

June 4th 1902.

Joseph Edward de Villiers Beeby
sworn states :-

I claim for stock taken by the Boers - about September 1900 - my farm is 6 miles from Bloembhof - I left Bloembhof in July 1900. - I was not a burgher - was a farmer, British subject - lived in Transvaal since 1886 - Boers commandeered me 5 or 6 times - they armed me & commandeered me to go with wagons to Marrenton - I got away 2 weeks later - this was in Febry 1900 - I was then sick for 2 months - when English came I gave up my arms & manser to the officer - I took no oath - Capt Norman later made me take the oath of allegiance - I was not on burghers list & had no vote - I was never recognized by the burghers as they said I was an Englishman -

J. W. D. Beeby

Before me
Cyril Walter
Capt
Member Western Bond