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REFERENCE SERVICE SLIP
Archival Research Room Record Request
National Archives at St. Louis

Date: 5/15/2023

REQUESTER INFORMATION

Name (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Researcher ID Card Number
Anderson, Kraig, L.	23-003
E-Mail Address:	**Phone Number:**
kraiga@gmail.com	858-357-5100

INFORMATION NEEDED TO LOCATE RECORDS (Furnish as much as possible)

Name used in Service (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Service Number/SSN	Date & Place of Birth
Arlington, Robert, E		1875 MA

MILITARY SERVICE

Branch of Service:
- ☐ Air Force
- ☐ Army Air Corps
- ☐ Army Air Force
- ☐ Army
- ☐ Marine Corps
- ☐ Navy
- ☐ Coast Guard
- ☐ Unknown

Type of Rank:
- ☐ Enlisted
- ☐ Officer
- ☐ Unknown

Service Period (Check all that apply):
- ☑ 1939 & Prior
- ☐ 1940 - 1950
- ☐ 1950 & After

Date & Place of Death:

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

Other Identifying Information (Parent's Names, CSC Number, etc.)

Researcher Signature: Kraig Anderson

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service	From: 1917	To: 1918
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:

Other Identifying Information (Maiden Name, Job Title, etc.)

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STAFF USE ONLY

Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number: 2-280568210 65

Attendant Signature:

CMRS Search Request Number(s):

Remarks:

JUN 2 AM 9:03

SCREENING NOTES

- ☐ Reviewed and Nothing Removed
- ☐ Items Removed and User Informed

Hold Requested: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Total Requests:

Screened Items:

☐ Additional charge outs and signatures on reverse side

Time Out:

Final Return:

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

Employee Name: ARLINGTON Robert E. **DOB:** 1875 POB: MA
DOS 1917-1918

Records checked:

Agency: Commerce 6028	Area: Bay 10, Lower Catwalk	positive	(negative)
Agency: Commerce 6029	Area: Bay 10, Lower Catwalk	positive	(negative)
Agency: Old Commerce	Area: Bay 10, Lower Catwalk	positive	(negative)

AND

Agency: Treasury 2189	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	(positive)	negative
Agency: Treasury 2188	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	(negative)
Agency: Old Treasury	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	(positive)	negative

If Negative:

Agency: Treasury SRCs series 1	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Treasury SRCs series 2	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Treasury SRCs series 3	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Coast Guard SRCs	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative

If Negative:

CMRS: possible CG service	Area: _____	positive	negative
ARCIS: _____	Area: _____	positive	negative

Notes: ~~SERVED 1885-1893; DIED 1930; CURRITUCK BEACH~~

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR,
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

WW--IC.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

incl.

Returned

SUPERINTENDENT
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 18TH DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Nov. 8, 1918.

Mr. R. E. Arlington,
518 So. Grand Avenue,
Los Angeles, Cal.

– by P.O office or people living there.

Sir:

There is inclosed a copy of a letter dated August 2, 1918, charging you with permanently leaving the Los Angeles Harbor Light Station without authority while you were serving there as Second Assistant Keeper.

No response has been received to this communication. An immediate reply thereto is requested.

In the absence and by direction of the Superintendent.

Respectfully,

R. J. Otter.

First Assistant Superintendent.

File

COPY-LS

HWR:IG

REGISTERED MAIL

A ugust 2nd, 1918.

Mr. R. E. Arlington,
Second Asst. Keeper, Los Angeles Harbor Light Station.

Through the Keeper.

The Keeper of the Los Angeles Harbor Light Station has informed this office that you left your station at 7 a. m. on July 24th on twenty-four hours leave of absence, and that you did not again return to your station until July 31st at which time you removed your personal effects from the station.

You are charged with being absent from your station without due authority and with finally leaving the station permanently without having been properly relieved to the embarressment of and interference with the work of this Service.

You are requested to make reply to these charges in writing as soon as practicable and to show cause, if any exists, why you should not be dismissed from the Service for unfaithful conduct and neglect of duty.

H. W. Rhodes

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

WW--IC.

. incl.

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No response has been received to this communication. An immediate reply thereto is requested.

In the absence and by direction of the Superintendent.

Respectfully,

F. J. Oster.

First Assistant Superintendent.

WW:AMG
Enc.

Aug. 19,1918.

Keeper, Los Angeles Harbor Light Station

The sum of $12.00 has been received from R. E. Arlington, former 2nd Assistant Keeper of Los Angeles Harbor Light Station, in settlement of his account with the station mess.

The $12.00 is covered by the accompanying personal check of Wm. Wilson, the Special Disbursing Agent of the District.

RHODES

WW:AMG
Enc.

Aug. 19,1918

Mr. R. E. Arlington,
518 So. Grand Avenue,
Los Angeles, California.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your endorsed check for $20.00, $12.00 of which is to be forwarded by this office to the Keeper of Los Angeles Harbor Light Station to settle your mess account at that station. The balance of the check amounting to $8.00 is covered by personal check of the Special Disbursing Agent of this District, Wm. Wilson.

