LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

Employee Name: BJORK, NELS **DOB:** 1856

Records checked:

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

AND

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

If Negative:

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

If Negative:

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

Notes:

Neils J. Bjork

INACTIVE

Neils J. Bjork

LEGAL RESIDENCE.
California

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SALARY	BUREAU OR OFFICE	DATE OF EFFECT OF ACTION AUTHORIZED
Addl. Asst Kpr. not exc 1 mo Point Montara L.S. Cal	636	L H	Sept 13/17
" Extended not exc 1 mo	636	"	Oct 13, 1917
Last day served Oct. 20, 1917			
4th Asst Keeper St George Ray L.H. Cal	540	"	Nov 5, 1917.
3rd " " " "	576	"	Dec 1, 1917.
2nd " " " "	636	"	Apr 1. 1918
Keeper " Increases	900	"	Nov 4, 1918.
Resigned, close Jan. 5, 1919			

INACTIVE

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

HWR-CHT

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., (City.) September 13, 1917 (Date.)

LIGHT SEP 20 1917 HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK SEP 21 1917

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THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES: (Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Temporary appointment of

Name, Neils J. Bjork *

Legal residence, California

Position, Additional Assistant Keeper

Salary, $636 per annum

Location, Point Montara Lightstation, Cal.

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective September 13, 1917 { the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

ADMINISTRATIVE DIVISION RECEIVED ACTION TAKEN SEP 21 1917 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Former position, - - - -

Former salary, - - - -

Location, - - - -

Rank on eligible list, 2nd Rating, Asst. Keeper Percentage, 75.4 , Other eligibles considered:

* Mayapais 1224

John C. Cook (C); no other eligibles

Previous incumbent, New position Services terminated, - - - -

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Reason, - - - -

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Temporary appointment requested pending return to duty of Keeper Dempsey on leave without pay, as per my letter of September 7, 1917. pg. 1
Emergency case accordance circular 313.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. Sept 14 , 1917

Job employment. 3 mos
From register.

C. D. Snyder
Secretary, 12th Civil Service District.

H. W. Rhodes.
Inspector

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

SEP 20 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

9-21-17

H. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

September 21, 1917.

M. Neils J. Bjork,

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, Additional Assistant Keeper of Point Montara Light Station, California, in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Six Hundred and Thirty-six dollars per annum, effective September 13, 1917.

Your appointment will continue for a period not to exceed one month.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED SEP 21 1917 DEPT. JOURNAL DEPT. OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,
(Signed) Clifford Hastings,

C Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: New position.

Legal Residence: California.

11—1393

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

HWR-CHT

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., October 13, 1917
(City.) (Date.)

LIGHT HOUSES OCT 22 1917 CHIEF CLERK OCT 23 1917

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Extension temporary appointment of

Name, Neils J. Bjork — Legal residence, California

Position, Additional Assistant Keeper — Salary, $636 per annum

APPOINTMENTS OCT 23 1917

Location, Point Montara Lightstation, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective October 13, 1917. — {the actual date of entrance on duty, or~~xx~~ / ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.xx~~

Former position, Same — Former salary, Same

Location, Same

DEPARTMENT DIVISION ACTION TAKEN OCT 24 1917 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

Previous incumbent, Himself — Services terminated, October 12, 1917

Reason, Expiration temporary appointment

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Extension temporary appointment requested pending return to duty of Keeper Dempsey, on leave without pay owing to illness. Emergency case accordance circular 313.

Extension
~~Selection~~ regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission. Oct. 16, 1917

C. A. Sprague
Secretary 12th Civil Service District.

H. W. Rhodes.
Inspector

10-23-17

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

OCT 22 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

H. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

GENERAL APPOINTMENT-FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

October 24, 1917.

Mr. Neils J. Bjork,

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, Additional Assistant Keeper of Point Montara Light Station, California.

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Six Hundred and Thirty-six dollars per annum,

effective October 13, 1917.

Your appointment will continue for a period not to exceed one month.

(By extension of temporary appointment.)

CANCELED.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED OCT 25 1917 ON JOURNAL DEPT. OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

C
K

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice:

Legal Residence: California.

