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

Name used in Service (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Service Number/SSN	Date & Place of Birth
Siederbom, Charles		

MILITARY SERVICE

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

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

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

Date & Place of Death:

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Andrew Burns

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service (CT/NJ/NY) 3rd District	From: 1917	To: 1918
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:

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

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STAFF USE ONLY

Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number: C-00082023 26

Attendant Signature:

CMRS Search Request Number(s): Civilian Archival search 9/22

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- Total Requests:
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- ☐ Additional charge outs and signatures on reverse side
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- Final Return:

Charles Siederbom

Mr. Charles Siederbom,

LEGAL RESIDENCE.
New York.

INACTIVE

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SALARY	BUREAU OR OFFICE	DATE OF EFFECT OF ACTION AUTHORIZED
Keeper (Pub.), Pubs. Ledge, etc. Constl.	516	LN	Aug. 2, 1918
Resigned close Aug. 31, 1918.			

INACTIVE

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Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 3rd DISTRICT,

Tompkinsville, N. Y. (City.) August 5, 1918 (Date.) 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Through Sec'y 2nd C. S. Dist.)
Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Charles Siederbom

Legal residence, New York

Position, ~~Assistant~~ Keeper

Salary, $516. per annum

Location, Pecks Ledge Lt. Sta., and Grassy Hammock Light, Conn.

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective August 2, 1918 { 'the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~as~~ ~~hereafter as he enters on duty~~.

Former position,

Former salary,

Location,

Rank on eligible list, 2 Rating, Keeper Percentage, 77.0 Other eligibles considered:
Charles H. Eldridge C.

Previous incumbent, William B. Gillette Services terminated, June 6, 1918

Reason, Resigned

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: There are no quarters for families of keepers at this station. No employee of District desired transfer to this position. Nos. 1 to 4 on eligible list will accept employment only to certain specified stations.

Assignment to duty on Aug. 2, 1918 was necessary for the reason that it was not practicable to permit this position to remain vacant until appointment certificate could be obtained.

8/17/18 ctd

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, AUG 8 1918, 191

No Papers

W. Parker

J. F. Yates

Assistant Secretary, Second Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

AUG 10 1918

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN AUG 12 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1918 AUG 12 AM 9 03

Acting Commissioner

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

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

August 12, 1918.

Mr. Charles Siedorbom,

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 Five Hundred and Sixteen 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 Secretary of the Second Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,
(Signed) Clifford Hastings
Chief of Appointment Division.

GARDED

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: William B. Gillette.

Legal Residence: New York.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED AUG 13 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

(See reverse side.)

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

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Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK

I, Charles Siederbom

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.

1918 SEP 12 PM 4 31

☞ Charles Siederbom
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 30th day of August, A. D. 1918

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Nathaniel Conder

(Official title) Notary Public

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Keeper	$516 p.a.	Pecks Ledge Light Station and Grassy Hammock Light, Conn.
Former[5]		

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 3rd District

Tompkinsville, N. Y. (Address), Sept 11, 1918 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on August 2, 1918 (Date)

J. A. Ottes
(Signature, followed by title)

CLERK

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Form 93

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

JHG

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Third DISTRICT.

LIGHT SEP 3 1918 HOUSES

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Tompkinsville, N. Y., August 31, 1918. 191

CHIEF CLERK

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Charles Siederbom

Position, Keeper

1918 SEP 5 AM 10 06

Legal residence, New York

Station, Pecks Ledge Light Station and Grassy Hammock Light, Conn.

Salary, $516.00 per annum

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

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

Remarks:

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APPOINTMENTS

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN SEP 5 - 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

J. F. Yates

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

SEP 4 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR 3D DIST. AUG 31 1919 RECEIVED TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.
AUG 31 1919 RECEIVED TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.
LIGHT SEP 3 1918 HOUSES

THIRD DISTRICT

Pecks Ledge
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

August 30, 1918

Der Sir, Lighthouse Inspektor

I am goving to Kisigen mi Posichion as ass't Keeper of Pecks Ledge Light Station Sep the 1st

South. Norwalk.
Conn.

Charles. Sederborn

September 5, 1918.

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 August 31, 1918.

Bureau_____ Lighthouse Service
Position_____ Keeper
Salary_____ $516 per annum

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

R~
He

(Signed) Clifford Hastings
Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED SEP 5 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

CARDED

Mr. Charles Siederbam,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHT-HOUSE BUREAU
SEP 17 1918
RECEIVED
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

(To be furnished for each person appointed in the service of the Department immediately upon entrance on duty. The statement should be signed by the appointee or employee. 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, it should be so stated.)

