E. L. STECK, AUSTIN 2711-718-500

# ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION
## SPECIAL RANGER FORCE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Tarrant

I, James W. Woods, born in Grason County Texas in the State of Texas, aged 46 years and 2 months, and by occupation a Peace Officer do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 10th day of October, 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 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, 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.

James W. Woods.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of October A. D. 1922

E. K. Morris
Notary Public Tarrant County Tex

(To be filled in by Applicant.)

Height 5 feet 9 inches. Complexion Light Eyes Blue Hair Brown Married or single Married Telegraphic address Ft. worth Texas

Post office address Ft. worth Texas

Residence Decatur Texas

Sergt John A. Gillon
Contingency Rangers

Rock Island

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

# THE STATE OF TEXAS

## OATH OF MEMBERS
## SPECIAL RANGER FORCE

Rock Island,

Name James W Woods

Rank Private

Station Fort Worth

Rock Island
Warrant dated October 10, 1922
Discharged October 18, 1922

# THE STATE OF TEXAS

## ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

## *Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List*

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer James.W.Woods is a Private in Company Special Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under ~~an Act of the 27th Legislature of the State of Texas, approved March 29th, 1901,~~ Article 6755, title 116 Complete Texas 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 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.

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| Name | James.W.Woods | Rank | Private |
| Age | 46.years and 2.monts | Where born | Grason Co.Texas |
| Height | 5ft.9.inches | Occupation | Peace officer |
| Hair | Brown | Enlisted Where | Austin Texas |
| Eyes | Blue | Enlisted When | October 10th--1922 |
| Complexion | Light | Enlisted by whom | Capt.R.W.Aldrich |

No good

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 10th day of October 19122

R. W. Aldrich
Actg.Asst. ~~The~~ Adjutant General.

Attest: Sergt John A. Gillon
Captain Ranger Force
Commanding Co. Company Rangers

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Rock Island Railroad
Set out Oct 18th 1922
James W. Woods