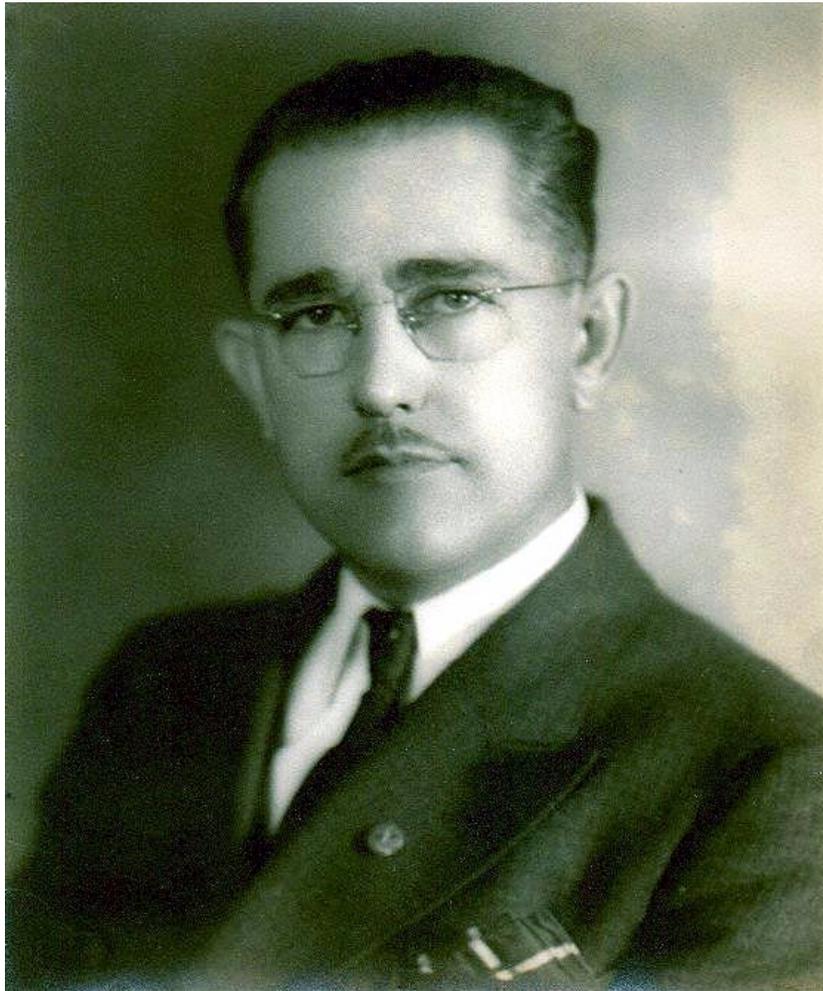


JOHN JACKSON LEDBETTER, JR.

October 23, 1901 - July 19, 1963



Undated Portrait (~ 1940)

JOHN JACKSON LEDBETTER

PERSONAL HISTORY AND PROFESSIONAL RECORD

1. Date and Place of Birth: October 23, 1901; Holcomb, Missouri.
1. Height: 5 feet, 7 ½ inches. Weight: 160 pounds.
1. Education:
 - (a) Engineering: A & M College of Texas. Degrees: Bachelor of Science in Civil Engineering, June 1925; Civil Engineer, May 1952.
 - (b) Legal: Completed law courses prescribed by Supreme Court of Texas for admission to Texas Bar. Admitted to Texas Bar by examination, January 1935. Took refresher law courses, Law School, Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, March to July 1946.
 - (c) Military: Completed R.O.T.C. basic and advanced courses Military Science and Tactics, A & M College of Texas, June 1925.
 - (1) Graduated from School of Military Government, University of Virginia, February 1945.
 - (2) Graduated from civil Affairs Training School Far Eastern Area (Japan), University of Michigan, August 1945; studied military government administration, geography of Far Eastern Area, and Japanese history, government, economy, culture, and language.
2. Professional Licenses:
 - (a) Registered Professional Engineer, Texas – No. 1485
 - (b) Licensed Attorney and Counselor at Law, Texas, State and Federal courts.
3. Professional Society Memberships:
 - (a) American Association for the Advancement of Science.
 - (b) American Bar Association – State Bar of Texas – Travis County Bar Association.
 - (c) American Geophysical Union.
 - (d) American Shore and Beach Preservation Association.
 - (e) American Society of Civil Engineers.
 - (f) American Water Works Association.
 - (g) National Society of Professional Engineers and Texas Society of Professional Engineers.
 - (h) Reserve Officers Association.
 - (i) Tau Beta Pi.
 - (j) Texas Water District Managers Association.
 - (k) United States Committee on Large Dams.
4. Fraternal Memberships:
 - (a) Master Mason; Scottish Rite 32°; Shrine.
5. Army Commissions and Outline of Military Duty:
 - (a) Army Serial Number: 0-216753
 - (b) Commissioned 2nd Lt. FA-Res. May 29, 1925; promoted to 1st Lt. FA-Res. May 29, 1928; promoted to Captain FA-Res. July 27, 1936.
 - (c) Nine 14 day periods of active duty with Field Artillery, U.S. Army, during period 1926-1940, inclusive.

