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LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

Employee Name: Betteker, Louis **DOB:** 1867

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:

Notes: _____

CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

file

Louis Betteker, Keeper, Ret.
~~9713 - 15th~~ Ave. NE
Seattle 5, Washington

Retired Pay: $101.25

DIED: 15th February, 1947

Last active duty station: Not stated on File Card

L.E.H.

(PM)
CG-75

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14 May, 1947

Mrs. Ellen Betteker
9713 - 15th Avenue N.E.
Seattle, 5, Washington

File
E.M.O.

My dear Mrs. Betteker:

Your claim for the final pay due the estate of your husband, Louis Betteker, Keeper, Retired, former Lighthouse Service, now U. S. Coast Guard, has been approved by this office for payment and forwarded to the General Accounting Office for settlement.

As the Coast Guard has no further jurisdiction in the settlement of this claim, it is suggested that in event of undue delay you contact the Claims Division, General Accounting Office, Washington, D. C.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

N. W. SPROW
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard
Asst. Chief, Military Morale Division

Incl.
Withholding Receipt - 1947

U. S. COAST GUARD
MAIL SECTION
MAILED MAY 15 1947

MJM:eeo
Return to 2--4 Room 2116

eeo mjm.

CG-75 (PMM)

14 May, 1947

General Accounting Office
Claims Division
Washington, D. C.

File
E.M.O.

Sirs:

Inclosed is the claim of Mrs. Ellen Betteker claiming the final pay due the estate of her husband, Louis Betteker, Keeper, Retired, former Lighthouse Service, now U. S. Coast Guard, who died 15 February, 1947 as the result of natural causes.

This claim in the amount of $49.03 has been examined and is approved for payment. The appropriation to be charged is 2071255 Retired Pay, Former Lighthouse Service, Coast Guard, 1947.

Funeral expenses incurred in this case in the amount of $284.68 have been paid as per attached receipted bill.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

N. W. SPROW
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard
Asst. Chief, Military Morale Division

Incls.
1 - Form No. 1055
2 - Form No. 2661
3 - Funeral Bill

U. S. COAST GUARD
MAIL SECTION
MAILED MAY 15 1947

MJH:eeo
Return to 2--4 Room 2116

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(PMM)
CG-75

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File
75-gfm

29 April, 1947

Mrs. Ellen Betteker
9713-15th N.E.
Seattle 5, Washington

My dear Mrs. Betteker:

Headquarters has been advised of the death of your husband, Louis Betteker, Keeper, Former Lighthouse Service, (now USCG), Retired, on 15 February, 1947. Please accept my sincere sympathy.

At the time of his death there was due the estate of your husband final retired pay in the amount of $49.03. This retired pay ceases at death and there is no law providing for the continuance of payment of any part to dependents. The forms necessary to effect settlement of the final pay are herewith inclosed.

If there will be no legal representative to administer the estate of your husband the next of kin or the person who paid, or will pay, the funeral expenses should execute the inclosed Forms No. 1055, claim for the final pay, in the presence of two witnesses, taking care to answer all questions as checked by pencil mark. If a representative is appointed a copy of the Court Order showing the appointment should be attached to Forms No. 1055. If the funeral expenses have been paid a bill receipted by the undertaker who conducted the services should be forwarded. Otherwise the undertaker should sign the inclosed waiver form. This information is necessary to support the claim for the final pay.

When the inclosed forms have been completed, they should be returned in the inclosed pre-addressed envelope, which requires no postage.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

U. S. COAST GUARD
MAIL SECTION
MAILED APR 30 1947

N. W. SPROW
Commander, USCG
Asst. Chief, Military Morale Division

Incls.
1. Forms No. 1055
2. Form waiver
3. Envelope (1)

mfm.

MJMgfm Return to 3-4 rm. 2116

Seattle Wn Nov-18th 1946

The Commandant,
Allotment, Disbursing Officer,
U. S. C. G. Washington, D. C.

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FILE

Dear Sir,

This is to notify your Office that on the above date Nov-18th Louis Betteker, Keeper Retired, has not received his retired pay Check for Oct-1946.

Monthly Report-Card was mailed Oct-31st-from Main Post-Office Seattle Washington.

Have not on hand Report-Card for Nov, 30th

Respectfully,
Louis, Betteker, Keeper Retired
By, Ellert Betteker
Attorney in Fact,
9413-15th Ave N. E.,
Seattle-5-Washington

check mailed
11/21/46

no reply necessary

3-2
file 75
2684

(FA-PA)
CG-521

22 April, 1947

General Accounting Office
Claims Division
Washington 25, D. C.

Re: Louis Betteker, Kpr. Retired,
Deceased.

Gentlemen:

The following information relative to the pay account of the retired civilian employee named above is furnished for use in settlement of claim for final pay in his case:

Date of death:	15 February, 1947
Gross pay to date of death:	$50.63
Federal Tax withheld and disposed of	$ 1.60
Other deductions	None
Net amount due on death:	$49.03

Last paid for period 1-31 January, 1947 on D. O. Vou. No. 436 25491 settled in the accounts of E. J. Brennan, Symbol 18-460. U. S. Treas. Check No. 257,267 dated 28 February, 1947 cancelled.

Appropriation to which chargeable: 2071255 Retired Pay, Former Lighthouse Service, Coast Guard, 1947.

Application for payment of amount due the deceased (Standard Form 1055) is being furnished next of kin.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

J. A. WILBER
Lieutenant (jg), USCG
Acting Chief, Pay and Audit Section

(FA-AR)
CG-51
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Deceased

FILE IKZ

9 May, 1944

To: Louis Betteker, Kpr., Ret.
12258 Roseberg Ave., So.
Seattle 88, Washington

Subj: Power of attorney

1. This is in reply to your letter of 30 April, 1944, regarding the power of attorney granted your wife, Ellen Betteker, to receive, endorse, and collect your retired pay checks.

2. It appears that the General Form, executed by you on 10 February, 1944, does not contain sufficient authority for Mrs. Betteker to endorse and collect payment of checks drawn on the Treasurer of the United States; therefore, it is requested that power of attorney be granted on the inclosed Treasury Department Forms 6569. The original form should accompany the first check negotiated thereunder and one copy retained by the bank. Return a copy to HQ and retain one for your use.

Very truly yours

C. L. HERNDON
Lieut. Commander, USCG
Allotment Disbursing Officer

Executed form 6569 sent
Received 6-5-44.
to jacket. IKZ

Incl
(4) Treas. Dept. Form 6569

U. S. COAST GUARD
MAIL SECTION (1)
MAILED MAY 9 1944

IKZ Return to 6-1

IKZ

Seattle. Washington.
April - 30th - 1944.

Allotment Disbursing Officer,
United States. Coast Guard,
Washington. D. C. U. S. A.

Sir,

Would your Office kindly advise me regarding the possibility of the Treasury Department refusing to accept my cancelled checks Light-Keeper retired pay endorsed by my wife Ellen Betteker acting Attorney by Right- for me.

Have been informed that special Forms approved by Treasury Department should be used and signed by me.

On account of failing eyesight- it is necessary for my wife Ellen Betteker to have athority to act for me.

Respectfully,
Louis Betteker, Light-Keeper, Ret
Attorney by Right-
Ellen Betteker.

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FILE
IKZ

(FA-AR)
CG-51
~~75~~

24 February, 1944

Louis Betteker, Keeper, Retired
12258 Roseberg Avenue, South
Seattle 88, Washington

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of 15 February, 1944, it is requested that you forward to this office a certified copy of the Power of Attorney, appointing your wife, Ellen Betteker, to act as your attorney.

Form 9671-B, Monthly Report Card, may be signed by your wife, with the following notation appearing above her signature:

> "This is to certify that on the above date Louis Betteker, Keeper, Retired, is alive and entitled to his retired pay."

Very truly yours,

C. L. HERNDON
Lieutenant Commander, U.S.C.G.
Allotment Disbursing Officer

U.S. COAST GUARD (71)
RECEIVED FEB 24 1944

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Seattle Feb - 15 - 44.

Allotment Disbursing Officer.
United States Coast Guard.
Washington D. C. - U. S. A.

Sir,

On account of failing eye sight - it has become necessary for one to grant Power of Attorney to my wife Ellen Betteker, to sign all papers or checks where my signature is needed.

Kindly advise if the same will meet with the approval of your Office in regard to signing card for pay check of.

Louis Betteker Light-Keeper Retired

Respectfully
Louis Betteker.
Ellen Betteker.
Attorney by right.
12258 Roseberg Ave So
Seattle - 88 - Washington.

Okay

Form 89A

als (1) Accts, Sec. A, 6-1 (2) 3-2 D. O. Vou. No. 436 377

CERTIFICATE OF SETTLEMENT

GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE

File as C&D, Treas. Dept. Symbol 18-499 Jul 18 1947

PAID BY Paul D. Banning

7/18/47

Claim No. 2683627 WASHINGTON, July 7, 1947 (Date)

BETTEKER, Louie

Ellen Betteker, widow, as payee of part of the funeral expenses of Louis Betteker, deceased,
9713 15th Avenue, N.E.,
Seattle 5, Washington.

CERTIFICATE No. 1575706

Paying Officer will please show this CERTIFICATE NUMBER on the check used in payment hereof, and insert the check number in space provided below.

I CERTIFY there is due from the United States to the above-named claimant(s), payable from the appropriation(s) indicated, the sum of—

FORTY-NINE AND 03/100 Dollars ($ 49.03)

on account of

retired pay due the estate of Louis Betteker, deceased, as keeper, retired, former Lighthouse Service, during the period February 1 to 15, 1947, regular salary $50.63, less $1.60 Federal Tax withheld, Net $49.03.
(Treas, U.S. Coast Guard ltr. 5/14/47, File C. G. -75)

2071255 Retired Pay, Former Lighthouse Service, Coast Guard, 1947

(21-125 1200)

To: Chief Disbursing Officer,
(Assistant Disbursing Officer,
Coast Guard Headquarters).

MEMORANDUM

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$49.03

62,306

Copy for Administrative Office

☆ U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 1946 719116

NAVCG 2661 A
Form approved by
Comptroller General, U. S.
(April 13, 1934)

DATA SUPPORTING CLAIM FOR PAY AND ALLOWANCES OF PERSONNEL

(MEMORANDUM)

U. S. COAST GUARD

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MAY 13 RECD

(To be retained by payee, and when payment is made by check, to be used as mailing copy)

Appropriation: _____

Unit Headquarters Retired Roll-Lighthouse

THE UNITED STATES, *Dr.*, Ellen Betteker, widow of

To Louis Betteker, Keeper, Deceased Retired
(Name)

9713 - 15th Avenue N.E.
(Designation), *U. S. Coast Guard*

Seattle, 5, Washington (51)
(Address)

Total years of service _____

Pay period, duty, or grade ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

Monthly rate of pay $101.25
(Base and longevity)

For pay and allowances—

From 2/1, 19 47 *to* 2/15, 19 47
(Inclusive)

CREDITS:		NOTATIONS
Subsistence allowance $		
Rental or quarters allowance		
Pay	49.03	
Balance forwarded from (Name of unit, noting month of roll or voucher)		
Sundry credits and adjustments		
TOTAL CREDITS $	49.03	

CHARGES:		
Allotment $		
Clothing		
Forfeited		
Sundry charges and adjustments		
TOTAL CHARGES $		

		NOTATIONS
Total Credits $	49.03	
Less—Total Charges, $		
Amt. retained		
TOTAL $		
Net amount to be paid on this voucher $	49.03	

REMARKS: Died: 2/15/47. Last paid for period 1-31 January, 1947, on D. O. Vou. No. 436 25491, settled in the January, 1947 account of E. J. BRENNAN, Symbol No. 18-460. ($1.60 Tax withheld and disposed of. February, U. S. Treas. Check No. 257,267 cancelled.)

