

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Application Number 8368

Application for enrollment
with the Indians of the State of California under
the Act of May 18, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 602)

The Secretary of the Interior,
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I hereby make application for the enrollment of myself (and minor children living on May 18, 1928) as Indians of the State of California in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Congress of May 18, 1928 (45 Stat. L. 602). The evidence of identity is herewith subjoined.

1. State the full names, ages, sex, and dates of birth of yourself and your minor children living on May 18, 1928.

<u>English Names</u>	<u>Relationship in Family</u>	<u>Ages in 1928</u>	<u>Sex</u>	<u>Dates of Birth</u> <u>Month Day Year</u>	<u>Degree of Indian Blood</u>
Kennedy, Joe	Head	49	M.	Oct. 24, 1879	4/4
Kennedy, Herbert	Son	12	M.	Oct. 24, 1916	4/4
Kennedy, Johnny	Son	11	M.	Oct. 24, 1917	4/4
Kennedy, Alice	Dau	10	F.	Oct. 24, 1918	4/4
Kennedy, Harry	SON	4	M	June 18, 1924	4/4
Kennedy, Raymond	Son		M	Aug. 1, 1930	4/4

*Born subsequent to passage of Act of May 18, 1928.

See application of Mary Ann Kennedy No. 8875

2. Residence on May 18, 1928 Death Valley, Inyo County, California
Note: Not living on trust property.

3. Post Office Bonnie Claire Nye Nevada
Town or City, Box Number or County State
Rural Route Number.

4. Place of birth of yourself and each of your minor children Herbert and Alice Kennedy were born in Fish Lake Valley in State of Nevada; just across Nevada State Line. I was born in Inyo County, California, and so were
balance of my minor children.

Name Kennedy, Joe
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Approved.

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5. Where have you and your children resided since birth? Death Valley, Inyo County, California, has always been my home. Go out in the summer time to work at times.

6. Are you married? Yes

7. If a married woman, give your name before you were married.

8. Name and exact date of birth (Month, Day, and Year) of your wife (or husband).
1st: Annie Kennedy. Dead 9 years; Mother of Herbert, Johnny, and Alice,
2nd: Mary Ann Kennedy. Do not know date of birth. Mother of Harry and Raymond.

9. Is he (or she) of Indian blood? If so, state the name of the Tribe or Band, and degree of Indian blood.

1st: Shoshone Tribe; State of Nevada Degree of Indian Blood - 4/4

2nd: Shoshone Tribe Degree of Indian Blood - 4/4

10. What is your degree of Indian blood and to what Tribe or Band of Indians of the State of California do you belong?

4/4 Shoshone Tribe

Degree of Indian Blood Name of Tribe or Band

11. To what Treaty or Treaties were you or your ancestors a party, and where did you (or they) reside on June 1, 1852? Where and when were said Treaties negotiated?

Have heard of the treaty, but do not know when or where made.

Ancestors resided in Death Valley, Inyo County, California, June 1, 1852.

12. Give the names of your California Indian ancestors living on June 1, 1852, through whom you claim, who were parties to any Treaty or Treaties with the United States. If you claim through more than one ancestor living on that date, set forth each claim separately. State your descent from said ancestor or ancestors setting forth your relationship to them.

<u>Names</u>	<u>Tribe or Band</u>	<u>Relationship by Blood</u>
<u>Tu-wa-ne-zu-pa</u>	<u>Shoshone Tribe</u>	<u>Maternal Grandfather</u>



13. Give the names of the Chiefs, Captains and Headmen of the Tribe or Band to which your ancestors belonged on June 1, 1852, who executed the Treaty or Treaties herein referred to, if you know them.

Do not know

14. What lands in the State of California do you claim were taken from you or your California Indian ancestors by the United States without compensation, or which were appropriated by the United States to its own purposes and for which the United States has refused or failed to compensate you?

Inyo County, California.

15. Give names of your father and mother and your mother's name before her marriage. If either is a white person, so state.

Father— English Name Do not remember 4/4
Degree of Indian Blood
Indian Name

Mother— English Name Annie 4/4
Degree of Indian Blood
Indian Name Do not know

Maiden Name Do not know

16. Where were they born?

Father Death Valley, Inyo County, Calif.

Mother Death Valley, Inyo County, Calif.

17. When and where were your parents married?

Do not know when. Married in Inyo County, California.

18. How were they married, in accordance with the law, or by Indian custom?

Indian custom



19. Where did they reside after their marriage?
Inyo County, California, in Death Valley.

20. Where did they reside on June 1, 1852, if living at that time?
If living resided in Inyo County, Calif.

21. Dates of death of your father and mother.
Father Do not remember Mother About 1892

22. Were you or your minor children or either of your parents ever enrolled for any land or other benefits?
No

23. If so, give the number of your allotment, state where it is located, and the name of the Indian School or Agency under whose jurisdiction it now is.
Never enrolled for allotment

24. If enrolled on a Census Roll, state your Census Roll Number on the Census Roll of June 30, 1928, and the name of the Indian School or Agency under whose jurisdiction you are.
No. 597 Walker River Agency, Nevada.
Census Roll No. June 30, 1928 Name of Indian School or Agency

25. State the amount and kind of property you now own, and what is your occupation.
No property except old automobile. Value \$25.00
Occupation - Laborer.

26. State English and Indian names of your grandparents on both father's and mother's side, if possible. If any are white persons so state.

Father's Side		Mother's Side	
Names	Degree of Indian Blood.	Names	Degree of Indian Blood.
Do not know	4/4	Tu-wa-ne-zu-pa	4/4
Do not know	4/4	Do not know	4/4



27. Where were they born?

Inyo County, California.

28. Where did they reside during their lives, and where were they living on June 1, 1852?

Resided in Inyo County, California. Maternal grandfather resided in said county at Death Valley on June 1, 1852. Do not know as to others.

REMARKS

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

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

Witnesses to Mark

Jim Bennett

(Signature) Joe Kennedy HIS MARK

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th

day of October 19 30

My commission expires

Joe Kennedy
Examiner

Fellowes

AFFIDAVIT

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

Personally appeared before me Mary Button George

and Emmie Jack who, being duly sworn, on oath depose and say

that they are well acquainted with Joe Kennedy

who makes the foregoing application and statements, and have known him personally

for 49 years and 20 years, respectively; that they know that he is of

California Indian blood of the degree and lineage stated in the above application and

that the facts stated with reference to his ancestors, the parentage of his

children, their ages and degree of Indian blood, and their places of residence are

true; that they know him to be the identical person he represents himself

to be, and that all statements made by him are true, to the best of their knowl-

edge and belief, and that they have no interest whatever in his claim.

Witnesses to Mark

Signature of Witnesses

John A. Anderson
Joe Kennedy

Mary Button George
Emmie Jack



Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of

October, 1930, 19

My commission expires

John A. Anderson
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