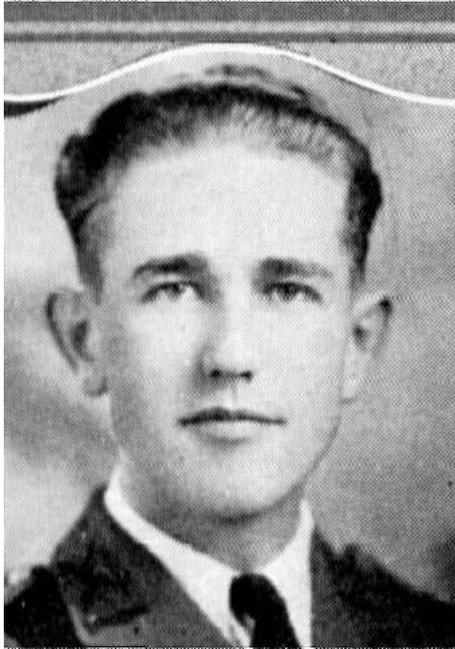
- (d) Ordered to extended active duty with Construction Division, Quartermaster Corps, January 3, 1941; promoted to Major QMC, September 15, 1941; transferred to Construction Division, Corps of Engineers, December 16, 1941, promoted to Lt. Col., Corps of Engineers, October 5, 1942; promoted to Colonel, Corps of Engineers, December 24, 1945; retired for physical disability March 24, 1946.

CHRONOLOGICAL RECORD

1. June 1919: Graduated, Blytheville High School, Blytheville, Arkansas.
2. June 1919 to March 1920: Rodman and Instrumentman, Pride and Fairley Engineering Co., Blytheville, Arkansas, on pavement, sewer and drainage surveys and construction in Mississippi County, Arkansas.
3. March 1920 to April 1920: Rodman, Shockley Engineering Co., Kansas City, Mo., on highway survey in Northwest Missouri.
4. April 1920 to September 1920: Salesman, Liggett and Myers Tobacco Co., Kansas City, Mo.
5. September 1920 to September 1921: Inspector, Pride and Fairley Engineering Co., in charge of surveys and engineering inspection on drainage levee construction in Poinsett County, Arkansas.
6. September 1921 to June 1922: Civil Engineering Student, A & M College of Texas.
7. June 1922 to September 1922: Instrumentman, Pride and Fairley Engineering Co., in charge of survey party meandering and cross-sectioning river in Mississippi County, Arkansas.
8. September 1922 to June 1923: Civil Engineering Student, A & M College of Texas.
9. June 1923 to July 1923: Electrician Helper, Memphis Power and Light Co., Memphis, Tenn., installing transformer stations.
10. July 1923 to September 1923: Instrumentation, Sewer Department, City of Memphis, Tenn., giving lines and grades for sewer construction.
11. September 1923 to June 1924: Civil Engineering Student, A & M College of Texas.
12. June 1924 to July 1924: R.O.T.C. Cadet in training at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas.
13. July 1924 to September 1924: Map Compiler, Alling Blue Print Co., San Antonio, Texas. Compiling map of Bexar County, Texas.
14. September 1924 to June 1925: Civil Engineering Student, A & M College of Texas.
15. June 1925 to November 1928: Assistant Engineer, Flood Prevention Department, City of San Antonio, Texas
 - (a) June 1925 to December 1926: In charge of concrete on 90,000 cubic yard gravity dam near San Antonio, Texas; in charge of the inspection of concrete aggregates, design and control of concrete mixes, and the mixing and placing of concrete; computed quantities and prepared progress estimates.
 - (b) December 1926 to December 1927: In charge of engineering supervision of construction of various river cut-off projects in San Antonio, Texas, consisting of flood channel excavations, reinforced concrete retaining walls and channel lining, and reinforced concrete and steel bridges.
 - (c) December 1927 to November 1928: Making surveys, doing structural designing, supervising the preparation of plans, and assisting in the preparation of specifications for an additional river cut-off project consisting of reinforced concrete flood water channel and reinforced concrete bridges. Made private designs for two reinforced concrete arch bridges for the City of Laredo, Texas.