(Additional statements by Department if deemed necessary)

(ACCOUNTING CLASSIFICATION)
21-125
1200

(Payee will NOT use this space)

Differences _____

Account verified; correct for $ 49.03

(Signature or initials) L.E.Hoadley

I certify that the foregoing account is true and correct and that payment therefor has not been received; that during the period for which rental allowance is claimed I was not assigned adequate quarters at my permanent station; that, if without dependents, I was not on field or sea duty during the period for which rental allowance is claimed; that, if with dependents, I did not occupy with them any public quarters assigned to me without charge at any station, nor did any of them occupy public quarters assigned to them or to any other officer or his dependents except for brief visits; that the increased allowances for dependents are claimed because of _____
(Here state whether lawful wife, unmarried child or children under 21 years, mother dependent upon officer for support, giving names and addresses of dependents, also ages of minor children)

and that, in case of dependent mother, I have contributed to her support during the current period for which allowances are claimed the sum of $_____, in cash or its equivalent, without any consideration in return, which contribution is her *chief support*, and each and every statement as set forth in her affidavit dated _____, 19____ {attached hereto / filed with voucher} for _____ (Month), 19____ is true and correct, and so remains at this time, except
(Here state fully changes occurring between date of last affidavit and signing of this voucher)

_____, 19____ (MEMORANDUM—DO NOT SIGN) _____ (Name), _____ (Official designation)
(Date)

I certify that I have examined the foregoing account; that the statements contained therein have been compared with the records of the United States Coast Guard and found correct except as otherwise indicated; that the officer named is entitled to the amount of pay and allowances herein approved; and that during the period for which rental allowance is claimed on this voucher, the above-named officer was not assigned adequate quarters at his permanent station.

Approved for $ 49.03

Date 22 April, 1947, 19____

(MEMORANDUM—DO NOT SIGN) _____
Commanding, District Commander.

J. A. WILBER, LIEUT.(JG) USCG
Authorized Certifying Officer

U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16—29661-2

3-2 File-75

Seattle - Sept - 19 - 1946.

The Commandant, U. S. C. G.
Allotment Disbursing Officer
Dear Sir,

At this date Louis Betteker, Keeper Retired, has not received his retired pay Check, for August, Form 9691-B. Monthly Report Card, was mailed on August 31st from main Post Office Seattle Washington.

Have not on hand another Form 9691-B Monthly Report Card, for mailing September 30th

Respectfully,
Louis Betteker, Keeper Retired,
By Ellen Betteker, Attorney in Fact.

Aug. Check remailed 9/25/46. 9713-15th Ave S, Seattle 5, Washington

Allot. + Retired Pay Subject, 6-1

CERTIFICATE OF SETTLEMENT

GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE

D. O. Vou. No. 436 377

PAID BY
Paul D. Banning
C&D, Treas. Dept.
Symbol 18-499
Jul 18 1947

Claim No. 2683627

WASHINGTON, July 7, 1947
(Date)

BETTEKER, Louis

Ellen Betteker, widow, as payer of part of the funeral expenses of Louis Betteker, deceased,
9713 15th Avenue, N.E.,
Seattle 5, Washington.

CERTIFICATE No.
1575736

Paying Officer will please show this CERTIFICATE NUMBER on the check used in payment hereof, and insert the check number in space provided below

I CERTIFY there is due from the United States to the above-named claimant(s), payable from the appropriation(s) indicated, the sum of—

FORTY-NINE AND 03/100 Dollars ($ 49.03)

on account of

retired pay due the estate of Louis Betteker, deceased, as keeper, retired, former Lighthouse Service, during the period February 1 to 15, 1947, regular salary $50.63, less $1.60 Federal Tax withheld, Net $49.03.
(Treas, U.S. Coast Guard Ltr. 5/14/47, File C. G. -75)

2071255 Retired Pay, Former Lighthouse Service, Coast Guard, 1947

(21-125 1200)

To: Chief Disbursing Officer,
(Assistant Disbursing Officer,
Coast Guard Headquarters).

$49.03

MEMORANDUM

62,306

Copy for Administrative Office

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DATA SUPPORTING CLAIM
FOR PAY AND ALLOWANCES OF PERSONNEL
(MEMORANDUM)

U. S. COAST GUARD

(To be retained by payee, and when payment is made by check, to be used as mailing copy)

2071255 Retired Pay, Former Lighthouse Service, Coast Guard, 1947

Appropriation: Headquarters

Unit Retired Roll-Lighthouse

THE UNITED STATES, *Dr.*,

To Louis Betteker, Keeper, Deceased — Retired
(Name)

(Designation), U. S. Coast Guard

(Address)

Total years of service

Pay period, duty, or grade

Monthly rate of pay 101.25 (Base and longevity)

For pay and allowances—

From 2-1, 1947, to 2-15, 1947 (Inclusive)

CREDITS:		NOTATIONS
Subsistence allowance	$	
Rental or quarters allowance		
Pay	50.63	
Balance forwarded from (Name of unit, noting month of roll or voucher)		
Sundry credits and adjustments		
TOTAL CREDITS	$ 50.63	

CHARGES:		
Allotment	$	
Clothing — Tax withheld		
Forfeited — and disposed of		
Sundry charges and adjustments	1.60	
TOTAL CHARGES	$ 1.60	

		NOTATIONS
Total Credits	$ 50.63	
Less—Total Charges, $		
Amt. retained	1.60	
TOTAL	$	
Net amount to be paid on this voucher	$ 49.03	

REMARKS: Died: 2-15-47. Last paid for period 1-31 January, 1947 on D. O. Vou. 436 25491 settled in the account of E. J. Brennan, Symbol No. 18-460. ($1.60 Tax withheld and disposed of. February, U.S. Treas. Check No. 257,267 cancelled).

(Additional statements by Department if deemed necessary)

(ACCOUNTING CLASSIFICATION) 21-125 1200

(Payee will NOT use this space)

Differences

Account verified; correct for $ 49.03

(Signature or initials) J.E.H. CWO

I certify that the foregoing account is true and correct and that payment therefor has not been received; that during the period for which rental allowance is claimed I was not assigned adequate quarters at my permanent station; that, if without dependents, I was not on field or sea duty during the period for which rental allowance is claimed; that, if with dependents, I did not occupy with them any public quarters assigned to me without charge at any station, nor did any of them occupy public quarters assigned to them or to any other officer or his dependents except for brief visits; that the increased allowances for dependents are claimed because of

(Here state whether lawful wife, unmarried child or children under 21 years, mother dependent upon officer for support, giving names and addresses of dependents, also ages of minor children)

and that, in case of dependent mother, I have contributed to her support during the current period for which allowances are claimed the sum of $, in cash or its equivalent, without any consideration in return, which contribution is her *chief support*, and each and every statement as set forth in her affidavit dated , 19 { attached hereto / filed with voucher } for (Month), 19 is true and correct, and so remains at this time, except

(Here state fully changes occurring between date of last affidavit and signing of this voucher)

(Date), 19 (MEMORANDUM—DO NOT SIGN) (Name) (Official designation)

I certify that I have examined the foregoing account; that the statements contained therein have been compared with the records of the United States Coast Guard and found correct except as otherwise indicated; that the officer named is entitled to the amount of pay and allowances herein approved; and that during the period for which rental allowance is claimed on this voucher, the above-named officer was not assigned adequate quarters at his permanent station.

Approved for $ 49.03

Date 11 April, 1947, 19 47

(MEMORANDUM—DO NOT SIGN)

Commanding, District Commander.

J. A. WILDER LT. (JG) USCG

Authorized Certifying Officer

U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16—29661-2

CG-521 (FA-PA)

14 April, 1947

General Accounting Office
Claims Division
Washington 25, D. C.

Re: Louis Betteker, Kpr. Retired,
Deceased.

Gentlemen:

The following information relative to the pay account of the retired civilian employee named above is furnished for use in settlement of claim for final pay in his case:

Date of death:	15 February, 1947
Gross pay to date of death:	$50.63
Federal Tax withheld and disposed of	$ 1.60
Other deductions	None
Net amount due on death:	$49.03

Last paid for period 1-31 January, 1947 on D. O. Vou. No. 436 25491 settled in the accounts of E. J. Brennan, Symbol 18-460. U. S. Treas. Check No. 257,267 dated 28 February, 1947 cancelled.

Appropriation to which chargeable: 2071255 Retired Pay, Former Lighthouse Service, Coast Guard, 1947.

Application for payment of amount due the deceased (Standard Form 1055) is being furnished next of kin.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

J. A. WILBER
Lieutenant (jg), USCG
Acting Chief, Pay and Audit Section

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9 May, 1944

To: Louis Betteker, Kpr., Ret.
12258 Roseberg Ave., So.
Seattle 88, Washington

Subj: Power of attorney

1. This is in reply to your letter of 30 April, 1944, regarding the power of attorney granted your wife, Ellen Betteker, to receive, endorse, and collect your retired pay checks.

2. It appears that the General Form, executed by you on 10 February, 1944, does not contain sufficient authority for Mrs. Betteker to endorse and collect payment of checks drawn on the Treasurer of the United States; therefore, it is requested that power of attorney be granted on the inclosed Treasury Department Forms 6569. The original form should accompany the first check negotiated thereunder and one copy retained by the bank. Return a copy to HQ and retain one for your use.

Very truly yours

C. L. HERNDON
Lieut. Commander, USCG
Allotment Disbursing Officer

Incl
(4) Treas. Dept. Form 6569

IKZ Return to G-1

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
TREASURER, U. S.—ACCOUNTING DIVISION
(Revised)

(No[illegible]e grantor's Christian name, additional initials, [illegible]and surname should be used in the execution of the [illegible] of attorney.)

POWER OF ATTORNEY BY INDIVIDUAL FOR THE COLLECTION OF CHECKS DRAWN ON THE TREASURER OF THE UNITED STATES

Know all Men by these Presents:

That the undersigned, Louis Betteker, of 12258 Roseburg Ave, Seattle, Wash. (Post-office address), does hereby appoint (his wife) Ellen Betteker, of 12258 Roseburg Ave., Seattle, Wash (Post-office address) as his attorney to receive, endorse, and collect checks payable to the order of the undersigned, drawn on the Treasurer of the United States, for whatever account, due to poor eyesight and failing health. All checks and papersnecessary to be filled for the government. (See footnote) and to give full discharge for same, granting to said attorney full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorney, or his substitute, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

WITNESS the signature and seal of the undersigned, this 27th day of May, 1944

Louis Betteker [SEAL]
(Signature of grantor)
Louis Betteker

Personally appeared before me the above-named Louis Betteker known or proved to me to be the same person who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

WITNESS my signature, official designation, and seal.

