



# AMERICAN INDIAN LAND RECORDS | RESEARCH GUIDE

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## Indian Allotments Information Sources

If you know the individual's name, search the [Index to Early Oklahoma Land Tract Books F693 O42 I53](#).

If you do not know the individual's name search the following resources:

[Land Allotments of Plains & Woodland Tribes, 1887-1891: Absentee Shawnee \(Big Jim Band; Cheyenne Arapaho; Iowa; Kickapoo; Kiowa, Comanche & Apache; Otoe & Missouriia; Pawnee; Ponca; Pottawatomie, Citizen Band; and, Sac & Fox.](#)

The 1900 US Oklahoma Territory Census and the 1910 US Oklahoma Census often list the township in which the person lived at the time of the census. Researchers can use Oklahoma county township maps to identify the township and range of that municipal township within the county.

## Indian Territory Information Sources

- [Township Plats of Cherokee Nation, I.T.](#) showing land allotted to the Cherokee Indians MISC MF No. 585
- [Hastain's Township Plats of the Creek Nation \(1910\)](#) E99.C9 H3 REF.
- [Index to Choctaw-Chickasaw Deeds and Allotments](#), by E. Hastain (1908) E99.C8 H1  
There is a supplement available to this title.
- [Tract Books](#), Box 19 pt. 2 (Indian allotments in the far northeastern corner of the IT)
- [Forgotten Oklahoma Records: "Cherokee Land Allotment Book"](#), by Fredrea Cook (1981) F693 C66 v. 1 (see Tract Books, Box 19 pt. 2)
- Seminole allotment schedules include the land descriptions and the names of the allottees, organized by location, and are the last part of microfilm roll 7RA-20, "1868, 1895, and 1897 Seminole Rolls."
- The 1900 US Indian Territory Census usually gives township and range information if a town name is not given.

## Counties From Indian Territory

Adair	Johnston	Okfuskee
Atoka	Latimer	Okmulgee
Bryan	LeFlore	Ottawa
Carter	Love	Pittsburg
Cherokee	Marshall	Pontotoc
Choctaw	Mayes	Pushmataha
Coal	McClain	Rogers
Craig	McCurtain	Seminole
Creek	McIntosh	Sequoyah
Delaware	Murray	Tulsa
Garvin	Muskogee	Wagoner
Haskell	Nowata	Washington
Hughes		

## Counties From OK Territory

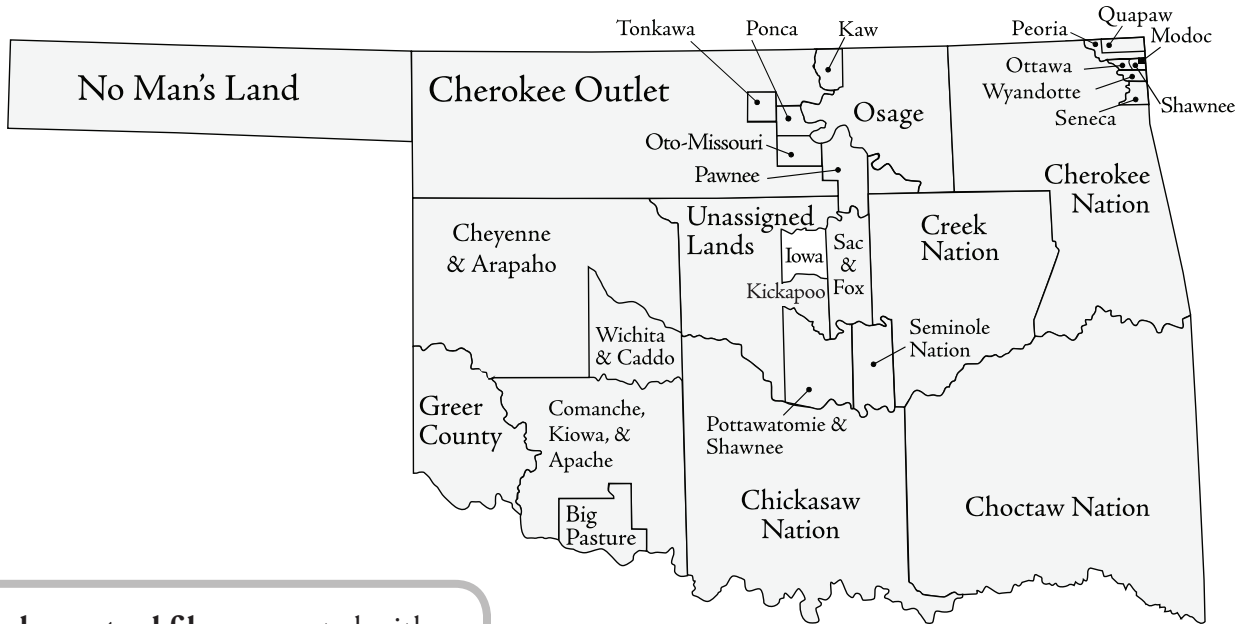
Alfalfa	Garfield	Major
Beckham	Grant	Noble
Blaine	Greer	Oklahoma
Caddo	Harmon	Osage
Canadian	Harper	Pawnee
Cleveland	Jackson	Payne
Comanche	Kay	Pottawatomie
Cotton	Kingfisher	Roger Mills
Custer	Kiowa	Washita
Dewey	Lincoln	Woods
Ellis	Logan	Woodward

## Counties From Both Territories

Grady  
Jefferson  
Stephens

## Panhandle Counties

Beaver  
Cimarron  
Texas



► **To obtain homestead files** connected with enrollments in the Final Rolls of the Five Civilized Tribes write to:

National Archives  
 Southwest Region  
 P.O. 6216  
 Fort Worth TX 76115-0216

Be sure to include the enrollee's name and census card number. Example: "John Q. Smith, Cherokee By Blood Census Card No. 714."



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