There is also forwarded Special Disbursing Agent's Government check for $27.60. The total amount of your salary and ration allowance for the month of July was $27.60.

Respectfully,

H.W. Rhode

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Lighthouse Inspector 8/14/18
18th District
San Francisco, Cal,

Sir.

I have just been informed that mail for me has been returned to your office. Please remail to

578 - So Grand Ave
Los Angeles, Cal

You may also make out check for $12.00 to the Keeper H. Muller at Los Angeles Harbor Light Station and I will endorse same and return to your office

Respectfully
Robt. E. Arlington

RECEIVED
AUG 1 1918
Light House Service
SAN FRANCISCO

R. E. Arlington
Los Angeles.
Calif.

Loch.
% 200 In # 386
West 4th St



Los Angeles Cal
Aug 3rd 1918

Superintendent of Lighthouses
18th Lighthouse District
San Francisco. Cal,

Sir:

I sent in by mail my resignation dated July 25th 1918 to take effect immediatly and have turned over all government property to the Keeper in charge of Los Angeles Harbor Light Station that was charged up to me at said station. As I have taken a position with the U S Shipping Building Board my salery not being enough to support myself and wife I would request that my check be sent to me here at Los Angeles. Address above

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SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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Enc.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 18TH DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Aug. 16,1918

Mr. R. E. Arlington,
518 So. Grand Avenue,
Los Angeles, California.

Sir:

Referring to the $12.00 which you owe the Los Angeles Harbor Light Station mess.

There is enclosed check for $20.00, which it is requested that you endorse and return to this office. The sum of $12.00 will then be forwarded to the Keeper of Los Angeles Harbor Light Station to settle your account. The balance of $8.00 and also a check for $27.60, which will cover the total amount due to you for salary and rations for the month of July, will then be mailed to you.

Respectfully,

H. W. Rhodes.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

WW:AMG
Enc.

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Respectfully,

H. W. Rhodes.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

WW:AMG

Aug.6,1918

Mr. R. E. Arlington,
c/o Secretary, L.O.O.M. #386,
386 West 4th Street,
Los Angeles, California.

Sir:

Referring to your letter of August 3rd, the Keeper of Los Angeles Harbor Light Station states that you owe their mess $12.00.

It is requested that you mail a check to the Keeper of the light station for this amount.

If you have not the cash available, this office will draw two checks for your July pay, one for $12.00, which will be mailed to you for endorsement and return to this office.

Respectfully,

Geo. Rhodes.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Copy for information andguidance of Keeper of Los Angeles Harbor Light Station.

RHODES

HWR-IC.

REGISTERED MAIL.

August 2nd, 1918.

Mr. R. E. Arlington,
Second Asst. Keeper, Los Angeles Harbor Light Station.

Through the Keeper.

The Keeper of the Los Angeles Harbor Light Station has informed this office that you left your station at 7 a.m. on July 24th on twenty-four hours leave of absence, and that you did not again return to your station until July 31st at which time you removed your personal effects from the station.

You are charged with being absent from your station without due authority and with finally leaving the station permanently without having been properly relieved to the embarrassment of and interference with the work of this Service.

You are requested to make reply to these charges in writing as soon as practicable and to show cause, if any exists, why you should not be dismissed from the Service for unfaithful conduct and neglect of duty.

H. W. Rhodes.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 2, 1918.

Copy for information of Bureau.

San Francisco, Cal., August 2, 1918.

Copy for information of Keeper, Los Angeles Harbor Light Station.
Original of this letter has been sent by registered mail addressed to Mr. R. E. Arlington, General Delivery, San Pedro, Cal. If Mr. Arlington has changed his post office address, please advise the post master at San Pedro to that effect and request that the letter be forwarded.
Steps will be taken to obtain the amount of $12, which you state Mr. Arlington owes the mess account at your station whenever his accounts are finally settled.

RHODES

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT

Los Angeles Harbor
(Station, Depot, or Vessel.)

July 31, 1918

Superintendent of Lighthouses, 18th.Dist.
San Francisco, Cal.

Sir:-

I respectfully inform ~~inform~~ you that R.E.Arlington,2nd.assistant,who has been absent without permission since 7am .July 25th. called here this day and removed his personal effects, stating that he had sent in his resignation on the 27th.inst.and that he expected to get work in one of the local shipyards.

Arlington has made a satisfactory return of all Government property under his charge, but he owes the mess $12.00,which is the sum of this month's bill. We are not over-confident of receiving it if the matter is left to him for adjustment,therefore,we respectfully request that the amount be deducted from his final check,or that such action be taken as will insure justice being done.

Respectfully,

Willard Miller
Keeper.

Frank Keller
1st.Assistant.