11—1393

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR OCT -1 1917 SAN FRANCISCO
LIGHT OCT 2 1917 HOUSES
CHIEF CLK OCT 23 1917

Ed

I, Neils J. Bjork

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.

x Niels J Bjork
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 30th day of September, A. D. 1917

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) F. E. Haguelin

(Official title) Notary Public in and for San Luis Obispo Co. Cal.

My commission expires January 26. 1919

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Add. Asst. Keeper	$636 per annum	Point Montara Lightstation, Cal.
	(Temporary appointment not to exceed one month)	
Former [5]		

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

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Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 18th District

San Francisco, Cal., (Address) October 15, 1917 (Date)

CARDED.

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on September 13, 1917 (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, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

LIGHT HOUSES NOV 10 1917

CHIEF CLERK NOV 20 1917

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Neils J. Bjork

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 NOV 20 1917

Neils J Bjork
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 24th day of October, A. D. 1917.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) C. H. Thompson

(Official title) Clerk 18th Lighthouse District

My commission expires

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Add. Asst. Keeper (Extension temporary appointment)	$636 per annum	Point Montara Lightstation, Cal.
Former [5]		

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 18th District

San Francisco, Cal., (Address) November 3rd 1917 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on October 13, 1917 (Date)

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector,

C. J. Otter.
(Signature, followed by title)
Superintendent 18th L.H. District

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, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

Form 75

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES: (Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Probationary appointment of

Name, Neils J. Bjork — Legal residence, California

Position, Fourth Assistant Keeper — Salary, $540 per annum

Location, St George Reef Lightstation, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective October 29, 1917 { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty;~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Additional Assistant Keeper — Former salary, $636 per annum

Location, Point Montara Lightstation, Cal. Temp. (Services terminated October 20, 1917)

Rank on eligible list, 1 Rating, Asst. Keeper Percentage, 75.4 , Other eligibles considered:

John C. Cook (FR) and Harry Davis (D)

Previous incumbent, Sydney T. Palmer — Services terminated, October 28, 1917.

Reason, Promotion

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: No quarters furnished by Government for families of keepers.
Emergency case accordance circular 313.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission. Oct. 27, 1917

John M. Ruby
Acting Secretary, Twelfth Civil Service District.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector
H. J. Otter.
Superintendent

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NOV 6 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

L. Conway
Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

Mr. Neils J. Bjork, November 7, 1917.

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED NOV 7 1917 BUREAU DEPT OF COMMERCE

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

C
H

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Sydney T. Palmer.

Legal Residence: California.

(See reverse side.)

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
DEC 10 1917
SAN FRANCISCO

LIGHT
DEC 21 1917
HOUSES

I, Neils J. Bjork

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.

Neils J. Bjork
(Appointee signs here)

CHIEF CLERK
JAN 3 1918

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 6th day of December, A. D. 1917

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Ethel L. Howe

(Official title) Notary Public in and for Del Norte Co., Calif.

My commission expires Jan. 27, 1921

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present 4th Asst. Keeper	$540 per annum (Probationary appointment)	St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.
Former [5]		

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 18th District

San Francisco, Cal., (Address) December 14, 1917 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on November 5, 1917 (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, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

LIGHT
NOV 1 1917
HOUSES

MEMORANDUM SHOWING LAST DAY SERVED BY TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE

Mail desk

(To be filled in immediately after the last day temporary employee serves, signed by the head of the bureau and forwarded to the Secretary of Commerce.)

CHIEF CLERK
NOV 7 1917

Name of employee Neils J. Bjork

Designation Additional Assistant Keeper *Compensation* $636 p.a.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NOV 1 1917

Place of employment Point Montara Lightstation, Cal.

Last day served October 20, 1917

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector,

Copy to District Secretary

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
ENTERED
NOV 3 1917

S. J. Otter.

Superintendent 18th Lighthouse District
(*Official title.*)

Date October 23, 1917

Bureau of Lighthouses
(*Bureau or service.*)

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

HWR-CMT

APPOINTMENT DIVISION RECEIVED ACTION TAKEN DEC 1 1917 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHT NOV 30 1917 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK DEC 1 1917

Action recommended, Promotion of

Name, Neils J. Bjork — Legal residence, California

Position, Third Assistant Keeper — Salary, $576 per annum

Location, St George Reef Lightstation, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

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

APPOINTMENTS DEC 1 1917

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

Location, St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.

