

BORDER PATROL U. S. IMMIGRATION SERVICE

WHEREAS, MYLES J. SCANNELL, Assistant Chief Patrol Inspector of the U. S. Border Patrol of the United States Immigration Service, did at seven forty-five o'clock on the September 9, 1929, at Polvo, Texas, make the supreme sacrifice by giving his life to his Country,

WHEREAS, he had successively as a Mounted Guard, Mounted Watchman, Patrol Inspector, Senior Patrol Inspector and Assistant Chief Patrol Inspector, given unstintedly of his talents, and with devotion and courage, in the enforcement of the laws of his Country, and

WHEREAS, through his devotion, fearlessness, honesty, loyalty, wisdom, friendly helpfulness, he endeared himself to, and set an example for, his fellow officers and men in those of the organization to which he had consecrated his life, whom it was his duty to guide and train, the very highest ideals of manhood and righteousness, and

WHEREAS, his place in this organization and in the hearts of his fellow officers can never be filled by another, and

WHEREAS, the good he has done will live after him throughout the years to come and his life will be a lasting inspiration to the officers who knew and survive him, and

WHEREAS, no officer of this organization has more fully lived up to its watch-word "HONOR FIRST", and

WHEREAS, we, his fellow officers, realizing the loss and the depth of sorrow suffered by the kinsfolk of the deceased, through his untimely taking off, and realizing especially what it may mean in the way of pride and inspiration to the fatherless boy when he reaches man's estate to know in what esteem his father was held and how honorably he lived and died in the service of his Country,

WE, his brother officers, tender this testimonial, and

RESOLVE, that copies hereof be furnished to his kinfolk and that a copy be filed with and made a part of the permanent official records of the organization.

Subscribed at Marfa, Texas, this 10th day of September, 1929.

W. J. Scannell
Chief Patrol Inspector

Earl Falter
Senior Patrol Inspector

W. J. Scannell
Senior Patrol Inspector

Emmett Hunter
Senior Patrol Inspector

Shelby Barnes
Senior Patrol Inspector

W. J. Scannell
Senior Patrol Inspector

Ware Astor
Patrol Inspector

Charles Holmes
Patrol Inspector

Alvin N. Adams
Patrol Inspector

James W. Miller
Patrol Inspector

W. J. Scannell
Patrol Inspector

Chas. S. Bowling
Patrol Inspector

Gene R. Postley
Patrol Inspector

W. J. Scannell
Patrol Inspector

W. J. Scannell
Patrol Inspector

Warren Kroeger
Patrol Inspector

W. J. Scannell
Clerk

W. J. Scannell
Mechanic

Juan Dominguez
Laborer