Thomas F. Brown

Thomas F. Brown

LEGAL RESIDENCE.
California.

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SALARY	BUREAU OR OFFICE	DATE OF EFFECT OF ACTION AUTHORIZED
4th Asst Kpr St George Reef Lts Cal	$540.	LIGHTHOUSES	Apr. 4, 1918
~~3rd Asst Kpr Point Sur Lt. Sta Cal~~ Resigned	516	May 4/18	Cancelled
Out.			
(Prob) Keeper C. Bro. Isl S.S. Cal	$660	L.H.	Oct 10, 1921
" Trans St Augustine L.S. Cal	"	"	Aug. 25, 1922.
RESIGNED CLOSE OF Oct 16. 1922.			

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT HOUSES APR 10 1918

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., April 4, 1918 191
(City.) (Date.)

CHIEF CLERK

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THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Through the District Secretary)

1918 APR 17 AM 10 32

Action recommended, Probationary appointment of

Name, Thomas F. Brown — Legal residence, California

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

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

Effective April 4, 1918 — the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~xx~~ ~~xxxx

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 17, 1918.

Mr. Thomas F. Brown,

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

CARDED.

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Oscar Benson.

Legal Residence: California.

(See reverse side.)

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED APR 17 1918 JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES MAY 8 1918

MAY 8 1918 1 56 PM

I, Thomas F. Brown

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.

Thomas F. Brown
(Appointee signs here)

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

(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 4th Asst. Keeper (Probationary appointment)	$540 per annum	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., May 2, 1918
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on April 4, 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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Form 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

LIGHT HOUSES MAY 13 1918

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

HWR-CHT

MAY 13 1918 9 54 AM

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., May 6, 1918 , 191

CHIEF CLERK

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Thomas F. Brown Position, Fourth Assistant Keeper

1918 MAY 15 PM 1

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

Salary, $540 per annum

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN MAY 16 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of May 4, 1918

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

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Remarks:

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

H. W. Rhodes.

Inspector

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON MAY 14 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

Acting Commissioner

St George Reef.
~~Flint, Michigan.~~ Light Station.
Cresent City. Cal.
April 20th

Lighthouse Inspector
San Francisco,





Dear Sir:-

Am resigning my position as 4th Assistant at this station my reasons for doing so are, that it is entirely to isolated, and also that I find that I have to do all cooking, a work that I have always despised, this to take effect on 1st of May.

Respectfully

Thomas F. Brown

May 16, 1918.

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your resignation, dated April 20, 1918, as fourth assistant keeper of St. George Reef Light Station, California, at $540 per annum, in the Lighthouse Service, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses, effective May 4, 1918.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

Mr. Thomas F. Brown,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAY 16 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form 73

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES MAY 20 1918

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., May 13, 1918, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Reinstatement of

Name, Thomas F. Brown — Legal residence, California

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

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

Effective May 20, 1918 — ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN MAY 23 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

Location, St George Reef Lightstation, Cal. (Resigned May 4, 1918)

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

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN MAY 21 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Previous incumbent, Gus M. Davis — Services terminated, March 15, 1918

Reason, Promoted

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks:

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

H. W. Rhodes.
Inspector

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAY 20 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1918 MAY 20 PM 3 12

Acting Commissioner

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

11—2314

Form 381.
May, 1910.

REQUEST FOR REINSTATEMENT.

Department of Commerce.
[Department, Commission, or Office.]

Washington, D. C., May 21, 1918.

To the U. S. Civil Service Commission:

Request is made for certificate under Rule IX for the reinstatement of Thomas F. Brown, a legal resident of the State (or Territory) of California, to the position Third Assistant Keeperr, now vacant (or to become vacant on), at a salary of $516 p.a., in the Lighthouse Service, for which a certification of eligibles has not been requested.* Mr. Brown was, without delinquency or misconduct on his part, separated by resignation, on May 4, 1918, from the position of Fourth Assistant Keeper at a salary of $ 540 p.a., in the Lighthouse Service.
[Removal or resignation.] [Bureau or Office.]

