legislation.
- ◆ **Railroads: Undated and 1866-1900**
 - This subgroup focuses on the construction of railroads on Cherokee lands. The Treaty of 1866 provided for the passage of railroads through Cherokee Nation, and later congressional action further expanded the number of railways permitted within this region. The material in this subgroup consists mainly of correspondence concerning Cherokee railroad laws and negotiations for railway construction contracts. Also included are related bonds, licenses, and contracts.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 37

Cherokee National Papers: Railroads; Rewards and Extraditions; Smallpox; Suspensions

- ◆ **Railroads: Undated and 1866-1900**
 - See CNP 36 for more information
- ◆ **Rewards and Extraditions: Undated and 1877-1901**
 - The Principal Chief was authorized to request the extradition of accused criminals from areas outside the Cherokee Nation, and to honor the extradition requests of other states and Indian nations. This subgroup is comprised of reward notices, extradition requests, and related correspondence.
- ◆ **Smallpox: Undated and 1882-1900**
 - A smallpox outbreak during the years 1882-1883 prompted the Cherokee Nation government to take action to protect the population. Emergency legislation authorized a vaccination program with Vinita, Claremore, Fort Spunky, and Lynch's Prairie serving as inoculation sites. A second smallpox outbreak during the years 1899-1900 prompted subsequent requests for government intervention. The material in this subgroup consists of correspondence, financial documents, and vaccination rolls.
- ◆ **Suspensions: Undated and 1877-1896**
 - The Principal Chief was authorized to suspend from office public officials who were suspected of wrongdoing until an impeachment trial before the National Council could be held. The suspension procedure required the filing of a complaint with supporting evidence, and an opportunity for a rebuttal from the accused. These materials were forwarded to the Principal Chief who either issued a proclamation of suspension or

dismissed the case. The material in this subgroup consists of complains, rebuttals, and related legal documents.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 38

Cherokee National Papers: Suspensions; John Vann Murder Case; Printed Documents; Stand Waite and Sarah Waite Papers

- ◆ **Suspensions: Undated and 1877-1896**
 - See CNP 37 for more information
- ◆ **John Vann Murder Case: 1879-1881**
 - This material in this subgroup relates to the murder of John Vann, a prominent citizen of the Cherokee Nation. The murder occurred in Muskogee, Indian Territory, which placed the case under the jurisdiction of the Creek Nation. The material consists primarily of correspondence between Creek and Cherokee officials concerning the disagreements over the handling of the case.
- ◆ **Printed Document: Undated and 1817-1958**
 - This subgroup contains a variety of printed documents concerning the Cherokee Nation. These documents include newspaper articles, public announcement flyers, published messages of the principal chief, and correspondence between Cherokee and U. S. government officials.
- ◆ **Stand Watie and Sarah C. Watie Papers: Undated and 1832-1882**
 - The papers in this subgroup consist of letters to and from Stand and Sarah C. Watie, as well as with other individuals with whom they corresponded. The subjects covered in the correspondence range from personal and family matters to political and military affairs in the Cherokee Nation. Documents relating to Stand and Sarah C. Watie are also included.
 - The personal papers of Stand and Sarah C. Watie are divided into ten subgroups. The contents of each subgroup are limited to the correspondence or documents of specific individuals. The beginning of each of these subgroups is noted by a target page which indicates the names of the correspondents.
 - Stand Watie to and from Sarah C. Watie: Undated and 1846-1871
 - Stand Watie to and from John Ridge and John Rollin Ridge: Undated and 1832-1853

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 39

Cherokee National Papers: Stand Waite and Sarah Waite Papers

- ◆ **Stand Watie and Sarah C. Watie Papers: Undated and 1832-1882**
 - See CNP 38 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 40

Cherokee National Papers: Stand Waite and Sarah Waite Papers

- ◆ **Stand Watie and Sarah C. Watie Papers: Undated and 1832-1882**
 - See CNP 38 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 41

Cherokee National Papers: Stand Waite and Sarah Waite Papers; Correspondence of John Ridge and John Rollin Ridge; John Ridge Estate Claims; Correspondence of Ridge and Boudinot Families with James Madison Bell; Correspondence of Ridge and Boudinot Families of Elias Cornelius Boudinot

- ◆ **Stand Watie and Sarah C. Watie Papers: Undated and 1832-1882**
 - See CNP 38 for more information
 - Stand Waite: Undated and 1843-1872
 - Sarah C. Waite: Undated and 1850-1882
- ◆ **Ridge and Boudinot Family Papers: Undated and 1835-1893**
 - The papers in this subgroup are primarily related to the personal and political affairs of the Ridge and Boudinot families. The material includes correspondence between John Ridge, John Rollin Ridge, Elias Boudinot, Elias C. Boudinot, James Madison Bell, and other family members. Also included are records concerning the Ridge family estate.
 - The personal papers of the Ridge and Boudinot family are divided into six subgroups. The contents of each subgroup are limited to the correspondence or documents of specific individuals. The beginning of each of these subgroups is noted by a target page which indicates the names of the correspondents.
 - John Ridge and John Rollin Ridge to and from general correspondence: 1835-1866
 - John Ridge estate claims: Undated and 1840-1850
 - Ridge and Boudinot family members to and from James Madison Bell: 1870-1888

- Ridge and Boudinot family members: Undated and 1847-1878
- Elias Boudinot and Elias C. Boudinot to and from general correspondents: Undated and 1838-1893
- Elias C. Boudinot to and from James Madison Bell: Undated and 1873-1890

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 42

Cherokee National Papers: Correspondence between Elias Cornelius Boudinot and James Madison Bell; James Madison Bell Papers

- ♦ **Ridge and Boudinot Family Papers: Undated and 1835-1893**
 - See CNP 41 for more information
- ♦ **James Madison Bell Papers: Undated and 1849-1909**
 - James Madison Bell acted as counselor for the personal business, and political activities of the Watie, Ridge, Boudinot, and Bell families, as well as others. The material in this subgroup includes not only correspondence and documents concerning the affairs of James Madison Bell, but also material relating to the affairs of the various aforementioned families.
 - The personal papers of James Madison Bell are divided into two subgroups. The beginning of each subgroup is noted by a target page which indicates the nature of the materials.
 - James Madison Bell to and from general correspondents: Undated and 1849-1909

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 43

Cherokee National Papers: James Madison Bell Papers

- ♦ **James Madison Bell Papers: Undated and 1849-1909**
 - See CNP 42 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 44

Cherokee National Papers: James Madison Bell Papers; Treaty Fund Claims

- ♦ **James Madison Bell Papers: Undated and 1849-1909**
 - See CNP 42 for more information
- ♦ **Treaty Fund Claims: Undated and 1831-1883**

- The documents in this subgroup relate to claims of members of the Treaty Party for funds made pursuant to the Treaty of 1846. This treaty between the United States and the Cherokee Nation attempted to make peace between the Old Settler Party, the Treaty Party, and the Ross Party by making them equal partners in the ownership of the Cherokee Nation lands in Indian Territory. The treaty also made appropriations for Treaty Party members who suffered losses due to the factionalism and for removal expenses to Indian Territory.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 45

Cherokee National Papers: Treaty Fund Claims; Civil War Records; General Documents

- ◆ **Treaty Fund Claims: Undated and 1831-1883**
 - See CNP 44 for more information
- ◆ **Civil War Records: Undated and 1861-1866**
 - The Cherokee Nation, along with other tribes in Indian Territory, allied itself with the Confederate Army during the United States Civil War. Stand Watie served as Principal Chief of the Cherokee Nation of the Cherokee Nation and as a brigadier general for the Confederacy during the Civil War. The material in this subgroup includes some correspondence and financial records of the Confederate Army, various discharge papers, and special and general military orders. Also included is legislation of the Cherokee National Council concerning the abolition of slavery in the Cherokee Nation
- ◆ **General Documents: Undated and 1824-1909**
 - The documents in this subgroup focus on financial, legal, and business records of various citizens of the Cherokee Nation. Also included are official documents and correspondence of the Cherokee Nation government, as well as some fragmentary financial documents of Cherokee Nation citizens.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 46

Cherokee National Papers: General Documents

- ◆ **General Documents: Undated and 1824-1909**
 - See CNP 45 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 47

Cherokee National Papers: General Documents; General Correspondence

- ◆ **General Documents: Undated and 1824-1909**
 - See CNP 45 for more information
- ◆ **General Correspondence: Undated and 1837-1912**
 - This subgroup consists primarily of correspondence to and from various members and friends of the Watie and Bell families. The correspondence is very general in nature, with subjects ranging from local and family news to Cherokee politics and the United States Civil War.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 48

Cherokee National Papers: General Correspondence

- ◆ **General Correspondence: Undated and 1837-1912**
 - See CNP 47 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 49

Cherokee National Papers: General Correspondence; Cherokee Language Material; Division of Manuscript Items (DMSS); Typescripts

- ◆ **General Correspondence: Undated and 1837-1912**
 - See CNP 47 for more information
- ◆ **Cherokee Language Material: 1830-1901**
 - The documents in this subgroup are limited to correspondence, documents, and printed materials written in the Cherokee language. English translations have not been made for the majority of these materials.
- ◆ **Division of Manuscript Items**
- ◆ **Typescripts: Undated and 1815-1936**
 - This subgroup consists of typescripts of Cherokee correspondence and documents. These typescripts were created through a Works Progress Administration project. A large percentage of the typescripts are from original documents in the Cherokee Nation Papers. However, these typescripts have not been matched with their originals. Also included are typescripts of Cherokee manuscript materials and newspaper articles which belong to the Archives Division of the Oklahoma Historical Society in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 50

Cherokee National Papers: Typescripts

- ◆ **Typescripts: Undated and 1815-1936**
 - See CNP 49 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 51

Cherokee National Papers: Typescripts

- ◆ **Typescripts: Undated and 1815-1936**
 - See CNP 49 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 52

Cherokee National Papers: Typescripts

- ◆ **Typescripts: Undated and 1815-1936**
 - See CNP 49 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 53

Cherokee National Papers: Typescripts

- ◆ **Typescripts: Undated and 1815-1936**
 - See CNP 49 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 54

Cherokee National Papers: Oversize Materials

- ◆ **Oversized: Undated and 1815-1902**
 - This subgroup contains oversized material from previous subgroups of the Cherokee Nation Papers. The materials include census rolls, mineral licenses, pardon and extradition requests, fund estimates for the Cherokee educational system, registers of town lots sold, election returns, and various other documents.

