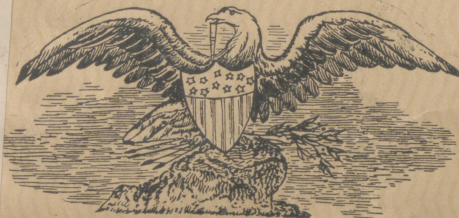


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United States of America Department of the Navy

To all to whom these presents shall come, greeting:

I, the undersigned, Secretary of the Navy of the United States of America, hereby certify that Chief Yeoman Ivan H. Loe of the United States Navy is about to visit Porto Rico under orders of this Department.

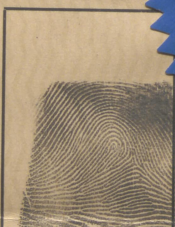
Description

Age 23 years 1 months
Height 5 feet 7 inches
Weight 115 lbs.
Eyes Blue
Hair Dark Brown
Complexion Fair

Tips of fingers this end



Rolled print of right index finger



Rolled print of left index finger

Ivan H. Loe

Signature of the Bearer



Given under my hand and the seal of the Navy Department at the City of Washington the 3rd day of January in the year 1918 and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and forty-third.

Joseph Daniels

No. 3587

SEEN
JAN 7- 1919

<i>M. Frank</i>
CONTROL OFFICER



Now be sure and send me that picture in the new duds. I sent you a little postcard of myself and famous steed. Have been intending to take some pictures but usually forget to get films. My camera has been hanging up for three months I suppose without being used.

If you write during next three weeks and I hope you will address me Sniper's Camp Hattiesburg, Miss. R R No. 2. Mother seems to be having a good time and I want her to stay all summer. Would like for her to visit Aunt Laura again this Fall. Well I must close as we start hard work tomorrow. Austin.

Snipers Camp
May 26 - 1915

Dear Bro - your letter was sent out to me here three or four days ago but was a little late getting to me. Was out here ten days for special schooling - went into camp last Wed. and came back again today. Will be here this time for three weeks. Am in charge of instruction of Scouting, Observation and Sniping for our Regt. It is very interesting work. Have my horse out here and can go riding now and then.

Well congratulations are in order and you sure deserve them. I want a picture of you in the new uniform. If you need a

few dollars to help out I might
be able to send a few. I am still
buying clothes. Seems I never get
through. Have enough boots and
shoes on hand to start a few stores.

You have sure gone up fast
but hold on to the same size
hat and keep hitting the
ball.

Billy is now a full fledged
shave tail with squeaky
leggings and shiny hat cord
but he is making good. Is with
Reg. Co. of the 152nd. Al Slade
was also commissioned while
Joe Begley is attending a
training school for engineer
officers. Shultz, Baugh

and four or five more of our
boys are attending a 4th. O.T.C.
here in camp. Just about the
time I get a good sergeant in
my section they make an officer
out of him.

Did I tell you Levi was
gassed. Bro. Bocche handed
him some strong mustard but
he was only in the hospital about
three weeks. Lucky devil
he has seen some real help for
self fighting. Well perhaps one
time will come. I certainly
hate to think that I would
have to go back to the Club and
tell about my campaign in
Camp Shelby.

HATTIESBURG.

MAY 27-15

6-30PM

MISS.

Juan H. Lorr
Chief Yeoman
U. S. N. Radio Station
San Juan
Porto Rico.



THE RECEIVING SHIP AT NEW YORK.

DC

July 12th, 1917.

From: Commanding Officer.

To: I. H. Loer, Yeo 2c U. S. Navy.

Subject: Orders to proceed.

1. You ----- will proceed this date to
Philadelphia, Pa., as directed in your transportation----- and
Immediately upon your arrival there you will report to the
Commanding Officer on board the RS AT PHILA. for further
transfer to SAN JUAN RADIO STATION, via USS KITTELY.

2. Transportation and subsistence are herewith provided.

3. Your transfer papers will be forwarded by mail.

J. H. Loer

By direction.

JK.

THE RECEIVING SHIP AT PHILADELPHIA
July 12, 1917.

To: I. H. Loer, Yeo. 2c. U.S.Navy.

1. Reported and will further report to the Commanding
Officer, U.S.S. Kittery with bag and baggage for duty as may
be assigned.