MEMBERS OF FAMILY IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES:

None.
[State degree of relationship and where employed.]

MILITARY OR NAVAL RECORD.

Regiment Company

Vessel Date of honorable discharge

By direction of the Secretary:
Signature: (SIGNED) E. W. LIBBEY

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Official title:

*If a certification has been requested, the date should be given. When a requisition has been made under section 1 of Rule VII for a certification of eligibles, and the Commission, at the request of the Department, has made public announcement of an examination to secure such eligibles, the vacancy shall not thereafter be filled by transfer, promotion, or reinstatement, without the consent of the Commission.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

May 23, 1918.

Mr. Thomas F. Brown,

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 Sixteen dollars per annum,

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

(By reinstatement in accordance with authority contained in the Civil Service Commission's certificate No. 13524.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Gus M. Davis.

Legal Residence: California.

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CARDED

CANCELED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAY 24 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT
JUN 10 1918
HOUSES

HWR-CHT

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

Thomas F. Brown:
declines reinstatement.

June 1, 1918
1918 JUN 13 PM 2 25

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
(Through the District Secretary)

1. Mr Thomas F. Brown, recommended May 13, 1918, for reinstatement as third assistant keeper at Point Sur Lightstation, California, compensation $516 per annum, declines service (letter inclosed).

2. His certificate of reinstatement is returned for cancellation.

H. W. Rhodes
Inspector

3 inclosures

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY
ACTION TAKEN
JUN 15 1918
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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3 inclosures.

Bureau of Lighthouses,
June 11, 1918.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information, there being inclosed letter from Brown, also Department letter of May 23, 1918, in duplicate, for cancelation on its face.

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H. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner

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C.H.T.



San Francisco
May 19th, 1918.



Lighthouse Inspector:
18th District.

Dear Sir:-

Am sorry to inform you that I am unable to accept position in Lighthouse Service at the present time, as I am rather short of funds, and have decided to go back to sea for a while,

Yours respectfully,
Thomas F. Brown.

GENERAL APPOINTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

May 23, 1918.

Mr. Thomas F. Brown,

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 Sixteen dollars per annum,

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

(By reinstatement in accordance with authority contained in the Civil Service Commission's certificate No. 13324.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Clifford Harding
Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Gus M. Davis.

Legal Residence: California.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT MAY 25 1918 HOUSES

May 23, 1918 MAY 25 1918 12

LIGHT JUN 10 1918 HOUSES

RECEIVED MAY 31 1918 Lighthouse Inspector SAN FRANCISCO

Mr. Thomas F. Brown,

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 Sixteen dollars per annum,

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

(By reinstatement in accordance with authority contained in the Civil Service Commission's certificate No. 13324.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Gus M. Davis.

Legal Residence: California.

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CANCELED

June 15, 1918.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 11th instant, the Department has canceled its order of May 23, 1918, whereby Thomas F. Brown would have been reinstated as third assistant keeper of Point Sur Light Station, California, at $516 per annum in the Lighthouse Service.

By direction of the Secretary:

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

C/RDEW

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUN 15 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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June 15, 1918.

Gentlemen:

Returned herewith for cancelation is the Commission's Certificate No. 13324 authorizing the reinstatement of Thomas F. Brown in the Lighthouse Service. Mr. Brown has stated that he is unable to accept appointment at this time.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Chief Clerk.

The Civil Service Commission.

Enclosure 1319.
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PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

APPOINTMENTS
1918 MAY 9 PM 12 33

LIGHT
MAY 8 1918
HOUSES

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

MARCH 5, 1913.

To the CHIEFS OF BUREAUS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE:

1918 MAY 9 AM 11 34

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.

William C. Redfield
Secretary.

PART I.

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

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.)

Mr Thomas Francis Brown

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

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

San Francisco	California	San Francisco	4th
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? Kansas City, Kansas

6. When were you born? October 5th 1882
Month. Day. Year.

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

Bernard Bellew (Name.) # 8 Even St., (Number and street.)