[IMPRESS SEAL HERE]

[illegible] Bond
(Signature of attesting officer)

Notary Public
(Official designation)

Dated at Seattle, this 29th day of May, 1944

My commission expires May 27th, 1948

IMPORTANT.—Do not execute this instrument without first reading the instructions on the reverse side hereof. Exact compliance with these instructions will avoid complications.

NOTE.—If desired, the words "whatever account" may be stricken out and the space used to insert a description of the particular check or checks involved.

16—16600

Seattle, Wash. Sept 1944.

Allotment Disbursing Officer
United States Coast Guard,
Washington, D. C.

Sir,

Enclosed is copy of Power of Attorney granted my wife Ellen Betteker, on Form 6569 furnished by your Office,

Thanking you for same,

Respectfully,
Louis Betteker Keeper Ret.
Attorney by right.
Ellen Betteker
12258 Roseberg Ave So.
Seattle-88-Washington.

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FILE
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(FA-AR)
CO-51
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24 February, 1944

Louis Betteker, Keeper, Retired
12258 Roseberg Avenue, South
Seattle 88, Washington

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of 15 February, 1944, it is requested that you forward to this office a certified copy of the Power of Attorney, appointing your wife, Ellen Betteker, to act as your attorney.

Form 9671-B, Monthly Report Card, may be signed by your wife, with the following notation appearing above her signature:

"This is to certify that on the above date Louis Betteker, Keeper, Retired, is alive and entitled to his retired pay."

Very truly yours,

C. L. HERNDON
Lieutenant Commander, U.S.C.G.
Allotment Disbursing Officer

IKZ:en Return to 6-1

STATE OF WASHINGTON, } ss.
County of King }

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT

Louis Betteker being first duly sworn on oath deposes and says:

That: Whereas I Louis Betteker due to poor eyesight, do give to my wife Ellen Betteker power of Attorney to indorse and sign any and or all checks and papers using or needing my signature.

Ellen Betteker

Signature of Ellen Betteker.

Louis Betteker

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10 day of February, 1944

W. H. L. Bird

Notary Public in for the State of Washington residing at Seattle

This blank is guaranteed against successful alteration, which guaranty is insured in LLOYD'S, London - Pat. Pend.
Washington Legal Blank Co., Seattle (General Affidavit) Printing Date 10-29-43 Form No. 432

Form 439
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS

Retired 38

File No. 223

Name B E T T E K E R, Mr. LOUIS

BORN: October 22, 1871

Service COAST GUARD (L.H.S.)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—16822

7/1/39 Transferred from Bureau of Lighthouses, Department of Commerce, and consolidated with United States Coast Guard, under terms of Plan No. 2 of Reorganization Act of 1939, approved by Congress April 3, 1939.

File received - MAR 18 1940

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Louis Betteker (Name) — Washington (Legal Residence)

STATUS — DATE OF BIRTH 10-22-1871

11—8940

DESIGNATION	ACTION	SALARY	BUREAU—SERVICE—STATION	DATE OF EFFECT.
2nd Asst Kpr	Prob.	$ 600	L.H. Lo. C. Five Finger Is. Alaska	Apr 28/1908
1st " "	Prom.	$ 700	" " " " "	May 10/1909
Keeper	Trans.	$ 900	" Sentinel Is. L.S. "	Dec 14/1910
1st Asst Kpr.	"	$ 600	" Los Angeles Har L.S. Cal.	May 20/1914
Asst. Kpr.	"	$ 540	" Oakland " " "	July 2/1914
" "	Chg in Stations	$ 540	" " " " "	Jan 16/1915
" "	Trans & Prom.	$ 600	" Semiamoos " " Wash	Apr 12/15
" "	Incr.	$ 636	" " " " "	Jan 1/16
" "	Trans	$ 636	" Burrows " " "	Dec 16/1917
" "	"	$ 636	" Robinson Pt " "	Jan 13/1918
Keeper "	Prom	$ 780	" " " " "	Nov 1/1918
"	Prom & Trans.	$ 1020	" Semiamoos " "	Apr 10/1919
"	Trans at deceased pay	$ 960	" Lime Kiln L.S. Wash	Dec 8/1922
"	Read. pay	$ 1200	" " " "	July 1/1924
"	"	$ 1380	" " " "	Feb 1/1925
"	Incr.	$ 1440	" " " "	July 1/1925
"	INCREASE IN COMPENSATION	1500	" " " "	JUL 1 1927
"	COMPENSATION Act. May 28, 1928.	1560	" " " "	JUL 1 1928
"	COMPENSATION Act. July 3, 1930	1620	" " " "	JUL 3 1930
"	(transfer 73a)	1620	" West Point L.S. Calif.	Nov. 1, 1932

Retired (optional) close of 6-30-38
Annuity of $1215 per annum

June 28, 1938.

Mr. Louis Betteker,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Dear Mr. Betteker:

My attention has been called to the fact that you are retiring from the Lighthouse Service, at the close of this month. The records show that your service has been very creditable and this should be a source of comfort to you in the days to come.

My good wishes go with you for long life and health and happiness.

Sincerely yours,

JUL -2 1938

DANIEL C. ROPER

Secretary of Commerce.

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June 23, 1938.

Mr. Louis Betteker,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of the Act approved June 20, 1918, and upon recommendation of the Commissioner of Lighthouses, the Department has retired you from duty in the Lighthouse Service (Seventeenth District), with retired pay at the rate of $1,215.00 per annum, effective beginning July 1, 1938.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

JUL -2 1938

[redacted]

Chief, Division of Personnel.

CARDED

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
ENTERED ON JOURNAL
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SHEET NO. 38-216
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form 9 CAK:PJN

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 14 11 33 AM '38

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 17 1938
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

Date June 14, 1938

Superintendent of Lighthouses,

Seventeenth District

Portland, Oregon
(City)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 23 1938
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

I hereby apply for retirement from active duty in the Lighthouse Service effective July 1, 1938 on the basis of service shown hereon.

Louis Bebeau
(Name)

Keeper, West Point Light Station
(Designation)

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

City Portland, Oregon *Date* June 10, 1938

Submitted to Commissioner of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C., recommending retirement at $ 1,215.00 per annum, effective at the close of June 30, 1938

It is certified that the record of service and pay shown on Page 2 is correct as shown by the records of this office, and that all Government service shown has been verified.

E. F. Lamoy
Acting *Superintendent of Lighthouses.*

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, *Washington, D. C.,* June 15, 1938

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, recommending approval, in accordance with the Act of June 20, 1918, providing for retirement from active duty in the Lighthouse Service.

W P Harman
Acting *Commissioner of Lighthouses.*

FOR USE OF DEPARTMENT

11—10551

6/17/38

Optional Retirement
66 yrs of age
30 yrs service

6/17
Action O. K.
Chief Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Name Louis Betteker Date of birth October 22, 1871

Designation Keeper

RECORD OF ALL ACTIVE GOVERNMENT SERVICE

(Including military, naval, and civilian service. Each department, branch, or independent office in which applicant served in a civilian capacity should be listed separately)

	Beginning			Ending			Remarks
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year	
Army							
Navy							
Marine Corps							
Civilian employment							
Civildan Employment	April	28	1908	June	30	1938	30 years, 23 days*
			*Leave without pay May 21 to June 30, 1913.				
Total service							

Does applicant receive or has he applied for a pension from the Government under any law? No If so, give number of pension certificate or of claim:

Does applicant receive or has he applied for compensation under the War Risk Insurance Act? No If so, give number of claim:

Does applicant receive or has he applied for compensation under the Federal Compensation Act, as amended? No

If so, state the compensation received:

STATEMENT BY FISCAL YEARS OF BASIC PAY RECEIVED DURING LAST FIVE YEARS OF ACTIVE SERVICE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING EFFECTIVE DATE OF RETIREMENT

(Compute service on basis of 30 days a month. Do not include periods of leave without pay, rations, quarters, or other allowance)

Designation	Beginning			Ending			Rate of Pay	Pay Received
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year		
Keeper	July	1	1933	June	30	1934	$1620	1620
Keeper	July	1	1934	June	30	1935	$1620	1620
Keeper	July	1	1935	June	30	1936	$1620	1620
Keeper	July	1	1936	June	30	1937	$1620	1620
Keeper	July	1	1937	June	30	1938	$1620	1620
								$8100.00
							CHIEF CLERK	

Total compensation for last five years of active service $8,100.

Average compensation for last five years of active service $1,620

Annual rate of retired pay ($ 1620 × years 30 ÷ 40) = $1,215
(Not exceeding 30)

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1931 11—10551

CROSS REFERENCE

Louis Betteker — Lighthouses

Transfered. Effective date Nov. 1, 1932.

See letter of Nov. 26, 1932. in file for Ernest E. Day.

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RRT/GG

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT.

Portland, Oregon, Sept. 29, 1932
(City) (Date)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1932 OCT 13 AM 10:10
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT 13 1932
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
CHIEF CLERK

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer* — Only change of station involved.

Name, Louis Betteker

Position, Keeper, Lighthouse Service

Location, West Point Light Station, Wash.

Effective, Date to be reported [1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Legal residence, Washington

Proposed salary, $1620.00 A. — Same 3rd quarter

Proposed range, $ 1440-1800. — Same range

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses, 1933

Former position, Keeper, Lighthouse Service

Location, Lime Kiln Light Station, Wash.

Former salary, $1620.00 A. — 3rd quarter

Former range, $1440-1800.

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, (Lt.#420) Louis Petterser — $1620 Pr.

Services terminated, Sept. 30, 1932

Reason, Retired for disability. — Pending

Rec'd 10/12/32 ← returned Bureau for correction

Members of family in Government service, None.

Date of birth, October 22, 1871.

Remarks: ~~See 17th District letter of this date.~~ Telegraphic authority ~~for this transfer is requested.~~

Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 19____

10-13-32

R. R. TINKHAM
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

October 5, 1932

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. There being no change in designation, pay, or nature of duties it is understood that executive authority will not be required for filling this position; therefore, this recommendation will be treated as a Form 73a, the effective date to be reported by the Superintendent upon completion of transfer.*

Action O. K.

Chief Clerk

CARDED

W P Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 3, 1930.

Louis Betteker

(Thru Commissioner of Lighthouses)

Sir:

You are advised that under the Brookhart Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 3, 1930.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED AUG 9 1930 ON JOURNAL, DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

CARDED

From: 1560

To: 1620

17th Keeper

RRT:JDM

LIGHTHOUSES

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAY 20 1930 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

CHIEF CLERK

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In reply please refer to file # 696

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April 18, 1930

Mr. Betteker, Keeper,
E. E. Day, Assistant Keeper,
Lime Kiln Light Station.

The Superintendent is pleased to compliment you on the appearance and condition of your station, which at the time of his recent inspection, indicated a high average for orderliness, cleanliness and care of all buildings and appurtenances connected with the station. The Superintendent is gratified with this evidence of interest and pride in the Service on the part of the keepers.

R.R.TINKHAM
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Copy to the Commissioner of Lighthouses, in accordance with Art. 462 of the Regulations.

Airways
Hydro
Radio M
Engrg. Constr.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Finance
Law & Prop.
Chief Clerk
Adm. Assist.
Dep. Comm.
Commissioner

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington

MAY 17 1930

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

O P Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 1, 1928.

