

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer J. D. Hearn  
 is a Private in Company \_\_\_\_\_ Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this  
 is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under Article 6755, title 116, Complete Texas  
~~Statutes, 1920,~~ Statutes, 1920, ~~and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited~~  
~~as his authority to act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be sur-~~  
~~rendered to Company Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and~~  
~~Descriptive List is signed by The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company~~  
 Commander.

Name J. D. Hearn Rank Private  
 Age 39 Where born Blaine, Missouri  
 Height 5' 7" Occupation farmer  
 Hair light brown Enlisted Where Wood T-10  
 Eyes gray Enlisted When August 11<sup>th</sup> 1922  
 Complexion fair Enlisted by whom E. B. Hill  
acting off.

10/17  
J. D. Hearn

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 11<sup>th</sup>  
 day of August 1922

Chas. M. Crawford  
 Adj. The Adjutant General  
 by R. Wallace Capt. Tex. Ranger Force  
 Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Captain Ranger Force  
 Commanding Co. \_\_\_\_\_

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF McBryan

I, J. D. Hearn, born in Alabama  
now resides in Coupland County  
in the State of Texas, aged 57 years and..... months, and by occupation a

farmer do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 11<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1922, 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 County; pay, subsistence and other expenses as are or may be established by law. And I do solemnly swear that I 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.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of August A. D. 1922

Fill in description below.

I certify that....., 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..... years

..... months of age. Height..... feet..... inches. Complexion..... Eyes.....

Hair..... Born at..... County of..... State of.....

Occupation..... Married or single..... Previous service.....

Residence.....

Remarks:.....

Captain Co..... Ranger Force.



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*Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer.....J. D. Hearn.....  
is a.....private.....in Company.....Special C.....Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this  
is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Ap-  
proved March 31, 1919, and Descriptive List for identification, and will be exhibited as his authority to  
act as a Ranger when called upon for his credentials. This warrant must be surrendered to Company  
Commander by bearer when discharged. This Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List is signed by  
The Adjutant General under seal of office and attested by Company Commander.

Name.....J. D. Hearn.....Rank.....Private.....  
Age.....60 years 8 months.....Where born.....Maringo Co. Alabama.....  
Height.....5 ft. 11-3 /4 inches.....Occupation.....Stock man.....  
Hair.....gray.....Enlisted Where.....Marshall.....  
Eyes.....blue.....Enlisted When.....Oct. 18th, 1922......  
Complexion.....dark.....Enlisted by Whom.....Capt. R.C. Nichols.....

*J. D. Hearn*

Given under my hand and seal of office, this.....18th.....  
day of.....October.....1922.....

*Chas W Crawford*  
Assistant The Adjutant General

Attest: *R.C. Nichols*  
Captain Ranger Force  
Commanding Co.....*C*.....

Resigned On Account Of  
Reduction In Force

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# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

**Special**

Company C Ranger Force, Station Marshall

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Harrison

I, J. D. Hearn, born in Maringo, County \_\_\_\_\_  
 in the State of Alabama, aged 60 years and 8 months, and by occupation a  
Stock man do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 18th day of  
October, 19122, 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. And I do solemnly swear  
 that I 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 further-  
 more swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor prom-  
 ised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my  
 appointment. So help me God.

*J. D. Hearn*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 18th day of October, 1922 A. D. 191\_\_\_\_\_

*George Prendergast*  
 Notary Public in and for Harrison  
 County, Texas.

Fill in description below.

I certify that J. D. Hearn, 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 60 years  
8 months of age. Height 5 feet 11-3/4 inches. Complexion dark Eyes blue  
 Hair gray Born at Maringo County of Alabama ~~State of~~  
 Occupation Stock man Married or single married Previous service \_\_\_\_\_  
 Residence Gatesville, Texas.

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

*F. C. Nichols*

Captain Co. C Ranger Force.

*Handwritten signature*

A. G. O. Form 21  
Authorized July 7, 1905.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS  
RANGER FORCE

T. & P.

Name J. D. Hearn,

Rank Private,

Company \_\_\_\_\_, *Ranger Force*

Station Marshall,

Warrant dated October 18, 1922  
Discharged January 18, 1923

E. L. STECK, AUSTIN

*Vertical text on the right side of the page, including "RECEIVED" and other markings.*

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