

(Name of loan company)

Application for Position as Livestock Loan Inspector

(Name of loan company)

(City)

(State)

GENTLEMEN:

1. I hereby apply for the position of Livestock Loan Inspector.

2. Full name **Jess Nitzen**

3. Residence (house number and street)

(City or town) **Otis** (State) **Colorado**

4. Give name and address of your wife or other nearest relative, if any **M.E.Mitzen**

5. Date of your birth **October 10, 1877** Place of your birth **St. Joseph, Mo.**

6. Are you a citizen of the United States? **yes**

7. Your weight **165** Your height **6 ft. 2 in.**

8. Are you in good health? **yes**

9. Have you any defect of sight, speech, hearing, limb, or otherwise? If so, describe it:

none

10. Do you use intoxicants of any kind? **no**

11. Have you ever been indicted or convicted for misdemeanor or crime? **no** If so state facts:

12. Have you had any experience in making inspections and reports on livestock for loan purposes? **some**

13. Have you any interest in or are you indebted to any bank or other loan concern? **no**

If so, give name and address of the concern:

Kind and amount of your interest or loan

14. List in order by years all the employments that you have had, the names of your employers, and the kind of work:

Years	Name of concern	Location	Kind of work
Present time	W.C. Harris	Otis, Colo.	general ranching
Previous	W. C. Harris	Sterling	do
	Clarence Day	"	"
	W. I. Brush	"	"

15. State whether you have been employed at any time by a Federal Intermediate Credit Bank or the War Finance Corporation in the inspection or appraisal of livestock or other property for loan purposes, and if so, when and where: no

16. Describe fully all the training or experience, whether in business for yourself or employed by others, that you consider qualifies you for performing services as a livestock inspector for loan purposes, giving the localities and States. In answering this question, state what experience, if any, you have had in reading brands:

The fact that I have been in the cattle business for 45 years and have had quite a lot of experience with loan companies in buying cattle and acting as stock inspector and knowing conditions in general in Eastern Colorado.

17. State whether you have been discharged from any position, and if so, when and why:

18. Indicate by check marks in the proper spaces below the kinds of livestock that you are qualified to inspect for loan purposes:

	Range	Breeding stock	Feed lot and farm pasture (Feeder)	Dairy
Cattle	X	X	X	X
Sheep	X	X	X	

REMARKS: I have ~~never~~ had very little experience with sheep.

19. Set forth the facts or information that you think should enter into an inspection report on the kinds of livestock above indicated by you when inspected for loan purposes:

Be sure and see them, also be positive that they are branded or marked and report them just as I find them.

20. State the usual diseases and other conditions that affect the value of the kinds of livestock that you are qualified to inspect for loan purposes:

General condition of the cattle or sheep, the way they are being cared for, and how they are being wintered. The quality of the said cattle or sheep accounts for a lot of the variation in value.

21. Give the names, occupations, and addresses of five persons, not of your immediate family, who have personal knowledge of your qualifications and who will answer questions regarding you. These persons should be among the classes described below. At least three of them should be in the territory in which you desire to inspect livestock for loan purposes.

- (a) Directors or responsible officers of banks or loan corporations.
- (b) Directors or responsible officers of livestock producers organizations.
- (c) Directors or responsible officers of stockyards' companies or livestock exchanges.
- (d) Business men, bankers preferred.
- (e) Leading stockmen.

	Name	Address	Occupation	Relation, if any
(1)	Roy Shepard	Yuma, Colo.	Cashier, 1st Natl. Bank	
(2)	Bert L. McKenzie	Otis, Colo.	do	
(3)	Bert Colley	Akron, Colo.	Editor	
(4)	Chas. G. Smith	Denver, Colo.	Mgr. Livestock Comm.	
(5)	W. C. Harris	Sterling, Colo.	Livestock feeder	

22. I hereby release from all liability or responsibility the officers or employees of Regional Agricultural Credit Corp., my former employers, and other persons who furnish information concerning me or my affairs in connection with this application or my activities, and I hereby waive any right I may have or that might arise hereafter for any claim, demand, cause of action, or damage on account of furnishing any such information hereinbefore mentioned.

23. I hereby certify that I have answered all the foregoing questions without the aid or assistance of any other person, and that the statements in this application are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

24. REMARKS: If successful in this position, I will do the very best that I know how and be honest and trustworthy in my work.

Signed: JESS NITZEN

Subscribed and sworn to before me at _____
 this 1st day of November, 193 2

Signed: WILLIAM M. SWEARINGEN

Notary Public.

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(Official title)