Mr. Louis Bottcher,
Through the Chief, Bureau of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that under the Welch Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1928.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,
Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1500
To: $1560

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 2 1928 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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CARDED

CROSS REFERENCE

SEE FILE--464/16/D #1

NAME Bittelson, Louis POSITION Keeper

BUREAU Lighthouses STATION 17th Dist.

CIRCULAR #11----9/15/23

BASE PAY	Bonus	Total	Allowances			As Classified for estimate purposes			Recommendations regarding differential from standard rates		
			Items	Value	Aggregate	Service	Grade	Pay	Is differential recommended	Amt. per annum to be Added	Subtracted
960	240	1200	XCR	420	1380	L H.S.	7	1380	yes	60-a	

CIRCULAR #13----11/13/23

approved $1350

GRADE RECOMMENDED 6

RANGE OF COMPENSATION RECOMMENDED FROM $1320 TO $1560

CLASSIFICATION BOARD FORM NO. 1
(Filled out in accordance with detailed instruction sheet, Form No. 2)

Sheet No. 56

2—12758

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE			
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1. Bettcher (Surname) Louis (Given name) - (Initial)
2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouses
4. Field Service Lighthouses
5. (a) Field Station Office of Supt. of L.H., 17th District
   (b) Subdivision Lime Kiln Light Station
   (c) City or town Friday Harbor State Wash.
6. Pay-roll title Keeper
7. Customary office title Keeper

8. (a) Number of regular working hours of the position, per day On duty during day as required for upkeep of station average 12; per week 84
   (b) If this is not a full-time position, state percentage of time employed per day - - -; or per week - - -
   (c) If night work, wholly or in part, state the hours: From Alternates at night with other keeper m. to m.
9. If this is not an all-year-round position, state approximate number of days employed each year - - -
   During what months - - -
10. If the employee receives compensation from any other branch of the Federal Government, or from any city, county, or State government, state the position held and the compensation - - - longevity $60.00 per annum
11. Present rate of pay, exclusive of bonus $ 900.00 per annum; bonus, $ 240.00 per annum.
12. Rate of pay, exclusive of bonus, on January 1, 1923, $ 900.00 per annum; bonus, $ 240.00 per annum. longevity $60.00 per annum
13. If the employee receives overtime pay, state the rate - - -
14. Title of appropriation or fund from which basic compensation is paid Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses
15. Indicate by an "X" in the proper box any of the following allowances received, in addition to salary or wages: ☒ Quarters; ☐ 3 meals per day; ☐ 2 meals per day; ☐ 1 meal per day; ☒ Subsistence or rations in kind; ☐ Uniform; ☐ Laundry; ☒ Fuel; ☒ Light; ☐ Heat. If cash allowances are made for any of these items, state which items and the amounts per annum Rations commuted at rate of $164.25 per annum
16. Indicate what special equipment, if any, the employee is required by law or regulation to furnish at his own expense, and the approximate annual maintenance cost to the employee:
    Kind of equipment uniform; annual cost, $ 25.00
17. Extent of employee's education. (Place an "X" in the box before the highest grade or year.)
    (a) Elementary school; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☒ 8
    (b) High school; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4
    (c) Business school; years ☐ ½ ☐ 1 ☐ 1½ ☐ 2 ☐ 2½ ☐ 3
    (d) College: Name ~~Kentucky Christian Seminary~~; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4
    (e) Post graduate work: Kind; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3
    (f) Correspondence courses: Kind English Grammar; number of lessons 5; number completed 5

18. Description of work. (Describe the various tasks performed, making the description of each as detailed as space will permit. Use a paragraph for each task and number the paragraphs. In the column at the right state the estimated percentage of the total time—in the course of a day, month, or year—given to each task.)

	Percentage of total time given to each task
1. In charge of station, which has two keepers.	
2. Cares for and operates incandescent oil-vapor illuminating apparatus, which includes clockwork machinery	65%
3. Cares for and operates (1) compressed-air oil-engine fog-signal apparatus and (2) gas-driven pump for water system when gravity supply is low.	10%
4. Cares for buildings and grounds, including painting and minor repairs to all structures, including fences and walks	15%
5. Shows visitors over the station	5%
6. Conducts correspondence with Superintendent and is in charge of station records	5%

19. Does employee work under immed[illegible] supervision, or to a large extent upon his own re[illegible]sibility? (Describe fully.)

Upon own responsibility. Is responsible for proper management and operation of station.

20. Do the duties involve direction or supervision of the work of other employees? yes
If so, describe the nature of the direction or supervision and give the number and classes of employees directed or supervised.

In full charge of Assistant Keeper and assigns work to him.

21. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? 6 years

22. I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the answers to the foregoing questions are correct.

May 31, 1923. (Date)

Robert Warnack (Signature of Preparing Officer) Superintendent of L. H.

23. I have read the foregoing and I agree to it except as follows:

Impracticable to secure signature of employee on account of his inaccessibility.

(Signature of Employee)

THE FOLLOWING TO BE FILLED OUT BY THE HEAD OF THE FIELD OFFICE OR STATION

24. Indicate by an "X" in the proper spaces below the qualifications and personal traits considered important for the satisfactory performance of the duties of this position:

	High Degree	Average	Not Essential
Judgment	X		
Accuracy	X		
Initiative (originality and resourcefulness)	X		
Trustworthiness (dependability)	X		
Speed (quickness)		X	
Physical Qualities (strength and endurance)	X		

EDUCATIONAL TRAINING		
	Essential	Desirable But Not Essential
College		
High School		
Common School		X

Technical Education: If essential, kind and extent none

Experience: If essential, kind and extent 5 years

25. I hereby certify that I have read the foregoing and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made are accurate and complete. In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $ 1140.00 to $ 1500.00

June 1, 1923. (Date)

Robert Warnack (Signature of head of field office or station) Superintendent of L. H.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—12758

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

July 1, 1927.

Mr. Louis Betteker,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1927.

No new appointment will be issued to you as a result of this change, and an oath of office is not required.

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

JUL 22 1927

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1440 per annum.

To: $1500 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

RECARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 22 1927 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

17th.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9061

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 25, 1925.

M
r. Louis Bettcher,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1380 per annum to $ 1440 per annum, effective
July 1, 1925.

No new appointment will be issued to you as a result of this change, and an oath of office is not required.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

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CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 15 1925 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 31, 1925.

M
r. Louis Betteker,
Through the
Commissioner of Lighthouses,

Sir:

In connection with the readjustment of pay of positions in the Lighthouse Service the total compensation of the position occupied by you has been fixed as indicated below, effective February 1, 1925.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.
Acting

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED FEB 7 1925 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Position:
Keeper
Salary:
$1380
Appropriations: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.
General Expenses, Lighthouse Service.

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FEB 9 - 1925

CARDED

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
PORTLAND, OREG.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK

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Mar Engr.
Accounts.
Contracts.
Chf Clk.
Dep. Comr.
Comr.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 17TH DISTRICT
PORTLAND, OREG.

December 11, 1922.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DEC 16 1922
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

Mr. Louis Betteker, Formerly Keeper at Semiamoo Harbor Light Station, Washington, entered on duty as Keeper of Lime Kiln Light Station December 8th as authorized by Department letter of December 4, 1922.

REPORT DATE ENTERED

Warnack
Superintendent.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

CARDED

DEC 18 1922

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

M r. Louis Betteker, December 4, 1922.

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1020 per annum to $ 960 per annum, effective December 5, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty, (including $60 per annum longevity pay).

No new appointment will be issued to you as a result of this change, and an oath of office is not required.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
DEC 5 - 1922
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

CARDED

Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT,

Portland, Oregon (City.), November 27 (Date.), 1922.

1922 DEC 2 AM 8 51

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer at decreased pay.

Name, Louis Betteker. Legal residence, Washington.

Position, Keeper, Lighthouse Service. Salary, $960.00 per annum including $60.00 longevity pay.

Location, Lime Kiln Light Station, Wash. Appropriation, Salaries, K. of L. H.

Effective December 5, 1922. { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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Former position, Keeper, Lighthouse Service. Former salary, $1020.00 per annum including $60.00 longevity pay.

Location, Semiamoo Harbor Light Station, Wash.

Rank on eligible list, _ Rating, Percentage, , Other eligibles considered.

Previous incumbent, Clifford B. Hermann. Services terminated, To be later reported.

Reason, Transferred to a mainland station at his own request.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Transfer made at his own request to give him the advantage of a shore station having proper family quarters.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NOTIFICATION TAKEN DEC 5 1922 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 19

IN THE ABSENCE AND BY DIRECTION OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

12/14/22

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Milo Hoadley
1st Asst. Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES WASHINGTON DEC 2 - 1922

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

J. S. COWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 11, 1919.

M
r. Louis Betteker,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 720 per annum to $ 1020 per annum, effective April 10, 1919 (including $60 per annum longevity pay).

No new appointment will be issued to you as a result of this change, and an oath of office is not required.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED APR 11 1919 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES APR 10 1919

SUPERINTENDENT
OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 17th DISTRICT,

Portland, Oregon (City.) April 5 (Date.), 1919.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

APPOINTMENTS

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Action recommended, Promotion and transfer.

Name, Louis Betteker — Legal residence, Washington.

Position, Keeper, Lighthouse Service — Salary, $1020.00 per annum (including $60.00 longevity pay).

Location, Semiamoo Harbor Light Station, Wash. — Appropriation, Salaries, K. of L. H.

Effective April 10, 1919. — {'the actual date of entrance on duty, or ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

Former position, Keeper (Assistant), L. H. S. — Former salary, $720.00 per annum.

Base

Location, Robinson Point Light Station, Wash.

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

Previous incumbent, Edward Durgan — Services terminated, March 20, 1919.

Reason, Deceased.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Mr. Betteker is expected to assume duty April 10th.

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

Robert Warnock
Superintendent.

Secretary, *Civil Service District.*

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

4-10-19

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

APPOINTMENT DIV. ASSIST. SECY. APR 10 1919 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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APR 10 1919

[signature]

[signature]

[signature]

Form 111

APPOINTMENTS JAN 28 1919

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

JAN 27 1919 LIGHT JAN 27 HOUSTON

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I, Louis Betteker

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.

CHIEF CLERK

1919 JAN 27 PM 3 54

Louis Betteker
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 8th day of January, A. D. 1919

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) W. H. Washington

(Official title) Notary Public

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Keeper, Present Lighthouse Service	$780.00 A.	Robinson Point Light Station, Wash.
Asst. Keeper, Former Lighthouse Service	$636.00 A.	" " " " "

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 17th District

Portland, Oregon (Address), JAN 22 1919 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on November 1, 1918. (Date)

CARDED

Robert Warnack
(Signature, followed by title)
SUPERINTENDENT 17th LIGHTHOUSE 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, 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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Original State

GEN[illegible] APPOINTMENT FIXED [illegible]

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

November 22, 1918.

Mr. Louis Betteker,
Through
the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Seven Hundred and Eighty dollars per annum effective November 1, 1918.

CARDED

By promotion from assistant keeper at $636 per annum.

(The above rate of pay includes longevity pay of $60.)

OR BASIS OF THIS ACTION SEE LETTER DATED 11-20-18 WAIVER OF 1095-17

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

RECEIVED NOV 25 1918

(Signed) Clifford Hastings
Chief of Appointment Division

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: New position, (By increase in compensation.)

