

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer P. H. CHILTON

is a Private in ~~Company~~ the 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, 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 <u>P. H. Chilton</u>	Rank <u>Private</u>
Age <u>64 yrs.</u>	Where born <u>Morrison, Tenn.</u>
Height _____	Occupation <u>Quarantine Officer</u>
Hair _____	Enlisted Where <u>Austin, Texas</u>
Eyes _____	Enlisted When <u>Feb. 4, 1918</u>
Complexion _____	Enlisted by whom <u>The Adjutant General</u>

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 8th

day of Feb. A. D. 1918

Walter F. Woodiel
The Adjutant General.

Attest: _____
Captain Ranger Force
Commanding Co. _____

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Sublim Dear,

June 19th 1919

Hon Jas H. Harley
Adjutant General
Austin Tex

Dear General

I have your letter of the 14th
notifying me of the revocation of
all Special Ranger Commissions
and I am this day returning to
you my authority which was
issued to me, Feb 8th 1918.
with best wishes I am yours
Very Respectfully

P. H. Littler

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Brewster

I, P.H. Chilton, born in Morristown

in the State of Tennessee, aged 64 years and 1 months, and by occupation a
Officer

Texas State Quarantine do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 4th day of
February, 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 not 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.

P.H. Chilton

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 4th day of February A. D. 1918

W.H. Lease

Fill in County Clerk, Brewster County, Texas.

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.....

Remarks: Post Office address? *Alpine, Texas*

Captain Co..... Ranger Force.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

**OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE**

Name **P.H. CHILTON**

Rank **PRIVATE**

Company **SPECIAL**, Ranger Force

Station

I, **P.H. CHILTON**, do hereby swear that I am a citizen of the State of Texas, and that I will support the Constitution of the State of Texas, and will faithfully discharge the duties of my office as a member of the Ranger Force of the State of Texas, to the best of my ability, and will not accept any other office or position of honor or profit, which may be offered to me, while I am a member of the Ranger Force of the State of Texas.

[Handwritten signature]

Ranger

8 Feb. 1918.

From: The Acting Adjutant General, State of Texas.

To: P. H. Chilton, Alpine, Texas.

Subject: Warrant of Authority.

1. Enclosed herewith is warrant of authority issued in your favor as Ranger without pay.

1 Enc.

The Acting Adjutant General.