NAME OF CLAIMANT

#327 - Williams, James

Number of Acres:132

Location: Four and one-half miles south of Island Ford, entirely within the Park area and bounded on all sides by J. A. Alexander tract.

Roads: Three miles very rough road down Big Run to county road. One and one-half miles rough county road to Island Ford.

Soil: Sandy loam, good depth of fertility in cove, and fields restocking shallow in slope and ridge. Part of tract is rocky. Rock outcrops along banks of Big Run and on part of slope and ridge, northeast and northwest exposure.
History of Tract and condition of timber: Heavily culled years ago, young stand of various species, mostly pine on fields restocking, pine timber on part of slope and ridge badly damaged by fire. Scattering saw timber pines and oaks on slope and cove type land.

Improvements: 1 barn 40x20', frame with shingle roof, poor condition.

Acreage and value of types: Types Acreage Value per acre **Total Value** 7 0 \$1.00 \$7.00 **Ridge:** Slope: 105 0 3.00 315.00 14 0 7.00 Cove: 98.00 Grazing Land: **Fields Restocking:** 6 10.00 60.00 Q \$480.00 132 **Cultivated Land: Orchard:** Minerals: Value of Land: \$ 480.00 Value of Improvements: \$75.00 75.00 Value of Orchard: \$50.00 Value of Minerals: \$ Value of Fruit: \$ 50.00 Value of Timber: \$ 75.00 75.00 Value of Wood: \$ \$680.00 Value per acre for tract: \$5.15

Incidental damages arising from the taking of this tract: \$ NONE

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	Claim of James Will	liam			
	In the Circuit Court of Rocking	namCounty, Virginia, No, At Law.			
	tioner, vs James Williams	Cassandra Kaneen betenes the			
	- One-hundred- and -thirty-one-	acres			
	The undersigned, in answer to the petitive velopment of the State of Virginia, and	tion of the State Commission on Conservation and De- d in response to the notice of condemnation awarded ablished in accordance with the order of the Circuit			
	as his answer to said petition and to				
	My name isames_willie	ima Jetown Virginia			
		rest in a tract or parcel of land within the area sought			
	to be condemned, containing about	131acres, on which there are the following			
		en building , Timber an			
	This land is located about <u>five</u> the <u>Stonewall</u> Magisterial District	miles from Island Ford Virginia, in et of said County.			
	I claim the following right, title, estate or interest in the tract or parcel of land d scribed above: (In this space claimant should say whether he is sole owner or joint owner and if joint owner give names of the joint owners. If claimant is not sole or joint owner he should set out exactly what right, title, estate or interest he has in or to the tract parcel of land described above.)				
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		bove described tract or parcel of land are as follows:			
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		s tract or parcel of land with the improvements there- the total value of my right, title, estate or interest,			
2		with the improvements thereon is 1000.00			
	I am the owner ofacres of land adjoining the above described tract or parcel of land but lying outside the Park area, which I claim will be damaged by the pro-				
		the Park area, to the extent of \$			
	(In the space below should be set out any additional statements or information as to this claim which claimant desires to make; and if practicable he should also insert here a description of the tract or parcel of land by metes and bounds).				
	Remarks:				
	(Continue remarks if necessary on the back).				
	Witness my signature (or my nam	me and mark attached hereto, thisday			
	of afred, 1930. James & Million				
		F, To-wit:			
1	the above named claimant personally	appeared before him and made oath that the matters swer are true to the best of his knowledge and belief,			
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- in	Blackburg	Notary Public, or Justice of the Peace.			
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County: Rockingham District: Stonewall

Williams, James #327 - StipexxX revix

Acreage Claimed:131Assessed 125Deed (no field sheet)Value Claimed:\$1000.00"\$130.00"Area:132 A.""

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Laps: none known.

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Value of land by types:TypeAcreageCove14Slope105Ridge7Fields restocking 6132	Value per acre \$4.00 3.00 1.00 5.00	Total Value \$56.00 \$315.00 7.00 30.00 \$408.00
Total value of land	\$408.00	
Total value of improvements	58.00	
Total value of timber	75.00	
Total value of tract	541.00	
Average value per acre	4.10	



JOHN M. PURCELL

Commonwealth of Birginia

RICHMOND, VA.

January 22, 1934

This is to certify that I, J. M. Purcell, Treasurer of Virginia have this <u>22</u> day of <u>January</u> in accordance with an order of the circuit court of <u>Rockingham County</u> dated <u>1/17/34</u> in the cause of the State Commission on Conservation and Development of the State of Virginia vs. <u>Cassandra Lawson Atkins</u> paid to <u>James Williams</u> **659.69** being in full settlement of treat #327

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Treasurer of Virginia.