Legal Residence: Washington.

USE TYPEWRITER—SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK.

UNITED STATES
BUREAU OF EFFICIENCY.
FORM 8.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF THE CENSUS.
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MAKE NO ENTRIES IN THIS COLUMN.

LIGHT
OCT 30 1916
HOUSES

RECORD OF CIVIL EMPLOYEE.

JULY 1, 1916.

1. Name: (Surname first. Given name in full. For women write Miss or Mrs. before given name.)

Betteker, Louis

2. Department:

Commerce

3. Bureau, office, or service:

Lighthouse

4. Designation of position:

Assistant Keeper, Lighthouse Service.

5. Occupation (if not clearly shown by answer to question 4):

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6. Annual earnings:

$618

7. Kind of appropriation:

Stat. L. S

8. Present rate of pay:

$ 636 P. A.

9. Initial rate of pay:

$ 600 P. A.

10. Total length of service (give the total of ALL U. S. GOVT. SERVICE with the exceptions stated on the back of this card)—

Substitute— Years:	Months:	Regular— Years:	Months:
		8	2

11. State, Territory, or foreign country of birth (do not give town):

Ohio

12. Race:

W.

13. Sex:

M.

14. Date of birth—

Month: October

Year: 1871

15. Kinds of schools attended, years attended, and degrees taken:

E12.

16. Marital condition:

S.

17. War veteran?

No.

18. Appointed from—

Congressional district and State: 1 Washington

County: King

19. Civil service status:

C.

20. Method by which classified status was obtained:

CE.

21. Place of employment—

City: Semiamoo Harbor Lt. Sta.

State: Washington

DO NOT FOLD THIS CARD.

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Form 73a

RCH/LJR

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

LIGHT DEC 10 1917 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 17th DISTRICT.

Portland, Oregon, December 4, 1917.

DEC 10 1917 5

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee will be transferred as indicated, and will enter upon duty at his new station on December 16, 1917.

APPOINTMENT DEC 10 1917

Name, Louis Betteker. Position, Assistant Keeper. $636

From Semiamoo Harbor Light Station, Wn. To Burrows Island Light Station, Wash.

Previous incumbent, Edmund N. Cadwell.

Services terminated, December 15, 1917. Reason, Transfer.

This transfer will be made at the request of Mr. Betteker.

Robert Brassack

Inspector.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED DEC 1 1917 DEPT OF COMMERCE

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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with .....

12-10-17

CARDED.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON DEC 10 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

H. B. Bowerman

Acting Commissioner.

Form 73a
RCH/LJR

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

LIGHT HOUSES DEC 10 1917

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 17th DISTRICT.

Portland, Oregon, December 4, 1917.

CHIEF CLERK DEC 10 1917

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee will be transferred as indicated, and will enter upon duty at his new station on December 16, 1917.

Name, Edmund N. Cadwell — Position, Assistant Keeper.

From Burrows Island Light Station, Wash. To Robinson Point Light Station, Wash.

Previous incumbent, Samuel B. Morris.

Services terminated, November 30, 1917. Reason, Resignation.

This transfer will be made at the request of Mr. Cadwell.

Robert Warnack
Inspector.

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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with .....

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

DEC 10 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

H. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner.

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REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

LIGHT JAN 21 1918 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 17th DISTRICT.

Portland, Oregon, December 4, 1917.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee will be transferred as indicated, and will enter upon duty at his new station on December 16, 1917.

CHIEF CLERK JAN 3 1918

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APPOINTMENTS JAN 3 - 19

Name, Louis Betteker. Position, Assistant Keeper.

From Semiamoo Harbor Light Station, Wn. To Burrows Island Light Station, Wash.

Previous incumbent, Edmund N. Cadwell.

Services terminated, December 15, 1917. Reason, Transfer.

This transfer will be made at the request of Mr. Betteker.

Robert Warnack

Inspector.

Portland, Ore., December 26, 1917.

The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with December 16, 1917.

IN THE ABSENCE AND BY DIRECTION OF THE INSPECTOR

Milo Hoadley

Superintendent.

CARDED

11—4598

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

JAN 2 - 1918

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

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Acting Commissioner.

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REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

LIGHT JAN 22 1918 HOUSES

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 17th DISTRICT.

Portland, Orggon, January 16, 1918.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee was transferred as indicated, and entered upon duty at his new station on January 13, 1918.

Name, Louis Betteker. Position, Assistant Keeper, L.H.S. $636.

From Burrows Island Light Station, Wash. To Robinson Point Light Station, Wash.

Previous incumbent, Edmund N. Cadwell.

Services terminated, January 12, 1918. Reason, 73a Transferred to Burrows Island Light Station, Wash.

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JAN 25 1918 BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES DEPT. OF COMMERCE

Inspector.

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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with .....

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

JAN 23 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

Acting Commissioner.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR
FEB 5 - 1916
17th LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT

LIGHT HOUSES FEB 11 1916

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Louis Betteker

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.

CHIEF CLERK FEB 12 1916 5

Louis Betteker
(Appointee signs here)

APPOINTMENTS FEB 12 1916 10

[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 3rd day of February, A. D. 191[illegible]

(Affix official seal here)

[4](Name) Wm. J. Gillespie

(Official title) Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, Residing at Olympia

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Asst. Keeper, LHS	$636 per an.	Semiamoo Harbor Light Station, Wash.
Former[5] Same	$600 " "	Same.

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 17th District

PORTLAND OREGON (Address), February 5, 1916. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on JAN 1 - 1916 (Date)

IN THE ABSENCE AND BY DIRECTION OF THE INSPECTOR.

Milo Hoadley
(Signature, followed by title) Superintendent.

CARDED

[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.

11—944

Ent'd

GENERAL APPOINTMENT, FIXED [redacted]

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

December 30, 1915.

Mr. Louis Betteker,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, ~~Assistant Keeper~~ in the ~~Lighthouse Service~~ at a salary of ~~Six Hundred and thirty-six~~ dollars per ~~annum~~, effective January 1, 1916.

(By increase in compensation from $600 per annum.)

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED DEC 30 1915 ON JOURNAL BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

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(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice:

Legal Residence: Washington.

OFFICE REPORTED JAN 1916 O. & COMMISSION

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES DEC 27 1915

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 17th DISTRICT,

Portland, Ore. (City.), December 21 (Date.), 191 5.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Increase in pay.

Name, Louis Betteker. Legal residence, Washington.

CHIEF CLERK DEC 28 1915

Position, Assistant Keeper, L.H.Service. Salary, $636 per annum.

Location, Semiamoo Harbor Light Station, Wash. Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

*Effective January 1, 1916 { the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

APPOINTMENTS DEC 28 1915 4

Former position, Same. Former salary, $600 per annum.

Location, Same.

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

Previous incumbent, Same. Services terminated, December 31, 1915.

Reason, See remarks.

D. Z. DEC 16 1915

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: The above change in pay is one of a general revision of Keepers salaries as per Bureau circular No.142 and specifically authorized by Bureau telegram of December 17, 1915.

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

IN THE ABSENCE AND BY DIRECTION OF THE INSPECTOR.

12-29-15

Secretary, Civil Service District.

CHIEF CLERK
~~Inspector.~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

DEC 27 1915

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

S Conway
Acting Commissioner

*Strike out the clause which does not apply.

11—2314

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

LIGHT
APR 21 1915
HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK
APR 23 1915

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Louis Betteker

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.

APPOINTMENTS
APR 23 1915

Louis Betteker
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 16th day of April, A. D. 1915

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) R. C. Black

(Official title) Notary Public in and for Oregon

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Assistant Keeper	$600 per annum	Semiamoo Harbor Lightstation, Wash. Oakland Harbor Light Station, Oakland
Former[5] Assistant Keeper	$540 per annum	Harbor South Jetty and San Antonio Creek Lights, California.

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

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 17th DISTRICT

Portland, Oregon, (Address), April 16, 1915. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on April 12, 1915. (Date)

Warnock
(Signature, followed by title)
Inspector.

CARDED.

[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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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 25, 1915.

M. Louis Betteker,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Six Hundred dollars per annum,

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

(By transfer from assistant keeper at $540 per annum.)

CHANGE REPORTED
APR 1915
U. S. COMMISSION.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

CARED.

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(SIGNED) GEO. [illegible]
Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAR 25 1915 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Lambert R. Willard.

Legal Residence: Washington.

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LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
MAR 11 1915
SAN FRANCISCO CAL.

LIGHT
MAR 23 1915
HOUSES

Oakland Harbor Light Station,

California.

March 6th 1915

The Light House Inspector,

San Francisco, Cal.

Sir:

I respectfully request a transfer with Mr Lambert R. Willard, Assistant Keeper at Semiamoo Harbor Light Station, Washington, with pay at the rate of $600 per annum. I understand that I will have to pay my own traveling expenses.

Respectfully,

Assistant Keeper

Louis E Bettelier

In present of John Olsen, Keeper.

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT MAR 23 1915 HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK MAR 25 1915

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., March 16, 1915, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer & promotion

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS APPOINTMENT WRITTEN MAR 25 1915 DEPT OF COMMERCE

Name, Louis Betteker Ef 97.5 — Legal residence, Washington

Position, Assistant Keeper — Salary, $600 per annum

Location, Semiamoo Harbor Lightstation, Wash. in the 17th Dist — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective April 1, 1915, {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

DEPARTMENT MAR 25 1915 10 W

Former position, Assistant Keeper — Former salary, $540 per annum

Location, Oakland Harbor Light Station, Oakland Harbor South Jetty and San Antonio Creek Lights, California. — 18th Dist.

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

Previous incumbent, Lambert R. Willard, Services terminated ~~xxxxxx~~ To be reported.

Reason, recommended Transfer to 18th District

Done 3-25-15

Relatives in Government Service, None

Remarks: ~~xxxxx~~ Mr Betteker's request for transfer forwarded herewith. Traveling expenses to be borne by each keeper. Transfer recommended at employees' request and agreeable to Inspectors of both districts.

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

IN THE ABSENCE AND BY DIRECTION OF THE INSPECTOR.

H. C. Clark
~~Chief Clerk~~ Chief Clerk

H. W. Rhodes.
Inspector

Inclosure

3-25-15

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAR 24 1915

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

J. Conway
Acting Commissioner

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK JAN 6 1915

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT.

San Francisco, Cal., December 21 1914 , 191

APPOINTMENTS JAN 6 1915

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee will be transferred as indicated, and enter upon duty at his new station on or about January 15 1915.

Name, Louis Betteker

Position, Assistant Keeper $540.

From Oakland Harbor Light Station and Oakland Harbor South Jetty Light, Cal.

To Oakland Harbor Lightstation, Oakland Harbor South Jetty and San Antonio Creek Lights, Cal.

Previous incumbent, Himself.

Services terminated, about Jany. 15, 1915.

Reason, Change in designation of station.

Auth. D.T. Jan 7. 1915

CARDED

Inspector

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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with .....

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JAN - 8 1915 ON JOURNAL DEPT. OF COMMERCE

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

January 4, 1915.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

In this connection attention is invited to Bureau recommendation of today in regard to this matter.

H. B. Bowerman

Acting Commissioner.

