

## TAMiami RAILWAY

*Ocean to Gulf*

OFFICE OF PRESIDENT  
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MIAMI, FLA.  
Ochopee--Everglades P.O. Fla.  
May 1st 1932.

United States Indian Commissioner Glenn:-  
Dania Florida.

Dear Mr. Glenn:-

Am writing you in the interest of the widow of Grover Doctor; as you know she is the sister of Josie, Wilson, Cypress, Ingraham Billie, she also has three sisters and this entire family are peculiar and definitely "Big Cypress" Indians.

All of them have their camps over here as well as such crops, property, etc as they possess.

Grover's widow is the mother of four children, the oldest about seven, the youngest a baby.

The custom of the Seminoles are such that it is necessary for her to remain in retirement for a year or more.

She and her children could and should spend this time or longer with her own people, as this is also a custom, and it would be unusual for her to spend her widowhood among strangers no matter how kind they may be to her and her children.

I trust and request that you acting for the Government appropriate or arrange to provide as large a monthly payment to her for subsistence and maintenance as possible, that such sums be sent to her in care of some reliable Everglade resident, or be delivered to her by you or some representative.

A number of the Big Cypress Indians have talked to me on the subject, and I feel quite certain that such an arrangement as above suggested would be appreciated by them; they understand that you are requiring her to move to the Reservation at Dania before aiding her.

Please comply with the above as quickly as possible and accept the thanks of these Indians as well as myself.

With highest personal regards, I am,

Sincerely yours,

J.F.Jaudon.