

Carson Indian Agency,
Stewart, Nevada,
August 18, 1937.

Mr. Kenneth O. Irons,
County Welfare Department,
Bridgeport, California.

Dear Mr. Irons:

We have your letter regarding the application of Bessie Sam
Hanson for old age assistance in Mono County.

The information we have about Bessie corresponds with what
she told you. Her residence is in Washoe County, Nevada, on the
Pyramid Lake Reservation, although she is originally from Coleville and
has always been regarded as an outsider by the Pyramid Lake Indians.
Our information does not indicate that she is old enough for old age
assistance anywhere, but we will check with Sacramento Agency, as we
know that her name is on the California Roll of Indians.

cc Sacramento Agency

In reply please address
Supt. Carson Indian Agency
Attention Miss Hamner

Sincerely yours,

ALIDA C. BOWLER, SUPT.

By
Lydile Hamner
Welfare Division

Mr. Hooper:

May I have this age information?

Hamner

*Enrolled as Bessie Sam
Mary, Archie, Sammie, etc. etc.*

Sacramento Indian Agency
Sacramento, California
July 28, 1937

Mr. E. O. Irons
County Welfare Agent, Mono County
Bridgeport, Calif.

Dear Mr. Irons:

You wrote us under date of June 28th asking for
age record of Mattie Sam of Mono Lake, wife of Big Sam, deceased,
as she is applying for Old Age Security.

We have been unable to locate this woman on the Roll
of California Indians. It may be that she is known by some other
name. We have referred your inquiry to Carson Agency, however, as
Mono County is under that jurisdiction and they may have the information
on some of their Census records or elsewhere.

Very truly yours,

ROY MASH, Superintendent

By: Senior Clerk

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cc: Carson Agency -

Do you have this woman on any of your records, or if you
know of any other name by which she may be known we will search
further on the Roll.

COUNTY OF MONO

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
BRIDGEPORT

June 28, 1937.

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Mr. Roy Nash, Superintendent,
Sacramento Indian Agency,
Sacramento, California.

Dear Mr. Nash:

If you have the age record of Mattie Sam of Mono Lake and she is 65 or over, please send this office the affidavit covering same. She is the wife of Big Sam, deceased.

Yours very truly,

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

By K.G. Irons
K.G. Irons



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MONO COUNTY
BRIDGEPORT, CALIFORNIA

May 11, 1937.



Mr. Roy Nash, Superintendent,
Sacramento, California.

Dear Mr. Nash:

I wrote you on April 22nd relative to the age of Bob Givens of Benton. Perhaps my letter was missent or your answer missent. at any rate, your office gave me the age of Bob as 64 being born in 1872. He needs the Old Age Security badly and if he is 65 now, we can get it for him. Many in Benton believe he is over 70.

As to the age of Jack Lundy of Bridgeport, there are many here who feel he is close to 70. His son, Sim Lundy of Leevining, has given his age as 47. Perhaps you may have something on his age. He has a large family with one son 20 or more. At present Jack Lundy has a job but when winter comes, he will be wanting Old Age Security.

Yours very truly,

WELFARE DEPARTMENT.

By K. G. Jones

Referred to

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Sacramento Indian Agency
Sacramento, California
April 29, 1937

Mr. K. G. Irons
County Welfare Department
Mono County
Bridgeport, California

Dear Mr. Irons:

In reply to your letter of April 27th regarding one Emma Jim, we have located her on the Final Roll listed with her Mother Mattie Jim, now deceased.

Her Final Roll No. is 9304, Application No. 4962, is shown as having been born August 14, 1890; she is also shown as being a full-blood Paiute, residing at Bridgeport, Mono County.

Very truly yours,

Roy Nash, Superintendent

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MONO COUNTY
BRIDGEPORT, CALIFORNIA

April 27, 1937.



Mr. Roy Nash, Superintendent,
Sacramento Indian Agency,
Sacramento, California.