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

Previous incumbent, Sydney T. Palmer — Services terminated, about November 15, 1917

Reason, Resignation to be reported

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: No quarters furnished by Government for families of employees.
Request Commission's approval for this probational employee's promotion, as no other assistant will accept transfer to this station.

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

H. W. Rhodes.

Secretary, Civil Service District. — Inspector

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NOV 30 1917

12-1-17

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

H. B. Bruckman

Acting Commissioner

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

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

December 1, 1917.

Mr. Neils J. Bjork,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Third Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Five Hundred and Seventy-six dollars per annum,

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

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

CARDED.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED DEC 3 1917 DEPT OF COMMERCE

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Sydney T. Palmer.

Legal Residence: California.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RECEIVED
JAN 30 1918
Lighthouse Inspector
SAN FRANCISCO

LIGHT
FEB 7 1918
HOUSES

I, Neils J. Bjork

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.

Neils J Bjork
(Appointee signs here)

CHIEF CLERK
FEB 7 1918

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 27 day of Jan, A. D. 1918.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Ethel L. Howe

(Official title) Notary Public in and for Del Norte Co., Calif.

My commission expires Jan. 27, 1921

APPOINTMENTS
FEB 8 1918

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present 3rd Asst.Keeper	$576 per annum	St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.
Former [5] 4th Asst.Keeper	$540 per annum	do do

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

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT

San Francisco, Cal., (Address) January 31, 1918 (Date)

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

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector,

F. J. Otter
Superintendent (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, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
OCT -1 1917
SAN FRANCISCO

LIGHT
OCT 22 1917
HOUSES
CHIEF
OCT 23

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

MARCH 5, 1913.

To the CHIEFS OF BUREAUS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE:

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

APPOINTMENTS
OCT 23 1917

William C. Redfield
Secretary.

CARDED.

PART I.

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

1. What is your full name? (State whether Mr., Miss, or Mrs. and spell out names in full, including middle name or names. Example: Mr. John Richard Roe. If name itself is merely a letter, it should be so stated.)

Neils John Bjorke. (Mr)

2. How do you intend to write your name on the pay roll? **(This should agree with signature to your oath of office.)** Neils J. Bjorke.

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

San Francisco, California, San Francisco, Fifth.
City or town. State or Territory. County. Congressional district.

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

5. Where were you born? City of Nyköping, Sweden

6. When were you born? March, 1st, 1860.
Month. Day. Year.

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

Mrs Helen Rice (Name.) 3326a, Fillmore St. (Number and street.)

San Francisco. (City or town.) California. (State or Territory.)

8. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? No.

(If answer is "Yes," give in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.)

Name.	Relationship.	Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.

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.)

Verbal application, Office, Light house Inspector, 18th Distr.

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

I have no physical disability.

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

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
Have held no position in the Civil Service.					

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

None.

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

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
Hospital Corps.	Jan. 5. 1891.	July 19. 1915.	Retirement.

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

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
Hospital Corps	Jan. 5. 1891.	July 19. 1915. (Continuously)	Retirement.
Service as above given		was Continuous.	

15. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No. (If answer is "yes," give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Relationship (widow or orphan) —

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service —

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

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

Military Service. U.S Army.

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

Public School and High School. in Nyköping. Sweden.

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

Qualified as Hospital Steward in the Hospital Corps of U.S. Army.

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

Passed Civil Service Examination at Mare Island Navy yard. in July 1917. (date now not known)

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

The foregoing answers were written by me.

21. State the date upon which the above blanks were filled. September 30th, 1917

Witness:

(Signature) Niels J Bjork

In case signature is by mark.

P. O. Address: San Francisco
City or town.

3326a Fillmore Str.
Number and street.

California
State or Territory.

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

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded October 15th 1917, 191

(Signature) H.W. Rhodes.

