

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Application Number 5482  
Name Sam, Esther

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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 Month Day Year</u>	<u>Degree of Indian Blood</u>
Sam, Esther	Head	20	F.	Nov. 6 1908	4/4
<i>Reject</i> *Cochran, Melvin	Son	--	M.	July 14 1928	1/2

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

2. Residence on May 18, 1928 Darwin, Inyo County, California.

Note:--Not living on trust property

3. Post Office Darwin Inyo California.  
Town or City, Box Number or County State  
Rural Route Number.

4. Place of birth of yourself and each of your minor children Darwin, Inyo County, California.

Action taken

Approved. JHA.

Fellows

5. Where have you and your children resided since birth? .....  
Darwin, Inyo County, California.

6. Are you married? Never married

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).  
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9. Is he (or she) of Indian blood? If so, state the name of the Tribe or Band, and degree of Indian blood.  
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10. What is your degree of Indian blood and to what Tribe or Band of Indians of the State of California do you belong?

<u>4/4</u>	<u>Shoshone Tribe,</u>
Degree of Indian Blood	<u>Inyo County, California.</u>
	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 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>Hou-chu-paw</u>	<u>Shoshone Tribe</u>	<u>great Maternal/grandmother</u>