16. November 1928 to November 1929: Office Engineer, Floyd and Lockridge, Consulting Engineers, Dallas, Texas. Supervised office work and designing in connection with the preparations of plans for water supply projects at Waco, Texas, and at San Angelo, Texas. Projects consisted of large earth and concrete dams, a five mile pipe line and a water treatment plant. Also made water supply studies and hydraulic and structural designs in connection with water supply investigation projects.
17. November 1929 to May 1931: Assistant City Engineer, City of El Paso, Texas in charge of bond issue projects. Assisted in studies and in the preparation of a report on flood control for the City of El Paso. In charge of the engineering supervision of construction of a storm sewer system for the business district of El Paso. Made structural designs and supervised the preparation of plans for a 5,000,000 gallon reinforced concrete and gunite water storage reservoir and made structural design; supervised the preparation of plans, and prepared the specifications for a 40,000,000 gallon reinforced concrete and gunite water storage reservoir.
18. May 1931 to January 1941: Engineer and Attorney, Department of State, United States Section, International Water and Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico, El Paso, Texas.
 - (a) May 1931 to June 1932: Office Engineer, San Benito, Texas, supervising office work in connection with the surveys, studies, design, estimates, and report on flood control in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.
 - (b) June 1932 to August 1932: Assistant Engineer, making field investigation of the uses of the water on the Rio Grande from El Paso to the Gulf of Mexico.
 - (c) August 1932 to August 1933: Assistant Engineer, Headquarters Office, El Paso, Texas, making hydraulic studies and computations in connection with the gaging of the flow of the Rio Grande and tributaries; and making hydraulic studies, preliminary design and cost estimates in connection with investigations of proposed reservoirs on the Rio Grande for flood control, irrigation and power development.
 - (d) August 1933 to October 1938: Designing Engineer, Headquarters Office, El Paso, Texas, supervising the designing and the preparation of plans and specifications or supervising the review of designs, plans and specifications, in connection with investigations for, and the construction of, the Lower Rio Grande Valley Flood Control Project (\$10,000,000), the Rio Grande Rectification Project in the El Paso-Jaurez Valley (\$5,000,000), the Nogales Flood Control Project in Nogales, Arizona (\$553,000), the Rio Grande Canalization Project, including the American Dam and Canal above El Paso, Texas, (\$4,000,000), and the Lower Tia Juana Valley Sanitation Project in San Diego County, California (\$145,000).
 - (e) October 1938 to December 1939: Designing Engineer and in general charge of the Headquarters Engineering Office, El Paso, Texas, and in charge of water conservation and flood control investigation along the Rio Grande between Fort Quitman and Laredo, Texas.
 - (f) December 1939 to January 1941: Acting Counsel, Headquarters Office, El Paso, Texas. Responsible for the preparation or examination of all contracts, deeds, leases, resolutions, licenses, and other legal instruments, and the handling of all legal matters in connection with the various activities of the Commission.
19. January 1941 to March 1946: On active military duty with Construction Division, Quartermaster Corps, and Corps of Engineers, United States Army. Captain, Quartermaster Corps, January to September 1941; Major, Quartermaster Corps and Corps of Engineers, September 1941 to October 1942; Lt. Colonel, Corps of Engineers, October 1942 to December 1945; Colonel, Corps of Engineers, December 1945 to March 1946.

- (a) January 1941 to January 1942: Chief, Legal and Labor Relations, 8th Construction Zone, Ft. Sam Houston, Texas. Responsible for supervision and coordination of all legal and labor relations matters in conjunction with war Construction Operations in the 8th Construction Zone, including Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arizona and Colorado.
 - (b) January 1942 to December 1942: Chief, Labor and Public Relations and Legal Branch, Lower Mississippi Valley Division Engineer Office, Vicksburg, Miss. Responsible for supervision and coordination of all labor relations, public relations, and legal matters in connection with War Construction Contracts within the Lower Mississippi Valley Division of Corps of Engineers, covering Arkansas, Louisiana and parts of Tennessee and Mississippi. Also, Chairman, War Department Deferment Reviewing Board and Member, Division Contract Renegotiation Board.
 - (c) December 1942 to May 1943: Director, Labor, Employee and Public Relations and Military Personnel Division, Southwestern Division Engineer Office, Dallas, Texas. Responsible for supervision and coordination of all labor, employee and public relations and military personnel matters in connection with War Construction Contracts within the Southwestern Division of the Corps of Engineers, covering Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Arkansas and Louisiana. Also, Member, Engineer Manpower Board, Southwestern Division.
 - (d) May 1943 to May 1944: Director, Contact Renegotiation Division, Southwestern Division Engineer Office, Dallas, Texas. Responsible for the renegotiation of all Corps of Engineers War Contracts with the Southwestern Division under the provisions of Section 403 of the 6th Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act of April 28, 1942, as amended.
 - (e) May 1944 to September 1944: Commanding Officer of Baton Rouge Engineer Depot, Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Responsible for all activities of the Baton Rouge Engineer Depot, consisting of receipt, storage, and issue of all items of engineer supply including all administrative, security and intelligence, and command functions connected therewith.
 - (f) September 1944 to January 1945 Miscellaneous Temporary Duty Assignments, Camp Claiborne, Louisiana; Ohio River Division Engineer Office, Columbus, Ohio; and Albany Engineer Depot, Albany, New York.
 - (g) January 1945 to August 1945: Student Officer in the School of Military Government, University of Virginia, and Civil Affairs Training School, University of Michigan, in preparation for Military Government duties in connection with the Military Occupation of Japan.
 - (h) August 1945 to March 1946: Patient, Percy Jones General Hospital, Battle Creek, Michigan, and on terminal leave from active duty with the United States Army.
20. March 1946 to July 1946: Student, Southern Methodist University Law School, Dallas Texas, Refresher law courses.
 21. July 1946 to January 1948: Executive Secretary and General Counsel, Texas Society of Professional Engineers, Austin, Texas.
 22. January 1948 to date: Private practice as Consulting Engineer and Attorney at Law, Austin, Texas. Consultant to Engineers, Industrial and Utility Companies, Water Control and Improvement Districts, and State Agencies on water supply, irrigation, flood control, and power projects, and basin development.