H. H. Kittery

Reported aboard U.S.S. Kittery July 12, 1917 at 6:00 P.M.

H. H. Kittery
Commanding Officer.

161
3rd Endorsement.

U.S.S. VIXEN,
St. Thomas, V.I. of U.S.,

AUG 2 - 1917

From: Commanding Officer,
To: I.H. Loer, Yeo. 2.C.

1. Reported on VIXEN July 29, 1917.
2. You will remain on board the U.S.S. LILAC, and report to the Commanding Officer of that vessel for passage P.R.
3. Upon arrival at San Juan you will immediately report to the Officer in charge of the Radio Station at that place for duty.

Wm. Russell White

U. S. Naval Radio Station,
San Juan, Porto Rico,
August 3, 1917.

Reported this date.

Virgil Baker
Lieutenant, U.S. Navy.
Officer in Charge.

ADDRESS DISTRICT COMMUNICATION SUPERINTENDENT

AND REFER TO NO.

147-10/29

Inclasures

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
UNITED STATES NAVAL COMMUNICATION SERVICE.

OFFICE OF
DISTRICT COMMUNICATION SUPERINTENDENT.

U.S. Naval Radio Station,
San Juan, Porto Rico,
October 29, 1918.

From: Officer in Charge.
To: Ivan H. Loer, Chief Yeoman, U.S.N.

SUBJECT: Orders.

Reference to NAV dispatch 15304 (September),
copy inclosed herewith.

1. Report this date on board the Red "D" Line steamer PHILADELPHIA and proceed to New York, N.Y., in accordance with the above reference.
2. On arrival at New York, NY., report to the Commandant, Third Naval District, for examination for entrance to the Officer-Material School for the Pay Corps, Pelham Bay Park, New York.
3. Transportation from San Juan, P.R., to New York, N.Y., via the S.S. PHILADELPHIA is furnished you herewith.

Virgil Baker.

NB:WAS

HEADQUARTERS
Third Naval District,
280 Broadway, New York, N.Y.

Nov. 7, 1918.

1. REPORTED; Pay Accounts will be carried by Disbursing Office, Third Naval District, 280 Broadway, New York City.
2. You will report immediately for duty with the Statistical Department (Night Force) to await examination.

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Stan Taintor

By Direction

In Reply
Refer to No.
Address all
Communications,
Commandant,
Third Naval District.

Office of the Commandant

Third Naval District BJE:BDD:HMRG:
280 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

November 18th, 1918.

From: Commandant Third Naval District.
To: Medical Officer, 280 Broadway, New York City.
Subject: Ivan H. Loer, Chief Yeoman, USN.,
Leave of absence and Furlough Certificate.

Request for leave of absence and Furlough
Fare Certificate of the above named man
dated November 16th, 1918 forwarded approv-
ed under your endorsement.

Enclosure: (a) Furlough Fare Certificate #1507964
(b) Furlough Fare Certificate #1507965.

1. In accordance with reference (a) above, you are
hereby given authority to grant the above named man leave of
absence for ten (10) days and four (4) days travel time.

2. In this connection there are enclosed herewith for
use of the above named man, Furlough Fare Certificates, which,
when properly executed will entitle him to the reduced fare
from New York, N.Y., to Evansville, Ind., and return, upon pre-
sentation of same to the proper railroad official.

3. You will have the above named man sign his name
and rating in the space marked with an "X" in pencil and have
his signature certified to by a Commissioned Officer of the
Navy, before presentation to the railroad company for the re-
duced fare.

SF(E)
SF(BDD)
SF(RAB)
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Stan Taintor

By Direction

1st Endorsement. BJE:BB HEADQUARTERS, THIRD NAVAL DISTRICT,
280 Broadway, New York,
Nov. 19, 1918.

From: Commandant, Third Naval District.
To: Ivan H. Loer, C.Y., USN.

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1. Delivered.
2. This leave will commence this day. No extension
whatsoever will be granted to you. Upon the expiration of your
leave you will return to your former station and duty in the
Statistical Division, Room 412, 280 Broadway, N.Y.

By Direction *Stan Taintor*

280 Broadway, New York.
Room 412.

December 2, 1918

Reported for duty at the Statistical Division,
Headquarters, Third Naval District, at 6:35 pm this
date.

Ivan H. Lott
Ch. Sec. U.S.N.