Dear Mr. Nash:

I have another Indian applying for Old Age Security. Her name is Emma Jim. I wrote you asking for an affidavit covering her and your office sent her age as 78 and living in Bodie. This apparently isn't the Indian, although it might be. Would like to have you look into the case further. Her father was Leevining Jim and her mother, Mattie Jim. Both are dead now. She has no brothers and sisters living and she has never lived in Bodie. Her address has been Mono Lake for years. Kindly check this matter and let us know what you find.

Mattie Jim's death is on record in this Court House. Her age was about 80 when she died July 5, 1934. From this record, this daughter could not be 78 yet she could be about 68.

Yours very truly,

K. G. Irons.
K. G. Irons.

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Sacramento Indian Agency
Sacramento, California
April 24, 1937

Miss Lucille Hammer
Carson Indian Agency
Stewart, Nevada

Dear Miss Hammer:

Enclosed herewith is a letter this day received from Mr. Irons, Welfare Agent of Mono County, regarding Bob Givens and Jack Lundy.

There is also enclosed herewith a certificate giving Bob Givens' full status as shown on the Final Roll.

With regard to Jack Lundy, he is shown on the Final Roll as having been born August 25th, 1872, his wife, Minnie, is shown as having died June 8, 1930. 12.4 1936

As these matters are concerned with Mono County, same is referred to you for reply and any other information you may be able to furnish.

Very truly yours,

ROY NASH, Superintendent

By _____
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Sacramento Indian Agency
Sacramento, California
April 6, 1937

Mr. K. G. Irons
Welfare Department
Bridgeport, California

Dear Mr. Irons:

Receipt is acknowledge receipt of your
letter of April 5th requesting affidavits of age
of Jack Lundy and Annie George or Smith.

Jack Lundy is shown on the Final Roll
as having been born in 1876, therefore making him
but 61 years of age.

We are unable to locate Annie George
either under that name or under the name of Smith.

Very truly yours,

Boy Nash, Superintendent

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By: _____
Senior Clerk

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
MONO COUNTY
BRIDGEPORT, CALIFORNIA

April 3, 1937.

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Mr. Roy Nash, Superintendent,
Sacramento Indian Agency,
Sacramento, California.

Dear Mr. Nash:

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8' Please send the affidavits of age, if 65 or over, for
- Jack Lundy, Bridgeport and Annie George or Smith of Bridgeport. The
letter was the wife of Silas Smith, one of our old Indians who passed
away this last year.

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Yours very truly,

Welfare Department.

By

K G Irons
K.G. Irons.

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Sacramento Indian Agency
Sacramento, California
March 26, 1937

Miss Alida C. Bowler, Sup't.
Carson Indian Agency
Stewart, Nevada

Attention: Miss Hanner

Dear Miss Bowler:

Reference is made to your letter of March 25th
advising the you had not received letter from Mr. Harvey
Shaw.

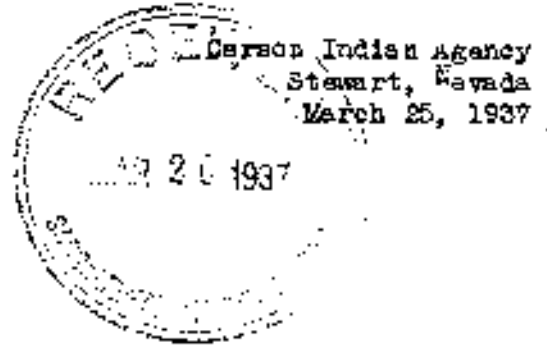
Through inadvertence this letter was returned to
our files. Same is attached hereto.

Very truly yours,

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Roy Nash, Superintendent

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS
FIELD SERVICE



Mr. Roy Nash, Superintendent
Sacramento Indian Agency
Sacramento, California

Dear Mr. Nash:

On March 11 you wrote us that you were enclosing a letter which you had received from Mr. Harvey Shaw of San Quentin. However, the enclosure has not been received here. Will you see if it was mislaid in your office by any chance?