JOHN M. PURCELL TREASURER OF VIRGINIA

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TREASURER'S OFFICE RICHMOND, VA.

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Received of J. M. Purcell, Treasurer of Virginia, the sum of \$659.69 , in accordance with an order of the Circuit Court of the county of <u>Rockingham</u> entered on the <u>17th</u> day of <u>January</u> 193<u>4</u>, in the matter of the State Commission on Conservation and Development v______ <u>Cassandra Lawson Atkins</u> and others, being full and complete settlement for the tract of land known in said proceeding as #327____.

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paid to <u>M. H. Harrison, Treasurer of Rockingham County</u>, Harrisonburg, Virginia <u>4.63</u> being in full settlement of tract <u># 327</u>

in the above mentioned cause.

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January 22, 1934

M. H. Harrison, Treasurer of Rockingham County Harrisonburg, Virginia

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Commonwealth of Hirginia Treasurer's Office Richmond, Va.

January 22, 1934

J. Robert Switzer, Clerk

Harrisonburg, Virginia

Received of J. M. Purcell, Treasurer of Virginia, the sum of \$<u>11.39</u>, in accordance with an order of the Circuit Court of the county of<u>Rockingham</u> entered on the <u>17th</u> day of<u>January</u> 193<u>4</u>, in the matter of the State Commission on Conservation and Development v<u></u> <u>Cassandra Lawson Atkins</u> and others, being full and complete settlement for the tract of land known in said proceeding as #<u>327</u>.

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NOTE-This need not be filed until the record discloses that the awards have been paid into the custody of the Courts.

Virginia: In the Circuit Court of Rockingham County

The State Commission on Conservation and Development of the State of Virginia . . PETITIONER. V. At Law No. 1829

Cassandra Lawson Atkins and others, and Fifty-Two Thousand, Five Hundred and Sixty-One (52,561) Acres of land, more or less DEFENDANTS. Comes now the undersigned and shows to the Court:

That a judgment in rem has heretofore been entered in this proceeding condemning to the use of the Petitioner the fee simple estate in the tract(s) of land numbered as follows: Tract No. 32/:

Tract No. ____: Tract No. ____;

and described in the report of the Board of Appraisal Commissioners appointed herein and shown, numbered, and delineated on the County Ownership Map filed therewith, upon payment into the custody of the Court of the sum(s) set out in the said judgment as constituting the award(s) therefor, as follows:

Award on Tract No. 327_ \$ 680.00 on Tract No. ______ \$ ____; on Tract No.

----- \$------;

That the report of the said Board sets forth that the following named persons claim, or appear to have a claim to an interest in the said tract(s) of land or in the proceeds arising from the condemnation thereof:

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That the Petitioner has paid into the custody of the Court the said sum(s) set out in said judgment as constituting the award(s) for the fee simple estate in the said tract(s) of land;

That your undersigned, on the date of the said judgment in rem condemning the said tract(s) of land, owned or was (were) entitled to the following interest in the said tract(s) or in the proceeds arising from the condemnation thereof :--

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That no other person or persons than the undersigned are entitled to share in the distribution of the said award(s) except the following named persons whose interest in said tract(s) or in the proceeds arising from the condemnation thereof on the date of entry of said judgment was as follows:

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Wherefore, your undersigned pray(s) that [he (they) be made a party (parties) herein under the provisions of Section 21 of the Public Park Condemnation Act, and that] an order be entered for the distribution of said sum(s) set forth in said judgment in rem as constituting the award(s) for the fee simple estate in the said tract(s) condemned as aforesaid, and for the payment to the undersigned of the said award(s) or of as much thereof as the Court may find that the undersigned is (are) entitled to

receive, and which the undersigned aver(s) is as follows: Tract No. 3. 2.7 \$ 680.00. Tract

The undersigned further aver(s) that: (Leave this space blank unless there is some other pertinent matter to be brought specially to the attention of the court)

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NOTE—A supply of this blank form has been placed in the Clerk's office for the convenience of interested parties. No one is required to use this form, as the form is not prescribed by law, and claimants can either change or modify it as they deem necessary, or present their motions in any form they may de-sire which meets with the approval of the Court. This blank form may not and probably will not cover all cases. It has been printed merely as a suggestion of a form of a motion which may be used, subject to the approval of the court in each case.

