



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Department of Commerce and Labor
NAVIGATION SERVICE



OPERATOR'S CERTIFICATE OF SKILL IN RADIOCOMMUNICATION

This is to certify that, under the provisions of the Act of June 24, 1910,

Benjamin Beckerman

has been examined in radiocommunication and has passed in:

- (a) The adjustment of apparatus, correction of faults, and change from one wave-length to another;
- (b) Transmission and sound-reading at a speed of not less than fifteen words a minute American Morse, twelve words Continental, five letters counting as one word.

The candidate's practical knowledge of adjustment was tested on a improvised set of apparatus.* His knowledge of other systems and of international radiotelegraphic regulations and American naval wireless regulations is shown below:

Good working knowledge of apparatus in general, and also of wireless regulations.

Proficient in American Morse & Continental Code

H. R. Stark, Lt. U.S.N.
(Signature of examining officer.)

Place Navy Yard, Norfolk, Va Date June 17, 1911.

By direction of the Secretary of Commerce and Labor:

E. T. Chaublain
Commissioner of Navigation, Washington, D. C.

EXPIRED

I, Benjamin Beckerman, do solemnly swear that I will faithfully preserve the secrecy of all messages coming to my knowledge through my employment under this certificate; that this obligation is taken freely, without mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office: So help me God.

Benjamin Beckerman
(Signature of holder.)

I, Benjamin Beckerman, do solemnly swear that I will faithfully preserve the secrecy of all messages coming to my knowledge through my employment under this certificate; that this obligation is taken freely, without mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office: So help me God.

Benjamin Beckerman
(Signature of holder.)

Date of birth Sept 17th 1876 Place of birth Russia

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17th

day of June, A. D. 1911.

[SEAL.]

Wm. J. Forben

Notary Public. PUBLIC No. 157,
NEW YORK COUNTY,
REGISTER'S No. 3170.

* It is not intended to limit the employment of the holder to a particular system, but merely to indicate the particular system in which he was tested for adjustment of apparatus.

This certificate is valid for two years, subject to suspension or revocation by the Secretary of Commerce and Labor for cause. It should be kept where it can be shown to officers of the customs or other officers of the Government just before the ship leaves port.

SERVICE RECORD

This is to certify that the holder of this certificate has served satisfactorily as wireless operator under my command during the period named.

NAME OF STEAMER	PERIOD	MASTER
<i>S.S. Hamilton</i>	From <i>Aug 21st</i> , 19 <i>08</i> to <i>Nov 14th</i> , 19 <i>12</i>	<i>O. J. Young</i>
From _____	, 19____ to _____, 19____	
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