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SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT

Los Angeles Harbor
(Station, Depot, or Vessel.)

July 29, 8am., 1918

Superintendent of Lighthouses, 18th. Dist.
San Francisco, California.

Sir:-

I respectfully report that R.E. Arlington, 2nd. assistant, left station at 7am. July 24th. on twenty four hours leave of absence, and has not yet returned, being now ninty seven hours overleave.

Arlington is showing an increasing tendency to disregard the Regulations concerning shore liberty, and has already received one warning from the Office for outstaying his leave in February. As his undependability in this respect may cause considerable inconvenience and annoyance I believe it necessary to bring the matter to your attention at once, instead of postponing it until regular monthly report.

Respectfully,

Millard Miller.
Keeper.

COPY-LS

HWR:IG

REGISTERED MAIL

A ugust 2nd, 1918.

Mr. R. E. Arlington,
Second Asst. Keeper, Los Angeles Harbor Light Station.

Through the Keeper.

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H. W. Rhodes

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

WW--IC.

incl.

April 9, 1918.

2nd Asst. Keeper, Los Angeles Harbor Lt. Sta.,

Through the Keeper.

Referring to the approval of the leave of absence taken by you from March 8, to March 13.

You are informed that the rules of the Lighthouse Service provide that all leaves of absence be applied for and obtained in advance, except under an extreme case of emergency. You are, therefore, directed not to absent yourself fromthe station again without obtaining proper advance authority.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector.

Otter.

For Keeper's letter of Mar. 14, 1918, relative to above leave see Los Angeles 4th. File.

W. W.

notify Arlington that this must not occur again - He should make appl. in advance

Form 319
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUBVOUCHER

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
JAN 17 1918
DIST. 19[illegible]

Jan 11 1918

Received in Cash of Otto H. Miller

$ 0.50 Fifty Cents Dollars

For hauling 6 sks groceries from Pier 15 to Pier 18.

$ 0.50

J. Roberts

11—909

NOT TO BE SIGNED OR FURNISHED IN DUPLICATE

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SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
JAN 17 1918
SAN FRANCISCO

WW:AMG
Enc.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 18TH DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Jan. 12, 1918

Mr. Robert E. Arlington, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Los Angeles Harbor Light Station

(Through the Keeper)

In compliance with request contained in your letter of January 9th, groceries and tin ware (5 boxes and 1 carton) were shipped on the Steamer "Yale" on January 11th, charges collect.

The original bill of lading is enclosed.

There is also enclosed a receipt of the expressman for 50¢ for cartage on the shipment from the Lighthouse Warehouse, Pier 15, to the Steamer "Yale", Pier 18. This 50¢ was advanced by the Chief Clerk and should be forwarded by you to reimburse him.

IN THE ABSENCE AND BY DIRECTION OF THE INSPECTOR

Otter.

W. W.

W W

Mr. Wm Wilson
San Francisco
Calif.
Sir.

Enclosed please find money order for 50¢ to reimburse you for your favor of the 11th inst. Many thanks.

Respectfully
Robt. E. Arlington
2nd Asst. Keeper

WW:AMG
Enc.

Jan. 12, 1918

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Los Angeles Harbor Light Station

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IN THE ABSENCE AND BY DIRECTION OF THE INSPECTOR

Otter.

Sheet 3

For use in connection with form of Straight Bill of Lading

Form 1720-3.26.1917. (In Trip.) 75M sets

THIS MEMORANDUM
(FOR SHIPPER)

is an acknowledgment that a bill of lading has been issued and is not the Original Bill of Lading, nor a copy or duplicate, covering the property named herein, and is intended solely for filing or record.

San Francisco DATE Jan 11 1918

RECEIVED BY **PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY**, hereinafter called carrier,

From U.S Light house Inspector 18th Dist

To be forwarded in whole or in part on **STEAMER** Yale or on such other steamer or steamers as Carrier may employ, the bulk freight and/or packages enumerated hereon in apparent good order, except when otherwise noted—the value, weight, quantity, quality or condition of or contents of or the marks on said packages not being known to Carrier—the same to be so forwarded with such reasonable dispatch as general business of Carrier will permit, to the port or landing of San Pedro

(Here insert name of Steamer's place of delivery)

or so near thereto as safe navigation of such vessel or vessels shall then permit, and there at vessel's tackle and in like condition to be delivered unto below named consignee, or if said consignee be not on hand to so receive same or if said pacakges be destined beyond said last mentioned port or place, then to any lighterman or wharfinger or to any forwarder or other carrier for and instead of said consignee; and freight at tariff rates (unless otherwise agreed) and all charges advanced by Carrier and average shall be due and payable on any such delivery, and full freight charges to be so due and payable on all damaged or unsound packages; and to secure payment of such charges said packages are hereby pledged to Carrier. In no event shall Carrier be liable for loss of or damage to any package after it be unhooked from vessel's tackles at above mentioned place of delivery. Carrier shall have all rights and benefits granted to ship owner or Carrier by Sections 2120, 2121, 2131, 2132, 2148 and 2174, Civil Code of California, together with the benefit of all Mexican or British or Dominion or Colonial or Provincial laws further limiting or permitting a limitation of liability.