Form 73a

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REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT.

San Francisco, Cal., December 21 1914

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee will be transferred as indicated, and enter upon duty at his new station on or about January 15 1915.

Name, Louis Betteker

Position, Assistant Keeper $540.

From Oakland Harbor Light Station and Oakland Harbor South Jetty Light, Cal.

To Oakland Harbor Lightstation, Oakland Harbor South Jetty and San Antonio Creek Lights, Cal.

Previous incumbent, Himself.

Services terminated, about Jany. 15, 1915.

Reason, Change in designation of station.

H. W. Rhodes
Inspector

San Francisco, Cal., January 16, 1915, 191

The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with January 16, 1915

H. W. Rhodes
Inspector

Report date effect

11—4598

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JAN 22 1915

1-20-15

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.
See Department letter of January 7, 1915, authorizing change in the designation of this position.

Acting Commissioner.

January 7, 1915.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

For the reasons set forth in the Eighteenth Inspector's letlet of the 21st ultimo, and in accordance with the Bureau's reccommendation of the 4th instant, the Department has changed the designation of the positions of keeper and assistant keeper of Oakland Harbor Light Station, and Oakland Harbor South Jetty Light, Claifornia, to keeper and assistant keeper of Oakland Harbor light Station, Oakland Harbor South Jetty, and San Antonio Creek Lights, California, without change in the rates of pay, effective on a date later to be determined and reported to the Department.

By direction of the Secretary:

(Signed) Geo. C. Havenner

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August 28, 1914.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Returned herewith, the same having been amended so that the legal residence reads Washington, instead of California, as set forth in the Department's letter of the 4th instant, is the notice of appointment addressed to Louis Betteker on July 8, 1914, notifying him of his transfer to the position of assistant keeper of Oakland Harbor Light Station, etc., California.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) GEO. C. HAVENNER

Enclosure No. 1504.
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Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES AUG 24 1914

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Mar. Engr.
~~Personnel~~
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr,
Commr.

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

CHIEF CLERK AUG 28 1914

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August 17 1914

3.20 APPOINTMENTS AUG 28 1914

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN AUG 28 1914 DEPT OF COMMERCE

Louis Betteker:
Correction appointment.

Commissioner of Lighthouses,

1. Referring to Bureau indorsement on Department letter of August 4 1914

2. The notice of appointment addressed to Louis Betteker, assistant keeper of Oakland Harbor Light Station and Oakland Harbor South Jetty Light, dated July 8 1914, is returned herewith for correction of the legal residence from California to Washington.

Rhodes.

Inspector

McC.
3 inclosures.

Bureau of Lighthouses,
August 27, 1914.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce, there being inclosed notice of appointment (in triplicate) dated July 8, 1914, in the case of Louis Betteker, for amendment on its face to show legal residence as Washington instead of California.

8/28/14 MbL

Acting Commissioner.

August 4, 1914.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 29th ultimo, the Department has amended its order appointing Louis Betteker as assistant keeper of Oakland Harbor Light Station and Oakland Harbor South Jetty Light, California, at $540 per annum, by changing the legal residence to read Washington, instead of California.

It is requested that the notice of appointment addressed to Mr. Betteker under date of July 8, 1914, be returned to the Department for amendment on its face.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) T. J. FITZGERALD
Acting Chief Clerk.

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Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT JUL 29 1914 HOUSES

Hydrog.
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Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr,
Commr.

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

HWR-CHT

July 24 1914

CHIEF CLERK JUL 31 1914

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APPOINTMENTS JUL 31 1914 340

Louis Betteker:
legal residence.

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN AUG 4 1914 DEPT OF COMMERCE

Commissioner of Lighthouses,

Replying to the Bureau's indorsement of July 10 1914 on Department letter of July 9 1914.

Mr Louis Betteker, assistant keeper at Oakland Harbor Lightstation, California, informs me that he still claims Washington as his legal residence.

Rhodes.
Inspector

Appr July 8. 14 San Cal.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JUL 29 1914

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

Acting Commissioner.

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7-31-14

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
WASHINGTON

July 9, 1914.

LIGHT JUL9 1914 HOUSES

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR JUL 20 1914 SAN FRANCISCO CAL.

JUL 20 1914

LIGHT JUL29 1914 HOUSES

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The Department invites attention to the fact that in the Eighteenth Inspector's nomination of the 1st instant, forwarded by the Bureau on the 6th instant, for the appointment of Louis Betteker as assistant keeper at Oakland Harbor Light Station, etc., California, Mr. Betteker's legal residence is given as California. As Mr. Betteker was previously appointed from Washington, and as he gave Washington as his legal residence in his personal question sheet, the Department will be pleased to be advised of the city, county, and congressional district in which he now claims legal residence in California.

By direction of the Secretary:

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington

JUL 10 1914

To Lighthouse Inspector, San Francisco, Cal.
For ~~remarks and~~ return with the information requested.

Acting Commissioner

C-M

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

LIGHT JUL27 1914 HOUSES

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK AUG 5 1914

I, Louis Betteker

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.

Louis Betteker
(Appointee signs here)

APPOINTMENT AUG 5 1914

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 21st day of July, A. D. 191 4

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) M. D. Brown

(Official title) NOTARY PUBLIC In and for the City and County of San Francisco, State of California

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Assistant Keeper	$540 per annum	Oakland Harbor Light Station and Oakland Harbor South Jetty Light, Cal.
Former [5] 1st Asst. Keeper	$600 per annum	Los Angeles Harbor Lightstation, Cal.

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

CARDED.

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 18th District

San Francisco, Cal., (Address) July 22 1914 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on July 21 1914 (Date)

H. W. 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.

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[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.

11—944

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 8, 1914.

Mr. Louis Botteker,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Five Hundred and Forty dollars per annum,

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

(By transfer from first assistant keeper at $600 per annum.)

CARDED.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 8 1914 ON JOURNAL DEPT. OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: George Stinson.

Legal Residence: California. Washington *

* DL 8/4/14 amends

CHANGE REPORTED
11—3692
JUL 1914
U. S. COMMISSION.

Form 73

HWR-CHT

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT JUL6 1914 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., July 1, 1914., 191
(City.) (Date.)

CHIEF CLERK JUL 7 1914 5

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer of

Name, Louis Betteker @ 97.5 Legal residence, California

Position, Assistant Keeper Salary, $540 per annum

APPOINTMENT DIVISION JUL 8 1914 DEPT OF COMMERCE

Location, Oakland Harbor Light Station and Oakland Harbor South Jetty Light, Cal. Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective July 10 1914 ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

DISBURSEMENTS JUL 7 1914

Former position, First Assistant Keeper Former salary, $600 per annum

Location, Los Angeles Harbor Lightstation, Cal.

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

Previous incumbent, George Stinson done 7/8/14 Services terminated, about July 9 1914

Reason, Transfer & promotion. requested 6/8/14

Relatives in Government Service, None

Remarks: This transfer, involving a reduction in Mr Betteker's compensation, is made in accordance with his inclosed request.
Request notification by wire when transfer is made.

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

Rhodes.
Inspector

Secretary, Civil Service District

7-7-14

Inclosure

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUL 6 - 1914

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

J Conway
Acting Commissioner

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

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(CROSS REFERENCE)

Bettiker, Laura In accordance with authority of the Director of the Budget dated June 27, 1924, the salary is re-adjusted to $1200, effective July 1, 1924.

For authorization see letter dated JUL 14 1924 File No. 1095/21.

San Pedro

LIGHT
JUL 6 1914
HOUSES

June 30th 1914

LIGHTHOUSE
INSPECTOR
JUL 1 1914
SAN FRANCISCO
CAL.

Inspector
18th Lighthouse Dist.
San Francisco.

JUL 1 1914

Sir:-

I hereby apply to exchange position as Asst. Keeper of Los Angeles Harbor Lightstation with George Stinson at Oakland Harbor Lightstation

I am aware that the Oakland Harbor Lightstation pays $5.00 dollars a month less than Los Angeles Harbor Lightstation.

Respectfully

Louis Dettleff
San Pedro.
Cal.
Box 304

Forwarded
George D. Jeffrey
Keeper.

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT
JUN 13 1914
HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK
JUN 24 1914

APPOINTMENTS
JUN 24 1914

I, Louis Betteker

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.

☞ Louis Betteker
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 2d day of June, A. D. 1914

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Jos. Mogan

(Official title) DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK AND EX-OFFICIO DEPUTY CLERK OF THE SUPERIOR COURT.

OFFICIAL TITLE	RATE OF PAY	NAME OF STATION, VESSEL, OR PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT
Present 1st Asst. Keeper	$600 per annum	Los Angeles Harbor Lightstation, Cal.
Former[5] Keeper	$900 per annum	Sentinel Island Lightstation, Alaska.

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

CARDED.

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT

San Francisco, Cal., (Address), June 8, 1914. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on May 20, 1914 (Date)

H. W. 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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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 28, 1914.

Mr. Louis Botteker,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

~~First Assistant Keeper~~

in the ~~Lighthouse Service~~

at a salary of ~~Six Hundred~~ dollars per ~~annum~~,

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

(By transfer from keeper at $900 per annum.)

CHANGE REPORTED
JUN 1914
U. S. COMMISSION.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

CARDED

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C

Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED APR 28 1914 ON JOURNAL DEPT OF COMMERCE

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Carl E. Peterson.

Legal Residence: Washington.

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COPY

LIGHT
APR 22 1914
HOUSES

Sentinel Island, A;aska

March 23, 1914.

Inspector

18th Lighthouse District

Ketchikan

Sir:

As I informed you yesterday about an exchange between the Asst. Keeper at Semiano Lightstation, Wash., and myself, I prefer Los Angeles Harbor Light station if it is not at too inconvenient a place to the mainland.

In my application I did not state what station I preferred.

Yesterday's letter may be cancelled if I get the 18th District.

Respectfully

(Bigned) Louis Betteker

Sentinel Island

COPY

LIGHT
APR 22 1914
HOUSES

Sentinel Island, Alaska,

March 22nd, 1914

Inspector 18th Lighthouse District,

San Francisco, Cal.

Through the Inspector

16th Lighthouse District, Ketchikan,

Sir:

I hereby take the liberty to make application for a transfer from the 16th Lighthouse Dist. to the 18th Lighthouse Dist., as First Assistant Keeper.

At present I am Keeper at Sentinel Island Lightstation, Alaska, having been transfered from Southeast Five Finger Lightstation as First Asst.Keeper,having been there from April 28th 1908 to Dec 13th 1910.

Respectfully

(Signed) Louis Betteker
Keeper

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

HWR-CHT

LIGHT APR 22 1914 HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK APR 27 1914

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., April 17, 1914.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer of

Name, Louis Betteker

Legal residence, Wash Alaska

Position, First Assistant Keeper

Salary, $600 per annum

Location, Los Angeles Harbor Lightstation, Cal. and San Pedro Lt

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

APPOINTMENTS APR 27 1914

APPOINTMENT DIVISION APPOINTMENT WRITER APR 28 1914 DEPT OF COMMERCE

Effective May 1, 1914.

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

Former position, Keeper

Former salary, $900 per annum

Location, Sentinel Island, Alaska. L.S.

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

Previous incumbent, Carl E. Peterson Done 4/28/14 COM

Services terminated, about April 30, 1914.

