Victor M. Anderson

Victor M. Anderson INACTIVE

LEGAL RESIDENCE
Florida

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SALARY	BUREAU OR OFFICE	DATE OF EFFECT OF ACTION AUTHORIZED
Temp. (Spend dly)			
Keeper Pensacola L.S. Fla.	600	L. H.	Feb. 22, 1919
" (Prob.) " " "	Last day March 10, 1919 "		Mar. 11, 1919
" Trans. Cape St. George Lt. Sta. Fla.	$900	"	August 22, 1919
RESIGNED CLOSE OF Feb. 29, 1920.			
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent of Lighthouses

OFFICE OF ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~ 8th DISTRICT.

1919 FEB 10 PM 4 18

New Orleans, La., (City.) February 5 (Date.) 1919

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Victor M. Anderson

1919 FEB 11 AM 8 59

Legal residence, Florida

LIGHT FEB & ISLE HOUSES

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Salary, $600 per annum

Location, Pensacola Light Station, Fla.

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective February 15, 1919 { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, - - - -

Former salary, - - - -

Location, - - - -

Rank on eligible list, - - - Rating, 1st Percentage, 82.4 , Other eligibles considered:

No other eligible available.

FEB 11 1919 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Previous incumbent, H.H. Holdeman Services terminated, November 10, 1917.

Reason, Resigned

Members of family in Government Service, Not any.

Remarks: The nominee has had no previous service in any branch of the Department of Commerce.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Feb 6, 1919

TEMPORARY pending the establishment of a register of eligibles

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

FEB - 8 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1919 FEB 10 PM 12 21

Acting Commissioner

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

February 12, 1919.

Mr. Victor M. Anderson,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office,

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Six Hundred dollars per annum

effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.



Your appointment will continue for a period not to exceed thirty days from date of receipt of a certification of eligibles for probational appointment in the above-mentioned position.

CARDED

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) W. S. GILCHRIST

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Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: H. H. Holdeman.

Legal Residence: Florida.

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OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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CHIEF CLERK

1919 MAR 7 AM 10 05

I, Victor M. Anderson,

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.

☞ Victor M. Anderson
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 1st day of March, A. D. 1919.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (*Name*) Mae O. Wheat

(*Official title*) Notary Public

My commission expires Feb 20 1923

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present: Keeper (Addl.) in the Lighthouse Service	$600 p.a.	Pensacola Light Station, Florida.
Former [5]: Temporary appointment for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of certification of eligibles for probational appointment in above-mentioned position.		

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

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Office of ~~Lighthouse Inspector~~ Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th District

New Orleans, La., March 3, 1919.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on February 22, 1919.
(Date)

CARDED

R R Darry
(Official character of officer executing oath)
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

[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, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has 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, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[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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U. S. RECORDS ENTERED

MEMORANDUM SHOWING LAST DAY SERVED BY TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE

(To be filled in immediately after the last day temporary employee serves, signed by the proper official and forwarded to the Secretary of Commerce.)

LIGHT HOUSES

Name of employee Victor M. Anderson APPOINTMENTS CHIEF CLERK

Designation Keeper (Addl.) in the L.H. Service *Compensation* $600 p.a.

1919 MAR 18 PM 2 20 1919 MAR 18 PM 1 11

Place of employment Pensacola Light Station, Florida.

Date of appointment: Feb.12,1919, effective Feb.22,1919, for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of certification of eligibles for probational appointment.

Last day served March 10, 1919.

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Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th Dist.,
(*Official title.*)

Date March 14, 1919. C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED 11—2876

Lighthouse Service.
(*Bureau or service.*)

February 12, 1919.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Referring to the recommendation of the Superintendent of the 8th District for the "probational appointment" of Victor M. Anderson as Keeper at $600 per annum at the Pensacola Light Station, Fla., the Department begs to state that the Secretary of the 10th Civil Service District has approved the same with the notation "temporary appointment pending establishment of a register of eligibles." The Department has accordingly issued a temporary appointment to Mr. Anderson for a period not to exceed thirty days from date of receipt of a certification of eligibles and in the meantime it is suggested that the Superintendent again take up with the Civil Service Secretary the matter of Mr. Anderson's eligibility for probational appointment.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) W. S. GILCHRIST

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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LIGHT MAR 1 1919 HOUSES

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent of Lighthouses
OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., February 25, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

APPOINTMENTS

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

CHIEF CLERK

Name, Victor M. Anderson 1919 MAR 3 PM 4 33 Legal residence, Florida

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service Salary, $600 per annum

1919 MAR 3 PM 3 29

Location, Pensacola Light Station, Florida. Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective March 11, 1919, {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper (Addl.) in L.H.Service Former salary, $600 p.a.

Location, Pensacola Light Station, Florida.