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 55

Cherokee National Papers: Oversize Materials

- ◆ **Oversized: Undated and 1815-1902**
 - See CNP 54 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 56

Cherokee National Papers: Oversize Materials

- ◆ **Oversized: Undated and 1815-1902**
 - See CNP 54 for more information

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 57

Cherokee National Papers: Oversize Materials; Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Oversized: Undated and 1815-1902**
 - See CNP 54 for more information
- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 58

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 59

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 60

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 61

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 62

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 63

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 64

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 65

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 66

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 67

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Cherokee National Papers Roll CNP 68

Cherokee National Papers: Town Lots in Indian Territory

- ◆ **Town Lots in Indian Territory**

Microfilm Rolls from the Tennessee State Library and Archives

Tennessee State Library and Archives Roll 815.1

Tennessee State Library and Archives, Department of the State, Cherokee Collection, 1775-1878: Cherokee Claims: 1842 (Roll 1 of 4)

- ◆ **Cherokee Nation East, Claims made before emigration, S: 1838** Starts on Slide #0083
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation East, Claims made before emigration, Ta-Tay: 1838** Starts on Slide #0253
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation East, Claims made before emigration, Te-Ti: 1838** Starts on Slide #0324
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation East, Claims made before emigration, To-Ty: 1838** Starts on Slide #0427
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation East, Claims made before emigration, U-Z: 1838** Starts on Slide #0551
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Skin Bayou District Claims 151-176: 1842** Starts on Slide #0710
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Skin Bayou District Claims 177-209: 1842** Starts on Slide #0768
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Skin Bayou District Claims 210-245: 1842** Starts on Slide #0834
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Skin Bayou District Claims 246-268: 1842** Starts on Slide #00922
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Skin Bayou District Unnumbered Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0979
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Tahlequah District Claims 80-217: 1842** Starts on Slide #1072
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Tahlequah District Claims 218-309: 1842** Starts on Slide #1072
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Tahlequah District Claims 310-411: 1842** Starts on Slide #1174
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Tahlequah District Claims 412-468: 1842** Starts on Slide #1258
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Tahlequah District Unnumbered Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #1320
- ◆ **Services Claim for James McDaniel, Catcher, Grasshopper, et al** Starts on Slide #1323
- ◆ **Jeremiah C. Towers (white man)** Starts on Slide #1328

Tennessee State Library and Archives Roll 815.2

Tennessee State Library and Archives, Department of the State, Cherokee Collection, 1775-1878: Cherokee Claims: 1842 (Roll 2 of 4)

- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Claims: 1845** Starts on Slide #0005
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Delaware District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0019
 - Book I and index to Books I-IV
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Delaware District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0324
 - Book II
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Delaware District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0596
 - Book IV
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Delaware District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0324
 - Book V

Tennessee State Library and Archives Roll 815.3

Tennessee State Library and Archives, Department of the State, Cherokee Collection, 1775-1878: Cherokee Claims: 1842 (Roll 3 of 4)

- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Delaware District Claim 306: 1842** Starts on Slide #0226
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Flint District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0228
 - Book I and index to Books I-VI
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Flint District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0413
 - Book I and index to Book II
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Flint District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0572
 - Book I and index to Books III
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Flint District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0644
 - Book I and index to Books IV
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Flint District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0713
 - Book I and index to Books V
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Flint District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0889
 - Book I and index to Books VI

Tennessee State Library and Archives Roll 815.4

Tennessee State Library and Archives, Department of the State, Cherokee Collection: Claims and U. S. Government Documents pertaining to Cherokee Affairs, 1800-1878 (Roll 4 of 4)

- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Going Snake District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0098
 - Book I and index.
- ◆ **Cherokee Nation West, Going Snake District Claims: 1842** Starts on Slide #0377
 - Saline District and index.
- ◆ **Pamphlets: U. S. Government Documents pertaining to Cherokee Affairs** Starts on Slide #0521
 - Letter from the Secretary of War: A List of Persons Entitled to Reservations under the Treaty with the Cherokees: Jan. 23, 1828 Starts on Slide #0524
 - Intrusions on Cherokee Lands, a Message from the President of the United States: Apr. 2, 1830 Starts on Slide #0529
 - A Message from the President of the United States...in relation to the Formation of a New Government by the Cherokee Tribe of Indians: Mar. 22, 1828 Starts on Slide #0553
 - A Letter from the Secretary of the Treasury...Vacant and Unappropriated Public Lands in the State of Tennessee: Jan. 22, 1828 Starts on Slide #0563

- A Letter from the Secretary of War...Appointed in Negotiation with the Cherokee Indians for a Certain Portion of Their Country: Jan. 30, 1828 Starts on Slide #0567
- Georgia Lands Occupied by the Cherokee Indians: Jan. 28, 1828 Starts on Slide #0609
- Cherokee Indians: Memorial of John Ross and others in behalf of the Cherokee Nation: Feb. 17, 1829 Starts on Slide #0616
- Cherokee Indians: Memorial of John Ross and others, Representatives of the Cherokee Nation of Indians: Mar. 3, 1829 Starts on Slide #0624
- Report of the Committee Appointed to Enquire into the Operation of the Acts making provision for the establishment of trading houses with the Indian Tribes, and into the expediency of reviving and continuing the laid acts in force: Apr. 22, 1800 Starts on Slide #0634
- Letter from the Secretary of War Transmitting a Communication from the Chief Engineer of the Subject of a Communication between the Hiwassee and Conesduge Rivers: Dec. 11, 1828 Starts on Slide #0644
- Letter from the Secretary of War Transmitting copies of all the letters and correspondence between the Secretary of War and General Andrew Jackson, from the Commencement of the Creek War to Mar. 1, 1815: Feb. 18, 1822 Starts on Slide #0650
- Report of Anthony Foreman and John G. Ross: Apr. 16, 1830 Starts on Slide #0662
- Speech of Mr. Turney of Tennessee on the Bill to Suppress Indian Hostilities Starts on Slide #0664
- Letter from the Secretary of War...Compacts or Agreements between the Creek and Cherokee Tribes of Indians on the subject of their boundary line: Feb. 3, 1829 Starts on Slide #0668
- Report on Certain Settlers in Tennessee: Jan. 17, 1838 Starts on Slide #0673
- Miguel Eslava – Heirs of: Feb. 17, 1838 Starts on Slide #0675
- The Indian Opposed to the Transfer Bill: United Action of the Delegations of the Cherokee, Creek, Seminole, Chickasaw, and Choctaw Nations in Opposition to the Measure. They protest against it and give their reasons for so doing: Feb. 12, 1878 Starts on Slide #0680
- Memorial of Andrew Taylor Starts on Slide #0692
- ◆ **Pamphlets**
 - Blazing New Trails Starts on Slide #0709
 - Tephia Folsom Starts on Slide #0711
 - Johnson Bob Starts on Slide #0714
 - Meeting Christ on the Indian Trail by F. M. Firebaugh Starts on Slide #0717
 - Arrows of Truth Starts on Slide #0722
 - Adventure Stories of Three Great Home Missionaries Starts on Slide #0725
 - New Arrows Along Old Trails Starts on Slide #0730
 - Alexander McGilivray, The Last King of the Creeks: 1903 Starts on Slide #0737
 - History of the Claims of Texas Cherokee: 1871 Starts on Slide #0756
 - Chimney Rock Anthology from Indian to White Man by Isa Maud Ilsen: 1921

- Starts on Slide #0764
- Indians at Work, May 15, 1936-June 1, 1936 Starts on Slide #0771
- Excerpt from the Speech Delivered at the Cornerstone Laying of the New Interior Building by Secretary of the Interior, Harold L. Ickes Starts on Slide #0779
- Treaty of New Echota, Ratified May 23, 1836 by Lucy K. Cohen Starts on Slide #0782
- Wilderness Areas – Their Meaning by Althea R. Dobbins Starts on Slide #0790
- Indian Embroidery by Edith Nash Starts on Slide #0794
- Becenti's Statement Before He Died by John Perry Starts on Slide #0798
- Buffalo on the Crow Reservation by Robert Yellowtail Starts on Slide #0800
- Destruction of the Indians' Spiritual and Moral Resources by Joseph McCaskill Starts on Slide #0804
- Wild Life and the Florida Seminoles by J. D. Lamont Starts on Slide #0807
- Two Days Horseback Through the Ute Country by Harold Turner Starts on Slide #0809
- On Turtle Mountain Reservation – North Dakota by O. H. Lipps Starts on Slide #0811
- What Remains of an Old Culture by Patrick Gray Starts on Slide #0814
- Indian Hunting Story by James L. Long Starts on Slide #0816
- First of the Chippewas to Vote on Constitution and By-Laws, Red Cliff Band Vote to Adopt Constitution by J. C. Cavill Starts on Slide #0818
- Indian at Work: June 1, 1936 Starts on Slide #0824
- How Many Ancestors Became Doctors by Louisa Lindgren Starts on Slide #0830
- Some Problems in Wild Life Management on Reservations by William H. Zeh, Regional Forester Starts on Slide #0835
- A Selection of some of the most interesting Narratives of Outrages committed by the Indians in their wars with the White People Starts on Slide #0880
- The North American Indian Doctor, or Nature's Method of Curing and Preventing Disease According to the Indians... by Robert D. Foster Starts on Slide #0897
- Indians, including United States Publications pertaining to Indian Antiquities: May 1980 Starts on Slide #0913
- Indians, including United States Publications pertaining to Indian Antiquities: Apr. 1980 Starts on Slide #0920
- How America Was First Peopled by Marius Barbeau Starts on Slide #0928
- ◆ **Photographs and Drawings** Starts on Slide #0932
- ◆ **Book** Starts on Slide #0972
- The Case of the Cherokee Nation vs. the State of Georgia by Richard Peters

National Archives Microfilm Rolls Pertaining to the Cherokee Nation

Miscellaneous Microfilm

Cherokee Census, Swetland Roll

Cherokee Census, Swetland Roll, Cherokees East of the Mississippi River, 1869

- ◆ **Swetland Roll: 1867**
 - List includes names, age, sex, Indian, Breed, horses, mules, cows, oxen, cattle, hogs, sheep, wheat, corn, parentage and other remarks. Contains family information.

National Archives 1871 Cherokee Per Capita Payment Roll

National Archives and Records Administrators: Cherokee Per Capita Payment Roll, 1871

- ◆ **Cherokee Per Capita Payment Roll: 1857**
 - Roll based on 1848 Act and is for Eastern or North Carolina Cherokees.
 - “We the undersigned Eastern or North Carolina Cherokee Indians do hereby acknowledge to have received from the United States by the hand of John B. Jones, U. S. Indian Agent, the sums opposite our name in full payment of our share of the per capita fund of \$53.33 and the interest due therein provided by the Act of July 29, 1848 in commutation for removal and subsistence for those Cherokees who have removed themselves to the nation West of the Mississippi.”
 - Per capita roll lists the following details: Names of claimants and their heirs, number on Noul Cay (?) Roll, sex and age, when emigrated, number on Swetland Roll, amount per capita, interest, time for which interest is computed, signature of claimants in acknowledgement of the receipt of amount due, and witness to signatures of claimants and payments.