(Official title) Inspector 18th Lighthouse District

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PART II.

(Part II should be executed by the executive officer of the Bureau of the Department to which the employee is assigned or by some authorized official who can give the information desired. If unable to answer any question, indicate that fact.)

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

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

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

3. State the date of appointment. September 21, 1917

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

September 13, 1917

5. State the date of the oath. September 30, 1917

6. State the date the employee entered on duty. September 13, 1917

7. What is his salary? $636 per annum

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

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

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

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

Selected from eligible register

12. Is the employee required to give bond? No

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

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14. If foreign born, state when and where naturalization papers were taken out. Corporation Court of City of Alexandria, Va., November 16, 1897.

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded to the Department.

(Signature) H. W. Rhodes.

(Official title) Inspector 18th Lighthouse District

Date: October 15, 1917, 191

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT. APR 9 1918 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., April 3, 1918, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1918 APR 11 PM 12 09

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Action recommended, Promotion of

Name, Neils J. Bjork Born in Sweden Naturalized — Legal residence, California

Position, Second Assistant Keeper — Salary, $636 per annum

1918 APR 11 PM 2 57

Location, St George Reef Lightstation, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective April 1, 1918 — {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.}

Former position, Third Assistant Keeper — Former salary, $576 per annum

Location, St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.

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

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN APR 12 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Previous incumbent, George B. Crandall — Services terminated, March 31, 1918

Reason, Promotion requested

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: No quarters furnished by Government for family of nominee.
Emergency case accordance circular 313

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

In the absence and by direction
of the Inspector
G. J. Otter.
Superintendent

Secretary, Civil Service District

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON APR 9 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1918 APR 11 AM 11 59

H. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 12, 1918.

Mr. Neils J. Bjork,

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, Second Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Six Hundred and Thirty Six dollars per annum, effective April 1, 1918.

(By promotion from third assistant keeper at $576 per annum.)

CARDED.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED APR 12 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: George B. Crandall.

Legal Residence: California.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RECEIVED
APR 29 1918
Lighthouse Inspector
SAN FRANCISCO

MAY 8 1918
LIGHT
MAY 8 1918
HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK

I, Neils J. Bjork

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.

Neils J Bjork
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 23rd day of April, A. D. 1918

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (*Name*) Ethel L. Howe

(*Official title*) Notary Public in and for Del Norte County, Calif.

My commission expires Jan. 27, 1920

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present 2nd Asst. Keeper	$636 per annum	St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.
Former [5] 3rd Asst. Keeper	$576 per annum	St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.

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

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT

San Francisco, Cal., (Address) May 2, 1918 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on April 1, 1918 (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, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

November 18, 1918.

Mr. Neils J. Bjork,

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 Nine Hundred dollars per annum effective November 1, 1918.

By promotion from second assistant keeper at $646. per annum.

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...LETTER DATED 11-30-18
...FILE OF 1095-18

APPOINTMENT DIVISION INTERIOR NOV 23 1918

CARDED

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(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: California.

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

APPOINTMENTS JAN 17 1919

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RECEIVED JAN 15 1919 Lighthouse Inspector SAN FRANCISCO

LIGHT JAN 15 191 HOUSES

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I, Neils J. Bjork

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.

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Neils J Bjork

(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 16th day of January, A. D. 1919.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Geo. W. Towns

(Official title) Court Commissioner In & for Del Norte Co., Calif. at will & Judge & Deputy Clerk of Superior Court of California, Del Norte Co.

My commission expires

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper	$900 per annum	St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.
Former [5] 2nd Asst. Keeper	$636 do	do

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 18th District

San Francisco, Cal., (Address) January 9, 1919 (Date)

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

CARDED

H. W. Rhodes.

(Signature followed by title)

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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

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

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

[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.

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

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

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NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

CHIEF CLERK 1918 DEC 31 AM 10

LIGHT DEC 30 1918 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent DEC 30 1918 9 42 AM

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE ~~INSPECTOR~~, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 21, 1918

~~, 191~~

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Herewith is transmitted the resignation of the following-named employee:

Name, Neils J. Bjork Position, Keeper (~~2nd Asst.~~)

Legal residence, California Station, St. George Reef Light Station, Cal

Salary, $900. per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of December 31, 1918.