Rank on eligible list, First Rating, Assistant Keeper Percentage, 82.4, Other eligibles considered:

No other eligible available.

Previous incumbent, Himself Services terminated, March 10, 1919.

Reason, Certified for probationary appointment.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Victor M. Anderson has been serving under temporary appointment in accordance with Department letter dated February 12, 1919, since February 22, 1919. He has never previously served under any branch of the Department of Commerce. Quarters are provided at Pensacola Light Station for the family of the Second Assistant Keeper.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Feb. 26, 1919

E. H. Hamm
Secretary, 10 Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAR 3 - 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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MAR 4 - 1919 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

March 4, 1919.

Mr. Victor M. Anderson,

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 Six Hundred dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No.) issued by the Secretary, Tenth Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Ham[illegible]

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Yourself.

Legal Residence: Florida.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES MAR 14 1919 NEW ORLEANS

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT MAR 17 1919 HOUSES

I, Victor M. Anderson,

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.

CHIEF CLERK

Victor M. Anderson

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(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 13th day of March, A. D. 1919.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Jas. A. Lutz

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires MY COMMISSION EXPIRES OCTOBER 20 1920

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper in the Light-house Service (Probationary)	$600 p.a.	Pensacola Light Station, Florida.
Former Keeper in the Light-house Service (Temporary)	$600 p.a.	do.

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

Office of ~~Lighthouse~~ Inspector, Superintendent of Lighthouses, Eighth District

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New Orleans, La., March 14, 1919.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on March 11, 1919.
(Date)

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

CARDED

(Signature of officer) Superintendent of Lighthouses

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[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, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has 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, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[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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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

APPOINTMENTS MAR 15 1919

MAR 12 1919 — 8th LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT NEW ORLEANS

MAR 7 1919 — SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES NEW ORLEANS

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 15 1919

(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.)

Mrs. Victor Marion Cuders~~on~~ CHIEF CLERK

2. How do you intend to write your name on the pay roll? (This should agree with signature to your oath of office.) Victor, Jr. Cuderson 1918 NOV 15 PM 1 06

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

Lighthouse (Bureau or Service.) Pensacola Light Station, Florida. (Place (city, town, station, or vessel).) Eighth (District.)

4. Position to which appointed Keeper (Addl.) in the Lighthouse Service.

5. Compensation $600 per annum.

6. Appropriation from which paid Salaries, Keepers of 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.)

From Assistant Lighthouse Keeper Examination--August 15, 1918.

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

Apalachicola (City or town.) Florida (State or Territory.) Franklin (County.) Third (Congressional district.)

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

11. Where were you born? Apalachicola Fla

12. When were you born? Sept (Month.) 19th (Day.) 1891 (Year.)

13. If foreign born, state when and where naturalization papers were taken out - - - - - - - -

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.

Mrs Victor M Cuderson (Name.) (Number and street.)

Pensacola Light Station (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		
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		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.)

No

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.
No			

22. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No (If answer is "Yes," give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Relationship (widow or orphan).....

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.)

In Buisness for my self
Market Buisness

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.)

high school 10th grade

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.")

None

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

Only for Light house service

Assistant Lighthouse Keeper--August 15, 1918.

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, March 1, 1919

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) Victor M Anderson

P. O. Address: Fort Barrancas Fla
City or town.

Number and street.

State or Territory. Florida

(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.)

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Reviewed, approved, and forwarded March 12, 1919.

(Signature) R R Desmy

(Official title) Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th District

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Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
OFFICE OF ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~, 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., July 30, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer, promotion and appointment.

Name, Victor M. Anderson — Legal residence, Florida

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Salary, $900 per annum

Location, Cape St. George Light Station, West Pass Cut Rge., Sand Island Cut Rge., and St. George Lights, Florida. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective August 15, 1919, { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty;~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $600 per annum.

Location, Pensacola Light Station, Florida.

Rank on eligible list, - - - - Rating, - - - - Percentage, - - - -, Other eligibles considered:

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

August 6, 1919.

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service is changed from $ per annum to $ per annum, effective

Sir: No new appointment will be issued to you as a result of this change, and an oath of office is not required.

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By August 15, 1919, or as soon thereafter as you enter upon duty.

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED AUG 1919 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

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C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATION TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Capt Anderson

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES.
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
August 29, 1919.

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Victor M. Anderson,
Cape St. George L.S.,Fla.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Department letter dated August 6, 1919, notifying Victor M. Anderson, keeper, of change in his salary from $600 per annum at Pensacola Light Station to $900 per annum at Cape St. George Light Station, effective upon the date of his entrance on duty in the new position:

2. The Bureau is advised that this change was effected on August 22, 1919.

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Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Eighth DISTRICT,

1920 FEB 27 AM 9 00

New Orleans, La., February 18, 1920.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Victor M. Anderson — Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Legal residence, Florida — Station, Cape Saint George Light Station, West Pass Cut Rge., Sand Island Cut Rge., and St. George Lights, Florida.