If the owner of the vessel on which said packages be laden shall have exercised due diligence to make said vessel in all respects seaworthy, and properly manned, equipped and supplied, it is hereby agreed that in case of danger, damage or disaster resulting from fault or negligence of the pilot, master or crew, in the navigation or management of the vessel, or from latent or other defects, or unseaworthiness of the vessel, whether existing at time of shipment or at the beginning of the voyage, but not discoverable by due diligence, the consignees or owners of the cargo shall not be exempted from liability for contribution in General Average, or for any special charges incurred, but with the Shipowner, shall contribute in General Average, and shall pay such special charges, as if such danger, damage or disaster had not resulted from such fault, negligence, latent or other defect or unseaworthiness. General Average payable according to York-Antwerp Rates, 1890, or as Carrier may elect.

Carrier shall not be liable for gold, silver, precious stones, metal, jewelry or treasures of any kind, bank notes, securities, silks, furs, laces, pictures, plate, china, glass or statuary unless bills of lading are signed therefor in which their nature and value are expressed, and extra freight paid for the assumption of extraordinary risk. Shipper shall be liable for any loss or damage to ship or cargo caused by inflammable, explosive or dangerous goods shipped with or without full disclosure of their nature, and such goods may be thrown overboard or destroyed at any time without compensation.

IT IS EXPRESSLY AGREED that carrier and the master of vessel shall have, and each is hereby given, an option to carry any or all said bulk freight and/or packages on deck, salve persons and property, sail without pilot, tow and assist vessels, lighter, surf, trans-ship, land and re-ship any or all of said bulk freight and/or packages; also an option to deviate and for any purpose and in any order or sequence sail to and stop and stay at any and all ports and places whether the same be in or out of any route toward said port of delivery and to there, at any such port or place, stop and deliver and/or receive passengers and mails and/or freight for delivery either on her then or other or return voyage; and also an option to carry all or any of said bulk freight and/or packages beyond and/or away from said port of delivery to any other port or place and thence to said port of delivery.

Consigned to Mr. Robt E. Arlington

Destination Los Angeles Harbor Light Station

Route San Pedro Cal

MARKS AND NUMBERS (As given by Shipper)	NO. PKGS.	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES (As given by Shipper)	WEIGHT (Subject to Correction)	FEET
	5	Box groceries	191	
	1	Carbk Tin ware	28	

Charges Advanced by Carrier $..... Value of Shipment stated by Shipper $.....

Said bulk freight and/or packages were **RECEIVED** and are to be held and carried and delivered by Carrier and by each several succeeding carrier, if any, subject to all the stipulations and conditions hereon and on the reverse side hereof and under which freight rates on said bulk freight and/or packages were adjusted and packages were received for transportation and to all of which shipper has agreed and hereby does agree; and every holder hereof shall be held bound thereby whether same be signed or unsigned by the shipper.

(FOR CARRIER) (C) Hoey U.S Light house Inspector 18th Dist SHIPPER

By.....

RELEASE. Shipper, desiring to receive benefit of the rates provided by Carrier's current tariff that may lawfully apply when merchandise is shipped at a released or declared valuation, hereby stipulates that the goods covered by this bill of lading are each and all of the value of $..... per.....and that in no event shall Carrier be liable in excess of said last declared value unless it be shown that this Release stipulation is not lawful.

.....SHIPPER.

Sheet 3

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

C.H.S.
AW

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
JAN 10 1918
SAN FRANCISCO

EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT

Los Angeles Harbor
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

January 9, 1918

Lighthouse Inspector, 18th.Dist.

San Francisco, Cal.

Sir:-

In reply to yours of the 2nd. inst. would request that the 5 packages groceries be shipped at my expense by commercial steamer to San Pedro.

Respectfully,

Robt E. Arlington
2nd.Ass't.

WM

Shipped Jan 11, 1918
by Str Yale
O.H.M.

S 7800

RWR-CHT

January 2nd 1918

Mr Robert E. Arlington,
2nd Asst.Keeper Los Angeles Harbor Lightstation,
Through the Keeper,

1. A lot of groceries (5 pkgs) were shipped to you at Point Sur by the last tender and returned to San Francisco again; they are now in the Lighthouse Storehouse, Pier 15, San Francisco.

2. Please inform me what disposition you wish made of them: they can be returned to the dealers, or shipped to Los Angeles at your expense by commercial steamer, or retained in the storehouse and shipped you by the next tender.

H. W. Rhodes.

Inspector

WW-IG.

incl.

June 26, 1917.

Mr. R. E. Arlington,
3d Asst. Keeper, Point Sur Light Station.