Reason, Recommended Transfer to 16th District.

Relatives in Government Service,

Remarks: Copies of Mr Betteker's request for transfer and of 16th Inspector's letter recommending same, forwarded herewith.
Request notification by wire when appointment is made.

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

Rhodes.
Inspector

Secretary, Civil Service District.

4-27-14 McC.
Two inclosures.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

April 27, 1914.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.
Inclosed are copies of two letters from Betteker, dated March 22 and 23, 1914.
As this transfer is to be made at the request of Betteker, he is to pay his own transportation expenses.

Acting Commissioner.

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1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

11—2314

July 12, 1913.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

For the reasons set forth in the Sixteenth Inspector's letter of the 30th ultimo, the Department hereby approves the Bureau's recommendation that Mr. Louis Betteker, keeper of Sentinel Island Light Station, Alaska, be granted leave without pay for an additional period of eleven days from June 20 to 30, 1913, inclusive.

(SIGNED) E. F. SWEET

Assistant Secretary.

CARDED.



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ML

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

[redacted]artment of Commerce and La[redacted]

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

ABE JFW

Betteker, Louis
Keeper Sentinel Island
Sick leave and leave without pay

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 16TH DISTRICT
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

WROTE BUREAU
JUL 12 1913

June 30, 1913.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 8 1913
DEP'T OF COMMERCE

Commissioner of Lighthouses,

Washington, D. C.

Referring to letter from this office dated May 20, 1913, and Department letter of June 7, 1913, endorsed to this office by Bureau on June 9, 1913, regarding sick leave and leave without pay of Louis Betteker, Keeper of Sentinel Island Light Station, Alaska, - -

CHIEF CLERK
JUL 10 1913
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APPOINTMENTS
JUL 10
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The Inspector today cables that Mr. Betteker is leaving Seattle, Washington, to return to duty at his station, and states that he will enter on a pay status on July 1, 1913.

It is requested that Mr. Betteker be granted an extension of his leave without pay for the period from June 21 to and including June 3o, 1913.

It appears that Mr. Betteker has been sick and not able to return to duty at an earlier date.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington,
July 9, 1913

C B Edmonds
Chief Clerk.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval for the period from June 20 to 30, inclusive, 1913.

7-10-13

Acting Commissioner.

June 7, 1913.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

For the reasons set forth in the Sixteenth Inspector's letter of the 20th ultimo, the Department hereby approves the Bureau's recommendation that Mr. Louis Betteker, keeper of Sentinel Island Light Station, Alaska, be granted leave without pay for a period not to exceed thirty days beginning May 21, 1913. If Mr. Betteker does not take the full period of leave authorized, the Department will be pleased to have a further report in the matter.

(SIGNED) E. F. SWEET

APPOINTMENT DIVISION. REPORTED JUN 9- 1913 TO DISBURSING CLERK DEPT OF C.

Assistant Secretary.

CANCELED.

P-C
ML

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

[redacted]artment of Commerce and Lab[redacted]

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RLH/ G

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 16TH DISTRICT
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

May 20th, 1913

Leave of Absence
Louis Betteker

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAY 31 1913
DEPT OF COMMERCE

Commissioner of Lighthouses,

Washington, D.C.

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS
AUTHORIZED
JUN 6 1913
DEPT OF COMMERCE

1. On March 10,1913, I granted Louis Betteker, Keeper of Sentinel Island Light Station, Alaska, leave of absence for a period not to exceed seventy-two days, on account of illness.

CHIEF CLERK
JUN 6 1913

2. Mr. Betteker proceeded to the Bernarr Macfadden Health-atorium in Chicago, where his case was diagnosed by the Attending Physician and the accompanying statement furnished this office.

APPOINTMENTS
JUN 6 1913

3. Today I am in receipt of a communication from Keeper Betteker stating that he expects to return to duty about June 15, 1913.

4. This employees period of authorized leaves expires on May 20,1913, to which time should be added, for returning from Seattle to his station.

5. I have to recommend that the period of absence from duty, as taken by Mr. Betteker, from May 21,1913, to and including the date he leaves Seattle, on his return to his station, be considered as leave of absence without pay, which period should not exceed thirty days.

Hawkinson

Bureau of Lighthouses,
Washington, June 5,1913.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce, with recommendation that Betteker be granted not to exceed 30 days' leave of absence without pay, effective beginning May 21, 1913. In view of the uncertainty as to just how much of this leave without pay will be required, the Bureau will submit further report to the Department, if desired, as to the exact number of days leave without pay charged.

G. R. Putnam

6/6/13

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Grand Boulevard and Forty Second Street

Chicago, Illinois

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L. E. STEWART, LL.D.
D. WELLESLEY WISE, D.D.
MARY E. TEATS

March 15th, 1913.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR
MAR 27 1913
16th Lighthouse District

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAY 31 1913
DEPT OF COMMERCE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that Mr. Louis Bettekor came to this Institution for examination and treatment. That on the 14th day of March 1913 he was given a thorough general and microscopical examination. He was found to be suffering from Neuresthenia, weak heart, constipation and other troubles. It is our judgment that he should remain in this Institution at least eight weeks for treatment and possibly longer. We believe that he will be in a condition to get back to his work, that he will be able to attend to his usual business duties in due time.

John G. Speiche M.D.

House and Examining Physician.

READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON PAGE 3

Department of Commerce and Labor

EFFICIENCY REPORT June 5, 1911.

(The parenthetical letters refer to instructions on page 3, which instructions should be read and understood before attempting to fill out the form.)

1. Name Louis Betteker 2. Age 39 (Last birthday.)

3. Bureau of Lighthouses 4. Position Keeper

5. Compensation $900. 6. Where employed Sentinel Island Light-Station

7. When appointed (*a*) Dec. 14,1910 8. How appointed (*b*) By Transfer and Promotion

9. Status under Civil Service Rules (*c*) Classified Competitive

10. Is the employee an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No

11. Does the employee receive a pension? No If so, state the amount ----------

12. Other Government service Entered Lighthouse Service April 25, 1908. Transferred and promoted December 14, 1910.

13. Duties (describe fully) Keeper in charge of light-station. Care of buildings and all government property at station. To see light kept burning brightly from sunset to sunrise.

14. Has the employee special qualifications? Yes. If so, state them Good knowledge of fog-signal and lighthouse machinery.

15. Efficiency (*d*):

	Averages.	Relative weights.	Products of averages multiplied by weights.	
Quantity of work	90	2	180	
Quality of work	100	3	300	
Interest manifested in work (see also Question 17)	100	3	300	
Attendance		~~2~~		
Total		8 ~~10~~	780	
Average percentage			97.5	

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16. In the following form state the number of days of annual leave, sick leave, and leave without pay taken in each of the years 1908, 1909, and 1910:

1908.			1909.			1910.		
Annual.	Sick.	Without pay.	Annual.	Sick.	Without pay.	Annual.	Sick.	Without pay.
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17. Is this employee a purely routine employee, or does he manifest interest, not only in his own work but also in the work of the office or bureau as a whole, to the extent of overtime work or voluntary efforts by suggestion or otherwise to add to its efficiency? (Answer fully.) His duties are largely routine.

18. On the basis of efficiency alone, is this employee overpaid or underpaid as compared with others in your office engaged on the same grade of work, or is his salary a fair equivalent for the service rendered? (Answer fully.) Fairly paid by comparison.

If the present salary is above or below a fair equivalent, state what, in your opinion, it should be.

19. Is this employee superannuated? No. If so, what percentage of salary is unearned?

20. Remarks: (*e*) Has proven himself a reliable and efficient keeper.

The official who is primarily responsible for the statements herein submitted will sign here—

C. H. Gilbreath

The official who approves the statements thus submitted will sign here—

C. H. Gilbreath

Commander, U. S. Navy
INSPECTOR, 16th LIGHT-HOUSE DISTRICT

G. R. Putnam

Chief of Bureau or Office.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 1757, REVISED STATUTES)

BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES
AUG 21 19
DEPT. OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

I, Louis Bottcher

do solemnly[a] affirm 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.

Louis Bottcher

[b] Affirmed and subscribed before me, this 14th day of July, A. D. 1911

(Affix official seal here.)

[c] (Name:) L. Fellows

(Official title:) Notary Public for Alaska.

Official Title.	Name of Station.	State or Country in which born.	State or Territory from which appointed.
Keeper	Sentinel Island Light Station, Alaska	Ohio	Washington

Office of the Inspector, 16th Light-House District,

Ketchikan, Alaska (Address.), August 10, 1911 (Date.)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on December 14, 1910 (Date.)

(Signed:) C. W. Gilmore

Commander U. S. Navy
Inspector 16th Lighthouse District.

CARDED.

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

[b] Insert here "Sworn to" or "Affirmed," as the case may be.

[c] 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.

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DEPT. OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

NOTE CAREFULLY.

The oath may be executed at any time subsequent to the actual issuance of the appointment certificate, but no compensation should be paid until the oath is executed in proper form. Whenever possible the oath should be executed upon the date of actual entrance upon duty.

A letter of transmittal (use Form 95) should accompany Oath, stating the **exact** date of the entrance on duty of the appointee and the above blank also filled out and properly signed by the district officer.

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

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AUG 23 1911

GENERAL APPOINTMENT-PRIC

Department of Commerce and Labor
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
Washington

January 9, 1911.

Mr. Louis Botteker,

Through the Commissioner of Light-Houses.

Sir:

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

Keeper of Sentinel Island Light-Station, Alaska,

in the Light-House Service,

at a salary of Nine Hundred dollars per annum,

effective December 14, 1910, on and after which date

you have continuously served in the above-mentioned position.

(By transfer from First Assistant Keeper of Southeast Five Finger Islands Light-Station, Alaska, at $700 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Algordon Cumming

Le D. CARDER.

Acting Chief Clerk.

CHANGE REPORTED
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APPOINTMENT DIVISION
REPORTED
JAN 9 1911
TO DISBURSING CLERK
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Appropriation:

Vice: Carl E. Peterson.

Legal Residence: Washington.

Form 72 ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF EMPLOYEE

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

Office of Inspector, 16th Dist.,
Ketchikan, Alaska,
December 21, 1910.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION RECEIVED JAN 4 1911 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

The Commissioner of Light-Houses,

Washington, D. C.

Sir: I have the honor to recommend the (1) transfer and promotion
(Probationary appointment, transfer, promotion, etc.)
of (2) Louis Betteker 10/10 EOK of (3) Washington
(Name of person—letter for letter—as reported to Board) (State of legal residence)
from (4) First Assistant Keeper
(Official title of present position, as Keeper, First Assistant Keeper, etc.)
at (5) Southeast Five Finger Islands Light-Station, Alaska
(Official name of aid, as given in Light List, as Absecon Light-Station, N. J.)
at (6) $700 per anm. to (7) Keeper
(Salary now paid) (Official title of position, as Keeper, First Assistant Keeper, etc.)
at (8) Sentinel Island Light-Station, Alaska at
(Official name of aid, as given in Light List, as Absecon Light-Station, N. J.)
(9) $900 per anm, effective beginning (10) Dec. 14, 1910 (the date
(Salary recommended)
of his entrance on duty) ~~(or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty)~~
(Strike out the clause not appropriate)
in the place of (11) Carl E. Peterson
(State name of *last* person holding position)
who (12) was transferred and promoted requested on (13) Dec. 14, 1910
(Died, transferred, resigned, dismissed, etc.)
Mr. (14) ---------- stands No. (15) ---- in list of eligibles,
Class (16) ---------, with an average of (17) ---------- per cent, and
was considered with (18) ----------
(19) letters of declination of ---------- herewith.