National Archives Microfilm Roll Jerome Commission Letters

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Record Group 75: Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Letters Received, 1892

- ◆ **Reports of Councils Held by Cherokee Commission with Several Indian Tribes**
 - Also known as the “Jerome Commission.” Letters begin as early as 1891.

National Archives A Series

National Archives Roll A17

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Decisions on Spoliation Claims, 1838

- ◆ **Records of the First Board of Cherokee Commissioners**
 - The First Board of Cherokee Commissioners was established in 1836, as provided by article 17 of the treaty of Dec. 29, 1835, to adjudicate claims arising under or authorized by the treaty. Its members were appointed by the President, with the approval of the Senate. At first the Board consisted of two Commissioners, Wilson Lumpkin and John Kennedy. In Oct. 1837, a third Commissioner, Thomas Wilson, was added. In Dec. 1837, Lumpkin was replaced by James Liddell. The Board concluded its work in Mar. 1839. Most of the claims were presented by Indians for compensation for abandoned property of emigrants, for spoliations, and for lost reservations. There were also some claims against the Indians.
- ◆ **Decisions on Spoliation Claims: 1838**
 - Labeled as proceedings. Included are summaries of the claims and evidence presented. Most of the claims were for stolen property. No disapproved claims are included, but many of the approved claims were reduced. There are references to the registers of payments (entry 247). Arranged by claim number. In each volume there is an alphabetical index to names of claimants. These volumes are the last two of three volumes; the first volume has not been located.

National Archives Roll A18

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Decisions on Spoliation Claims, 1838

- ◆ **Records of the First Board of Cherokee Commissioners**
 - See National Archives Roll A-17 for more information.
- ◆ **Property Valuations: 1835-1839**
 - Appraisals of the value of Cherokee Indians' land, improvements, and other property and assets in the East. Sometimes included are notations of reviews by the Board and references to the registers of payment (entry 247). Arranged for the most part alphabetically by name of State and thereunder by name of county. Some supplementary valuations covering more than one state are at the end of the series. With most of the volume was used for a time by the Second Board to record information concerning claims.

National Archives Roll A19

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the 4th Board of Cherokee Commissioners and Minutes, 1846-1847

- ◆ **Records of the Fourth Board of Cherokee Commissioners: July 1846-July 1847**
 - The Fourth Board of Cherokee Commissioners was in existence from July 1846 until July 1847. The Commissioners, Benjamin H. Brewster and Edward Harden, continued the adjudication of claims under the treaty of 1835.
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Minutes: 1846-1847** Starts on Slide #0267
 - Included with the minutes are summaries of evidence presented and decisions rendered. Arranged chronologically. In each volume there is an alphabetical index to names of claimants.
 - There is an index.

National Archives Roll A20

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Copybook of Special Agent Charles L. Davis, North Carolina Cherokee Indian Records, 1910-1911

- ◆ **Copybook of Special Agent Charles L. Davis, North Carolina Cherokee Indian Records: 1910-1911**
 - There is an index.

National Archives Roll A21

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Register of Persons Who Wish Reservations Under the Treaty of July 8, 1817

- ◆ **Register of Persons Who Wish Reservations Under the Treaty of July 8, 1817**
 - A register of Cherokee who wished to remain in the East, 1817-1819, as citizens and to receive a 640-acre reservation under provisions of Article 8 of the treaty of July 8, 1817. Arranged chronologically by date of registration.

National Archives Roll A22

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Plots and Surveys of Cherokee Reservations by Robert Armstrong, Surveyor

- ◆ **Plots and Surveys of Cherokee Reservations by Robert Armstrong, Surveyor**
 - Field Notes of Surveys in Oklahoma and Elsewhere, Volume 192

National Archives Roll A23

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Selected Documents Relating to Cherokee Emigration, 1817-1838

- ◆ **Cherokee Emigrants: 1817-1838**
 - Dec. 23, 1817 - "We whose names are hereunto signed do acknowledge to have voluntarily enrolled ourselves as emigrants for the Arkansas County and I have received in consequence thereof the several articles annised to our names of the United States Agent for the Cherokee Nation in consideration of which we do this day relinquish all our rights with claims to all lands within the lands of the Cherokee Nation East of the Mississippi for lands given to us on the Arkansas and White River, according to the limits and boundaries stipulation in the said treaty with the Cherokees, concluded on the 8th day of July 1817 between the commissioners of the United States and the Chiefs, dead men and Warriors of the Cherokee Nation."
 - Aug. 1828 - "We whose names are hereunto subscribed acknowledge that we have voluntarily enrolled ourselves as Emigrants for the Arkansas County under the Treaty made between the United States and the Chiefs of the Cherokees of Arkansas on the 6th of May 1828 and as hereby relinquish all our rights and claim to all land East of the Mississippi for lands on the Arkansas and its tributary streams agreeably to the provisions of said Treaty and are to receive pay for our improvements and have revised the several articles and provisions annised to own several names."
 - Sep. 17, 1831 - "We whose names are hereunto subscribed acknowledge that we have voluntarily enrolled ourselves as Emigrants for the Arkansas County under the Treaty made between the United States and the Cherokees of Arkansas on the 6th of May 1828 and do hereby relinquish all our rights and claims to all the lands on the East side of the Mississippi River for lands on the west side of the Mississippi. The United States agreeing to pay us for our improvements and transport us to the county and furnish us provisions by the way and for our year after our arrival and give each warrior a raft as provided for in said Treaty."

- 1828 - “We whose names are hereunto subscribed acknowledge that we have voluntarily enrolled ourselves as Emigrants for the Arkansas County under the Treaty made between the United States and the Cherokees of Arkansas on the 6th of May 1828 and do hereby relinquish all our rights and claims to all the lands on the East side of the Mississippi River for lands on the Arkansas and its tributary streams agreeably to the provisions of said Treaty and have received the articles which are annised to own several names.”
- ◆ **Cherokee Muster Rolls**
 - There are six books that list Cherokees emigrating to the west of the Mississippi River.
 - There is an index for before Book 1.

National Archives Roll A29

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Census of Eastern Cherokees (R. J. Powell, enumerator), 1867

- ◆ **Census of Eastern Cherokees: 1867**
 - Individuals listed with some details of relations to other members on census.

National Archives Roll A32

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Cherokee Freedmen Payment Roll, 1897

- ◆ **Cherokee Freedmen Payment Roll: 1897**
 - Arranged by family group, with names of individuals numbered in order, this roll of Cherokee freedmen were entitled to participate in an award by the Court of Claims. This roll is a duplicate copy used by Agent Dew M. Wisdom, who completed the work of making payments that was begun by Special Agent James G. Dickson. Entries for individuals give various identification numbers, name, age, sex, amount due and sometimes other information. For each person who had been paid by Dickson there are also given the amount paid, his signature, date of receipt, and signatures of witnesses.
 - Approved Wallace Roll Number and Clifton Approved Roll Numbers also listed in conjunction with the Cherokee Authenticated Roll Number
 - Individuals listed with some details of relations to other members on payment roll.

National Archives Roll A35

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Rolls of Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians of North Carolina, 1924

- ◆ **Baker Roll: June 4, 1924**
 - Alphabetized list of the Final Roll of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians of North Carolina. Baker Roll is cross referenced with the Guion Miller Roll, Churchill Roll, and Hester Roll. Some members have roll numbers for all four rolls.
 - Details about individuals include: family name, first name, relationship to head of family, sex, age in 1926, date born, degree of Cherokee blood, degree of other Indian blood, and detail remarks.
 - Individuals listed with some details of relations to other members on roll.
- ◆ **Roll of Deceased Eastern Cherokees as of June 4, 1924**
 - “Roll of deceased Eastern Cherokee Annuitants whose rights to enrollment with the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians of North Carolina were challenged by the Tribal Council, who left estates consisting of suspended per capita payments and accrued interest, and who died prior to June 4, 1924.”
 - Alphabetized list of the Final Roll of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians of North Carolina. Baker Roll is cross referenced with the Guion Miller Roll, Churchill Roll, and Hester Roll. Some members have roll numbers for all four rolls.
 - Details about individuals include: family name, first name, relationship to head of family, sex, age in 1926, date born, degree of Cherokee blood, degree of other Indian blood, and detail remarks.
 - Individuals listed with some details of relations to other members on roll.
 - Detailed information about the following Cherokee families:
 - Coleman Family Starts on page 4
 - French Family Starts on page 5
 - Lambert Family Starts on page 5
 - Meroney Family Starts on page 5
 - Murphy Family Starts on page 5
 - Raper Family Starts on page 6
 - Charles Ward and Katie Jordan Family Starts on page 6
 - Warlick Family Starts on page 6

National Archives Roll A42

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Muster Roll of Cherokees, 1838

- ◆ **Muster Roll of Cherokees: Dec. 3, 1838**

- Prepared, certified and transmitted by Captain John Page, 1838.
- Muster Roll of a company of Cherokee Indians about to Emigrate West of the Mississippi River.

National Archives Roll A45

National Archives and Records Service – General Services Administration – Washington, D. C. – Record Group 75, Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs: Registry of Delaware Indians, Patent Lists, Appraisal, and Schedule of Payments, 1867-1874 – Compiled by John G. Pratt

- ◆ **Allotment and Valuation Registry of Delaware Diminished Reserve, Kansas: 1866-1874**
 - Removals Allotments Improvements
 - Deceased Indians Removal Class
 - Abandoned Allotments
 - Public Land Improvements
 - Citizens Allotments
 - Deceased Indians Citizen Class
 - Headrights or Floats
 - Allotments to Children Removal Class
 - Re-Allotments in lieu of Selections
 - Selections for Children Citizens class
 - To Equalize Former Allotments

National Archives 7RA Series

National Archives Roll 7RA4

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Tompkins Roll of 1867, Citizens and Freedmen of the Cherokee Nation

♦ Tompkins Roll: 1867

- On the single roll of this microfilm publication is reproduced the 1867 Census of the Citizens and Freedmen of the Cherokee Nation taken by H. Tompkins as directed by N. G. Taylor, Commissioner of Indian Affairs by letter dated July 6, 1867. The enumeration consists of the nine Cherokee Districts. There are Going Snake, Delaware, Flint, Sequoyah, Cooweescoowee, Tahlequah, Saline, Canadian, and Illinois District which are bound into four volumes.
- This census was taken as a result of the 12th Article of the Treaty of July 19th, 1866, which states that the Cherokee agreed to a general council consisting of delegates elected by each nation or tribe lawfully residing in Indian Territory, which would convene annually in the territory and that the council would be organized and possess powers as prescribed by the Treaty. It further provided that after the ratification of the treaty (which occurred July 27, 1866) and as soon as deemed practical by the Secretary of the Interior and prior to the first session of the council, a census or enumeration of each tribe lawfully resident in the territory would be taken under the direction of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs. The commissioner was authorized to designate and appoint competent persons, whose compensation would be fixed by the Secretary of the Interior and paid by the United States. The purpose of the census was to affix the number of delegates to the General Council. The council was to consist of a delegate for each tribe, plus an additional delegate for each 1,000 members or each fraction of a thousand greater than five hundred.
- The roll is unique in that it appears to be the first post-Civil War enumeration of the Cherokee Citizens and Freedmen West of the Mississippi River. The census indicates the name (usually Indian), age, sex, and whether the individual was Indian, white, half-breed (blood), or black. Each district is followed by a recapitulation. The census is not indexed.
 - Going Snake District Starts on Page 1
 - Flint District Starts on Page 34
 - Cooweescoowee District Starts on Page 62
 - Canadian District Starts on Page 85
 - Tahlequah District Starts on Page 119
 - Delaware District Starts on Page 162
 - Illinois District Starts on Page 192
 - Sequoyah District Starts on Page 237
 - Saline District Starts on Page 263