Napa (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.)

Assistant lighthouse-keeper, March 30, 1918

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

No

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

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

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

No

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

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

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

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

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.
No			

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.)

Mariner

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.)

8th grade, Grammar school

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

~~None~~ Marjiner

~~Assistant lighthouse keeper, March 30, 1918~~

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

~~None~~

Assistant lighthouse keeper, March 30 1918

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

Yes

21. State the date upon which the above blanks were filled. April 1st., 1918

Witness:

In case signature is by mark.

(Signature) Thomas H. Brown

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

175 3rd St.
Number and street.

Cal
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 May 2, 1918, 191

(Signature) H. W. Rhodes

(Official title) Inspector 18th Lighthouse Dist.

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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.) St George Reef Lightstation, Cal. (Place (city, town, station, or vessel).) 18th (District.)

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

3. State the date of appointment. April 17, 1918

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

Entrance on duty

5. State the date of the oath. May 2, 1918

6. State the date the employee entered on duty. April 4, 1918

7. What is his salary? $540 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. - - - -

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded to the Department.

(Signature) H. W. Rhodes.

(Official title) Inspector 18th Lighthouse District

Date: May 2, 1918, 191

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Form 73 AMG

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

TWELFTH DISTRICT 1921 OCT 18 AM 12 42 SAN FRANCISCO

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, California (City.) Oct. 10, 1921 (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

(Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Probationary appointment

1921 OCT 21 AM 7 54

Name, Thomas F. Brown Duto

Legal residence, California

Position, Keeper (Assistant)

Salary, $660. per annum

Location, East Brother Island Light Station (SF)

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers

Effective October 10, 1921 } [1] the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE OCT 21 1921 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Former position, --

Former salary,

Location,

Rank on eligible list, 2 Assistant Lighthouse Keeper **Rating,** Keeper **Percentage,** 85.2 , **Other eligibles considered:**

Paul Challet - C

Frederick C. Zimmermann - C

Previous incumbent, Albert H. Joost **Services terminated,** Aug. 15, 1921.

Reason, Transferred and promoted

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: BORN Oct. 5, 1882 - Emergency case in accordance with Circular No. 313- Necessary for the safeguarding of life and property.

OCT 21 1921

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, OCT 12 1921 , 19

10/21/21

C. L. Snyder

Acting Secretary, Twelfth Civil Service District.

H. W. Rhodes.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON OCT 18 1921

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

J. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON October 21, 1921.

Mr. Thomas F. Brown,

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, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Six Hundred and Sixty dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you entered (October 10, 1921) upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. ____) issued by the Acting Secretary, Twelfth Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

CARDED

P Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Albert H. Joost.

Legal Residence: California.

12th (See reverse side.)

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED OCT 21 1921 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT 18 1921
APPOINTMENT DIVISION.
LIGHTHOUSES
AM 9 01

I, Thomas F. Brown

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.

1921 OCT 18 AM 7 55

Thomas F. Brown
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 10th day of October, A. D. 19 21

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (*Name*) W. W. Wilson.

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

~~My commission expires~~

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper (Asst.)	$660. per a.	East Brother Island Light Station, Calif.
Former [5] -0-		

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

Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 18th District

San Francisco, California (Address), October 11th (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on October 10, 1921. (Date)

CARDED

H. W. Rhodes.
(Signature of official by whom appointed)

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 on or after the effective 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 superintendent of lighthouses 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 superintendent of lighthouses 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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U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

LIGHTHOUSES

1921 OCT 17 AM 9.01

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT 18 1921
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

1921 OCT 18 AM 7.55

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

This form shall be furnished for each person appointed in the service of the Department immediately upon entrance on duty. The information called for in Part I shall be filled in by the Bureau or Office to which the employee is assigned, after which the form shall be transmitted to the employee for answers to the questions in Part II. The completed form shall be indorsed by the proper Bureau officer and forwarded to the Department for file.

PART I.

