



To all whom it may concern

Know Ye, That reposing special trust and confidence in the patriotism, valor, fidelity, and abilities of AL G. HEMMING

I do hereby appoint him SERGEANT of SERVICE COMPANY, SIXTH INFANTRY

in the service of the California State Guard, to rank as such from the 6th
day of November, one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

He is therefore carefully and diligently to discharge the duty of SERGEANT by doing and performing all manner
of things thereunto belonging. And I do strictly charge and require all Non-Commissioned Officers and Members under his command to be
obedient to his orders as SERGEANT. And he is to observe and follow such orders and directions from time to time, as
he shall receive from his Superior Officer and Non-Commissioned Officers set over him, according to the rules and regulations governing the
California State Guard.

Given under my hand at COMPTON, CALIFORNIA, this 6th day
of November, in the Year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty-one.

A handwritten signature in cursive ink, appearing to read "C. S. Smith".

Major C. S. Smith, Sixth Infantry, CSG

Commanding