This employee has not taken leave in excess of the accrued rate.

Remarks:

~~In the absence and by direction of the Superintendent.~~

H. W. Rhodes.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON DEC 30 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. 11—4623

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N. B. Bowerman

Acting Commissioner

RECEIVED
DEC 21 1918
Lighthouse Inspector
SAN FRANCISCO

LIGHT
DEC 30 1918
HOUSES

St. George Reef Light Sta.
Dec 1st 1918.

To the Superintendent of Light Houses,
18th District,
San Francisco, Cal.

(Through the Keeper)

Sir:-

I hereby tender my resignation from the Light house Service and request same will be accepted, to take effect at close of business On December 31st 1918.

Very respectfully.
Neils J. Bjork
2nd Asst.

Georges Roun
Keeper

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

Sir: January 3, 1919.

The Department is in receipt of your resignation from the position designated below, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the bureau, to take effect at the close of business on

JANUARY 5, 1919.

Bureau..... Lighthouse Service. 18th Dist
Position..... Keeper.
Salary..... $900.00 per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JAN 3 1919 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Rawlings.
Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

Mr. McIlhenny Clark,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE JAN 23 1919

LIGHT JAN 20 1919 HOUSES

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Hydrog.
Engr. Const
Mar. Engr.
~~Personnel~~
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

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

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Neils J. Bjork:
termination services.

January 14, 1919

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Commissioner of Lighthouses,

1. Department letter of January 2, 1919, accepting the resignation of Neils J. Bjork as keeper in the Lighthouse Service, compensation $900 per annum, is returned with the request that it be made effective at the close of January 5, 1919, the actual date of termination of his services.

H. W. Rhoades.
Superintendent.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JAN 22 1919

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval.

1919 JAN 22 PM 3 26

Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

January 3, 1919.

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your resignation from the position designated below, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the bureau, to take effect at the close of business on January 5, 1919.

Bureau	Lighthouse Service (18th District).
Position	Keeper.
Salary	$900. per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

CARDED

Respectfully,

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JAN 24 1919 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

(Signed) Clifford Hussey

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Mr. Neils J. Bjork,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT SEP 20 1917 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., (City.) September 13, 1917 (Date.) 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES: (Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Temporary appointment of

Name, Neils J. Bjork — Legal residence, California

Position, Additional Assistant Keeper — Salary, $636 per annum

Location, Point Montara Lightstation, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective September 13, 1917 — {'the actual date of entrance on duty, or / as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.}

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

Location, - - - -

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
Asst. Keeper
Personnel
Accounts.
Cashier
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

Rank on eligible list, 2nd Rating, Keeper Percentage, 75.4, Other eligibles considered:

John C. Cook (C); no other eligibles

Previous incumbent, New position Services terminated, - - - -

Reason, - - - -

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Temporary appointment requested pending return to duty of Keeper Dempsey on leave without pay, as per my letter of September 7, 1917. Emergency case accordance circular 313.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. Sept. 14, 1917

Job employment
From register.

C. L. Snyder — H. W. Rhodes.

Secretary, 12th Civil Service District. — **Inspector**

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

SEP 20 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

HRS

Acting Commissioner

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT-FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
SEP 24 1917
HOUSES

September 21, 1917.

Mr. Neils J. Bjork,

Throughthe 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, Additional Assistant Keeper of Point Montara Light Station, California,

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Six Hundred and Thirty-six dollars per annum,

effective September 13, 1917.

Your appointment will continue for a period not to exceed one month.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: New position.

Legal Residence: California.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES OCT 22 1917

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., October 13, 1917, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES: 6695

(Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Extension temporary appointment of

Name, Neils J. Bjork — Legal residence, California

Position, Additional Assistant Keeper — Salary, $636 per annum

Location, Point Montara Lightstation, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective October 13, 1917. — {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. xxx

Former position, Same — Former salary, Same

Location, Same

Hydrog.
Engr. Corps.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

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

Previous incumbent, Himself — Services terminated, October 12, 1917

Reason, Expiration temporary appointment

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Extension temporary appointment requested pending return to duty of Keeper Dempsey, on leave without pay owing to illness. Emergency case accordance circular 313.