1. Name of employee: Thomas F. Brown

2. Position to which appointed: Keeper (Assistant)

3. Bureau or Service: Lighthouse Service, District: 18th

4. Place of duty: East Brother Island Light Station (City, town, station, or vessel.)

5. Salary: $660. per annum

6. Appropriation from which paid: Salaries of Keepers

7. Manner of appointment. (Examples: "From stenographer and typewriter examination, ———, 19—;" "Without examination;" or "By reinstatement;" or "By transfer from ———," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known).

From Assistant Lighthouse Keeper Examination - Aug. 22, 1921.

Duplicate

PART II.

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ARE TO BE ANSWERED BY THE EMPLOYEE:

The statement should be signed by the employee, or, if unable to write, he may sign by mark in the presence of one witness.

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, so state.)

Mr Thomas Francis Brown

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

Thomas F. Brown

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

California (State or Territory.) San Francisco (County.) San Francisco (City or town.) 4th (Congressional district.)

4. If the legal residence given in answer to question 3 is not the same as that stated in the certificate of appointment, the difference should be explained.

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

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6. Where were you born? Kansas City, Kansas

7. When were you born? October (Month.) 5th (Day.) 1882 (Year.)

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

9. What is your marital condition? (Answer "single," "married," "widowed," or "divorced.") Single

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

Oscar E. Larson (Name.) 1543 Prince St. (Number and street.)

Berkeley (City or town.) California (State or Territory.)

11. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? (Answer "yes" or "no.") No If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

Name.	Post-office address.	Position and department or office in which employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position		
		Department or office		
		Position		
		Department or office		
		Position		
		Department or office		

12. Have you any physical disabilities? (Answer "yes" or "no.") If so, describe fully. (If you have defective eyesight, state whether corrected by glasses.) No

13. Do you hold any State or municipal office? (Answer "yes" or "no.") No If so, state name of such office and compensation attached.

14. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during any war? (Answer "yes" or "no.") No If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

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

15. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States other than during war time, indicate such service in the spaces below.

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

16. Have you ever held any other position in the civil service of the United States? (Answer "yes" or "no.") Yes If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
Commerce	Lighthouse	4th Ass. Keeper	$540 A.	~~March 4th 1918~~	~~April 4th 1918~~
				April 4th 1918	May 4th 1918

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17. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? (Answer "yes" or "no.") No. If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service.	Relationship to you.

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

18. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States 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 13, 14, 15, and 16.)

Licensed Mariner

19. What education have you received? (State the grades of schools you have attended, and, if 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., 1910; Columbia University, LL. B., 1913.)

Public school, 8th grade

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

Hold 2nd Mate's License

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

Assistant Lighthouse Keeper. March 30th 1918

" " " August 22nd 1921

22. Were the answers to the foregoing questions written by you? (Answer "yes" or "no.") Yes If not, state the name and address of the person who wrote them for you.

Date, Oct. 6th, 1921

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) Thomas F. Brown

(Present address) 175 6th St
(Number and street.)

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

INDORSEMENT.

(If appointee is to be employed in the field, this form should be reviewed and approved by the proper field officer and need not be signed by an official of the Bureau. If appointee is to serve in the District of Columbia, the form should be reviewed and approved by the proper Bureau officer. When forwarding this form, no letter of transmittal is required.)

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded October 11, 1921.

(Signature) H. W. Rhodes.

(Official title) Superintendent of Lighthouses

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Form 73a

HWR:AME

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

[redacted]

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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

1922 AUG 21 AM 8 05

San Francisco, California Aug.15, 1922

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee will be transferred as indicated, and will enter upon duty at his new station on or about August 24, 1922.

CHIEF CLERK
1922 AUG 21 PM 3 19

Name, Thomas F. Brown Position, Keeper (2nd Asst.)

From East Brother Island Light Station Cal To Pt. Arguello Light Station Cal

Previous incumbent, Fred L. Pike

Services terminated, August 23, 1922 Reason, Transferred

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
AUG 22 1922
APPOINTMENT DIVISION.