Yours sincerely

ALIDA C. BOWLER, Superintendent

By

Lucile Harner
Lucile Harner
Welfare Division

In reply please address
Superintendent, Carson Indian Agency
Attention of Miss Harner

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San Quentin, California
March 2, 1937

Mr. Roy Nash

Dear Sir:

I am writing to you in great hopes Hoping that you will accede to this wish of mine. I will like for you to intercede in this matter for me. I have a mother and sister living in Bishop, Calif. At the same address which I want to help by given them part of my wealth. They are in great need and I feel that I should help them being that my mother and sister was not mention in my father's will. My wealth consisted of land which is very poor in value of money concern But I also had \$120.00 hidden in the potatoe shed at the time of my arrested. I told my cousin Nettie Moore house and Amy Roberts living in Coleville, Calif. p.o. Address about the money hidden in the spud shed The way I mentioned before in my letter, I would like to leave or have turned over to my mother the \$120.00. My mother is real old and she certainly needs the money very badly. To be exact this money was paid me in accordance to my parole by my father, I was paroled to him September 23, 1935. He gave me a monthly payment of \$1.00 per day, for 7 months. And when they divided my father's estate of which I receive 1/2 and two of my nephews 1/4 each they added my money to the estate. This money has absolutely nothing at all to do with the estate, and about all the satisfaction I can get out of them is I should be satisfied by receiving 1/2 and they say it does not seem to them that I am not losing any money. They say that I am getting far more than that out of the estate, please notify me why the order was made in this matter to give my half sister Susie Parson deceased. And two of my nephews got their mothers share and leave my mother out who deserves everything. The agents there claim my mother and father were separated two years before I landed here, by tribal law, which is not true. Anything you can do or tell me in regards to any of this. Father was in the hospital 9 days before his death and I was very near constant attendance at his side before I called up this Indian Doctor at Yerington, Nevada, I wanted to save him. Father died intestate.

Wishing you the best of health and good luck

From Harvey Shaw

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Sacramento Indian Agency
Sacramento, California
March 11, 1937

Miss Alida C. Bowler, Sup't.
Carson Indian Agency
Stewart, Nevada

Dear Miss Bowler:

We are transmitting herewith letter received
from Mr. Harvey Shaw, No. 57378, San Quentin, California.

As this letter refers to matters pertaining
to Mono County, which comes under the jurisdiction of
your office, same is referred to you.

Mr. Shaw has been advised of this reference.

Very truly yours,

Roy Nash, Superintendent

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cc: Mr. Harvey Shaw

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APR 7 - 1937

Copy for Sacramento Agency

Carson Indian Agency
Stewart, Nevada
April 7, 1937

Mr. Harvey Shaw
Box 67678
San Quentin, California

Dear Mr. Shaw:

Mr. Mash forwarded to us the letter you wrote him recently about your father's estate and the division of the money. Mr. Mash of course did not know anything about this because you do not belong to the Sacramento Agency. The only thing he could do with it was to refer it to us.

I believe that we have written you our opinion in the matter, so that this should be perfectly clear to you, but in case it is not, here is how the matter stands, so far as we are concerned. Your father's estate was probated by Judge Anderson and his decision in the matter was approved in Washington. That decision gave you half of the estate and the other half went to the two sons of your dead sister. The testimony showed that your father and mother had been separated and were considered divorced before your father died. And so it was decided that she was not entitled to a share in the estate. The \$120 which was found in the potato shed was decided to be part of your father's estate and not your personal money. However, since you requested that \$120 be turned over to your mother, we have paid her from the funds that you had on deposit here the sum of \$120 in monthly installments. You have left to your credit in this office at the present time \$147. If you would like to have us pay some of this to your mother, we shall be glad to do so. We do think that it is a commendable thing on your part to try to see that your mother does receive proper care, and we are glad to help in carrying out that wish so far as we can. What we cannot do, is to change the decision regarding the estate.

As for your feeling that you have not been treated fairly in the matter, we can only say that we still believe that considering the fact that you are in prison for causing your father's death,