

Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation

(Name of loan company)

of Wichita, Kansas.

**Application for Position as Livestock Loan Inspector**

Regional Agricultural Credit Corporation,

(Name of loan company)

Oklahoma City Branch

Oklahoma City

(City)

Oklahoma

(State)

GENTLEMEN:

1. I hereby apply for the position of Livestock Loan Inspector.

2. Full name Claude Harold Mullendore,

3. Residence (house number and street) 31 H. St. N.W.

(City or town) Miami

(State) Oklahoma

4. Give name and address of your wife or other nearest relative, if any

Helen Ames Mullendore, wife

5. Date of your birth July 23rd. 1898

Place of your birth On ranch near Howard, Kansas.

6. Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes

7. Your weight 205 lbs.

Your height 6 ft. 2 inches.

8. Are you in good health? yes

9. Have you any defect of sight, speech, hearing, limb, or otherwise? If so, describe it: None

10. Do you use intoxicants of any kind? None

11. Have you ever been indicted or convicted for misdemeanor or crime? No. If so state facts:

12. Have you had any experience in making inspections and reports on livestock for loan purposes? yes

13. Have you any interest in or are you indebted to any bank or other loan concern? Yes

If so, give name and address of the concern: I own stock in First National Bank, Miami, Okla.

I owe the Security Bank & Trust Company, Miami, Okla. the sum of \$200.00;

I owe the Cleveland National Bank of Cleveland, Okla., the sum of \$3,500.00

Kind and amount of your interest or loan

14. List in order by years all the employments that you have had, the names of your employers, and the kind of work:

Years	Name of concern	Location	Kind of work
Present time	6	First National Bank	Miami, Okla. Loans & Discounts

handling mostly chattel mortgage loans on livestock and general farm property.

Previous	7	First Natl Bank,	Wynona, Okla. Loans & Discounts
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Was managing officer of this bank, liquidated it in 1926-27 with a loss in loans

of \$487.35 out of total loans of \$135,000.00.

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Howard, Kansas, experienced in every phase of this and general farm work.

15. State whether you have been employed at any time by a Federal Intermediate Credit Bank or the War Finance Corporation in the inspection or appraisal of livestock or other property for loan purposes, and if so, when and where: No.

16. Describe fully all the training or experience, whether in business for yourself or employed by others, that you consider qualifies you for performing services as a livestock inspector for loan purposes, giving the localities and States. In answering this question, state what experience, if any, you have had in reading brands:

My early training with cattle, and general farm work, which included the buying of cattle for my father during High School age, the loaning of money when conducting bank in Wynona, Oklahoma, which is in the center of Osage County, Oklahoma, one of the largest cattle counties in Oklahoma. My work since coming to Miami, Oklahoma, which includes the handling of this same class of paper. My duties include a personal inspection once each year of every chattel mortgage loan on farm properties amounting to \$200,00 and over. The first duty of a Kansas raised ranch boy is reading and memory of brands.

17. State whether you have been discharged from any position, and if so, when and why.  
Never discharged from a position in my life.

18. Indicate by check marks in the proper spaces below the kinds of livestock that you are qualified to inspect for loan purposes:

	<i>Range</i>	<i>Breeding stock</i>	<i>Feed lot and farm pasture (feeder)</i>	<i>Dairy</i>
Cattle	<u>yes</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>yes</u>	<u>yes</u>
Sheep	<u>None of any kind.</u>			<u>(This county is one of the leading Dairy counties in this State)</u>

REMARKS: I know nothing whatever of sheep.

19. Set forth the facts or information that you think should enter into an inspection report on the kinds of livestock above indicated by you when inspected for loan purposes:  
Actual market value of property inspected as time of inspection. Responsibility, financial standing, integrity, general reputation, ability, experience, age and appearance of applicant. Purpose and duration of loan. Status of prior lien, if any and taxes, pasture and feed bills. Duration of loan and purpose of making application. Age, quality, general condition of livestock, available feed or pasture and water. Time on feed or pasture and time required to finish. Facilities as to market and shipping points. The best possible description of livestock, describing, age, sex, approximate weight at time of loan, colors, and brands if any. In case of Dairy cattle, the information should cover, production, dairy equipment, both as to milking and delivery and sanitary conditions, tuberculosis and contagious abortion tests and market for product, both as to milk, cream and butter. Should also include above general description as well as name of cows and breed and name and registration number, if registered.

20. State the usual diseases and other conditions that affect the value of the kinds of livestock that you are qualified to inspect for loan purposes:

Lice, ticks, pink eye, contagious abortion in cow herds, Tuberculosis, black leg, Lump jaw. Setpicemia.

Tuberculosis and Abortion are most common in dairy herds although Abortion is contagious among any breed of cows.

Bad water, improper feed, muddy feed lots, poor care, all affect the value of livestock.

21. Give the names, occupations, and addresses of five persons, not of your immediate family, who have personal knowledge of your qualifications and who will answer questions regarding you. These persons should be among the classes described below. At least three of them should be in the territory in which you desire to inspect livestock for loan purposes.

- (a) Directors or responsible officers of banks or loan corporations.
- (b) Directors or responsible officers of livestock producers organizations.
- (c) Directors or responsible officers of stockyards' companies or livestock exchanges.
- (d) Business men, bankers preferred.
- (e) Leading stockmen.

	Name	Address	Occupation	Relation, if any
(1)	W.F. Reynolds,	Vinita, Okla.	Vice-Pres. 1st. Natl Bk.,	None.
	G. L. Coleman,	Miami, Okla.	Chr. Bd. of Dir. Fst. Natl Bank, Miami,	"
(2)	Lee Chenoweth,	R #4, Miami, Okla.	Pres. Ottawa Dairy Producers Assn	None
	J. R. Lane,	Miami,	Sed. Miami Sales Day Assn, Inc.	None.
(3)	H. B. Cobban,	Miami, Okla.	Pres. " " " " " "	None
(4)	J. F. Fuser;	Afton, Okla.	Pres. Afton State Bank,	None
(5)	A. L. Wilbur,	Baxter Springs, Kansas.	Stockman	
		(Lives and operates in Oklahoma)		

22. I hereby release from all liability or responsibility the officers or employees of \_\_\_\_\_, my former employers, and other persons who furnish information concerning me or my affairs in connection with this application or my activities, and I hereby waive any right I may have or that might arise hereafter for any claim, demand, cause of action, or damage on account of furnishing any such information hereinbefore mentioned.

23. I hereby certify that I have answered all the foregoing questions without the aid or assistance of any other person, and that the statements in this application are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

24. REMARKS: I know practically every bank in this section of the State but the men mentioned above are outstanding in my opinion. Mr. Fuser and Mr. Reynolds are members of the State Agriculture committee.

13. Have you any interest in or are you indebted to any bank or other loan concern? Yes \_\_\_\_\_  
 If so, give name and address of the concern: I owe \_\_\_\_\_ C. H. Mullendore.

I owe the Security Bank & Trust Company, Miami, Okla., the sum of \$200.00  
 and an amount of \_\_\_\_\_, the sum of \$5,500.00

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Miami, Oklahoma.  
 this 7th day of March, 1933.

My commission expires April 27, 1933. \_\_\_\_\_ C. V. Ayres,

[SEAL] seal. \_\_\_\_\_ Notary Public.  
 (Official title)

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