National Archives Roll 7RA7.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Cherokee Census of 1880, Residents of the Cherokee Nation (Roll 1 of 4)

◆ Index to 1880 Roll of Cherokees

- The census consisted of six schedules for each of the nine Cherokee Districts (Canadian, Cooweescoowee, Delaware, Flint, Going Snake, Illinois, Saline, Sequoyah, and Tahlequah). Schedule three for Cooweescoowee District is incomplete. The Schedules are: Schedule 1 – Citizens of the Cherokee Nation, Schedule 2 – Orphans under 16 years of age, Schedule 3 – Persons not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation and whose claims to citizenship have been adversely decided by the Cherokee Authority, Schedule 4 – Persons not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation who claim right to citizenship and whose cases have not been heard, Schedule 5 – “Intruders” i.e. persons not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and Schedule 6 – Persons legally residing in the Cherokee Nation that are not recognized as Cherokee Citizens but are under permit of the Cherokee Nation or the United States.
- Information listed on the census varies among the schedules, generally the names of the individuals, their age, sex, nativity, marital status, and occupation is given, other information pertaining to acreage of land, improvements and agricultural products is listed on Schedule 1. Notations concerning family relationships have been entered in the “remarks” column.
- This transcript was used by the Dawes Commission for verification of citizenship in the Cherokee Nation for purposes of allotment of land in severalty. Notations made by the Dawes Commission include Dawes Enrollment Card Numbers, Dawes Denied Card Numbers, and information concerning other enrollments of the individuals. The notation “dead” is stamped beside the names of individuals who were deceased at the time of enrollment for land allotment.
- The census is unique in that it was used by the Dawes Commission and in that it appears to be the first enumeration of “white settlers” and “state negroes” made in the Cherokee Nation. The 1880 census was used as a basis for a per capita payment of \$16.55 made to the citizens of the Cherokee Nation for breadstuffs, the payment was authorized by an act of the Cherokee National Council of Dec. 31, 1879.

National Archives Roll 7RA7.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Cherokee Census of 1880, Residents of the Cherokee Nation (Roll 2 of 4)

◆ Schedule 1, Part 1

- Canadian District

Starts on Page 1

- Cooweescoowee District Starts on Page 58
- Delaware District Starts on Page 215
- Flint District Starts on Page 347

National Archives Roll 7RA7.3

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◆ **Schedule 1, Part 1**

- Going Snake District Starts on Page 403
- Illinois District Starts on Page 499
- Saline District Starts on Page 612
- Sequoyah District Starts on Page 680
- Tahlequah District Starts on Page 732

National Archives Roll 7RA7.4

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◆ **Schedule 2**

- Orphans under 16 years of age.

◆ **Schedule 3**

- Persons not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation and whose claims to citizenship have been adversely decided by the Cherokee Authority.

◆ **Schedule 4**

- Persons not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation who claim right to citizenship and whose cases have not been heard.

◆ **Schedule 5**

- “Intruders” i.e. persons not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation.

◆ **Schedule 6**

- Persons legally residing in the Cherokee Nation that are not recognized as Cherokee Citizens but are under permit of the Cherokee Nation or the United States.

National Archives Roll 7RA8.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Cherokee Census of 1890, Residents of the Cherokee Nation (Roll 1 of 6).

♦ Cherokee Census of 1890, Schedule 1, Part 1

- Copied from microfilm: In Article III, Section 3 of the Nov. 28, 1866 Amendment to the Constitution of the Cherokee Nation, the Cherokees provided for the enumeration of a Census in 1870 and at ten year intervals thereafter. On Dec. 6, 1889, the Cherokee National Council passed “An Act Authorizing the Taking of the Census of the Cherokee Nation in the Year 1890.” Compiled by Cherokee Officials, the 1890 Census included a tabulation of all persons within the Nation and served as the bases for a reapportionment of district representation to the National Council. The 1889 law instructed tribal officials to indicate the citizenship status of residents by placing their names on the appropriate pre-printed schedule. In each of the nine districts, special committees reviewed the schedules, adding to or deleting names from the citizenship rolls for their regions. In 1890 and 1891, the National Council again used the census in the distribution of Per Capita Payments of \$300,000 received from grazing fees on Cherokee Lands West of the Arkansas River.
- In 1900, the Dawes Commission used the census to evaluate the eligibility of Cherokee citizens for individual land allotments. After the Dawes Commission completed their task, they delivered the census to the Bureau of Indian Affairs. The Bureau held the census until May 28, 1972, when it was accessioned into the National Archives as part of Record Group 75.
- Schedule 1 includes names of those persons residing in the Cherokee Nation entitled to and enjoying citizenship.
- In Schedule 1, information supplied by the census includes place of birth, race, age, sex, occupation, marital status, number of dwellings, farms, acreage, improvements made, crop production, and other social and economic data.
- The 1890 census includes valuable demographic information and a substantial quantity of social and economic data. A comparison between the 1880 and 1890 censuses reflects important changes within the Cherokee Nation. The 1880 census has also been microfilmed (7RA07).
- Although they usually recorded the names of all individuals, in schedules 3 through 6, the census takers occasionally listed only heads of families, followed by the number of people in each household.
 - Canadian District
 - Cooweescoowee District

National Archives Roll 7RA8.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Cherokee Census of 1890, Residents of the Cherokee Nation (Roll 2 of 6).

- ◆ **Cherokee Census of 1890, Schedule 1, Part 2**
 - Delaware District
 - Flint District

National Archives Roll 7RA8.3

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Cherokee Census of 1890, Residents of the Cherokee Nation (Roll 3 of 6).

- ◆ **Cherokee Census of 1890, Schedule 1, Part 3**
 - Going Snake District
 - Illinois District
 - Saline District

National Archives Roll 7RA8.4

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Cherokee Census of 1890, Residents of the Cherokee Nation (Roll 4 of 6).

- ◆ **Cherokee Census of 1890, Schedule 1, Part 4**
 - Sequoyah District
 - Tahlequah District

National Archives Roll 7RA8.5

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Cherokee Census of 1890, Residents of the Cherokee Nation (Roll 5 of 6).

- ◆ **Cherokee Census of 1890, Schedule 2**
 - Schedule 2 is a list of orphans under 16 years of age who were entitled to Cherokee Citizenship.
 - Schedule 2 lists enumerating orphans, contains information indicating age, sex, race, guardians, and school enrollment.

- Canadian District is missing.
- ◆ **Cherokee Census of 1890, Schedule 3**
 - Schedule 3 is a record of persons not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, whose claims to citizenship had been adversely decided by Cherokee authority.
 - Schedules 3 list names, race, occupation, age, sex, the number and value of improvements, by whom the improvements were claimed, acreage, and date of arrival in the nation.
 - Sequoyah District is missing.
- ◆ **Cherokee Census of 1890, Schedule 4**
 - Schedules 4 list names, race, occupation, age, sex, the number and value of improvements, by whom the improvements were claimed, acreage, and date of arrival in the nation.
 - Schedule 4 enumerates persons not recognized as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, who claimed the right of citizenship, but who had not made proper application to be admitted.
- ◆ **Cherokee Census of 1890, Schedule 5**
 - Schedules 5 list names, race, occupation, age, sex, the number and value of improvements, by whom the improvements were claimed, acreage, and date of arrival in the nation.
 - Schedule 5 contains the names of “Intruders,” –persons living illegally upon Cherokee lands who made no claim to Cherokee Citizenship.

National Archives Roll 7RA8.6

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Cherokee Census of 1890, Residents of the Cherokee Nation (Roll 6 of 6).

- ◆ **Cherokee Census of 1890, Schedule 6**
 - Schedules 6 list names, race, occupation, age, sex, the number and value of improvements, by whom the improvements were claimed, acreage, and date of arrival in the nation.
 - Schedule 6 encompasses non-citizens residing on Cherokee lands under special permit from either the Cherokee Nation or the United States Government.

National Archives Roll 7RA19

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Census of 1896

◆ **Census of the Cherokees Nation: 1896**

- Lists number, name, age, sex, how far from precinct, proportion of blood, and remarks
 - Canadian District (3 books)
 - First book: Cherokees by Blood
 - Second book: Cherokees by Blood, Supplemental Roll
 - Third book: Adopted Whites, Adopted Freedmen, Rejected List, Cherokees by Blood
 - Cooweescoowee District (3 books)
 - First book: Cherokees by Blood
 - Second book: Cherokees by Blood
 - Third book: Cherokees by Blood, Rejected List, Adopted Freedmen, Freedmen by Blood, Rejected Black, Delaware by Blood, Shawnees by Blood, Adopted Whites, Adopted Cherokees
 - Delaware District (4 books)
 - First 2 books: Cherokees by Blood
 - Last 2 books: Adopted Whites, Adopted Freedmen, Adopted Delaware, Adopted Shawnees
 - Flint District (2 books)
 - First book: Cherokees by Blood
 - Second book: Adopted Whites, Adopted Freedmen, Adopted Delaware, Adopted Shawnees
 - Going Snake District (3 books)
 - First 2 books: Cherokees by Blood
 - Last book: Adopted Whites, Adopted Freedmen, Adopted Delaware, Adopted Shawnees
 - Illinois District (3 books)
 - First 2 books: Cherokees by Blood
 - Third book: Adopted Whites, Adopted Freedmen, Adopted Delaware, Adopted Shawnees
 - Saline District (2 books)
 - First book: Cherokees by Blood, Supplemental Citizens, Orphan Citizens of Asylum, Rejected List
 - Section book: Adopted Whites, Adopted Freedmen, Adopted Delaware, Adopted Shawnees
 - Sequoyah District (2 books)

- First book: Cherokees by Blood
- Second book: Adopted Whites, Adopted Freedmen, Adopted Creeks, Doubtful Citizens
- Tahlequah District (4 books)
 - First book: Cherokees by Blood
 - Second book: Cherokees by Blood, National Prison
 - Third book: Adopted Whites, Adopted Freedmen, Adopted Delaware, Adopted Shawnees, Cherokees by Blood
 - Fourth book: Adopted Whites, Adopted Freedmen, Adopted Delaware, Adopted Shawnees
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National Archives Roll 7RA24

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Index to Cherokee Rejected Cards, 1906

- ♦ **Index to Cherokee Rejected Cards: 1906**
 - Includes Doubtful cases too. Page number corresponds to enrollment card. Alphabetized index.