Salary, $900.00 per annum.

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of February 29, 1920.

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

Remarks:

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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E. S. Lamphier.
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON
FEB 24 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner.

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The Acme Packing Company

WHOLESALE
OYSTERS, SHRIMP, FISH AND ROE
Apalachicola, Fla.

Jan. 26, 1920.

Through. Supvr David D. Silva
Capt. St. George, I S

Supt. Lighthouse Dis.# 8

New Orleans, La.

Dear Sir:

With regret I am forced to tender resignation of my p position as assistant keeper at the St. George's owing to the state of my wife's health, specialist advising that she must live on fresh meat milk & eggs etc. and such things that are not redily obtainable at the station.

I hope at some future time I shall be able to return to the service and regret being forced to leave it at present time but under the circumstances see no other recourse.

If agreeable to keeper & office would be glad to have Mr. L. F. Meyers to relieve me at once,

Yourse respectfully,

J. M. Anderson

JAN 28 1920
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APPOINTMENT DIVISION
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ACTION TAKEN
FEB 27 1920
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

February 27, 1920.

Mr. Victor M. Anderson,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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 February 29, 1920.

Bureau Lighthouse Service

Station Cape Saint George Light Station, etc., Florida.

Position Keeper.

Salary $900. per annum

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) H. M. CROSS

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
FEB 28 1920
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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 5 1920
NEW ORLEANS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

February 27, 1920.

Mr. Victor M. Anderson,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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 February 29, 1920.

Bureau.....Lighthouse Service

Station.....Cape Saint George Light Station, etc., Florida.

Position.....Keeper.

Salary.....$900. per annum

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) H. M. CROSS

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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Asst. Kpr.
Cape St. George
etc., Fla.

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2 inclosures

March 12, 1920.

Mr. Victor M. Anderson,
Apalachicola,
Florida.

1. Transmitted herewith is Department letter dated February 27, 1920, accepting your resignation as Assistant Keeper at Cape St. George Light Station, etc., Florida, effective at the close of February 29, 1920.

2. Also inclosed is check in the sum of $ 108.05, in payment of compensation due you for the month of February.

(Sgd.) E. S. LANPHIER,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished D. D. Silva, Keeper, Cape St. George Light Station, Apalachicola, Fla., for his information and the station files.

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Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTH DISTRICT

Cape St. George
(Station, Depot or Vessel)

Apalachicola March 9, 1920

Light House Superintendent
Neworleans
Louisiana

Sir in answer to your letter March 5 1920 relative to the address of former assistant Keeper Victor M. Anderson his present Post office address is Apalachicola. Florida

David De Silva Keeper.
Cape St. George Light Station
Apalachicola, Florida.

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March 5, 1920.

D. D. Silva, Keeper,
Cape St. George Light Station,
Apalachicola, Fla.

1. Advise this office, by return mail if practicable, the present post-office address of former Assistant Keeper Victor M. Anderson.

E.S.L.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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NOTICE OF RESIGNATION ~~OR DEATH~~

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Eighth DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., February 18, 1920.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Victor M. Anderson — Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Legal residence, Florida — Station, Cape Saint George Light Station, West Pass Cut Rge., Sand Island Cut Rge., and St. George Lights, Florida.

Salary, $900.00 per annum.

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of February 29, 1920.

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

Remarks:

E. S. L.
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTH DISTRICT

Cape St George
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March the 1, 1920

Light House Superintendent

New Orleans La

Sir, assistant Keeper D. M. Anderson
Performed Service up to the evening of 29 February 1920
and his Service was discontinued on the 29 February 1920

David D. Silva

Keeper Cape St, Georgi. La.

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(Recd. 11 a.m., Jan.29,1920. L.)

Apalachicola, Fla.
Jan. 26, 1920

Supt. Lighthouse Dis.# 8

New Orleans, La.

Dear Sir:

With regret I am forced to tender resignation of my position as assistant keeper at the St. George's owing to the state of my wife's health, specialist advising that she must live on fresh meat milk & eggs etc. and such things that are not redily obtainable at the station.

I hope at some future time I shall be able to return to the service and regret being forced to leave it at present time but under the circumstances see no other recourse.

If agreeable to keeper & office would be glad to have Mr. L. F. Meyers to relieve me at once.

Yours respectfully,

(Signed) V. M. Anderson

THROUGH KEEPER,
DAVID D. SILVA,
Cape St.George L.S.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Cape St George Fla.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

January the 5, 1920

Light House. Superintendent

Sir. I. Beccomend Mr. V. M. anderson to Be Efficient and Competent in every respect While serving as. asst. Keeper at Cape St. George. Fla.

Respectfully

David D. Silva. Keeper

Cape St George. Fla.