Charles Siederborn

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

3. Bureau or Service, place, and district in which employed:

Pecks Ledge Station | Grassy Hammock Light | Conn
Bureau or Service | Place (city, town, station, or vessel). | District.

4. Position to which appointed ~~Assistant keeper~~ assistant keeper

5. Compensation $516. per annum

6. Appropriation from which paid Salaries Lighthouses

7. In what manner did the employee enter the service? (Examples: "From stenography and typewriting examination ——, 191—;" or "Without examination;" or "By reinstatement;" or "By transfer from ——," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

~~Without examination~~ Civil Service Examination Sept 1, 1918

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

Brooklyn | NY | Kings County | 8
City or town. | State or Territory. | County. | Congressional district.

9. When the legal residence given in answer to question 8 differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

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CARDED.

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

11. Where were you born? Stockholm Sweden

12. When were you born? Sept 19th 1863
Month. Day. Year.

13. If foreign born, state when and where naturalization papers were taken out New York City Manhattan Feby 24 1892 Dist Court of NY.

14. What is your marital condition? married

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

Mary C. Siederborn | 348-46 St | Brooklyn | NY
Name. | Number and street.

City or town. | State or Territory.

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16. 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.	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		

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

Yes Corrected by glasses

18. 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					

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

No

20. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during any 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			

21. 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.
Yes Navy	June 11 1883	June 11, 1892	service ended

22. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? ..... (If answer is "Yes," give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Relationship (widow or orphan) No

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service .....

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

23. 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 18, 19, 20, and 21.)

Rigger

NOV 22 1918 HOUSES

24. 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 Skool in Sweden

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25. 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.")

Ironworker and rigger

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

None

27. 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.)

No, on this sheet some were written ~~You~~ by Wm F. Timm 341-46 Nassau St

Date, September 14, 1918

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) Charles Siecherbone

P. O. Address: Brooklyn
City or town.
348 - 46 St.
Number and street.
NY
State or Territory.

(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 Nov 19, 1918

(Signature) J. F. Wallace

(Official title) Con Asst

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

(To be furnished for each person appointed in the service of the Department immediately upon entrance on duty. The statement should be signed by the appointee or employee. 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, it should be so stated.)

Charles Siederborn

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

3. Bureau or Service, place, and district in which employed:

Peaks Ledge, Station and Grassy Harmoch Light. Con
Bureau or Service. Place (city, town, station, or vessel). District.

4. Position to which appointed assistant keeper

5. Compensation $516 per annum

6. Appropriation from which paid Salaries Lt Keepers

7. In what manner did the employee enter the service? (Examples: "From stenography and typewriting examination ——, 191—;" or "Without examination;" or "By reinstatement;" or "By transfer from ——," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

~~Expert Civil Service~~ examination Sept 1/18

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

Brooklyn, Newyork, Kings County, 8
City or town. State or Territory. County. Congressional district.

9. When the legal residence given in answer to question 8 differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

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

11. Where were you born? Stockholm Sweden

12. When were you born? Sept 19th 1863
Month. Day. Year.

13. If foreign born, state when and where naturalization papers were taken out Newyork 1882
Manhattan Feby 24 1892 Dist Court 1 Dist.

14. What is your marital condition? Good

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

Mary G. Siederborn 348 - 46 St Brooklyn NY
Name. Number and street.

11—1434 City or town. State or Territory.

16. 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.	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		

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

Corrected by glasses,

18. 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					

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

No

20. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during any 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			

21. 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.
Jas Harry	June 11, 1883	June 11, 1892	Service ended

22. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? ..... (If answer is "Yes," give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Relationship (widow or orphan) No

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service .....

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

23. 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 18, 19, 20, and 21.)

Rigger

24. 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 in Sweden

25. 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.")

Ironworkers and rigger

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

None

27. 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

Date, Sept 14, 1918

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) Charles Siecherbow

P. O. Address: Brooklyn
City or town.
348 - 46 Street
Number and street.
N.Y.
State or Territory.

(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 Nov 19, 1918

(Signature)

(Official title) [illegible]

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Form 93

JHG

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Third DISTRICT,

Tompkinsville, N. Y., August 31, 1918 . 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Charles Siederbem

Legal residence, New York

Position, Keeper

Station, Pecks Ledge Light Station and Grassy Hammock Light, Conn.

Salary, $516.00 per annum

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

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

Remarks:

Aspinwall Butler

J. T. YATES.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

JHG

August 28,1918

Ferdinand Heizman, Keeper,

Pecks Ledge Light Station,

South Norwalk, Conn.

SUBJECT: Resignation of Asst.Keeper Siederbom.

REFERENCE: Your letter dated Aug.27th.

Referring to your statement that assistant keeper Siederbom is going to resign on September 1st. If Siederbom intends leaving his position, he should submit his resignation in the proper manner.