LEDBETTER, JOHN J.
Blytheville, Arkansas
Civil Engineering

Age 23; 2nd Lt.
Bat. C, Art.; A. S.
C. E.; Masonic Club.

"BLISTER"

Emerson once said, "A friend may well be reckoned the masterpiece of nature!" Those of us who have been fortunate enough to know Jack intimately, find him to be a man among men, in the true sense of the word. A more sincere and honorable man cannot be found anywhere.

Jack is a man gifted with a vivid imagination. After having once expressed his thoughts, we find that he has the grit and determination to stand by his true convictions. Thus we find Jack a loyal, trustworthy and true friend.

I've often said the Prince of Wales hasn't any reason to be especially stuck up. Right here in our midst we have the fashion-plate, the well-dressed man, and the social leader of any community.



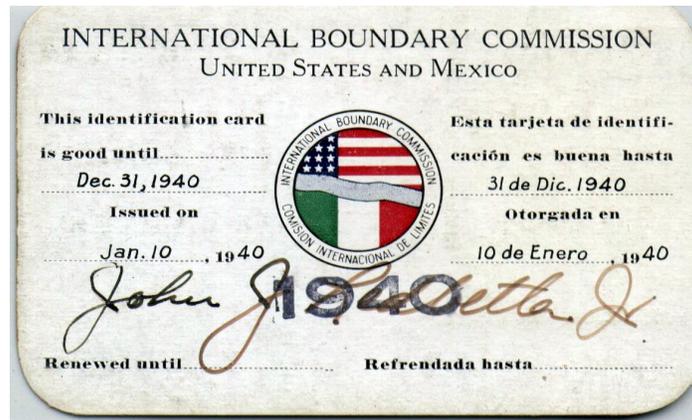
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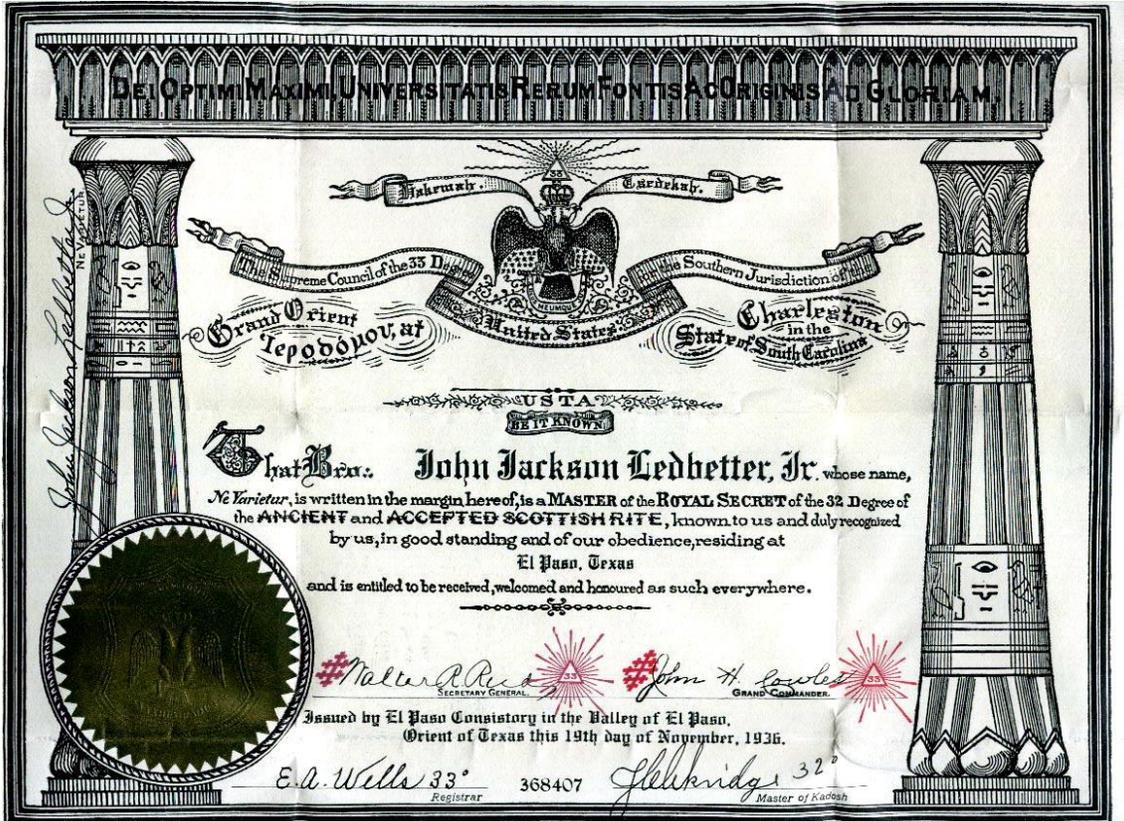
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International Boundary Commission Identification Card - 1940
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Scottish Rite Certificate, 32d Degree - November 19, 1936

WAR DEPARTMENT
Washington, 20 December, 1940.