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AUG 23 1922
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
DEPT OF COMMERCE

H. W. Rhodes
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

AUG 21 1922

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

H. B. BOWERMAN

Acting Commissioner.

Form 73a

HWR:AME

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent

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

San Francisco, California, Aug. 15, 1922

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Name, **Thomas F. Brown** Position, **Keeper (2nd Asst.)**

From **East Brother Island Light Station** To **Pt. Arguello Light Station**

Previous incumbent, **Fred L. Pike**

Services terminated, **August 23, 1922** Reason, **Transferred**

H. W. RHODES

Superintendent of Lighthouses

San Francisco, California, Aug. 30, 1922

The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with August 25, 1922

H. W. Rhodes.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

SEP 6 - 1922

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

J. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner.

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Form 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

CHIEF CLERK LIGHTHOUSES
1922 OCT 11 1922 OCT 10 1 AM 9 05

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, California Oct. 4, 1922

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE OCT 12 1922 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Thomas F. Brown Position, Keeper (2nd Assistant)

Legal residence, California Station, Pt. Arguello Light Station

Salary, $660. per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of October 16, 1922.

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

Remarks:

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN OCT 12 1922 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

H. W. Rhodes.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

EK Inclosure

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. OCT 11 1922

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J. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
SUPERINTENDENT
OCT 1922
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
1922 OCT 10 AM 9 05

EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT

Point Arguello
(Station, Depot, or Vessel.)

Oct. 1st 22
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Superintentend of Lighthouses,

Through Keeper.

Sir:

I herewith tender my resignation as 2nd Assit.Keeper at Point Arguello Lt. Sta.and from the U.S.L.H. Service, to take effect Oct.16th,1922.

Respectfully,

Signed G. T. Olsen.

Keeper

2nd Assit. Keeper.

Thomas F. Brown.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

October 12, 1922.

M
r. Thomas F. Brown,
Through the
Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

October 16, 1922.

Bureau..... Lighthouse Service.

Station..... Point Arguello Light Station, California.

Position..... Keeper.

Salary..... $660 per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED OCT 13 1922 OFFICIAL JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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18th

EMA

October 15, 1938.

California State Relief Administration,
425 Third Street,
Santa Rosa, California.

Gentlemen: -Attention Mrs. Evelyn Swiggum-

1. Referring to your letter of October 11th re Mrs. Helen Battensby, SRA File #5920, you are advised that the records of this Office show that Mr. Thomas Francis Brown was employed as an Assistant Keeper in this District from April 4, 1918, to May 4, 1918, and from October 10,1921, to October 16, 1922. He resigned from the Service each time that he was separated. He served at East Brother Island Light Station from October 10,1921, to August 24,1922.

2. The records show that he was born on October 5, 1882, at Kansas City, Kansas.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

Very truly yours,

O. L. JENKINS

Assistant Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT
OCT 11 1938
SAN FRANCISCO

FRANK F. MERRIAM
GOVERNOR

STATE RELIEF COMMISSION
ARCHIBALD B. YOUNG, CHAIRMAN
MRS. ROBERT F. FISHER
DR. FRANK B. GIGLIOTTI
E. M. HIRSCHFELDER
JOY G. JAMESON
MRS. MAUDE SPEAR KING
FRANK Y. McLAUGHLIN
ERNEST L. PETERSON
MRS. FLORENCE L. TURNER

California
State Relief Administration

HAROLD E. POMEROY
ADMINISTRATOR

425 Third Street
Santa Rosa, Calif.
October 11th, 1938.

Re: BATTENSBY, Helen
514- A Street, Apt. 6
Santa Rosa.
SRA File #5920

Superintendent of Light House Service,
Customs House,
San Francisco, Calif.

Gentlemen:

Mrs. Helen Battensby has made application to this agency for certification to the WPA. Mrs. Battensby was born in Denmark, but claims citizenship by marriage to Thomas Francis Brown, who at the time of their marriage, February 7th, 1922, was assertedly employed by the United States Government as Lighthouse Keeper on East Brother Island, northeast of Point Richmond, at Winehaven.

