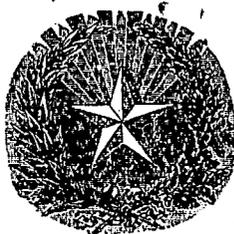


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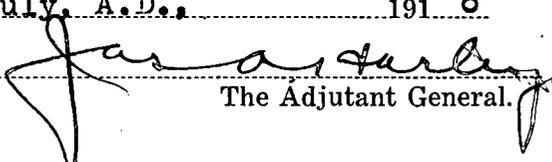
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer EDWARD HOGAN HARRELL
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 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 Edward Hogan Harrell Rank Private
Age 50 Where born Dallas Co., Ala.
Height 5 - 11 Occupation Creosoting of Lumber
Hair Gray Enlisted Where Austin
Eyes Blue Enlisted When 8 July, 1918
Complexion Blonde Enlisted by whom A.G.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 10th
day of July, A.D. 191 8


The Adjutant General.

Attest: _____
Captain Ranger Force
Commanding Co. _____

ED. H. HARRELL CO.
LUMBER
HOUSTON, TEXAS

Jan. 17th 1919.

Gen'l Jas. A. Harley.

Adjutant General State Of Texas.

Austin, Texas.

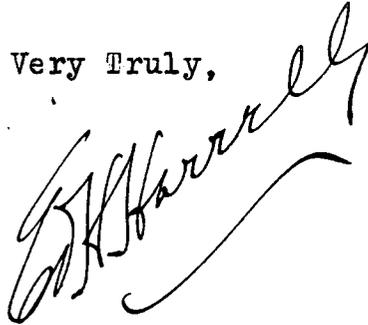
My Dear Sir-:

As per your communication dated Jan. 14th, I hereby
beg to hand you my commission as SPECIAL RANGER.

Provided you think I can be of further service to your depart-
ment, I hereby make application for re-appointment.

Yours Very Truly,

EHH/

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "E. H. Harrell", with a long, sweeping underline flourish extending to the right.

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10 July, 1918

Ed E. Harrell,
Brazos Hotel,
Houston, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith, commission issued in
your favor as a Special Ranger.

Yours truly,

ADJUTANT GENERAL.

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company ~~Ranger Force, Station~~

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF Harris

I, Edward Hogan Harrell, born in Selma
in the State of Alabama, aged 50 years and 6 months, and by occupation a
Crossing of Lumber etc. do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 8th day of
July, 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 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.

Edward Hogan Harrell

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

Maggie O. Seddon
Notary Public, Harris County, Texas

Fill in description below.

I certify that Edward Hogan Harrell, 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
7 months of age. Height 5 feet 11 inches. Complexion Blonde Eyes Blue
Hair Gray Born at Selma County of Dallas State of Alabama
Occupation Crossing of Lumber Married or single Single Previous service None
Residence Houston Texas and live at Brazos Hotel

Remarks:

Edward Hogan Harrell

~~Captain Co. Ranger Force~~

THE STATE OF TEXAS

OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE

Name E. H. Harrell

Rank _____

Company _____, Ranger Force

Station _____

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