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in 1599 for
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Life Service

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LOCATION
 STREET & NUMBER APPROXIMATE LOCATION
 630 Sansome Street
 CITY STATE ZIP
 San Francisco CA 94133

CLASSIFICATION

COUNTRY	OFFICIAL	STATUS	PRESENT USE
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 San Francisco

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1. Lighthouse constructed on top of ...
ing to this structure.
2. Two houses near the base of the ...
apron, generator, radio antenna, ...
3. A boat landing and associated ...
4. Path between east ...
5. Two battery piles ...
used granules.

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early as 1807 ...
and by 1812 more than ...
stripped most of the ...
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previously escaped.

Although the ...
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pecially, in 1909 ...
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1539, 1579, 19-20
1602
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to include the bird and
also other species and
the eastern gull, and on

Parallon include Steller
elephant seals.

Site of discovery by Cabrillo
above. The major physical
features include the following:

Parallon and the path lead-

oat, water tanks, rain
copter pad, paint shed,

the east end.

and introduced grasses,
and is ...

In 1807, the first seal was
killed on the island. The
seals were used for oil and
blubber. In 1812, the
seals were almost exterminated
meaning the animals were almost
gone.

Later the abundance of seals
provided the initial impetus for
early seal hunting, which began
and by 1812 most of the seals
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killed finally by the seal
previously escaped.

Although the Russian
dried meat for the ships since
major exploitation of the
the eggs in the ...
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These alterations are relatively inconspicuous with respect to the total appearance of the island and do not appreciably affect the aura of wilderness or isolation or the abundance of wildlife.

Other than the physical alterations described above, some changes in wildlife species and their relative and absolute abundance have occurred. The seals and sea otters were decimated by hunters in the 1500's. The sea otter is no longer present and the fur seal has only been observed rarely.

European horses were introduced by an English sea captain between 1850 and 1874, but are no longer present.

Bird populations have fluctuated both absolutely (such as the declines during the "egging" period) and relatively (for example, western gulls are now more numerous in relation to common murre than they were prior to egging). Most wildlife species have returned to approximately their original stability, however, and are again subject only to natural influences on population dynamics.

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In 1855 the government authorized construction of a lighthouse despite the effects of the severe ice belt at such intervals with great business. The light was not officially operative until January 1, 1856, because of mechanical difficulties.

The fog signal, which was designed by Major Hartman Bache of the U. S. Engineers, consisted of a truck chimney placed over a natural covey blow hole. The air flowing through the hole provided the power. However, the hole was silted and the fog would hang over the quiet waters. A storm in 1870 destroyed the chimney and it was later replaced by a steam fog bell and tank by a siphon.

The light consisted of a lantern 12 feet high and 8 feet in diameter. On all its 8 sides were 8 concentric prisms around its center. The lens revolved around the lamp once every 3 minutes.

Coast guard personnel were removed from the island with the automation of the lighthouse in 1972. Now the 500,000 candlepower light and fog signal are operated by remote control.

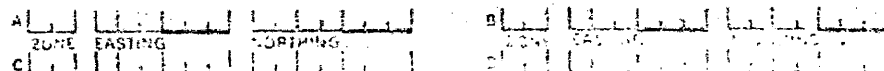
A minimum of two biologists live on the island to protect and study the wildlife. With protection against exploitation, the Paralions once again contain the largest sea bird rookery south of Alaska and the marine mammals, with the exception of the fur seal and sea otter, are all now re-established. Today these unique islands and their abundant wildlife populations are in nearly the same primitive condition as they were prior to the ravages they experienced in the 18th Century.

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GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ADDRESS OF NOMINATED PROPERTY 211 WEDDS
 CITY/REFERENCE No USGS map exists for this area.



A Rectangle Locating the Property
 (Note: The diagram above shows a rectangle on a grid.)

Corner	Latitude			Longitude		
	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds	Degrees	Minutes	Seconds
NW	37°	48'	0"	123°	10'	20"
SW	37°	43'	0"	123°	52'	0"
SE	37°	41'	30"	123°	59'	0"
NE	37°	41'	30"	123°	10'	0"

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE	CODE	COUNTY	COUNT
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FORM PREPARED BY

NAME/TITLE: Elizabeth Cummings, Assistant Refuge Manager
 Cathy S. Gagli, Wildlife Biologist
 ORGANIZATION: San Francisco Bay National Wildlife Refuge
 STREET & NUMBER: 3849 Peralta Boulevard, Suite D
 CITY/TOWN: Fremont
 STATE: California
 DATE: November 3, 1975

CERTIFICATION OF NOMINATION

STATE HISTORIC PRESERVATION OFFICER RECOMMENDATION
 YES NO NO: E
 (Signature)

In compliance with Executive Order 11593, I hereby nominate this property to the National Register of Historic Places. The Historic Preservation Officer has been allowed 90 days in which to present the nomination to the State Review Board and to evaluate its significance. The evaluated level of significance is: National State Local

FEDERAL REGISTER: [Signature]
 DATE: 6-8-76
 NATIONAL REGISTER: [Signature]
 DATE: [Signature]