We understand that Mr. Brown was born in Wales, but according to his former wife, he was an American citizen by naturalization. In order to establish Mrs. Battensby's citizenship, as created by her marriage of February 7th, 1922, it is necessary for us to have adequate proof that Mr. Brown was a citizen by naturalization. We understand that your personnel records would include this information relative to Mr. Brown's citizenship.

May we have your cooperation in an immediate reply, as we are anxious to formulate a plan for Mrs. Battensby.

Yours truly,

SONOMA COUNTY
STATE RELIEF ADMINISTRATION

Evelyn Swiggum

EVELYN SWIGGUM
SONOMA COUNTY DIRECTOR.

FW:k

175 - 6th St.,
San Francisco,
11-4-22

Brown

Supt. of Lighthouses.



Sir:-

Will you kindly send my salary check for first half of October to above address and oblige.

Respectfully

Thos. F. Brown.

Mailed to above address. 11/4/22

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WW:AME

July 18, 1922.

Mr. Thomas F. Brown, Assistant Keeper,
East Brother Island Light Station.

(Through the Keeper)

1. Referring to your letter of July 17th, the tender will call at East Brother Island Light Station on this date, and if your wife's household effects are ready they should be shipped on the tender. If not ready for shipment at this time, they will be picked up on the next tender making a trip in the vicinity of East Brother Island Light Station

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SAN FRANCISCO, CALIF.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT
JUL 18 1922
SAN FRANCISCO

EIGHTEENTH DISTRICT

Does B. still want to go to Reyes? Yes he does - but wife is doubtful

Superintendent of Lighthouses, East Bro. Is.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel.)

through Keeper. July 17 th, 1922

Sir:-

My wife, on account of her health is unable to remain on, and has left Island, I request permission to send to Pier 15, some household goods for her, on tender when tender comes here,

Respectfully,
Thos. F. Brown,
Asst. Keeper.

Approved

J. Dunn
Keeper

Form 76

SHORE LIBERTY OR LEAVE OF ABSENCE OF KEEPERS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT FEB 14 1922 SAN FRANCISCO

LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT JAN 17 1922 SAN FRANCISCO

Original

REQUEST

East Bro. Island, Jan. 13th 1922
(Station.)

Lighthouse Inspector, 18th District:

I respectfully request that I be granted two days of shore liberty or leave, from Feb 6th to Feb. 8th, inclusive, 1922 I have had none days shore liberty or leave to date during this calendar year.

This application for shore liberty or leave is made in accordance with regulations governing this subject for this class station and with the understanding that I furnish, if required, ~~at my own expense~~, a substitute competent in all respects to perform my duties and who will be satisfactory to you.

The name and address of the substitute I propose to furnish follow:

No substitute required
(Name.) (P. O. Address.)

If leave is granted, my address during absence will be as follows, and any change will be reported to the keeper in charge of the station:

Hotel St. James, San Francisco, Calif
(Street or R. F. D. Route.) (City.) (State.)

Forwarded. Approval recommended.
Proposed substitute is considered satisfactory and competent.

J. Dunn
Keeper in charge.

Thomas F. Brown
(Applicant's signature.)

(Title.)

HWR:AMG

AUTHORITY

Office of Inspector, 18th District, Jan. 13th, 1922

The above application for shore liberty or leave is hereby approved for 2 days, from Feb. 6th to Feb. 8th, inclusive, 1922.

Substitute must be furnished during this absence. and paid for by Assistant Keeper in case sufficient funds for such purpose are not available from the appropriation "Salaries of Keepers"
(Insert "must" or "need not.")

H. W. Rhodes
Superintendent 18th *Lighthouse District.*

FINAL REPORT

Absence begun: At 4 P. M. Feb 6th, 1922.
(State nearest hour.)

Returned to duty: At 4 P. M. Feb 7th, 1922
(State nearest hour.)

Period of absence: 1 days.

Period charged: 1 days.

Certified correct and forwarded.

J. Dunn
Keeper in charge.

Thomas F. Brown
(Applicant's signature.)