SPECIAL ORDERS)
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24. By direction of the President under the authority contained in Public Resolution No. 94, 76th Congress, approved 27 August, 1940, Captain John Jackson Ledbetter, Jr. (O-216753), Field Artillery Reserve, is ordered to active duty with the Quartermaster Corps, effective 3 January, 1941, with permanent station at Fort Bliss, Texas. On that date he will proceed from El Paso, Texas, to Washington, D. C., reporting to the Quartermaster General for temporary duty of approximately one month for instructions, and by letter to the commanding general, Fort Bliss, Texas. Upon completion of that temporary duty he will proceed to his permanent station, reporting to the commanding general for duty. Captain Ledbetter will rank from 21 November, 1940. He will be relieved from duty in time to enable him to arrive at his home on 2 January, 1942, on which date he will revert to inactive status. The travel directed is necessary in the military service. FD 1324 P15-0621-0284-1378-0700-0730-A 1505-01 and 2.

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By Order of the Secretary of War:

G. C. MARSHALL,
Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

E. S. ADAMS,
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

A CERTIFIED TRUE COPY


G. P. LARSON,
Captain, Q.M.G.

Active Duty Orders, December 20, 1940

Army of the United States



SEPARATION QUALIFICATION RECORD

SAVE THIS FORM. IT WILL NOT BE REPLACED IF LOST

This record of job assignments and special training received in the Army is furnished to the soldier when he leaves the service. In its preparation, information is taken from available Army records and supplemented by personal interview. The information about civilian education and work experience is based on the individual's own statements. The veteran may present this document to former employers, prospective employers, representatives of schools or colleges, or use it in any other way that may prove beneficial to him.

1. LAST NAME--FIRST NAME--MIDDLE INITIAL				MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL ASSIGNMENTS		
				10. MONTHS	11. GRADE	12. MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALTY
LEDBETTER, JOHN J. JR.				30	Lt Col	Labor Relations Officer (2331)
2. ARMY SERIAL NO.	3. GRADE	4. SOCIAL SECURITY No.		12	Lt Col	Renegotiation and Contract Termination Officer (4309)
0-216 753	Lt Col	Unknown		6	Lt Col	Depot Commander, Supply (4450)
5. PERMANENT MAILING ADDRESS (Street, City, County, State)						
International Boundry Commission 627 First National Bank Building El Paso, El Paso County, Texas						
6. DATE OF ENTRY INTO ACTIVE SERVICE		7. DATE OF SEPARATION		8. DATE OF BIRTH		
3 Jan 1941		24 March 1946		23 Oct 1901		
9. PLACE OF SEPARATION						
Percy Jones Hospital Center Fort Custer, Michigan						

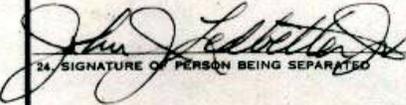
SUMMARY OF MILITARY OCCUPATIONS

13. TITLE--DESCRIPTION--RELATED CIVILIAN OCCUPATION

LABOR RELATIONS OFFICER--Was responsible for the supervision and coordination of labor relation matters relative to war construction contracts within the Southwestern Division of the Corps of Engineers.

RENEGOTIATION AND CONTRACT TERMINATION OFFICER--Served as renegotiation officer for the Corps of Engineers in the Southwest Division under provisions of the contract renegotiation laws.

DEPOT COMMANDER, SUPPLY--Responsible for all activities of the Baton Rouge Engineer Depot, consisting of receipt, storage and issue of all items of Engineer supply and all administration and command functions.

MILITARY EDUCATION			
14. NAME OR TYPE OF SCHOOL—COURSE OR CURRICULUM—DURATION—DESCRIPTION			
P.M.G., University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia, School of Military Government, 6 weeks, completed.			
P.M.G., University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan, Civil Affairs Training School, 6 months, completed. Studied Japanese language, institutions and culture.			
CIVILIAN EDUCATION			
15. HIGHEST GRADE COMPLETED	16. DEGREES OR DIPLOMAS	17. YEAR LEFT SCHOOL	OTHER TRAINING OR SCHOOLING
4 years College	B.S.C.E.	1925	20. COURSE—NAME AND ADDRESS OF SCHOOL—DATE
18. NAME AND ADDRESS OF LAST SCHOOL ATTENDED			21. DURATION
Texas Agricultural and Mechanical College Station, Texas			Law LaSalle Extension University Chicago, Illinois 1931-1935 (Correspondence) 4 years
19. MAJOR COURSES OF STUDY			
Civil Engineering			
CIVILIAN OCCUPATIONS			
22. TITLE—NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER—INCLUSIVE DATES—DESCRIPTION			
<p>ENGINEER, HYDRAULIC AND CONSTRUCTION--Was in charge of Engineering Department for the International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico for 8 years from 1931 to 1939 with headquarters at El Paso, Texas. Handled conservation, flood control and sanitation projects along the international boundary between United States and Mexico.</p> <p>LAWYER--Passed the Texas State Bar in January 1935. Is a licensed attorney for practice in the Federal Courts and in the state of Texas. Served for one year as head of the legal section of International Boundary Commission, United States and Mexico.</p>			
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION			
23. REMARKS			
24. SIGNATURE OF PERSON BEING SEPARATED		25. SIGNATURE OF SEPARATION CLASSIFICATION OFFICER	26. NAME OF OFFICER (Typed or Stamped)
			PAUL K. BENJAMIN, Capt AGD

