

Thurber Texas June 12. 1891

Adjutant-General

Austin Texas

Dear Sir-

Enclosed please find application for appointment as Special Ranger.

If accepted please send descriptive list and information in regard to making reports.

Very respectfully

Ed. S. Britton

B 72 1891

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Ed. S. Britton

Application for apppt
as special Ranger

~~L.S. June 16 91~~

L.S. W. J. M. Denold June 17 91

L.S. June 23 91

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DESCRIPTIVE LIST.

The bearer is a member of Company B. FRONTIER BATTALION.

Name Ed S. Britton Rank Private

Age 24 years Height 6 ft

Color of hair Dark Color of complexion Fair

Where born Newark, Pa Occupation Wheeler

Enlisted when June 23 1891 Enlisted where Austin, Pa.

Enlisted by whom W. A. Mabry, Capt Genie State of Texas, under

provisions of Special Order No 6 ago. Mch 6. 1891

Austin Texas, (Signature) W. A. Mabry

June 23 1891 Adj General
Commanding Company Frontier Battalion

NOTE.—This Descriptive List, for identification, will be kept in possession of the Ranger to whom it refers, and will be exhibited as a warrant of his authority as such, when called upon, and must be surrendered to his Company Commander when discharged.

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June 23 1941
 Jones (Registration)

Ed L. ...

Registered by whom

Ed L. ...

Registered when

June 23 1941

Address

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Color of hair

...

Age

...

Sex

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THE ABOVE IS A SUMMARY OF INFORMATION

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DISCIPLINARY LIST

Ed L. ...

Return ...

Thurber Texas,

June 4 1891

TO THE ADJUTANT-GENERAL,

STATE OF TEXAS:

SIR—

I have the honor to request that I be appointed as a Special Ranger to serve the State without pay, and subject to the orders and authority of the Adjutant-General's Office.

Age 24 yrs Color of hair Brown
 Height 6 ft Color of eyes Grey
 Where born Weatherford Complexion Fair
 State of Texas Occupation Wagonmaster

Are you sober and temperate in your habits? Yes
 Have you ever been convicted of any crime? No

(Signature.) Ed S. Britton

OATH.

(TO BE EXECUTED BEFORE PROPER AUTHORITY.)

I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent upon me as a member of the Frontier Battalion until my resignation is accepted, or I am discharged, according to the best of my skill and ability, and agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State. So help me God.

(Signature.) Ed S. Britton

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th day of June A. D. 1891

[SEAL]

W. C. Ready J.P.
ex officio Not Public

We do hereby recommend the appointment asked for above, and vouch for the good character of the applicant.

(Signature.) W. J. McDonald
 (Signature.) W. C. Ready

State of Texas.

Thurles Tex May 31st 1889

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That Ed Britton
a Private of Captain S A Mc Murray
Company ("B"), of the FRONTIER BATTALION, was mustered into
the State Service on the Fifth day of March 1889
and is this day honorably discharged.*

The said Ed Britton has pay due him from
March 1, 1889 to the present date.

There is due said Ed Britton the sum of
Twenty and 00/100 Dollars. He is indebted to
the State of Texas _____ Dollars, on account of

S A Mc Murray

Commanding Company.

Approved, \$ _____

Adjutant-General.

Received of _____, this _____ day
of _____ 188____,

Dollars, in full of the above account.

Signed in duplicate.

Texas & Pacific Coal Co
J. H. ...

*NOTE.—When this Certificate is given without discharge, the line "and is this day honorably discharged" will be stricken out.

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FOR VALUE RECEIVED, The within Certificate of Indebtedness is hereby transferred to.....

Texas & Pacific Lumber Co

who is authorized and empowered to receive all moneys in payment of the same.

Ed Britton
J. M. May 6th
Texas, 1889.

Witness: A. J. Small

State of Texas.

Amortized Per Aug 31 1889

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That

Ed Britton

a *Private* of Captain *W. M. Mearns*

Company (*B*), of the FRONTIER BATTALION, was mustered

into the State Service on the *10th* day of *March* 18 *89*

and is this day honorably discharged.*

The said *Ed Britton* has pay due him from

June 10th 1889 to the present date.

There is due said *Ed Britton* the sum of

Ninety & no/100 Dollars. He is indebted to

the State of Texas _____ Dollars, on account of

W. M. Mearns
Commanding Company.

APPROVED, \$ _____

Adjutant-General.

RECEIVED of _____, this _____ day

of _____ 18 _____,

Dollars, in full of the above account.

Signed in duplicate.

*NOTE.—When this Certificate is given without discharge, the line "and is this day honorably discharged" will be stricken out.

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FOR VALUE RECEIVED, The within Certificate of Indebtedness is hereby transferred to

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who is authorized and empowered to receive all moneys in payment of the same.

Ed. S. Britton

..... Texas, 18.....

Witness:

J. R. Platt
J. H. Maddox