Respectfully,

C. W. Tillman
Commander, U. S. Navy,
Inspector 16th L.H.District.

Department of Commerce and Labor

BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES

JAN 3 1911

Approved, and respectfully forwarded to the Honorable the Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

Capt. mailed 1-7-1911

A. Lucas
Acting Commissioner

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Form 111

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK RECEIVED AUG 11 1909 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

LIGHT HOUSE BOARD AUG 9 1909 NO. 11561

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OATH OF OFFICE

(PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 1757, REVISED STATUTES)

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS RECEIVED AUG 11 1909 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

I, Louis Bettcher

do solemnly[a] Swear 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.

Louis Bettcher

[b] Sworn and subscribed before me, this 3rd day of August, A. D. 1909.

(Affix official seal here.)

[c](Name:) Jack

(Official title:) Notary Public for Oregon.

Official Title.	Name of Station.	State or Country in which born.	State or Territory from which appointed.
1st Ass't Keeper. $700 per annum.	Southeast Five Finger I'ds Lt-Station, Alas.	Ohio.	Washington.

Office of the Inspector 13th Light-House District,

Portland, Oregon, (Address.) August 3, 1909. (Date.)

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK FORWARDED AUG 11 1909 TO APPOINTMENTS DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on May 10, 1909. (Date.)

IN THE ABSENCE OF AND BY DIRECTION OF THE INSPECTOR.

(Signed:) R. O'Hara

Chief Clerk.

CARDED

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

[b] Insert here "Sworn to" or "Affirmed," as the case may be.

[c] 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.

NOTE CAREFULLY.

The oath may be executed at any time subsequent to the actual issuance of the appointment certificate, but no compensation should be paid until the oath is executed in proper form. Whenever possible the oath should be executed upon the date of actual entrance upon duty.

A letter of transmittal (use Form 95) should accompany Oath, stating the **exact** date of the entrance on duty of the appointee and the above blank also filled out and properly signed by the district officer.

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

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Rec'd AUG 10 1909

GENERAL APPOINTMENT—PRIOR DATE

Department of Commerce and Labor
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Washington

June 28, 1909.

Mr. Louis Rattebar, of Washington, is hereby appointed

First Assistant Keeper of Southeast Five-Finger Islands Light-Station, Alaska.

in the Light-House Service,

at a salary of seven hundred dollars per annum,

this appointment to be effective beginning May 10, 1909, he

having entered upon duty on that date and since continuously served

in the above-mentioned position. (vice Benny M. Hall.)

Payment of the compensation authorized in this appointment is

subject to the oath of office being taken.

(By promotion from Second Assistant Keeper of that station at $600 per annum.)

Acting Secretary.

Date of oath: , 190

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The Light-House Board.

CANCELED

CHANGE REPORTED
JUN 1909
U.S. COMMISSIONER

DIVISION OF TERRITORIES
REPORTED
JUN 29 1909
TO DISBURSING CLERK
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT HOUSE BOARD
JUN 14 1909
NO.

EFFICIENCY REPORT

(Read the instructions on the reverse side of this Form before attempting to fill it out.)

1. Bureau Light-House Establishment 2. Where employed Southeast Five-Finger Islands Light-Station Alaska.
3. Name Betteker, Louis 4. Where born Ohio
5. Age 37 6. Position First Assistant Keeper
7. Compensation $700 p.a. 8. When appointed (a) April 28, 1908
9. How appointed (b) Through Civil Service Examination
10. Appointed from State Washington; Congressional District At large Now 1st District.; County King — O.R.
11. Status under Civil Service Rules (c) Classified Competitive
12. Is the employee an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No
13. Other Government service None
14. Duties (describe fully) First Assistant Keeper
15. Efficiency — Quantity of work (d) 10/10; Quality of work (e) Excellent; Interest manifested in work (f) Excellent
16. Is this employee fully earning the salary he is now receiving? Yes
17. Remarks (g)

MARKED

CAPTAIN, U. S. N.
NAVAL SECRETARY

Lt. Colonel, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.,
Inspector, 13th Light-House District. *Head of Bureau or Office.*
Engineer Secretary.

JUN 7 - 1909, 19

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Form 73 ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF EMPLOYEE

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS RECEIVED JUN 26 1909 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK RECEIVED JUN 26 1909 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Office of the Inspector, 13th L. H. Dist.,

Portland, Oregon,

May 13, 1909.
(Date)

The Light-House Board,

Washington, D. C.

Sirs: I have the honor to recommend the (1) promotion
(Probationary appointment, transfer, promotion, etc.)

of (2) Louis Betteker Ef-not reported of (3) Washington
(Name of person—letter for letter—as reported to Board) (State of legal residence)

from (4) Second Assistant Keeper
(Official title of present position, as Keeper, First Assistant Keeper, etc.)

at (5) Southeast Five Finger Islands Light Station, Alaska,
(Official name of aid, as given in Light List, as Absecon Light-Station, N. J.)

at (6) $600 per yr. to (7) First Assistant Keeper
(Salary now paid) (Official title of position, as Keeper, First Assistant Keeper, etc.)

at (8) Southeast Five Finger Islands Light Station, Alaska, at
(Official name of aid, as given in Light List, as Absecon Light-Station, N. J.)

(9) $700 per yr., effective beginning (10) May 10, 1909, (the date
(Salary recommended)

of his entrance on duty) (~~or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty~~)
(Strike out the clause not appropriate)

in the place of (11) Benny M. Hall
(State name of *last* person holding position)

who (12) was promoted May 10, 1909 on (13) May 19, 1909.
(Died, transferred, resigned, dismissed, etc.) (Last day of service)

Mr. (14)_____ stands No. (15)_____ in list of eligibles,

Class (16)_____, with an average of (17)_____ per cent, and

was considered with (18)_____

(19) letters of declination of_____herewith.

Respectfully,

E. M. Ellis

Ass't to Inspector.

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Approved, and respectfully forwarded to the Honorable the Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

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H. T. Mayo

Captain, U. S. N.

Naval Secretary

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PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

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Department of Commerce and Labor

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Washington

December 17, 1906.

To the Chiefs of Bureaus of the Department of Commerce and Labor:

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 officer in immediate charge should review the information given by the appointee or employee, and if correct, should forward the form to the Chief of the Bureau without delay. The information called for by the questions in Part II should then be supplied and the form forwarded to the Department.

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Secretary.

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PART I.

(Part I should be executed 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.)

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.) Mr. Louis Betteker

2. How do you write your name on the pay roll? (This should agree with signature to your oath of office.) Louis Betteker

3. What is your present legal (voting) residence? (Give city or town, State or Territory, county, and Congressional district.) Seattle (City or town.) Washington (State or Territory.) King (County.) 7 Precinct (Fairlayne) (Congressional district.)

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

5. Where were you born? Ohio

6. When were you born? October (Month.) 22 (Day.) 1871 (Year.)

7. Are you pensioned by the U. S. Government? (Answer "Yes" or "No.") No.

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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.)

Ass't Keeper Light-House Service, dated February 10th 1908

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.)

No.

12. 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.)

Regiment and company, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
No.			

13. 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.

Regiment and company, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
No.			

14. 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 for the Government, indicated in your answers to questions 11, 12, and 13.)

Gripsman Seattle Electric Co.

15. 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.)

Public school

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

Mechanical

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

Customhouse San Francisco as near as I recolect 1894

18. 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.

19. State the date upon which the above blanks were filled. May 21st, 1908

Witness:

W. R. Wills

In case signature is by mark.

(Signature) Louis Bettikes

P. O. Address: Juneau,
City or town.

SE. Five Finger Isd Light Station,
Number and street.

Alaska
State or Territory.

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded 2 June, 1908.

(Signature) P. F. Kneik
Commander, U.S.N.,

(Official title) Light-House Inspector.

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.

Light-House Service. (Bureau or Service.) Southeast Five Finger Isd Light Station, Alaska. (Place (city, town, or station).) Thirteenth. (District.)

2. To what position has he been appointed? Second Ass't Keeper.

3. State the date of appointment. 25 April, 1908.

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

Effective 28 April, 1908.

5. State the date of the oath. 21 May, 1908.

6. State the date the appointee or employee entered on duty. 28 April, 1908.

7. What is his salary? $600.00 per annum.

8. From what appropriation is he paid? Salaries of Keepers of Light-Houses.

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

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

11. In what manner did the appointee or 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.)

Appointed through examination for Ass't Keeper, Light-House Service, dated 10 February, 1908.

12. Is the appointee or employee required to give bond? No.

(Signature) P. F. Kneik
Commander, U.S.N.,

(Official title) Light-House Inspector.

Date: 2 June, 1908.

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OATH OF OFFICE

(PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 1757, REVISED STATUTES)

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LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

I, LOUIS BETTEKER

do solemnly[a] swear 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.**

Louis Betteker

Light House Board,

Entered upon duty.

Date Apr. 28, 1908

[b] Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21st day of May, A. D. 1908

W. Hindmarsh
Chief Clerk.
HB

NOTARY PUBLIC DISTRICT OF ALASKA GUY McNAUGHTON

Affix official seal.

[c] Name: Guy McNaughton

Official title: Notary Public for Juneau

CARDED.

NAME OF OFFICE.	NAME OF STATION.	State or Country in which born.	State or Territory from which appointed.
Second Ass't Keeper.	Southeast Five Finger Islands, Alaska.	Ohio.	Washington.

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

[b] Insert here "Sworn to" or "Affirmed," as the case may be.

[c] 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. *The oath should be taken on or after the date of the appointment.*

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.

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PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT—WITHOUT FIXED DATE.

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Department of Commerce and Labor
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Washington

April 25, 1908.

Mr. Louis Betteker, of Washington, having qualified under the civil-service regulations, is hereby appointed Second Assistant Keeper of Southeast Five-Finger Islands Light-Station, Alaska, in the Light-House Service, with compensation at the rate of Six Hundred dollars per annum, for a probationary period of six months, effective beginning April 25, 1908, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. (vice William Russell.)

Retention in the service after the expiration of probationary period shall be equivalent to absolute appointment.

Payment of the compensation authorized in this appointment is subject to the oath of office being taken.

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Acting Secretary.

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Louis Betteker,
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April 25, 1908.

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The Honorable,

The Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

Sir:-

The Board has the honor to ask the probationary appointment of Mr. Louis Betteker, of Wash., as second assistant keeper at Southeast Five-Finger Islands Light-Station, Alaska, at $600 a year, effective beginning April 25, 1908, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty, in the place of Mr. William Russell, who is presumed to have been drowned. Jan 14 '08

Mr. Betteker has passed the required civil service examination and obtained an average of 79.80 per cent in Class I. He stands No. 1 on the eligible register, being considered with Messrs. John Regan and Ross D. Slane.

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Respectfully,

Captain, U.S.N.,

Naval Secretary.

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Considered with:

John Regan.

Ross D. Slane.

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