

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company..... Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of..... Johnson.....

I, Joseph Hugh Ince....., born in..... Derden.....

in the State of..... Texas....., aged..... 47..... years and..... 8..... months, and by occupation a

Special Officer.....do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this..... 14th.....day of

October....., 1925, 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 I 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 furthermore swear that I have not, directly nor indirectly, paid, offered or promised to pay, contributed nor promised to contribute, any money or valuable thing, or promised any public office or employment, to secure my appointment. So help me God.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this..... 14..... day of..... Oct..... A. D. 1925.....
Joseph Hugh Ince

Fill in description below.
J. O. Carter
Notary Public Johnson Co

I certify that..... Joseph Hugh Ince....., 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..... 47..... years

..... 8..... months of age. Height..... 6..... feet..... 1..... inches. Complexion..... Fair..... Eyes..... Blue.....
Hair..... Light..... Born at..... Derden..... County of..... Hill..... State of..... Texas

Occupation..... Special Officer..... Married or single..... Married..... Previous service.....

Grocery Clerk

Residence..... P. O. Box 181, Cleburne, Texas.

Remarks:.....

Caption Co..... Ranger Force.

Santa Fe

A. G. O. Form 21.
Authorized July 7, 1905.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

**OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE**

Santa Fe Ry.

Name **Joseph H. Ince.**

Rank **Private.**

Company..... Ranger Force

Station **Cleburne.**

Warrant dated **October 14, 1925**

Discharged **April 8, 1927**

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer Joseph H. Ince,
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 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Ap-
proved March 31, 1919, 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 surrendered 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 Joseph H. Ince, Rank Private,
Age 47 years 8 months, Where born Derden, Texas,
Height 6 feet 1 inch, Occupation Sp. Of. Santa Fe Ry.,
Hair Light, Enlisted Where Austin, Texas,
Eyes Blue, Enlisted When October 14, 1925,
Complexion Fair, Enlisted by Whom Gen. Mark McGee,

The warrant is void after Oct. 14, 1927, and also becomes void at any
time the holder leaves the service of the Santa Fe Railroad Co.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this 14th
day of October 1925

Mark McGee

The Adjutant General.

Attest: *R. M. Hedrick*

Captain Ranger Force

Commanding Co. _____

ENLISTMENT, OATH OF SERVICE, AND DESCRIPTION RANGER FORCE

Company.....Ranger Force, Station.....

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF Galveston

I, Joseph Hugh Ince, born in Derden, Hill County,
in the State of Texas, aged 45 years and 6 months, and by occupation a
Special Officer, GC&SF do hereby acknowledge to have voluntarily enlisted this 10th day of
July, 1923, 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 I 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.

Joseph Hugh Ince
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of July A. D. 1923.

Joe Brumby
Notary Public

Fill in description below.

I certify that Joseph Hugh Ince, 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 45 years
6 months of age. Height 6 feet 1 inches. Complexion Fair Eyes Blue
Hair Light Born at Derden County of Hill State of Texas
Occupation Special Officer, GC&SF Married or single Married Previous service.....
Residence Box 181, Cleburne, Texzs.

Remarks:

Captain Co.....Ranger Force.

Santa Fe

A. G. O. Form 21.
Authorized July 7, 1905.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

Sp. Of.

OATH OF MEMBERS
RANGER FORCE

Santa Fe

Name *Joseph H. Ince,*

Rank *Private,*

Company _____, *Ranger Force*

Station _____

Warrant dated July 10, 1923
Discharged July 10, 1925

THE STATE



OF TEXAS

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT

Warrant of Authority and Descriptive List

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That the bearer..... Joseph Hugh Ince

is a..... Private..... in Company..... Ranger Force, State of Texas, and this is his Warrant of Authority as a Ranger, under an Act of the 36th Legislature of the State of Texas, Approved March 31, 1919, 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 surrendered 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.....	Joseph Hugh Ince	Rank.....	Private
Age.....	45 years, 6 months	Where born.....	Derden, Hill Co., Texas.
Height.....	6 feet, 1 inch	Occupation.....	Special Officer, GC&SF Ry
Hair.....	Light	Enlisted Where.....	Galveston, Texas
Eyes.....	Blue	Enlisted When.....	July 10, 1923
Complexion.....	Fair	Enlisted by Whom.....	Joe L Grundy Notary Public

Given under my hand and seal of office, this..... 10th
day of..... July..... 1923

R. W. Adair
Actg. Asst. The Adjutant General.

Attest:
Captain Ranger Force
Commanding Co.....