

Greenville Tex. June 15 1897

To Captain J. F. Nichols
Commanding Co. E. 5th Reg. T. V. G.

Desiring to enlist in your company, I hereby make application for enlistment, and pledge myself to conform to the militia law, rules and regulations of this State and by-laws of the company, I have never been dishonorably discharged from any organization of the Texas Volunteer Guards.

Age 18 Weight 145
Hair Brown Where born
Eyes Brown State of Kentucky
Complexion Dark Occupation Green Clerk

OATH.

To be executed before an officer authorized to administer oaths.

I, Claude Huffines do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the State of Texas, and will support the Constitution thereof; and I do further swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully observe and obey all laws and regulations for the government of the Volunteer Guards of this State, and the orders of all officers elected or appointed over me, for the period of three years; so help me God.

Claude Huffines

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 15th day of June A. D. 1897

Harry Carpenter
Notary Public, Hunt Co. Tex

I certify that Claude Huffines was admitted as a member June 3rd 1897

A. K. Ward
Company Clerk of Greenville Rifles Co. E. 5th Regt

NOTES.—As required by Rule No. 3, Chapter "Term of Services and Oath," p. 75, Regulations of 1895, this blank application must be filled up, and oath executed in duplicate, before a member is admitted in a Company of the Texas Volunteer Guards. As soon as the member is admitted, the Company Clerk will certify to the fact, and transmit one Copy of this application and oath to the Adjutant General, and retain the other Copy in the Company records.
A member of a Company, whose term of service expires, will use this blank adding the syllable "re" before "enlist." See G. O. No. 113. A. G. O. February 1, 1896.