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE—O-857477

Separation Orders (back), March 24, 1946



Army of the United States

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This is to certify that

COLONEL JOHN J LEDBETTER JR 0216753 C E

*honorably served in active Federal Service
in the Army of the United States from*

3 JANUARY 1941 *to* 24 MARCH 1946

Given at

WASHINGTON D C

on the THIRTIETH

day of

SEPTEMBER

1946

Leore Beck
Adjutant General

Certificate of Service, September 30, 1946

**MILITARY RECORD AND REPORT OF SEPARATION
CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

1. LAST NAME - FIRST NAME - MIDDLE INITIAL Ledbetter John J Jr		2. ARMY SERIAL NUMBER 0216753	3. AUS. GRADE Col	4. ARM OR SERVICE C E	5. COMPONENT ORG
6. ORGANIZATION 3650th SCU Detachment #1 Civil Affairs Training School University of Michigan Ann Arbor Michigan		7. DATE OF RELIEF FROM ACTIVE DUTY 24 Mar 1946	8. PLACE OF SEPARATION Percy Jones Hospital Center Fort Custer Michigan		
9. PERMANENT ADDRESS FOR MAILING PURPOSES International Boundary Commission 627 First National Bank Building El Paso (El Paso County) Texas		10. DATE OF BIRTH 23 Oct 1901	11. PLACE OF BIRTH Holcomb Missouri		
12. ADDRESS FROM WHICH EMPLOYMENT WILL BE SOUGHT See 9		13. COLOR EYES Gray	14. COLOR HAIR Brown	15. HEIGHT 5'7 1/2"	16. WEIGHT 160 lbs.
17. NO. OF DEPENDENTS 3		18. MARITAL STATUS MARRIED		19. CIVILIAN OCCUPATION AND NO. Engineer Hydraulic and Construction	
19. RACE WHITE		20. U.S. CITIZEN YES		21. CIVILIAN OCCUPATION AND NO. Engineer Hydraulic and Construction	

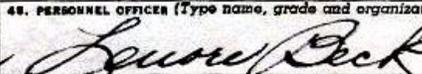
MILITARY HISTORY

22. REGISTERED YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	23. LOCAL U. S. BOARD NUMBER	24. COUNTY AND STATE	25. HOME ADDRESS AT TIME OF ENTRY ON ACTIVE DUTY See 9	
26. DATE OF ENTRY ON ACTIVE DUTY 3 January 1941		27. MILITARY OCCUPATIONAL SPECIALTY AND NO. Labor Relations Officer 2331		
28. BATTLES AND CAMPAIGNS None				
29. DECORATIONS AND CITATIONS American Defense Service Medal American Campaign Medal World War II Victory Medal				
30. WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION None				
31. SERVICE SCHOOLS ATTENDED School of Military Gov't University of Va Civil Affairs Tng Sch University of Mich		32. SERVICE OUTSIDE CONTINENTAL U. S. AND RETURN DATE OF DEPARTURE DESTINATION DATE OF ARRIVAL N O N E		
33. REASON AND AUTHORITY FOR SEPARATION Physical Disability Par 23 80 195 Percy Jones Hospital Center Ft Custer Michigan Dated 15 November 1945				
34. CONTINENTAL SERVICE YEARS MONTHS DAYS 5 2 22		35. FOREIGN SERVICE YEARS MONTHS DAYS N O N E		36. EDUCATION (years) GRAMMAR SCHOOL HIGH SCHOOL COLLEGE 8 4 4

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37. KIND OF INSURANCE Nat. Serv. U.S. Govt. None X	37. HOW PAID Allotment Direct to V.A. X	38. Effective Date of Allotment Discontinuance 31 Mar 1946	39. Date of Next Premium Due (one month after 38) 30 Apr 1946	40. PREMIUM DUE EACH MONTH 8.50	41. INTENTION OF VETERAN TO Continue Continue only Discontinue X
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42. FINGER PRINT 	43. REMARKS (This space for completion of above items or entry of other items specified in W. D. Directives) Lapel Button Issued ASR (2 Sept 1945) 80
	44. SIGNATURE OF OFFICER BEING SEPARATED 
45. PERSONNEL OFFICER (Type name, grade and organization - signature)  Adjutant General	

WD AGO FORM 83-89
1 November 1944

This form supersedes all previous editions of WD AGO Forms 53 and 280 for officers entitled to a Certificate of Service, which will not be used after receipt of this revision.