(Through the Keeper)

This office has received from you Form 206, relative to a medical examination by the U. S. Public Health Service in order that you may be entitled to medical relief without charge at hospitals and other stations of the U. S. Public Health Service in accordance with the provision of Section 5 of the Act of Congress approved August 28, 1916.

This form has been dated and signed by the Inspector, and is inclosed. At some time in the near future as may be approved by the Keeper, you are authorized to absent yourself from the station for the purpose of obtaining necessary physical examination at the U. S. Public Health Service Office in San Francisco.

After Form 206 has been filled out by the U. S. Public Health Service Office at San Francisco, it will be returned to you, and you should mail it to this office through the Keeper. After the necessary record has been made in this office, it will be returned for your personal files.

It is assumed that you signed the accompanying Form 206 before the Keeper of the light station. If such is the case, the Keeper should sign his name at the place prepared for his signature between the double line and just below your signature on the form.

H. W. Rhodes.

WW:SA
inc.

May 23, 1917.

Robert E. Arlington, 3d Assistant Keeper,
Point Sur Light Station.
(Through the Keeper.)

The following is an extract from an Act of Congress, approved August 26th, 1916:

> Sec. 5. That hereafter light keepers and assistant light keepers of the Lighthouse Service shall be entitled to medical relief without charge at hospitals and other stations of the Public Health Service under the rules and regulations governing the care of seamen of the merchant marine: Provided, That this benefit shall not apply to any keeper or assistant keeper who receives an original appointment after the passage of this Act, unless the applicant passes a physical examination in accordance with the rules approved by the Secretary of Commerce and the Secretary of the Treasury.

Your appointment is dated December 19, 1916, and the Department of Commerce has ruled that it will be necessary for you to take a medical examination at some station of the U. S. Public Health Service. You are, therefore, directed to take the necessary examination as soon as practicable. The examination may be taken at the U. S. Public Health Station at San Francisco or Los Angeles.

There is inclosed a copy of Form 206 (Record of Physical Examination of Light Keeper or Assistant Light Keeper). As soon as you find it convenient to take this examination, fill out the form above the double line, but do not date it. Also affix your signature between the double lines in the presence of the Keeper. The Form should then be handed to the Keeper, who will mail it to the Inspector's office. After it has been dated and signed by the Inspector, it will be returned to the applicant throught the Keeper. After the examination has been made, the application will be filled out by the medical officer and handed to the applicant, who should mail it, through the Keeper, to the Inspector's office.

Until you have passed a satisfactory examination by the U. S. Public Health Service, you will not be entitled to free medical relief. If you do not pass a satisfactory examination, the Department will consider still retaining you in the service, but with the understanding that you would not be entitled to free medical relief.

RHODES

Robert E. Arlington

INACTIVE

Robert E. Arlington

LEGAL RESIDENCE.
California

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SALARY	BUREAU OR OFFICE	DATE OF EFFECT OF ACTION AUTHORIZED
3rd Asst. Kpr. Point Sur L.S. Cal	$516	L.H.	Dec. 29, 1916.
2nd " " Los Angeles Harbor "	552	"	Dec 1, 1917.
Resigned July 24, 1918. (See file Herman J Moran)			
INACTIVE			

11—1248

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

HWR-CHT

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT.

LIGHT DEC 18 1916 HOUSES

San Francisco, Cal., December 12, 1916, 191
(City.) (Date.)

CHIEF CLERK DEC 19 1916

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Probationary appointment of

Name, Robert E. Arlington *

Legal residence, California

Position, Third Assistant Keeper

Salary, $516 per annum

APPOINTMENTS DEC 19 1916

Location, Point Sur Lightstation, California.

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective December 20, 1916 { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty,~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

~~Former position,~~ - - - - -

Former salary, - - - - -

~~Location~~ - - - - -

DEPARTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN DEC 19 1916 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Rank on eligible list, 3 Rating, Asst. Keeper Percentage, 84.8, Other eligibles considered:
James C. Brown (C) and Silas E. Grout (C)

Previous incumbent, Albert M. Elston Services terminated, December 6, 1916

Reason, Transfer & promotion

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Request notification by wire when appointment is made.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. DEC 13 1916, 191

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector

* Keepers

John A. Bunby
ACTING. Secretary, Twelfth Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

12-19-16

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

December 19, 1916.

H. Conway
Acting Commissioner.

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[1] Strike out the clause which does not apply.

11—2314

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

December 19, 1916.

Mr. Robert E. Arlington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office and to a probationary period of not to exceed six months as provided by paragraph (c) of section 1 of civil-service rule VII, Third Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Five Hundred and Sixteen dollars per annum effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. - - -) issued by the local Civil Service Board for the Eighteenth Lighthouse District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

L O CARDED. Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Albert M. Elston.

Legal Residence: California.

(See reverse side.)