National Archives Roll 7RA25.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Records Relating to Cherokee Citizenship (roll 1 of 5)

- ♦ **List of Rejected Claimants: 1878-1880**
 - Entries are arranged by type of decision and thereunder by case number. A handwritten list of names of individuals whose claim to citizenship was rejected by the Cherokee Commission on Citizenship. The only information given for each claimant is the case number and the reason for rejection.
- ♦ **List of Persons Admitted to Citizenship: 1880-1889**
 - Entries are arranged in roughly alphabetical order. A printed list of persons admitted and re-admitted to Cherokee Citizenship by the National Council and Commissions on Citizenship in the year 1880 and since that year. The list covers the period from 1880-1889 and appears to have been printed for use by the Dawes Commission. The only information given is the individual's name and the year admitted.
- ♦ **Cherokee Citizenship Commission Docket Books: 1880-1884, 1887-1889**

- Arranged numerically by case number. A handwritten record of actions taken by the Commission on applications for citizenship. Each docket entry generally includes the applicant's name, age, and sex, names of attorneys, the text of the application, a summary of proceedings held, and the text of the Commission's decision. Each volume contains an index to applicants.

National Archives Roll 7RA25.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Records Relating to Cherokee Citizenship (roll 2 of 5)

- ◆ **Citizenship Cases: 1887**

- There is an index. Citizenship cases of individuals and family members claiming lineage to an ancestor on a prior Cherokee Census (usually 1835). Includes names, ages, sex, post office location, and attorney. Each case has a written description.

National Archives Roll 7RA25.3

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Records Relating to Cherokee Citizenship (roll 2 of 5)

- ◆ **Citizenship Cases: 1887**

- There is an index. Citizenship cases of individuals and family members claiming lineage to an ancestor on a prior Cherokee Census (usually 1835). Includes names, ages, sex, post office location, and attorney. Each case has a written description.

National Archives Roll 7RA25.4

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Records Relating to Cherokee Citizenship (roll 4 of 5)

- ◆ **Citizenship Cases: 1887**

- There is an index. Citizenship cases of individuals and family members claiming lineage to an ancestor on a prior Cherokee Census (usually 1835). Includes names, ages, sex, post office location, and attorney. Each case has a written description.

National Archives Roll 7RA25.5

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Records Relating to Cherokee Citizenship (roll 5 of 5)

◆ Citizenship Cases: 1887

- There is an index. Citizenship cases of individuals and family members claiming lineage to an ancestor on a prior Cherokee Census (usually 1835). Includes names, ages, sex, post office location, and attorney. Each case has a written description.

National Archives Roll 7RA29

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Five Civilized Tribes, Payment Roll, 1883

◆ Payment Roll by Right of Cherokee Blood: 1883

- Alphabetized in each district. Lists names, ages, and remarks.
 - Going Snake District
 - Sequoyah District
 - Saline District
 - Illinois District
 - Tahlequah District
 - Flint District
 - Delaware District
 - Canadian District
 - Cooweescoowee District

National Archives Roll 7RA38.3

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Payment Rolls and Index (Starr Roll), 1894 (Only have Roll #3)

- ◆ **Starr Roll: May 3, 1894**
 - “Pay roll by right of Cherokee Blood.” Arranged by District and thereunder roughly alphabetically by surname. Manuscript receipt rolls for a per capita payment of \$265.70 authorized by an Act of the National Council of May 3, 1894. The payment was made by E. E. Starr, Treasurer of the Cherokee Nation. The roll contains each payee’s name, amount received, signature, and witness’ signature.
 - Saline District
 - Sequoyah District
 - Tahlequah District
- ◆ **Names of pupils who was registered in the Cherokee Orphan Asylum, Term Commencing Feb. 1894**
 - Lists names, age, birth date, district, guardian, and post office address. Is not alphabetized nor is there an index. Typed list.
- ◆ **Names of orphans mainly at the Orphan Asylum-Per Capita Payments: May 3, 1894**
 - Hand written list.
- ◆ **List of Reservators-Cherokee Strip: May 19, 1893**
 - Hand written list.
- ◆ **Orphan Per Capita Receipt Rolls-Illinois District: 1893**
- ◆ **Starr Roll (continued): May 3, 1894**
 - Canadian District
 - Cooweescoowee District

National Archives Roll 7RA51.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Freedmen Rolls and Indexes, 1867-1897 (Roll 1 of 3)

- ◆ **Index to the Tompkins Roll: 1867**
 - Arranged alphabetically by surname and alphabetically by given name. Each index provides a page number reference to the Tompkins Roll. There are two volumes.
- ◆ **Cherokee Freedmen Roll, Including Orphan Roll: 1880**
 - A typed list of names of Cherokee Freedmen appearing on the Census of 1880. The list contains each Freedman’s name, age, sex, and occupation. There are page number and

roll number references to Schedule 1 of the 1880 census (see National Archives Roll 7RA07.2 and 7RA07.3).

- ◆ **List of Black persons whose names appear on the Clifton Roll (1896), but are not on the authenticated roll of 1880**
 - Includes Wallace Roll number, Clifton Roll number, name, recording district, age, and remarks. Should be alphabetized by last name. There are two volumes.
- ◆ **Index to Census Rolls of Cherokee Freedmen: 1893**
 - There is an index.
- ◆ **Wallace Roll**
 - An index to the lists of freedmen prepared by special agent John Wallace. The index contains an individual's name, roll number, district of residence, and a page number reference to the Wallace Roll. Also includes Clifton Roll number. Some remarks mention maiden names.

National Archives Roll 7RA51.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Freedmen Index, 1896 (Roll 2 of 3)

- ◆ **Index to Cherokee Freedmen Roll: 1896**
 - Arranged alphabetically by surname. A typed index to the Cherokee Freedmen Roll of 1896. Index contains a page and enrollment number reference and the District of residence.
- ◆ **Index to Cherokee Strip Freedmen Payment Roll: 1896**
 - Arranged alphabetically by surname. A typed index to the Cherokee Freedmen Payment Roll. Index contains a page number and roll number reference to the Payment roll.
- ◆ **Index to Cherokee Freedmen Payment Roll: 1897**
 - Index to the payroll that is on microfilm roll following the index.
- ◆ **Cherokee Freedmen Payment Roll: 1897**
 - Arranged numerically by Office (payment) number (#1-#4552). Two copies of an 1897 payment roll of Cherokee Freedmen. Roll contains payee's Cherokee Authenticated (1880) roll number, Wallace Roll number, Clifton Roll number, Office (payment) number, relation to head of household, age, and sex. The copy which has been bound has been annotated in red ink with field numbers of Dawes enrollment cards.
- ◆ **Census of the Freedmen: 1896**
 - Census of the Freedmen and their descendants of the Cherokee Nation, taken by the Commission appointed in the case of Moses Whitmire, Trustee of the Freedmen of the Cherokee Nation, versus the Cherokee Nation and the United States in the Court of Claim at Washington, D. C., the said Commission being appointed by the Secretary of

the Interior, and composed of William Clifton, William P. Thompson, and Robert H. Kern, this roll being made from the testimony taken before said commission in the Cherokee Nation between May 4th and Aug. 10, 1896, in accordance with the provisions made and entered in the final decree of record in the above cause.

- First, Authenticated Freedmen and their descendants.
- Second, contesting Freedmen and their descendants found by this commission entitled to be enrolled as citizens of the Cherokee Nation, and to share in the distribution of the funds found in said decree.
- Lists number, name, sex, age, and district. Some notations next to names are included.

National Archives Roll 7RA51.3

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Freedmen Index, 1896 (Roll 3 of 3)

◆ Kern-Clifton Roll of Cherokee Freedmen: 1896

- See National Archives Roll 7RA51.2 under “Census of the Freedmen: 1896” for more information about the Kern-Clifton Roll.
- #2475-#4358 missing from roll.

National Archives Roll 7RA54.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Census, 1893 (Roll 1 of 2)

◆ Census of Cherokee Nation: Apr. 15, 1893

- Arranged by type of enrollment and thereunder by District. Manuscript census lists prepared under an act of the National Council of Apr. 15, 1893 and certified by the Joint Committee. There are lists of citizens by blood, freedmen, Creeks, Delawares, Shawnees, and Adopted Whites. Each list provides an individual’s name, age, and then name of the person who identified the individual.
 - Canadian District
 - Census of Cherokees by Blood Residing in
 - Census of Cherokee Freedmen Residing in
 - Cooweescoowee District
 - Census of Cherokees by Blood (4 books)
 - Census of Cherokee Freedmen Residing in

- Census of Intermarried Freedmen Residing in
- Census of White Citizens Residing in (4 books)
- Census of Delaware Citizens Residing in (3 books)
- Census of Shawnee and Creek Citizens Residing in (3 books)
- Delaware District
 - Census of Cherokees by Blood Residing in (2 books)
 - Census of Cherokee Freedmen Residing in
 - Census of Shawnee Citizens Residing in
 - Census of White Citizens Residing in
- Flint District
 - Census of Cherokees by Blood Residing in (2 books)
 - Census of Cherokee Freedmen Residing in
 - Census of White Citizens Residing in
- Going Snake District
 - Census of Cherokees by Blood Residing in (2 books)
 - Census of Cherokee Freedmen Residing in
 - Census of White Citizens Residing in
- Illinois District
 - Census of Cherokees by Blood Residing in (2 books)

National Archives Roll 7RA54.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Census, 1893 (Roll 2 of 2)

- ♦ **Census of Cherokee Nation: Apr. 15, 1893**
 - Arranged by type of enrollment and thereunder by District. Manuscript census lists prepared under an act of the National Council of Apr. 15, 1893 and certified by the Joint Committee. There are lists of citizens by blood, freedmen, Creeks, Delawares, Shawnees, and Adopted Whites. Each list provides an individual's name, age, and then name of the person who identified the individual.
 - Illinois District
 - Census of Cherokees by Blood Residing in
 - Census of Cherokee Freedmen Residing in
 - Census of Creek Citizens Residing in
 - Census of White Citizens Residing in
 - Saline District
 - Census of Cherokees by Blood Residing in

