

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer THOS. C. CROSSON
 is a Private in ~~#####~~ 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 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	<u>Thos. C. Crosson</u>	Rank	<u>Private</u>
Age	<u>44 Yrs., 9 Mos.</u>	Where born	<u>Bexar County, Texas</u>
Height	<u>5 Ft., 10 1/2 inches</u>	Occupation	<u>Stockman</u>
Hair	<u>Gray</u>	Enlisted Where	<u>Austin, Texas.</u>
Eyes	<u>Blue</u>	Enlisted When	<u>8 January, 1918</u>
Complexion	<u>Light</u>	Enlisted by whom	<u>Adjutant General</u>

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 10th
 day of January, A.D. 1918

Walter F. Woodul
 ACTING The Adjutant General.

Attest: _____
 Captain Ranger Force
 Commanding Co. _____

10 January, 1918

Captain J.M. Fox,
Marfa, Texas.

Dear Captain:

Enclosed herewith, warrant of authority issued in favor of Thos. C. Crossen as a Ranger without compensation.

Hereafter when enlisting men kindly insert their Post Office Address on the bottom of the Enlistment Blank.

Kindly let us know whether or not all the men you have enlisted give Marfa as their Post Office.

Yours very truly,

ACTING THE ADJUTANT GENERAL.

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$100,000.00

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MARFA, TEXAS

Jan 27 - 1919 -
Adjutant General's Dept
Austin
Dear Sir:

In accordance with your
request I herewith hand you my commission
as special ranger ^{and} with thanks for past
favours I remain
Yours truly
Thos C Crosson

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Presidio

I, Thomas C. Larsson, born in Befas County

in the State of Tex, aged 44 years and 9 months, and by occupation a

Stockman do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 3 day of January, 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.~~ 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.

Thomas C. Larsson
8th day of January A. D. 1918

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this

D. C. Miller, Notary Public
Presidio County Texas

I certify that Thomas C. Larsson, 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 44 years

9 months of age. Height 5 feet 10 1/2 inches. Complexion light Eyes Blue

Hair Gray Born at Son Antonio County of Befas State of Tex

Occupation Stockman Married or single Married Previous service None

Remarks: Marfa, Texas

Captain Co..... Ranger Force.