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED DEC 19 1916 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

CHANGE REPORTED JAN 1917 U. S. COMMISSION

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT
JAN 15 1917
HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK
JAN 27 1917

I, Robert E. Arlington

do solemnly[1] swear (See below) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter: So help me God.

☞ Robert E. Arlington
(Appointee signs here)

APPOINTMENT

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 26th day of December, A. D. 1916.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) W. Wilson

(Official title) Chief Clerk, 18th L.H. District.

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present 3rd Asst. Keeper	$516. per annum	Point Sur Light Station, Cal.
Former[5] ----------		

(The above should be filled in by the district officer before sending to appointee)

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 18th District

San Francisco, California (Address), January 5, 1917 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on December 29, 1916 (Date)

CARDED.

Rhodes. Inspector
(Signature, followed by title)

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.

[2] Insert here "sworn to" or "affirmed," as the case may be.

[3] The oath may be taken any time after the date of appointment and prior to the payment of compensation, but no compensation shall be paid until the oath is executed in proper form.

[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs, as he has no power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk.

[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.

Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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JAN 26 1917

LIGHT
JAN 15 1917
HOUSES

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

March 5, 1913.

CHIEF CLERK
JAN 17 1917

To the Chiefs of Bureaus of the Department of Commerce:

For the purpose of enabling the Department to maintain a complete record of its officers and employees, you are requested to have every person hereafter appointed or employed in your Bureau, immediately upon his entrance on duty, answer each of the questions in Part I of this form and sign the same. The information given in Part I should be reviewed and approved in accordance with instructions. The information in Part II should be supplied as indicated and the form forwarded to the Department.

APPOINTMENTS
JAN 17 1917
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William C. Redfield
Secretary.

PART I.

(Part I should be filled out by the appointee or employee; but, if he is unable to write legibly, another person may write the answers at his dictation. In either case the statement should be signed by the appointee or employee. If he is unable to write, he may sign by mark in the presence of one witness. If he is unable to answer any question, he should indicate that fact.)

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1. What is your full name? (Do not use initials, but spell out each name and state whether Mr., Miss, or Mrs. Example: Mr. John Richard Doe. If name itself is merely a letter, it should be so stated.)

Mr. Robert, Emert, Arlington.

2. How do you intend to write your name on the pay roll? (*This should agree with signature to your oath of office.*) Robert, E, Arlington.

3. What is your present legal (voting) residence? (Give city or town, State or Territory, county, and Congressional district.)

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City or town.	State or Territory.	County.	Congressional district.

4. What is your race? (Answer "white," "colored," or "Mongolian.") White

5. Where were you born? Holyoke, Massachusetts.

6. When were you born?

January	Fifth	1878
Month.	Day.	Year.

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7. Give name and address of person whom you would like to have notified in case of accident.

L. O. O. M. # 1164 —
Name. Number and street.

Martinez Calif
City or town. State or Territory.

8. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? (If so, give below their names, relationships, the Departments and Bureaus or Services in which they are employed, and the positions they occupy.)

Name.	Relationship.	Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.
	No.			

9. If you were appointed through a civil service examination, state, as near as you recollect, the name and date of the examination. If not so appointed, state how you entered the service. (Examples: "By reinstatement," or "by transfer from ——," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

Assistant Keeper 18th Lighthouse Dist — Sept 15th 1916

10. Have you any physical disabilities? (If so, describe briefly. If you have defective eyesight, state whether corrected by glasses.)

No

11. Have you ever held any other position in the civil service of the United States? (If so, give below the Department and Bureau or Service in which you served, the position held, the salary you received, and the dates of your appointment and separation from the service.)

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
	No.				

12. Do you hold any State or municipal office? (If so, state name of such office and compensation attached.)

No.

13. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during the Civil or Spanish-American War? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
No.			

14. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States at any time other than during the Civil or Spanish-American Wars, indicate such service in the spaces below.

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
—	None		

15. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Name under which service was rendered No.

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.

16. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States civil service? (It is intended that the answer to this question shall state briefly the lines of work followed by you before receiving your present appointment, with the exception of your service indicated in answer to questions 11, 12, 13, and 14.)

Market fishing & hunting

17. What education have you received? (Indicate the grades of schools you have attended, and, in case you have attended schools of higher grade than high schools, give the institution, degrees received, and date in each case. Example: Public school; high school; business college; Cornell University, A. B., 1900; Columbia University, LL. B., 1903.)

High school

18. What special qualifications have you—educational, professional, technical, mechanical, etc.? (Examples: Qualified as "Lawyer," or "Civil Engineer," or "Translator," or "Interpreter," or "Draftsman," or "Carpenter.")

Motor boat operator
Painting (House)

19. What, if any, civil service examinations have you passed? (Give names and dates as near as you recollect.)

Assistant Keeper 18th Lighthouse Dist
Sept 15th 1916

20. Were the answers to the foregoing questions written by you? (If not, state the name and address of the person who wrote them for you.)