- Census of Cherokee Freedmen Residing in
- Census of White Citizens Residing in
- Census of Delaware, Shawnee, and Creek Citizens Residing in
- Sequoyah District
 - Census of Cherokees by Blood Residing in
 - Census of Cherokee Freedmen Residing in
 - Census of Creek Citizens Residing in
 - Census of White Citizens Residing in
- Tahlequah District
 - Census of Cherokees by Blood Residing in (4 books)
 - Census of Cherokee Freedmen Residing in (2 books)
 - Census of Delaware and Shawnee Citizens Residing in (2 books)
 - Census of White Citizens Residing in (2 books)

National Archives Roll 7RA55

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Census of Intruders, 1893

- ♦ **Cherokee Census of Intruders: 1893**
 - Manuscript lists of individuals considered to be intruders by the Cherokee Nation. Lists contain an individual's name, race, occupation, age, sex, number of acres enclosed, number of places enclosed, date of arrival in the Cherokee Nation, number in family, and location. Lists for Flint, Saline, and Tahlequah Districts are missing.
 - Canadian District
 - Cooweescoowee District
 - Delaware District
 - Going Snake District
 - Illinois District
 - Sequoyah District

National Archives Roll 7RA56.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Census, 1883 (Roll 1 of 2)

- ◆ **Cherokee Census for Per Capita Distribution: 1883**
 - Manuscript census schedules prepared under an Act of the National Council of May 19, 1883. The rolls contain an individual's name and age and occasionally remarks about relationships to other names on the roll. Sequoyah District is missing.
 - Canadian District
 - Cooweescoowee District
 - Delaware District
 - Flint District

National Archives Roll 7RA56.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Census, 1883 (Roll 2 of 2)

- ◆ **Cherokee Census for Per Capita Distribution: 1883**
 - Manuscript census schedules prepared under an Act of the National Council of May 19, 1883. The rolls contain an individual's name and age and occasionally remarks about relationships to other names on the roll. Sequoyah District is missing
 - Going Snake District
 - Illinois District
 - Saline District
 - Tahlequah District
- ◆ **Census Returns of Cherokee Nation for Per Capita Distribution, Supplemental Roll: May 19, 1883**
 - “We the undersigned citizens of the Cherokee Nation, by the right of Cherokee blood, do hereby acknowledge to have received of D. W. Lipe, Treasurer of the Cherokee Nation, the sums set opposite our names respectively in fully of our shares in the per capita distribution authorized by an Act of the National Council.”
 - Lists number, names of head and members of families separately, age, and remarks

National Archives Roll 7RA58.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Census, 1886 (Roll 1 of 2)

- ◆ **Payment Roll by Right of Cherokee Blood: 1886**
 - Arranged by district and thereunder roughly alphabetically by surname. The roll contains each payee's name, age, and relationship to head of household.
 - Canadian District
 - Cooweescoowee District
 - Delaware District
 - Flint District

National Archives Roll 7RA58.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Census, 1886 (Roll 2 of 2)

- ◆ **Payment Roll by Right of Cherokee Blood: 1886**
 - Arranged by district and thereunder roughly alphabetically by surname. The roll contains each payee's name, age, and relationship to head of household.
 - Going Snake District
 - Illinois District
 - Saline District
 - Sequoyah District
 - Tahlequah District

National Archives Roll 7RA59.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Payment Roll, 1890 (only Roll #2)

- ◆ **Cherokee Payment Roll: Nov. 26, 1890**
 - Arranged by district and thereunder roughly alphabetically by surname. Manuscript receipt rolls for a per capita payment of \$13.70 authorized by an Act of the National

Council of Nov. 26, 1890. The roll contains each payee's name, amount received, signature, and witness' signature.

- Going Snake District
- Illinois District
- Saline District
- Tahlequah District
- Sequoyah District

National Archives Roll 7RA60.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Payment Roll, 1890 (Roll 1 of 3)

◆ Cherokee Payment Roll: 1890

- Arranged by district and thereunder roughly alphabetically by surname. A manuscript list of names appearing on the 1890 census Schedules 1 and 2. The copy was authorized by an Act of the National Council of July 28, 1897. The list contains an individual's name, 1890 roll number, age, and sex.
 - Canadian District
 - Cooweescoowee District

National Archives Roll 7RA60.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Payment Roll, 1890 (Roll 2 of 3)

◆ Cherokee Payment Roll: 1890

- Arranged by district and thereunder roughly alphabetically by surname. A manuscript list of names appearing on the 1890 census Schedules 1 and 2. The copy was authorized by an Act of the National Council of July 28, 1897. The list contains an individual's name, 1890 roll number, age, and sex.
 - Delaware District
 - Going Snake District

National Archives Roll 7RA60.3

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes, Cherokee Payment Roll, 1890 (Roll 3 of 3)

- ◆ **Cherokee Payment Roll: 1890**
 - Arranged by district and thereunder roughly alphabetically by surname. A manuscript list of names appearing on the 1890 census Schedules 1 and 2. The copy was authorized by an Act of the National Council of July 28, 1897. The list contains an individual's name, 1890 roll number, age, and sex.
 - Illinois District
 - Tahlequah District

National Archives Roll 7RA71

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Index to Cherokee Roll, Not Including Freedmen, 1896

- ◆ **Index to Cherokee Roll, Not Including Freedmen: 1896**
 - Lists page, number, name, and district.

National Archives Roll 7RA72

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Cherokee Persons Rejected, 1887-1889

- ◆ **Persons Rejected: 1887-1889**
 - There is an index.

National Archives Roll 7RA80

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Payment to Destitute Cherokees, 1902, and Payment to Intermarried Whites, 1909-1910

- ◆ **Payment Roll of Destitute Cherokee: Apr. 15, 1902**

- Lists card number, present number, names, relationships, age, sex, amount paid, signatures, signatures of witness, and date of receipt.
- ◆ **Voucher for Payment to Intermarried Whites: July 1909**
 - “To Intermarried White Cherokee Citizens of the Cherokee Tribe, placed on final approved roll of said Cherokee Tribe, of such share or shares to which they are entitled, of the funds of the Cherokee Nation, on account of payments made out of said Cherokee Funds, but in which payments said Intermarried Citizens did not participate. (Section 8 Act of Congress Approved May 29, 1909, Public Number 156). Payment Roll approved by the Secretary of the Interior, June 22, 1909.”
 - Lists roll number, line number, names, age, sex, amount due, amount paid, date of payments, check number, line number on check, to whom paid, and remarks.

National Archives Roll 7RA81.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Index and Payment Rolls-\$15 Payment, 1912 (Roll 1 of 3)

- ◆ **Index to Cherokee Payment Rolls, 1912**
 - Lists name, roll number, and page number. Index for microfilm rolls 7RA81.2 and 7RA81.3.

National Archives Roll 7RA81.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Index and Payment Rolls-\$15 Payment, 1912 (Roll 2 of 3)

- ◆ **Cherokee Per Capita Payment Roll, Roll Numbers 1-19137: 1912**
 - Lists number, name, blood quantum, relationship, age, sex, amount of each check or cash payment, and date of cash payment or date and number of check.

National Archives Roll 7RA81.3

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Index and Payment Rolls-\$15 Payment, 1912 (Roll 3 of 3)

- ◆ **Cherokee Per Capita Payment Roll, Roll Numbers 19138-41785: 1912**
 - Lists number, name, blood quantum, relationship, age, sex, amount of each check or cash payment, and date of cash payment or date and number of check.

National Archives Roll 7RA82.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Equalization Payment Rolls (Roll 1 of 4), 1909-1915

- ◆ **Index to the Cherokee Equalization Payment Roll: Approved June 30, 1912**
 - Index generally alphabetized. Index is for rolls 7RA82.2 and 7RA82.3.

National Archives Roll 7RA82.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Equalization Payment Rolls (Roll 2 of 4), 1909-1915

- ◆ **Cherokee Equalization Payment Roll: Approved June 30, 1912**
 - Pages 1-671
 - Lists number, name, address, relationship, age, sex, roll number, balance amount due, payment, check number, to whose favor drawn, date of payment, and remarks (including relationship to other Cherokees).

National Archives Roll 7RA82.3

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Equalization Payment Rolls (Roll 3 of 4), 1909-1915

- ◆ **Cherokee Equalization Payment Roll**

- Pages 672-1341
- Lists number, name, address, relationship, age, sex, roll number, balance amount due, payment, check number, to whose favor drawn, date of payment, and remarks (including relationship to other Cherokees).

National Archives Roll 7RA82.4

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Cherokee Equalization Payment Rolls (Roll 4 of 4), 1909-1915

- ◆ **Cherokee Equalization Payment Roll: Approved Oct. 24, 1910**
 - Lists number, name, address, relationship, age, sex, roll number, balance amount due, payment, check number, to whose favor drawn, date of payment, and remarks (including relationship to other Cherokees)
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Cherokee Equalization Payment Roll: Approved May 13, 1915**
 - Lists number, name, address, relationship, age, sex, roll number, balance amount due, payment, check number, to whose favor drawn, date of payment, and remarks (including relationship to other Cherokees).
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Cherokee Equalization-Money to Restricted Indians: Approved Dec. 19, 1912**
 - Lists number, name, address, relationship, age, sex, roll number, balance amount due, payment, check number, to whose favor drawn, date of payment, and remarks (including relationship to other Cherokees).
 - There is no index.
- ◆ **Cherokee Equalization Payment Roll: Approved Feb. 24, 1911**
 - Lists number, name, address, relationship, age, sex, roll number, balance amount due, payment, check number, to whose favor drawn, date of payment, and remarks (including relationship to other Cherokees).
 - There is no index.

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National Archives Roll M234.77

Letters Received by the Office of Indian Affairs, 1824-1881-Roll 77, Cherokee Agency (West), 1824-1831

- ◆ **Miscellaneous letters regarding the Cherokee Agency West, including the appointment of agents.**
 - Many letters pertaining to George Vashon, Indian Agent West.

National Archives Roll M234.78

Letters Received by the Office of Indian Affairs, 1824-1881-Roll 78, Cherokee Agency (West), 1832-1833

- ◆ **Miscellaneous letters regarding the Cherokee Agency West.**
- ◆ **Abstract of Licenses granted to Indian Traders: Dec. 31, 1831** Starts on Slide #0160
- ◆ **Abstract of the Seizure of Whiskey: Nov. 19, 1832** Starts on Slide #0227
- ◆ **List of Claims-Spoliations committed on the Cherokees and Osages** Starts on Slide #0239
 - List of claims, enumerated on the list received from the late Agent Office, which are not on the list exhibited by Mr. John Drew, payable out the \$8760 fund for spoliations committed on the Cherokees, by citizens, and Osages, by 5th Article of the Treaty of May 6, 1828.
- ◆ **List of Claims filed at War Department** Starts on Slide #0242
 - Copy of a list of claims on the \$8760 Fund exhibited by Mr. John Drew as a copy of the paper filed at War Department under Treaty of 1828 which appears as is hand writing of Mr. Thomas Murray, late Agent Clerk.
- ◆ **Field notes of a survey boundary between the Cherokee and Creek Tribes**
Starts on Slide #0492
 - Field notes of a survey of the boundary line between the Cherokee and Creek Tribes of Indians, agreeable to the late Treaty held at Fort Gibson, agreeable to the 2nd Article of said treaty.