Asst. Keeper
(Title.)

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT
JAN 17 1922
SAN FRANCISCO

EIGHTEENTH ~~DISTRICT~~

East Bro. Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Jan 13th, 1922

To Superintendent:-

Sir:-

Am forwarding application for two days leave of absence, which I earnestly request that you grant me, as I expect to get married at that time, and as it will be necessary to make a few arrangements for that purpose I respectfully ask that you act upon it as soon as convenient to you,

Respectfully submitted
Thomas F. Brown,
Asst. Keeper.

HWR:AMG

Jan. 13, 1922.

Mr. Thomas F. Brown, Assistant Keeper,
East Brother Island Light Station.

(Through the Keeper)

1. Your application for two days' leave from February 6th to February 8th is returned approved with the understanding that you furnish a substitute satisfactory to the Keeper during the time of your absence.

2. On account of present weather conditions and the possibility of fog at any time leave in excess of 24 hours cannot be granted at your station at this time.

3. The appropriation for paying for substitute keepers at two-man stations is practically exhausted, and your leave is approved with the understanding that if additional funds for this purpose are not obtained it will be necessary for you to pay for your substitute.

H. W. RHODES

Form 206 File No. 8

RECORD OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION OF LIGHT KEEPER OR ASSISTANT LIGHT KEEPER

IN CONNECTION WITH MEDICAL RELIEF BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

PLACE, San Francisco, California,

DATE, October 6th, 1921

To the MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,
U. S. Public Health Service,

San Francisco, Calif.

SIR:

Please examine Thomas F. Brown

nativity, American; age, 39; height, 5 feet, 4 inches;

weight, 150 pounds; color of hair, Brown; color of eyes, Brown

distinguishing marks, None

as to eyesight, hearing, and physical condition.

When the examination has been completed the findings should be recorded on this blank and the blank returned to the applicant.

Respectfully,

H. W. RHODES

Lighthouse Inspector.

~~Superintendent of xxxxxxx~~

(Signature of applicant:) Thomas F. Brown

(To be signed in the presence of the officer issuing this blank or witnessed by a designated employee of the Lighthouse Service.)

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE, San Francisco, Calif.

DATE, Oct 6 1921, 191

TO LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR,

SIR: This certifies that I have this day examined the eyesight, hearing, and physical condition of Thomas F. Brown, and find him physically {~~disqualified~~ / qualified*} in accordance with rules approved by the Secretary of the Treasury and the Secretary of Commerce, respecting the treatment by the Public Health Service of light keepers and assistant light keepers of the Lighthouse Service pursuant to the Act of Congress approved August 28, 1916.

He is disqualified for the reasons shown on page 3.

GEORGE MORTON (Signed)

A.A. *Surgeon, U. S. Public Health Service.*

* If qualified, strike out the word "disqualified" and the paragraph following.

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REPORT OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE, San Francisco, Calif.

DATE, Oct. 6, 21, 191

Name of applicant, Thomas F. Brown

Eyes: Color, brown; exophthalmus, no

chronic inflammation, no; other anbormality, no

Eyelids: Ptosis, no; condition of conjunctiva on eversion, good

other conditions, no

Eyesight:

Vision of right eye, without glasses, 20/20; with glasses, -

Vision of left eye, without glasses, 20/20; with glasses, -

Is applicant partially or wholly color-blind? no

If color-blind, state which color he confuses none

Were candidate's eyes tested with lantern, woolen skeins, or both? skeins

Ears:

Abnormalities, no; shape, normal

Position, normal; condition of drums good

Evidence of mastoid disease, no

Hearing: (When testing hearing, the eyes and the opposite ear must be closed.)

Distance conversational speech can be heard: Right ear, 30 feet; left ear, 30 feet.

Distance whispered speech can be heard: Right ear, 15 feet; left ear, 15 feet.

Lungs: normal

Heart: normal

Defects noted which, in the opinion of the medical examiner, will not materially interfere with the discharge of the duties of light keeper or assistant light keeper:

none

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