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Communications,
Commandant,
Third Naval District.

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Office of the Commandant
Third Naval District
280 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

1 Jacket
1 Nav. Ex. Bd.
1 Med. Ex. Bd.
1 SF (NB)

NB:WAS

From: Commandant, Third Naval District.
To: Loer, Ivan H., C.Y., U.S.N.,
VIA: Officer-in-Charge, Statistical Department, 3rd Naval
District, 280 Broadway, N. Y. C.
Subject: Orders-- re: examination for selection of candidates for
training as Assistant Paymasters, U.S.N.R.F.

NOV 1 1918

1. When directed by your Commanding Officer, proceed to Headquarters, Third Naval District, No. 280 Broadway, N. Y. C. and report to the Senior Member, Naval Medical Examining Board, Third Naval District, at [redacted], in Room [redacted], for physical examination of this examination, you will further report to the Senior Member, Naval Examining Board, Third Naval District, Bldg. No. 14, Navy Yard, N. Y., at 9 A.M., NOV 18 1918, for the mental and professional examination, in accordance with Commandant's Circular-letter of August 6th, 1918.

2. Return to present stations when examinations are completed.

Tainter
By Direction

First Endorsement

1918

U. S. S. - Statistical Dept., 280 Bway, "Left."

1. Delivered: will proceed to carry out above orders.

Bernstein
Commanding in Charge

Second Endorsement.

1918

Medical Examining Board,
280 Broadway, N. Y. C.

1. Reported: medical examination completed; will (further report to Senior Member, Naval Examining Board, Bldg. No. 14 Navy Yard, N. Y., for mental and professional examination) (return to former station to resume duties).

Schneider
Ass't Surgeon, U.S.N. (MC)

Third Endorsement.

1918

Naval Examining Board,
Bldg. No. 14, Navy Yard, N. Y.

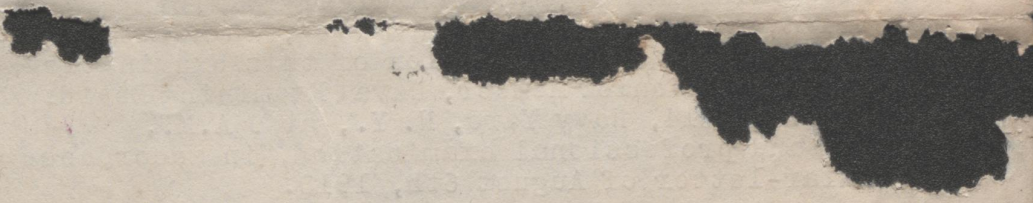
1. Reported: professional examination completed; will return to your former station to resume duties.

Paymaster, U.S.N.

Line 7 over
Schneider

Office of the
Third Naval District
2301 Broadway, N.Y.C.

Naval District



[Faint, illegible handwriting]

UNITED STATES NAVAL RADIO SERVICE

Washington, D.C.

December 24th, 1918.

Comdt. Third Naval District
New York

Via first available transportation to Porto Rico
Transfer one Chief Yeoman to Naval Radio Station San Juan
period Ivan H. Loer, Chief Yeoman is suggested period 12024.

BUNAV

A. V. Thompson

In Reply
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Communications,
Commandant,
Third Naval District.

Office of the Commandant

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Third Naval District
280 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

CJR:P:MAC
EF:GBH: 66351.

December 30, 1918.

From: Commandant, Third Naval District.

To: Ivan H. Loer, Chief Yeoman, USN,
Care of: - Headquarters, Third Naval District,
280 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

Subject: Transfer Orders.

Reference: (a) Bunav. Tel. 12024.

1. You are hereby relieved from duty at Headquarters, Third Naval District, (Statistical Department), 280 Broadway, New York, N.Y., and will depart via first available transportation to Porto Rico, and upon arrival at that place will report to the Commanding Officer, Naval Radio Station, San Juan, for duty.

2. Your Health Record, Enrollment Record and Pay Accounts are handed to you herewith, and you will be held responsible for their safe delivery to the Commanding Officer, Naval Radio Station, San Juan.

3. Transportation furnished as above.

Jacket
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Records
DO 3d ND
CO Nav. Rad. Sta. San Juan
Bunav. (2).
Subsist.
Med. Off.

By direction

Reported Jan 18, 1919,
J.B.