National Archives Roll M234.79

Letters Received by the Office of Indian Affairs, 1824-1881-Roll 79, Cherokee Agency (West), 1834-1836

- ♦ **Miscellaneous letters regarding the Cherokee Agency West.**
- ♦ **Descriptive List of Seventeen Claims presented at the Department by Certain Persons of Cherokees West** Starts on Slide #0280
 - Descriptive List of Seventeen Claims presented at the Department by Certain Persons of Cherokees West; and referred back by Department to the Commissioners, and by them to the Agent for investigation of their character, with evidence obtained thereupon
 - John Rogers – part Cherokee
 - Peter May – a white man
 - William Rogers – part Cherokee
 - David Gentry – a white man
 - Patsey Morris
 - John Spears
 - John Bigfeather
 - Dick Wicket
 - John Looney – a Cherokee
 - John Smith – a Cherokee
 - Chicken Cock – a Cherokee
 - Looney Tolluntusky – a Cherokee
 - Samuel Mackey – a white man
 - Charles Rogers – part Cherokee
 - Nancy Hicks – part Cherokee
- ♦ **Abstract of advances made by the George Vashon, Indian Agent Cherokees West, for Agency Expenses: Jan. 1, 1834-July 31, 1834** Starts on Slide #0328
 - M. H. W. Mahon-Medical Services to the Cherokees
 - John E. Brown-services in aiding agent to investigate claims
 - A. McLean-services in aiding agent to investigate claims
 - J. Wilson-services in aiding agent to investigate claims
 - Thomas Phillips-for sending expresses and board of witnesses of, during investigation
 - W. E. Woodruff-for advertising Old Cherokee Agency for sale of
 - Looney Price-for sending 23 expresses with public letters
 - E. W. B. Nowland-for Tobacco for use of Cherokees
 - E. W. B. Nowland-for stationary and postage of letters on official business
 - Looney Price-for subsisting Cherokees attending Agents Office on business
 - Lewis Melton-for board of Cherokee Children near Doctor Palmers School
 - Sausas, or Goose-Cherokee Emigrant, for balance of improvement due West
 - Edward Tucker-Cherokee Emigrant, for balance of improvement due West
 - John F. Wheeler-Emigrant, valuation of his improvement East

- Thomas T. McCausland, Millwright-salary due per contracted for superintending the building of the Seneca Mills.

National Archives Roll M234.113

Letters Received by the Office of Indian Affairs, 1824-1881-Roll 113, Cherokee Emigration, 1828-1854

- ◆ **Cherokee Emigration: 1828-1836**
 - Letters regarding Cherokee Emigration
- ◆ **Quarterly Report of the Commissioners for the Valuing the Improvements Abandoned by the Cherokees to move to Arkansas under the Provisions of the Treaty of May 6, 1828**
Starts on Slide #0046
 - Lists names of Emigrants, when to remove, from what nation, from what district, what location, Indian or mixed blood, number of slaves, acres of land, etc.
- ◆ **Report for the Valuing the Improvements Abandoned by the Cherokees under Treaty May 6, 1828: June 1, 1829-Nov. 2, 1829** Starts on Slide #0048
 - Lists names of Emigrants, when to remove, from what nation, from what district, what location, Indian or mixed blood, number of slaves, acres of land, numbers of lots, estimated value of property, etc.
- ◆ **Report for the Valuing the Improvements Abandoned by the Cherokees under Treaty May 6, 1828: Nov. 1829-Feb. 1830** Starts on Slide #0111
 - Lists names of Emigrants, when to remove, from what nation, from what district, what location, Indian or mixed blood, number of slaves, acres of land, numbers of lots, estimated value of property, etc.
- ◆ **Report for the Valuing the Improvements Abandoned by the Cherokees under Treaty May 6, 1828: Feb. 1830-June 19, 1830** Starts on Slide #0113
 - Lists names of Emigrants, when to remove, from what nation, from what district, what location, Indian or mixed blood, number of slaves, acres of land, numbers of lots, estimated value of property, etc.
- ◆ **A list of Emigrants from the Cherokee Nation in Georgia to the Cherokee Nation West of the Mississippi: 1833** Starts on Slide #0413
 - "A list of Emigrants from the Cherokee Nation in Georgia to the Cherokee Nation West of the Mississippi for whom improvements have been valued with the amount of the valuation, the amount to be paid therein at the Agency East by way of extinguishing debts acknowledged to be just as well as the amount to be paid as the Agency West respectively affixed to their names under appropriate heads."
- ◆ **Names of Cherokees who have with their families emigrated to the West since July 1, 1833**
Starts on Slide #0518

- “The Names of Cherokees who have with their families emigrated to the West since the first of July, 1833, showing the amount at which their land and improvements were valued. The amount of debts acknowledged by them to be justly due to individuals residing East of the Mississippi and which are so considered by the Superintendent, as well as the amount of debts due upon satisfactory proof, and which the creditors had not an opportunity of presenting before the departure of the emigrants, also the balance due West the Mississippi often subtracting the debts due East.”

National Archives Roll M234.114

Letters Received by the Office of Indian Affairs, 1824-1881-Roll 114, Cherokee Emigration, 1837

- ◆ **Documents pertaining to Cherokee individuals who emigrated interspersed on the roll: 1837**
- ◆ **Monthly Abstract of Disbursement Made by Joel Crittendon, District Agent, Cherokee Agency, for Contingencies for Cherokee Indians: Oct. 23, 1837-Nov. 6, 1837** Starts on Slide #0065
 - Lists dates, to whom paid, for what paid, dollars, cents, and special remarks.
- ◆ **Monthly Abstract of Disbursement Made by Joel Crittendon, District Agent, Cherokee Agency, for Contingencies for Cherokee Indians: Nov. 7, 1837-Nov. 13, 1837** Starts on Slide #0067
 - Lists dates, to whom paid, for what paid, dollars, cents, and special remarks.
- ◆ **A list of the names of the Cherokee Emigrants under the Treaty of 1835**
Starts on Slide #0117
 - “A list of the names of the Cherokee Emigrants under the Treaty of 1835, made out for the use of the Disbursing Agent West under the direction of Commissioners of the United States, with the amount required to be paid each Emigrant, opposite to his or her name, giving the number and books of each individual as taken from the Register of Payments.”
- ◆ **Monthly Abstract of Disbursement Made by Joel Crittendon, District Agent, Cherokee Agency, for Contingencies for Cherokee Indians: Apr. 21, 1837** Starts on Slide #0325
 - Lists dates, to whom paid, for what paid, dollars, cents, and special remarks.
- ◆ **Quarterly Statement of Agents and others Employed in the Removal of the Cherokee Indians for the Quarter Ending Apr. 18, 1837** Starts on Slide #0349
 - Lists names, stations, dates of appointment, compensation, and remarks.

National Archives Roll M234.115

Letters Received by the Office of Indian Affairs, 1824-1881-Roll 115, Cherokee Emigration, 1838

- ◆ **Documents pertaining to Cherokee individuals who emigrated interspersed on the roll: 1838**
- ◆ **List of Individuals Employed in the Cherokee Emigration** Starts on Slide #0224
 - Lists names, station, and number Cherokees under charge.
- ◆ **Abstract of Disbursements for Contingencies by Captain John Page, Principal Disbursing in the Removal and Subsistence of Indians Commencing on: Oct. 1, 1838-Nov. 20, 1838**
Starts on Slide #0271
 - Lists dates, to whom paid, for what paid, and amount.
- ◆ **A Muster Roll of Cherokees permitted to remove themselves to the County assigned them West of the Mississippi between: Dec. 1, 1837-Mar. 1, 1838** Starts on Slide #0391
 - Lists names of heads of families, number and age of males and females, number of slaves, amount paid East for transportation, residence, and remarks.
- ◆ **Muster Roll of a detachment of Cherokee Indians who emigrated West of the Mississippi River under the direction of Lieutenant Edward Dead, U.S.A. District Agent, Cherokee Emigration: Mar. 1838** Starts on Slide #0467
 - Lists names of heads of families, number and age of males and females, number of slaves, amount paid East for transportation, residence, and remarks.
- ◆ **A Muster Roll of Cherokees permitted to remove themselves to the Country assigned them West of the Mississippi River and who commuted their transportation: May 23, 1838-Oct. 1, 1838** Starts on Slide #0851
 - Lists names of heads of families, number and age of males and females, number of slaves, amount paid East for transportation, residence, and remarks.
- ◆ **Muster Roll of a company of mounted volunteers under the Command of Captain Thomas Snodgrass: June 27, 1838** Starts on Slide #0990
 - "Muster Roll of a company of Mounted, Alabama volunteers under the command of Captain Thomas Snodgrass and mentioned in the service of the United States for one month until services discharged by order of General N. Smith, General Superintendent of Cherokee Emigration as a guard from Bellefonte, Alabama to Waterloo, Alabama, June 27, 1838."
 - Lists names, rank, date of enrollment, what time, by what order, furnished home, and marks and arms.
- ◆ **Monthly Abstract of Disbursements made by Captain J. R. Stephenson, U. S. Army Disbursing Agent, Cherokees for the month of Oct. 1838** Starts on Slide #1067
 - Lists date, to whom paid, for what paid, and amount.
- ◆ **Abstract of the number of deaths with the ages and diseases that occurred in the detachment of Cherokees emigrating to the Nation West: Oct. 15, 1837-Dec. 30, 1837**
Starts on Slide #1094

- Lists date of deaths, ages, number died from cholera infantum, number died from dysentery, number died from Typhoid Fever, number died from inflammation of the lungs, number died from convulsions, and remarks.