Yes

21. State the date upon which the above blanks were filled. Dec 23rd, 1916

Witness:

In case signature is by mark.

(Signature) Robert E Arlington

P. O. Address: Boulding Island
City or town.
Sholts Landing
Number and street.
Calif
State or Territory.

(Where the appointee is to be employed outside of the District of Columbia the information given in Part I should be reviewed and approved by the officer in immediate charge before forwarding to the Bureau. Where he is to be employed in the District of Columbia, Part I should be reviewed and approved by the officer who executes Part II.)

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded January 5, 1917,

(Signature) H. W. Rhodes

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(Official title) Inspector, 18th Lighthouse District.

PART II.

(Part II should be executed by the executive officers of the various Bureaus of the Department, or, at their direction, by some official who can give the information desired. If unable to answer any question, indicate that fact.)

1. State the Bureau or Service, place, and district in which the person who answered the foregoing questions is employed:

Lighthouses (Bureau or Service.) | Point Sur Lightstation, Cal. (Place (city, town, station, or vessel.)) | 18th (District.)

2. To what position has he been appointed? Third Assistant Keeper

3. State the date of appointment. December 19, 1916

4. State the date the appointment was effective. (If appointment was made to take effect on date of oath, so state.)

Entrance on duty

5. State the date of the oath. December 26, 1916

6. State the date the employee entered on duty. December 29, 1916

7. What is his salary? $516 per annum

8. From what appropriation is he paid? Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses

9. Is the position excepted, competitive, or unclassified under the civil service rules? Competitive

10. If classified, state the date of classification. May 6, 1896

11. In what manner did the employee enter the service? (Examples: "From stenography and typewriting examination;" or "without examination;" or "by reinstatement;" or "by transfer from ———," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

Selection from eligible register

12. Is the employee required to give bond? No

13. When the legal residence given in answer to question 3, Part I, differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

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14. If foreign born, state when and where naturalization papers were taken out. - - - - -

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded to the Department.

(Signature) H. W. Rhodes.

(Official title) Inspector 18th Lighthouse District

Date: January 5, 1917, 19

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Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES NOV 30 1917

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., November 23, 1917, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK DEC 1 1917

Action recommended, Transfer & promotion of

Name, Robert E. Arlington — Legal residence, California

Position, Second Assistant Keeper — Salary, $552 per annum

Location, Los Angeles Harbor Lightstation and San Pedro Lights, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective December 1, 1917 { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

APPOINTMENTS DEC 1 1917

Former position, Third Assistant Keeper — Former salary, $516 per annum

Location, Point Sur Lightstation, Cal.

DEPARTMENT DIVISION ACTION TAKEN DEC 3 1917 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Eligible list, - - - - Rating, - - - - Percentage, - - - -, Other eligibles considered:

Previous incumbent, Louis A. Grenier — Services terminated, about Nov.24,1917.

Reason, Resignation ~~& Transferred~~ Done Dec 3/17 Clerk

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: No quarters furnished by Government for family of nominee.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. , 191

H. W. Rhodes.

Secretary, Civil Service District. Inspector

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NOV 30 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

12-7-17

N. D. Brockman
Acting Commissioner

[1] Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

December 3, 1917.

Mr. Robert E. Arlington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office,

Second Assistant Keeper

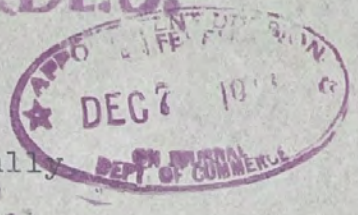
in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Five Hundred and Fifty-two dollars per annum,

effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

(By transfer from Third Assistant Keeper at $516 per annum.)

CARDED.



By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) W. S. GILCHRIST
Acting Chief of Appointment Division

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Louis A. Grenier.

Legal Residence: California.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
DEC 21 1917
SAN FRANCISCO
DEC 27 1917
LIGHTHOUSES

I, Robert E. Arlington

do solemnly [1] swear (See below) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter: So HELP ME GOD.

Robert E. Arlington
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 19th day of December, A. D. 1917

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Henry Baly

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires June 27 1921

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Second Asst. Keeper	$552 per annum	Los Angeles Harbor Light Station, Cal.
Former [5] Third Asst. Keeper	$516 "	Point Sur Light Station, Cal.

(The above should be filled in by the district officer before sending to appointee)

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT

San Francisco, Cal. (Address), December 21, 1917. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on December 1, 1917. (Date)

H. W. Rhodes.
(Signature, followed by title)

Inspector, 18th District.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.
[2] Insert here "sworn to" or "affirmed," as the case may be.
[3] The oath may be taken any time after the date of appointment and prior to the payment of compensation, but no compensation shall be paid until the oath is executed in proper form.
[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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REGISTERED MAIL.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 18TH DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

LIGHT HOUSES
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CLERK

August 2nd, 1918.