J. T. YATES.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

THIRD DISTRICT

Pecks Ledge LH
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)
Aug. 27, 1918

Superintendent

Wish to inform you the Asst. Keeper Charles Sederbom is going to resign his position as asst Keeper. the 1 Sept. 1918

Ferdinand Heyman
Keeper.

Charles Sederbom

FILE COPY

JHG

Charles Siederbom, Asst.Keeper, Aug.31,1918
Through the Keeper,
Pecks Ledge Light Station,
South Norwalk, Conn.

SUBJECT: Resignation.

REFERENCE: Your letter Aug.30th.

Your letter dated August 30,1918 resigning your position as assistant keeper of Pecks Ledge Light Station, has been received and forwarded to Washington, with recommendation that same be accepted, effective at the close of August 31,1918.

J. T. YATES.

FILE COPY

COPY

Pecks Ledge

August 30,1918

Dear Sir, Lighthouse Inspector

I am going to resign my position as asst.Keeper of Pecks Ledge Light Station Sept.the 1st.

South Norwalk, Conn

Chas. Siederbom

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INEPECTOR
TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

THIRD DISTRICT

Execs Ridge
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sept. 4, 1918

Jan 1919
Aspinwall

Superintendent

Wish to inform you that Charles Liddiborne Asst Keeper left this Station 10 A.M Sept. 3, 1918.

Ferdinand Heizmann
Keeper

Last day Aug 31-18

LIGHT
SEP 9 1918
HOUSES

September 5, 1918.

SEP 9 1918

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 August 31, 1918.

Bureau_____ Lighthouse Service
Position_____ Keeper
Salary_____ $516 per annum

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

Mr. Charles Siederbom,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

3rd

CHARLES SIEDERBOM, KPR.,
PECKS LEDGE ETC. LTS.,
SOUTH NORWALK, CONN.

CHARLES SIEDERBOM 516.A.
KPR. PECKS LEDGE ETC.
LIGHT STATION.

Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 3rd DISTRICT,

Tompkinsville, N. Y. (City.) August 5,1918 (Date.), 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Through Sec'y 2nd C. S. Dist.)
Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Charles Siederton

Legal residence, New York

Position, ~~Assistant~~ Keeper

Salary, $516. per annum

Location, Pecks Ledge Lt.Sta., and Grassy Hammock Light, Conn.

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective August 2,1918 } the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty~~.

Former position,

Former salary,

Location,

Rank on eligible list, 2 Rating, Keeper Percentage, 77.0 , Other eligibles considered:
Charles H. Eldridge C.

Previous incumbent, William B. Gillette Services terminated, June 6,1918

Reason, Resigned

Assignment to duty on Aug.2,1918 was necessary for the reason that it was not practicable to permit this position to remain vacant until appointment certificate could be obtained.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: There are no quarters for families of keepers at this station. No employee of District desired transfer to this position. Nos.1 to 4 on eligible list will accept employment only to certain specified stations.

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

ASPINWALL
BUTLER

J. T. YATES,

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

LIGHT AUG 14 1918 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

AUG 14 1918 8 56 AM

August 12, 1918.

Mr. Charles Siederbom,

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 Five Hundred and Sixteen, 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 Secretary of the Second Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: William P. Gillette.

Legal Residence: New York.

(See reverse side.)

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



THIRD DISTRICT

Pecks Ledge Lt.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Aug 3. 1918

Superintendent

Sir;

Mr Siedsbow reported for duty as Asst Keeper last night 5 P.M.

Mr Tormey left station 5 15/R m.

Ferdinand Heizmann
Keeper.

O K D August 2-1918.

FILE COPY

JHG

Mr. Charles Siederbom, August 2,1918

348 - 46th Street,

Brooklyn, N. Y.

SUBJECT: Position as Asst.Keeper.

REFERENCE: Application blank.

Sir:-

You are advised you have been selected for the position of assistant keeper of Pecks Ledge Light Station, and in accordance therewith are hereby directed to report for duty at that station promptly upon receipt of this letter. Transportation will be at your own expense. Show this letter to the keeper, which will be his authority for assigning you to duty. The Keeper's name and address are Ferdinand Heisman, South Norwalk, Conn.

In the absence and by direction of Superintendent.

Respectfully,

F. W. Ockenfels
1st Asst.Supt.

Copy forwarded to keeper of Pecks Ledge Lt.Sta., for his information.
Report to this office promptly by mail the date on which Mr.Siederbom arrives at the station. Direct Mr.Tormey to return to this Depot as soon as Siederbom arrives there.
In the absence and by direction of Superintendent.

F. W. Ockenfels
1st Asst.Supt.