Extension
~~Selection~~ regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission. Oct. 16, 1917

E. L. Snyder
Secretary, Twelfth Civil Service District.

H. W. Rhode
Inspector

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

OCT 22 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

H. B. Rhode
Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

GENERAL APPOINTMENT-FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
OCT 26 1917
HOUSES

October 24, 1917.

Mr. Neils J. Bjork,

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, Additional Assistant Keeper of Point Montara Light Station, California.

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Six Hundred and Thirty-six dollars per annum,

effective October 13, 1917.

Your appointment will continue for a period not to exceed one month.

(By extension of temporary appointment.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice:

Legal Residence: California.

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18 Insp.

Form 78

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FJO-CHT

LIGHT NOV 1 1917 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES: (Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Probationary appointment of

Name, Neils J. Bjork — Legal residence, California

Position, Fourth Assistant Keeper — Salary, $540 per annum

Location, St George Reef Lightstation, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective October 29, 1917 — {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Additional Assistant Keeper — Former salary, $636 per annum

Location, Point Montara Lightstation, Cal. (Services terminated October 20, 1917)

Rank on eligible list, 1 Rating, Asst. Keeper Percentage, 75.4, Other eligibles considered:

John C. Cook (FR) and Harry Davis (D)

Previous incumbent, Sydney T. Palmer — Services terminated, October 28, 1917.

Reason, Promotion

Members of family in Government Service, None

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
~~Personnel~~
Accounts
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

Remarks: No quarters furnished by Government for families of keepers. Emergency case accordance circular 313.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. Oct. 27, 1917

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

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector
H. J. Otter
Superintendent

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NOV 6 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

LIGHT
NOV 9 1917
HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

Mr. Neils J. Bjork, November 7, 1917.

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Sydney T. Palmer.

Legal Residence: California.

(See reverse side.)

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18 Insp.

Form 73

NOMINATION

HWR-CHT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT NOV 30 1917 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

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

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr,
Comm'r.

Action recommended, Promotion of

Name, **Neils J. Bjork** Legal residence, **California**

Position, **Third Assistant Keeper** Salary, **$576 per annum**

Location, **St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.** Appropriation, **Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.**

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

Former position, **Fourth Assistant Keeper** Former salary, **$540 per annum**

Location, **St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.**

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

Previous incumbent, **Sydney T. Palmer** Services terminated, **about November 15, 1917**

Reason, **Resignation**

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

Remarks: **No quarters furnished by Government for families of employees. Request Commission's approval for this probational employee's promotion, as no other assistant will accept transfer to this station.**

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

H. W. Rhodes.

Secretary, Civil Service District. **Inspector**

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NOV 30 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
DEC 5 1917
HOUSES

December 1, 1917.

Mr. Neils J. Bjork,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Third Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Five Hundred and Seventy-six dollars per annum,

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

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Sydney T. Palmer.

Legal Residence: California.

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18 Insp.

Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES APR 9 19

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., April 3, 1918, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion of

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
~~Personnel~~
Accounts.
Contracts
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

Name, **Neils J. Bjork** Legal residence, **California**

Position, **Second Assistant Keeper** Salary, **$636 per annum**

Location, **St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.** Appropriation, **Salaries, Keepers of lighthouses**

Effective **April 1, 1918** } the actual date of entrance on duty, or
as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, **Third Assistant Keeper** Former salary, **$576 per annum**

Location, **St George Reef Lightstation, Cal.**

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

Previous incumbent, **George B. Crandall** Services terminated, **March 31, 1918**

Reason, **Promotion**

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

Remarks: **No quarters furnished by Government for family of nominee.**
Emergency case accordance circular 313

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

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector

C. J. Otter
Superintendent

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON APR 9 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

LIGHT
APR 15 1918
HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 12, 1918.

Mr. Neils J. Bjork,

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, Second Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Six Hundred and Thirty Six dollars per annum, effective April 1, 1918.

(By promotion from third assistant keeper at $576 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

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Chief of Appointment Division.

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