Certificate of Service (back), September 30, 1946



1949

**John J. Ledbetter, San Antonio
Executive Secretary, Texas Society of Professional Engineers, 1946-49**

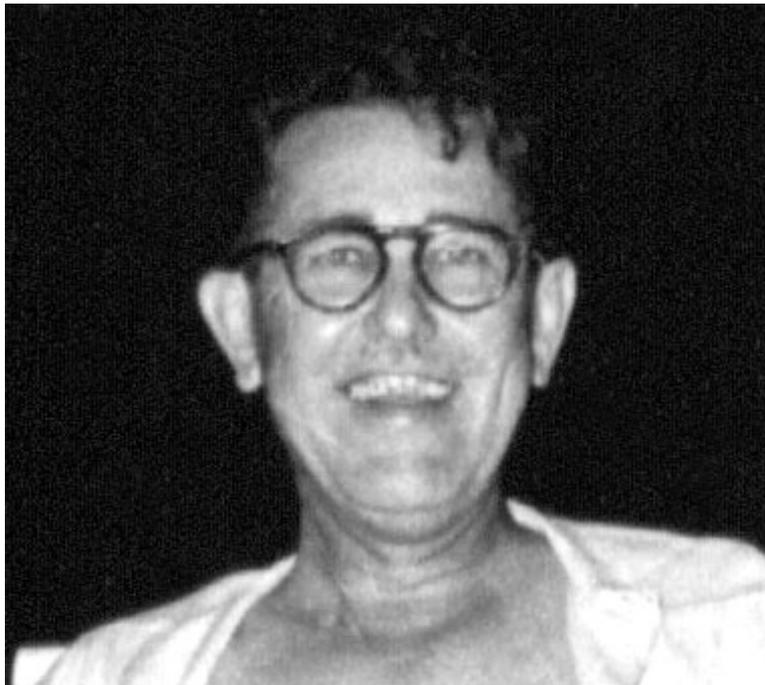
The duties of TSPE Secretary grew in stature and responsibility to the point where, in 1946, a committee was formed to study the need for a full-time paid Executive Secretary. A decision was made and, on June 27, 1946, the Executive Board selected John J. Ledbetter, a registered engineer, a licensed attorney and a colonel in the Corps of Engineers on inactive status. The Executive Secretary was charged with the operation of the headquarters office under the direction of the Executive Board and was available for assignment to such special duties as the Board elected. Ledbetter entered private employment during 1948 and continued as Executive Secretary on a part time basis only. During the 1949 Annual Meeting in Waco, the Executive Committee reinstated Ledbetter not only as Executive Secretary but also as General Counsel. Ledbetter agreed to remain only until a qualified replacement could be selected.

Effective March 1, 1950, Wallace M. Driskoll was appointed as Executive Secretary, and John Ledbetter dedicated his efforts to the responsibilities of General Council.

Taken from "Texas Society of Professional Engineers 1936-1973."



Christmas 1949



Summer 1950

THE FAMILY OF JOHN JACKSON LEDBETTER, JR.

Generation No. 1

1. JOHN JACKSON⁷ LEDBETTER, JR. (*JOHN JACKSON⁶, JOHN THOMAS⁵, DOCTOR JACKSON⁴, HENRY³, DRURY², HENRY¹*) was born Oct 23, 1901 in Holcomb, Missouri, and died Jul 19, 1963 in Austin, Texas. He married LORAIN LEONORA LACKEY Sep 5, 1925, daughter of LEON LACKEY and ALLIE NUCKOLS.

Children of JOHN LEDBETTER and LORAIN LACKEY are:

2. i. JACK WALLACE⁸ LEDBETTER, b. Mar 31, 1930, El Paso, Texas.
3. ii. WILLIAM BURL LEDBETTER, b. Sep 15, 1934, El Paso, Texas.

Generation No. 2

2. JACK WALLACE⁸ LEDBETTER (*JOHN JACKSON⁷, JOHN JACKSON⁶, JOHN THOMAS⁵, DOCTOR JACKSON⁴, HENRY³, DRURY², HENRY¹*) was born Mar 31, 1930 in El Paso, Texas. He married (1) IRIS GERALDINE AMICK Sep 3, 1952 in Austin, Texas. He married (2) BILLE VAUGHN BAILEY Nov 25, 1979 in Austin, Texas.

Children of JACK LEDBETTER and IRIS AMICK are:

4. i. JOHN JACKSON⁹ LEDBETTER II, b. Jul 19, 1954, Portsmouth, Virginia; d. Mar 19, 1990, Austin, Texas.
- ii. ROBERT GORDON LEDBETTER, b. Feb 27, 1960, Austin, Texas; m. TERESA LYN MCCLELLAN, 1993, Austin, TX.
5. iii. BRENDA JEAN LEDBETTER, b. Nov 22, 1961, Austin, Texas.
- iv. GLENN ANDREW LEDBETTER, b. Feb 24, 1963, Austin, Texas.

3. WILLIAM BURL⁸ LEDBETTER (*JOHN JACKSON⁷, JOHN JACKSON⁶, JOHN THOMAS⁵, DOCTOR JACKSON⁴, HENRY³, DRURY², HENRY¹*) was born Sep 15, 1934 in El Paso, Texas. He married (1) BARBARA JEAN McDUFFIE Aug 27, 1955 in Austin, Texas. He married (2) BONNIE SUE SHELTON Nov 26, 1976 in College Station, Texas, daughter of ROBERT SHELTON and IDELLA WOLF.

Children of WILLIAM LEDBETTER and BARBARA McDUFFIE are:

6. i. WILLIAM BURL⁹ LEDBETTER, JR, b. Jun 13, 1957, Austin, Texas.
7. ii. CRAIG ALAN LEDBETTER, b. Feb 20, 1963, Austin, Texas.
8. iii. KATHLEEN ELAINE LEDBETTER, b. Jan 15, 1965, Bryan, Texas.
9. iv. PAUL MARNEY LEDBETTER, b. Nov 5, 1967, Bryan, Texas.