National Archives Roll M234.116

Letters Received by the Office of Indian Affairs, 1824-1881-Roll 116, Cherokee Emigration, 1839-1854

- ◆ **Documents pertaining to Cherokee individuals who emigrated interspersed on the roll: 1839-1854**
- ◆ **Monthly Abstract of Disbursements by Captain J. R. Stephenson, U. S. Army Disbursing Agent, Cherokees for the Month of Nov. 1838** Starts on Slide #0067
 - Lists date, to whom paid, to what paid, and amount.
- ◆ **A list of Cherokee certificates presented by Governor Butler for a year's subsistence, which on comparing with the payments made by the Disbursing Agents are found to stand as follows: June 1844** Starts on Slide #0313
 - Lists date, names, number in family, amount paid, amount due, and aggregate amount.
- ◆ **List of heads of Cherokee families enrolled for Emigration West** Starts on Slide #0327
 - Lists names of head of families, adults, males over ten, males under ten, females over ten, females under ten, total, number of slaves, and remarks (such as "white man, Cherokee wife").
- ◆ **A Muster Roll and list of a portion of the claims in commutation of transportation and subsistence sent back to the Agency Office from the Department for additional proof and requiring of the Agent on each claim** Starts on Slide #0635
 - Lists names of heads of families, males under 10, males of 10 and under 25, males of 25 and under 50, males over 50, females under 10, females of 10 and under 25, females of 25 and under 50, females over 50, number of slaves, total number, and detailed remarks.
- ◆ **A Roll of Cherokees who have lately reported themselves at the Cherokee Agency as having emigrated from the Cherokee Nation East and relocated to the Cherokee Nation West: July 14, 1847** Starts on Slide #0638
 - Lists names of heads of families, males under 10, males of 10 and under 25, males of 25 and under 50, males over 50, females under 10, females of 10 and under 25, females of 25 and under 50, females over 50, number of slaves, total number, and detailed remarks.
- ◆ **A Roll of Cherokees who have lately reported themselves at the Cherokee Agency as having emigrated from the Cherokee Nation West who claim for transportation and subsistence under the Treaty of 1835: July 7, 1841** Starts on Slide #0641

- Lists names of heads of families, males under 10, males of 10 and under 25, males of 25 and under 50, males over 50, females under 10, females of 10 and under 25, females of 25 and under 50, females over 50, number of slaves, total number, and detailed remarks.
- ◆ **A list of claims for transportation and subsistence sent to the Department: Dec. 16, 1847**
Starts on Slide #0686
 - Lists names of heads of families, males under 10, males of 10 and under 25, males of 25 and under 50, males over 50, females under 10, females of 10 and under 25, females of 25 and under 50, females over 50, number of slaves, total number, and detailed remarks.

National Archives M574 Series

National Archives M574.27

Federal Archives and Records Center, Special Files of the Office of Indian Affairs, 1807-1904

- ◆ **File 134 – Loyal Choctaw and Chickasaw claims for losses during the Civil War, Treaty of Apr. 28, 1866: 1866-1867**
 - For protests of Choctaw and Chickasaw Nations against claims allowed under Treaty of 1866, see #142
 - For traders claims, see #245
 - For negotiators claims, see #216
- ◆ **File 135 – Claims against the Seminole Indians for property losses, Treaty of 1832: 1835-1839**
- ◆ **File 136 – McIntosh party, claims for property destroyed by hostile Creek Indians in 1825: 825-1826**
- ◆ **File 138 – Henry H. Sutton and other North Carolina Cherokee claims under the Treaty of 1835-1836: 1838-1875**

National Archives M685 Series

National Archives Roll M685.12

National Archives Microfilm Publications, Microcopy 685

- ◆ **Combined Index of Eastern Cherokee Rolls: 1851-**
 - Chapman, Drennen, and Act of Congress Rolls, Volume 1: A-L
 - Volume 1: A-L
 - Volume 2: M-Z
 - List is alphabetized.
- ◆ **Chapman Roll-Eastern Cherokees: 1851**
 - Organized by number.
- ◆ **Drennen Roll-Eastern Cherokees: 1851**
 - Organized by group number.
- ◆ **Supplement to the Siler Roll, Act of Congress: July 31, 1854**
 - Names of Eastern Cherokees added to Siler Roll by Act of Congress, Appropriation of July 1854, opinion of Attorney General, June 1857.
 - Organized by number. Some individuals listed with some details of relations to other members on roll.
- ◆ **Index to Old Settler Roll: 1851**
 - Index is alphabetized listed with corresponding group and page number.
- ◆ **Old Settler Roll: 1851**
 - Canadian District
 - Delaware District
 - Flint District
 - Going Snake District
 - Illinois District
 - Non-Residents
 - Saline District
 - Skin Bayou District
 - Tahlequah District
- ◆ **Index to Hester Roll**
 - Index is alphabetized listed with corresponding group number.
- ◆ **Miscellaneous Notes and Drafts**

National Archives T985 Series

National Archives Roll T985.1

Federal Archives and Records Center – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Old Settler Cherokee Census Roll, 1895, and Index to Payment Roll, 1896 (Roll 1 of 2)

♦ **Index to Payment Roll of Old Settler Cherokees: 1896**

- The census roll was prepared in accordance with the provisions of the Treaty of Aug. 6, 1846 (9 Stat. 871). This treaty provided for the payment of certain shares from funds established by the Treaty of 1835 to Cherokee “Old Settlers” in Indian Territory either as original beneficiaries or as their legal heirs or representatives. A commission of 5 members appointed by the President from the party of Old Settlers working in conjunction with agents of the Union Agency completed the roll. The commissioners certified that the list was correct and complete. Entries for individuals include name, age, sex, address, and various identification numbers. No roll of the names of persons actually paid has been located among the records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs now in the National Archives. There is, however, an index to such a roll, and the page references in this index correspond to those in the census roll of persons eligible for payment. Entries in the census roll are arranged by agency pay number (one of the identification numbers). The index is in two parts, each arranged alphabetically by either surname or Indian name. The first part lists the names of those persons who were alive at the time of payment. The second part lists the names of those who were deceased and whose heirs were paid. There is a schedule of unpaid shares inserted in the index volume.

National Archives Roll T985.2

Federal Archives and Records Center – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Old Settler Cherokee Census Roll, 1895, and Index to Payment Roll, 1896 (Roll 2 of 2)

♦ **Old Settler Cherokee Census Payment Roll: 1895**

- See Roll #1 for more information about census roll.

Delaware National Archives Microfilm Rolls

National Archives Roll 1906 Delaware Annuity Roll

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Delaware Indian Per Capita Payment Roll

- **Delaware Indian Per Capita Payment Roll: 1906**
 - “We, the undersigned members of the Delaware Tribe of Indian in the Cherokee Nation, who, under the Treaty of July 4, 1866, elected to preserve their tribal relations and who entered into and carried out the agreement with the Cherokees of Apr. 8, 1867, and their descendants, or the legal representative of such Delaware Indians, do hereby acknowledge the receipt, from Dana H. Kelsey, United States Indian Agent, Union Agency, of the sums set opposite our respective signatures upon the dates indicated, and the same is hereby accepted as a full and complete settlement of our claims and demands against the United States as members of the said Delaware Tribe of Indians residing in the Cherokee Nation, as provided by the Act of Congress approved Apr. 21, 1904, the amounts indicated being paid as directed by said tribe in council, by resolution of October 13, 1904 and upon a roll showing the members of said tribe duly approved by the Secretary of the Interior.”
 - Lists registered number, Dawes Commission number, present number, names, relationship, age, sex, per capita amount, amount paid, number of check, signatures, signature of witnesses, date of payment, and remarks.
 - There is no index.

National Archives Roll 7RA26

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, Texas – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Records of the Commissioner to the Five Civilized Tribes – Rolls of the Delaware Tribe and Shawnee Tribe

- ◆ **Payment Roll of the Delaware Cherokees: 1896**
 - Payment Roll of Delaware Indians as disbursed by D. W. Lape, Treasurer of the Cherokee Nation under Act of the National Council, approved Mar. 30, 1896 entitled an act to equalize the per capita shares of the Delaware Tribe of Indians with shares of Cherokees by Blood payments of 1886, 1890, and 1894
 - Lists census roll number (not Dawes or Five Civilized Tribes number), payroll number, names, those entitled to participate, age, per capita share (as of Apr. 26, 1886, Nov. 25,

1890, and May 5, 1894), total amount paid to each one, grand total per family, to whom paid, witness, and remarks.

◆ **Payment Roll Per Capita-Delaware: Apr. 21, 1904**

- “We the undersigned individual members of the late Delaware Tribe of Indians by Blood or Adoption, residing in the Cherokee Nation, who under the Treaty of July 4, 1866, preserved tribal relations, and who entered into and carried out the agreement with the Cherokee Tribe of Indians of Apr. 8, 1867, and their lineal descendants or legal representatives of such Delaware Indians do hereby acknowledge the receipt of dollars from Dana H. Kelsey, United States Indian Agent, upon the dates and the sums set opposite our respective signatures, and the same is hereby accepted as a full and complete list of our claims and demands against the U. S. as provided by the Act of Congress approved Apr. 21, 1904 and a resolution of the Delaware Indian Council adopted Oct. 13, 1904.”
- Last page contains certificate as completed by Delaware Business Committee. Total amount of payment \$112,800.00. There are 1,100 names enrolled.
- Delaware Indian Council
 - George Bullette – Tulsa, Indian Territory
 - John Young – Copan, Indian Territory
 - John H. Secondyne – White Oake, Indian Territory
 - John Sarcoxie – Bartlesville, Indian Territory
 - Henry Armstrong – Coody’s Bluff, Indian Territory
- Lists: Register number (1880 Roll), Dawes Commission roll number, present payroll number (1904), names, relationships, age, sex, and remarks. A column is included which sometimes gives relationship with other Delaware.

◆ **Shawnee Census: 1896**

- Arranged roughly alphabetically by surname. A roll of Cherokee Shawnee entitled to participate in a per capita payment authorized by an Act of the National Council of Mar. 30, 1896.
- The roll contains each individual’s name, roll number, Cherokee number, age, sex, address, and some remarks about relation to others on the roll, deaths, and different names used on other

National Archives Roll 7RA73

Federal Archives and Records Center, Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, Cherokee Delaware Census Roll, 1867

◆ **Cherokee Delaware Census Roll: Apr. 8, 1867**

- List of names of Delaware Indians who elected to remove to Indian Country to be incorporated into the Cherokee Nation under agreement of Apr. 8, 1867.

- There is an index.

National Archives Roll 7RA74

Federal Archives and Records Center – Fort Worth, TX – Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs Group 75: Lists of Delaware, Shawnee, and North Carolina Cherokees, 1867-1881

- ◆ **List of Delaware Indians who elect to remove to the Indian Country**
- ◆ **Register of the Shawnee Tribe of Indians admitted to Cherokee Citizens**
 - Register of the names of the members of the Shawnee Tribe of Indians who have moved to and located in Cherokee Nation, Indian Territory, prior to the 10th day of July, 1871, within two years from the 9th day of Sep. 1869. In accordance with an agreement into it by and between the Shawnee Tribe of Indians and the Cherokee Nation of Indians by their delegations to Washington City, D. C., United States of America, June 7, 1869 approved by the President of the United States June 9, 1869.
 - Names are alphabetized.
- ◆ **Register of Persons who wish reservations under Treaty of July 8, 1817 with the Cherokee Nation**
 - Includes dates (1817), number of reservation, name, number in family, place of residence, and remarks. Names are alphabetized.
- ◆ **Roll of North Carolina Cherokees: Oct. 22, 1881**
 - Roll of North Carolina Cherokees who removed to the Cherokee Nation June 8th under an act of the National Council approved December 1880. Lists aggregate number, family number, English and Cherokee Names (written in the Cherokee language), age, sex, nationality, clan, and remarks.