

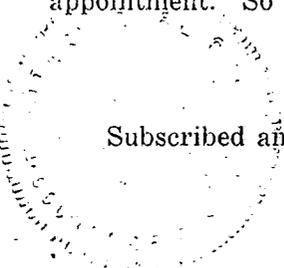
# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company..... Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
COUNTY OF Rusk }

I, C. V. Wellborn, born in Russell County  
in the State of Alabama, aged 50 years and 9 months, and by occupation a  
Farmer do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 8 day of  
June, 1918, as a private in the Ranger Force of this State, for the period of two years,

unless sooner discharged by proper authority. ~~And I do also agree to accept from the State of Texas such bounty, pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law.~~ Without Pay And I do solemnly swear that will faithfully and impartially discharge and perform all the duties incumbent on me as an officer of the Ranger Force according to the best of my skill and ability, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of the United States and of this State, and I do further solemnly swear that since the adoption of the Constitution of this State, I being a citizen of this State, have not fought a duel with deadly weapons, nor have I acted as second in carrying a challenge, or aided, advised or assisted any person thus offending. And I furthermore swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my appointment. So help me God.



C. V. Wellborn

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8 day of June A. D. 1918

C. L. Dammard Notary Public  
in and for Rusk County Texas

Fill in description below.

I certify that C. V. Wellborn, the above named man, has been carefully examined by me previous to his enlistment, and to the best of my knowledge and belief he is physically able, competent to and will faithfully perform the duties incumbent on him in accordance with law. This man is 50 years 9 months of age. Height 5 feet 11 inches. Complexion Fair Eyes blue Hair dark Born at Crawford County of Russell State of Alabama Occupation Farming Married single Previous service.....

Residence Rt. 1, Garrison, Texas. Geographic address Garrison

Remarks: Phone Rainfalls via Henderson in Garrison Rusk Co.

Captain Co..... Ranger Force.





Garrison Texas

March 8-1919

Gen. James A. Harley  
Adjutant General of Texas  
Austin Texas

Dear Sir:

Complying your  
request in your favor of 6<sup>th</sup> inst I am enclosing my  
Commission as Loyalty Ranger for Park County.

I feel that the appointment of the Loyalty Rangers has had  
a splendid moral effect, notwithstanding the adverse  
criticism of some members of the legislature and some  
of the newspapers.

I am glad to have been a member of the force and  
should your office at any time in the future need any  
services that I am qualified to render you will please  
Command me

Very Respectfully yours  
C. V. Wellborn

Garrison Texas

Gen. James A. Harley  
Adjutant General Texas  
Austin Texas.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your  
esteemed favor of recent date in which you thank me  
for my services as Loyalty Ranger, beg to say that I have  
done only what I conceive to be my duty as a true citizen  
of our great State and Country, and will continue to serve  
in such capacity, and be at all times subject to, and  
ready to obey your Commands until such time  
as your office notifies me that my services are no  
longer needed.

I beg to be most respectfully yours

O. V. Wellborn

Loyalty Ranger Park Co. Texas.