STATE OF VIRGINIA

COUNTY OF FOCKINGHAM, to-wit:

I, J. Robert Switzer, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County do hereby certify that the records in my office do not show any delinquent taxes against the tract of 131 acres in Stonewall District, Rockingham County, Virginia, assesseddin the name of James Williams, up to and including the tax year 1931, except for the tax year 1927, which are unpaid and amount to, including penalties, interest etc. to date, \$11.39.

Given under my hand this 19th day of December, 1933.

lerk of the Circuit Court of Rockingham County, Virginia

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Wharefore, your undersigned pray(s) that [he (they) be made a party (parties) herein under the provisions of Section 21 of the Public Park Condenination Act, and that] an order he entered for the distribution of said sum(s) set forth in said judgment in very as constituting the award(s) for the level in the said respected in the said that is and for the payment to the andersigned of the said sward(s) or of as much thereof as the Court may find that the undersigned is (are) entitled to said award(s) or of as much thereof as the Court may find that the undersigned is (are) entitled to

receive, and which the undersigned aver(a) is as follows: Tract No. 2. N.

The undersigned further aver(a) that: (Leave this space blank unless there is some other parti-

. Silduy Public.

This day personally appeared before me James Williams and made oath that the statements contained in the above petition so far as made on his own information are true and so far as made upon information of others he believes them to be true. Given under my hand this 19th day of December, 1933.

STATE OF VIRCINIA, to-wit;

M. H. HARRISON

TREASURER OF ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

HARRISONBURG, VIRGINIA

To Whom It May Concern:

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I hereby certify that the records of my office show that the taxes, assessed against a certain tract of land in the name of James Williams, containing 131 acres, situate in Stonewall District in Rockingham County, for the years 1932 and 1933 are unpaid, and amount to, including penalties and interest to date, \$ 4.29 and \$ 4.63, respectively.

All taxes prior to that time, if any be unpaid, are a matter of record in the Clerk's Office of said County.

Given under my hand this 19th day of December 1933.

Treasurer of Rockingham County.

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ROCK IN CHAM COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

THE STATE COMMISSION ON CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE STATE OF VIRGINIA

V. #1829 At Law .

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DEFENDANTS

PETITIONER

On this, the <u>2</u> day of December, 1933, came James Williams and on his motion leave is given him to file his application for the payment to him of the sum of \$680.00, the amount of the award set out in the award of condemnation for Tract No. 327, heretofore paid into Court.

And it appearing from the report of the Board of Appraisal Commissioners heretofore filed in this cause, and in the petition for judgment and condemnation entered herein on the ______ day of November, 1933, that in the opinion of petitioner, the said James Williams is invested with a suberior or better right or **t**laim of title in and to the said Tract of land No. 327, and that the record of this cause does not disclose any denial or dispute by any party or person in interest as to the title to the said Tract No. 327, or to the proceeds arising from the condemnation thereof, and that the said James Williams is entitled to receive the proceeds arising from the condemnation of said Tract No. 327, and it further appearing to the Court that the taxes upon said Tract No. 327 have been paid except taxes for the year 1927 amounting to \$11.39, and for the years 1932 and 1935, the emounts of \$4.29 and \$4.63, respectively, all of which said amounts include penalties and interest to date:

Upon consideration whereof, it is considered and ordered that by the Court, the said sum of \$680.00 paid into Court by petitioner as just compensation for Tract No. 327 be paid s follows: that the taxes for the tax year of 1927, amounting to \$11.39, be paid to J. Robert Switzer, Clerk, and that taxes for the tax years of 1932 and 1933, amounting to \$4.29 and \$4.63, respectively, be paid to M. H. Harrison, Treasurer of Rockingham County, and that the balance remaining after the payment of said amount be paid unto the said James Williams; and the Clerk of this Court is directed to transmit a certified copy of this order to the Treasurer of Virginia, who shall shall pay to J. Robert Switzer, Clerk, taxes for the tax year 1927 amounting to \$11.39, to M. H. Harrison, Treasurer of Rockingham County, taxes for the tax years 1932 and 1933, amounting to \$4.29 and \$4.63, respectively, and the balance of \$659.69 he shall pay to the said James Williams, the total thereof being \$680.00, the amount of the award set out in the judgment of condemnation for $T_{\rm pact}$ No. 327, taking from the said Clerk and Treasurer and the said James Williams receipts therefor and certifying **such** payment to the Clerk of this Court for appropriate entry thereof as required by law.

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