1918 AUG 14 AM 9 07

Mr. R. E. Arlington,
Second Asst. Keeper, Los Angeles Harbor Light Station.

Through the Keeper.

APPOINTMENTS

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The Keeper of the Los Angeles Harbor Light Station has informed this office that you left your station at 7 a.m. on July 24th on twenty-four hours leave of absence, and that you did not again return to your station until July 31st at which time you removed your personal effects from the station.

You are charged with being absent from your station without due authority and with finally leaving the station permanently without having been properly relieved to the embarrassment of, and interference with the work of this Service.

You are requested to make reply to these charges in writing as soon as practicable and to show cause, if any exists, why you should not be dismissed from the Service for unfaithful conduct and neglect of duty.

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Engr. Com.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts
Contracts
Chf. Cl.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 2, 1918.

Copy for information of Bureau.

Rhodes.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
AUG 1 2 1918
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.
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Acting Commissioner

Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES DEC 18 1916

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

Dec 19 1916 wired 18th Insp

San Francisco, Cal., December 12, 1916, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Probationary appointment of

Name, **Robert E. Arlington** Legal residence, **California**

Position, **Third Assistant Keeper** Salary, **$516 per annum**

Location, **Point Sur Lightstation, California.** Appropriation, **Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses**

Effective **December 20, 1916** {[1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty,~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, - - - - - Former salary, - - - - -

Location, - - - - -

Rank on eligible list, 3 Rating, Asst. Keeper Percentage, 84.8, Other eligibles considered:

James C. Brown (C) and Silas E. Grout (C)

Previous incumbent, Albert M. Elston Services terminated, **December 6, 1916**

Reason, **Transfer & promotion**

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Request notification by wire when appointment is made.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. DEC 13 1916, 191

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector

John A. Burby
ACTING. Secretary, Twelfth Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. December 19, 1916.

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Acting Commissioner.

[1] Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

LIGHT
DEC 20 1916
HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

December 19, 1916.

Mr. Robert E. Arlington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office and to a probationary period of not to exceed six months as provided by paragraph (c) of section 1 of civil-service rule VII, Third Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Five Hundred and Sixteen dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. ____) issued by the local Civil Service Board for the Eighteenth Lighthouse District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Appropriation:

Albert M. Elston.

Vice:

California.

Legal Residence:

(See reverse side.)

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Ent'd on C. S. Com. Report.

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Washington D C December 19 1916

Lighthouse Inspector San Francisco California

Probationary appointment Arlington third assistant keeper Point Sur Lightstation approved as recommended yours twelfth.

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Commissioner

R. B. Arlington

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT NOV 30 1917 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., November 23, 1917, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer & promotion of

Name, **Robert E. Arlington** Legal residence, **California**

Position, **Second Assistant Keeper** Salary, **$552 per annum**

Location, **Los Angeles Harbor Lightstation and San Pedro Lights, Cal.** Appropriation **Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses**

Effective **December 1, 1917** {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, **Third Assistant Keeper** Former salary, **$516 per annum**

Location, **Point Sur Lightstation, Cal.**

Rank on eligible list, - - - - Rating, - - - - Percentage, - - - -, Other eligibles considered:

Previous incumbent, **Louis A. Grenier** Services terminated, **about Nov.24,1917.**

Reason, **Resignation**

Members of family in Government Service, **None**

Remarks: **No quarters furnished by Government for family of nominee.**

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Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Comms.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. , 191

H. W. Rhodes.

Secretary, Civil Service District. Inspector

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NOV 30 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner

[1] Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON



December 3, 1917.

Mr. Robert E. Arlington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office,

Second Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Five Hundred and Fifty-two dollars per annum,

effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

(By transfer from Third Assistant Keeper at $516 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) W. S. GILCHRIST

Acting Chief of Appointment Division

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Louis A. Grenier.

Legal Residence: California.

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Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

REGISTERED MAIL.

Engineer
Engr. Corps
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Insp. Corps
Examr.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 18TH DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

LIGHT HOUSES
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August 2nd, 1918.

Mr. R. E. Arlington,
Second Asst. Keeper, Los Angeles Harbor Light Station.

Through the Keeper.

The Keeper of the Los Angeles Harbor Light Station has informed this office that you left your station at 7 a.m. on July 24th on twenty-four hours leave of absence, and that you did not again return to your station until July 31st at which time you removed your personal effects from the station.

You are charged with being absent from your station without due authority and with finally leaving the station permanently without having been properly relieved to the embarrassment and interference with the work of this Service.

You are requested to make reply to these charges in writing as soon as practicable and to show cause, if any exists, why you should not be dismissed from the Service for unfaithful conduct and neglect of duty.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

San Francisco, Cal., Aug. 2, 1918.

Copy for information of Bureau.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington

AUG 12 1918

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

Acting Commissioner

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Rhodes