Generation No. 3

4. JOHN JACKSON⁹ LEDBETTER II (*JACK WALLACE⁸, JOHN JACKSON⁷, JOHN JACKSON⁶, JOHN THOMAS⁵, DOCTOR JACKSON⁴, HENRY³, DRURY², HENRY¹*) was born Jul 19, 1954 in Portsmouth, Virginia, and died Mar 19, 1990 in Austin, Texas. He married (1) TRISHA HAMILTON Abt. 1971 in Austin, Texas. He married (2) PAULA HINES Nov 1, 1974 in Odessa, Texas.

Child of JOHN LEDBETTER and PAULA HINES is:

- i. MELINDA GREY¹⁰ LEDBETTER, b. May 19, 1988, Austin, Texas.

5. BRENDA JEAN⁹ LEDBETTER (*JACK WALLACE⁸, JOHN JACKSON⁷, JOHN JACKSON⁶, JOHN THOMAS⁵, DOCTOR JACKSON⁴, HENRY³, DRURY², HENRY¹*) was born Nov 22, 1961 in Austin, Texas. She married RICHARD JAMES STAPLES 1990 in Pettus, TX.

Child of BRENDA LEDBETTER and RICHARD STAPLES is:

- i. MARSHALL KAELAN¹⁰ STAPLES, b. Jan 14, 1992, Austin, Texas.

6. WILLIAM BURL⁹ LEDBETTER, JR (*WILLIAM BURL⁸, JOHN JACKSON⁷, JOHN JACKSON⁶, JOHN THOMAS⁵, DOCTOR JACKSON⁴, HENRY³, DRURY², HENRY¹*) was born Jun 13, 1957 in Austin, Texas. He married DONNA GLENN Aug 20, 1978 in College Station, Texas, daughter of JAMES GLENN and MARY RISTER.

Children of WILLIAM LEDBETTER and DONNA GLENN are:

- i. MICAH REUBEN¹⁰ LEDBETTER, b. Mar 11, 1985, Austin, Texas.
- ii. HANNAH REBEKAH LEDBETTER, b. Sep 19, 1986, Austin, Texas.
- iii. LEAH RACHEL LEDBETTER, b. Dec 1, 1989, Austin, Texas.
- iv. JOSIAH JAMES LEDBETTER, b. May 10, 1991, Austin, Texas.
- v. NOAH DAVID LEDBETTER, b. Jan 9, 1994, Austin, Texas.

7. CRAIG ALAN⁹ LEDBETTER (*WILLIAM BURL⁸, JOHN JACKSON⁷, JOHN JACKSON⁶, JOHN THOMAS⁵, DOCTOR JACKSON⁴, HENRY³, DRURY², HENRY¹*) was born Feb 20, 1963 in Austin, Texas. He married JUANITA MAE DICKEN May 24, 1985 in Springfield, Missouri.

Children of CRAIG LEDBETTER and JUANITA DICKEN are:

- i. SHARON ROSE¹⁰ LEDBETTER, b. Jan 27, 1987.
- ii. JOEL NATHANIEL LEDBETTER, b. Sep 19, 1988.
- iii. RUTH ELIZABETH LEDBETTER, b. May 27, 1990.
- iv. JOSHUA LUKE LEDBETTER, b. Sep 23, 1993.
- v. SARAH GRACE LEDBETTER, b. Oct 4, 1997, Ballincolig, Cork, Ireland.

8. KATHLEEN ELAINE⁹ LEDBETTER (*WILLIAM BURL⁸, JOHN JACKSON⁷, JOHN JACKSON⁶, JOHN THOMAS⁵, DOCTOR JACKSON⁴, HENRY³, DRURY², HENRY¹*) was born Jan 15, 1965 in Bryan, Texas. She married (1) EUGENE MYERS. She married (2) JERRY EHRLICH Dec 14, 1991 in Pflugerville, Texas.

Child of KATHLEEN LEDBETTER and EUGENE MYERS is:

- i. TRAVIS EUGENE¹⁰ MYERS, b. Jul 5, 1986, Austin, Texas.

Children of KATHLEEN LEDBETTER and JERRY EHRLICH are:

- ii. ROBERT CODY¹⁰ EHRLICH, b. Dec 19, 1993, Austin, Texas.
- iii. HUNTER ELAINE EHRLICH, b. Dec 20, 1998, Austin, Texas.

9. PAUL MARNEY⁹ LEDBETTER (*WILLIAM BURL⁸, JOHN JACKSON⁷, JOHN JACKSON⁶, JOHN THOMAS⁵, DOCTOR JACKSON⁴, HENRY³, DRURY², HENRY¹*) was born Nov 5, 1967 in Bryan, Texas. He married MARGARET ROSE HANRAHAN Nov 19, 1994 in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Child of PAUL LEDBETTER and MARGARET HANRAHAN is:

- i. SARA ROSE¹⁰ LEDBETTER, b. May 30, 1996, Austin, Texas.



J.J. Ledbetter and Leonora Lackey - 1925



**Leonora Lackey Ledbetter with
Jack and Bill Ledbetter - 1935**



Leonora Lackey Ledbetter - ~ 1940



Jack and Bill Ledbetter, December 1953