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1 inc.

January 30, 1920.

David D. Silva, Keeper,
Cape St. George Light Station,
Apalachicola, Florida.

1. The attached letter of January 26th from V. M. Anderson, assistant keeper, relative to his desire to resign, is herewith returned to be forwarded through the keeper.

2. There is an application on file from Mr. Andrew P. Polous, at present assistant keeper at Cape San Blas, for transfer to Cape St. George. Advise this office if you recommend Mr. Polous for the position of assistant keeper at your station.

3. You are directed to inform Anderson that it will be necessary for him to remain at the station until he is relieved.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Jan. 23, 1920

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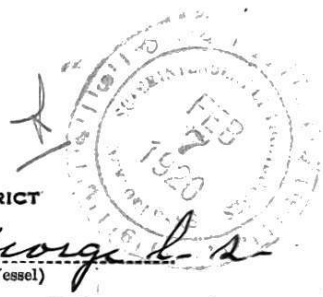
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(Signed) V. M. Anderson

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTH DISTRICT

Cape St George L. S.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Feb. 4th., 1920

Lighthouse Superintendent
New Orleans La.

Sir. I do reccomend Mr. andrew Polous. for the position of asst. Keeper. at this station I informed Mr Anderson. to remain on station untill relieved. Respfully

David D. Silva) Keeper
Cape St. George L. S.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

AUG 20 1919

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Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

August 6, 1919.

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service of Mr. Victor M. Anderson is increased from $ per annum to $ per annum, effective

Sir: No new appointment will be issued to you as a result of this change, and an oath of office is not required.

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By August 15th, 1919, or as soon thereafter as you enter upon duty.

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Cape St. George Fla.

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August 29, 1919.

Victor M. Anderson,
Cape St. George L.S.,Fla.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Department letter dated August 6, 1919, notifying Victor M. Anderson, keeper, of change in his salary from $600 per annum at Pensacola Light Station to $900 per annum at Cape St. George Light Station, effective upon the date of his entrance on duty in the new position:

2. The Bureau is advised that this change was effected on August 22, 1919.

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Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Aug. 14, 1919.

Victor M. Anderson, 2d Asst. Keeper,
Pensacola Light Station,
Fort Barrancas, Florida.
(Through the Keeper.)

1. Transmitted herewith is Department letter dated August 6, 1919, changing your salary from $600 per annum as 2d Asst. Keeper of Pensacola Light Station to $900 per annum as Assistant Keeper of Cape St. George Light Station, Fla., effective upon the date you enter upon duty in the new position.

2. It is desired to have you report for duty at Cape St. George Light Station as soon as possible, and not later than the morning of Aug. 21, 1919, and you are directed to make all arrangements accordingly.

(Sgd.) E.S. LANPHIER,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished W.B. Thompson, Keeper, Pensacola Light Station, Fort Barrancas, Fla., for his information, guidance, and the station files. You are directed to see that Anderson leaves Pensacola Light Station in sufficient time to reach Cape St. George Light Station not later than the morning of August 21st. Advise the exact date he leaves the station under your charge.

(Sgd.) LANPHIER,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished David D. Silva, Keeper, Cape St. George Light Station, Apalachicola, Fla., for his information and the station files. Immediately upon Mr. Anderson's arrival, you will discontinue the services of temporary keeper Lawrence F. Meyer, advising the exact date.

E.O.D. 8-25-19

Out of Service 8-21-19

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Form 73
MCC

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
Superintendent of Lighthouses,
OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., July 30, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer, promotion and appointment.

Name, Victor M. Anderson — Legal residence, Florida

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Salary, $900 per annum

Location, Cape St. George Light Station, West Pass Cut Rge., Sand Island Cut Rge., and St. George Lights, Florida. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective August 15, 1919, {[1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $600 per annum.

Location, Pensacola Light Station, Florida.

Rank on eligible list, ---- Rating, ---- Percentage, ----; Other eligibles considered: ---- ---- ---- ---- ---- ---- ----

Previous incumbent, William G. Bazmore — Services terminated, May 17, 1919.

Reason, Dismissed.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: The above transfer has been requested by the employee. Victor M. Anderson is now serving under probationary appointment. He is the only employee in his grade at Pensacola Light Station, and the vacancy to which promotion is proposed could not be foreseen at the time of his appointment. There is no suitable employee in the Service who desires transfer to above position.

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

2-30-19

---------- Secretary, Civil Service District.

L. ---------- Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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July 30, 1919.

Victor M. Anderson, 2d Asst. Kpr.,
Pensacola Light Station,
Fort Barrancas, Florida.
(Through the Keeper)

1. You are informed that you have been nominated for transfer to Cape St. George Light Station, Florida, as assistant keeper at $900 per annum and the usual ration allowance, effective about August 15th. You will be duly advised of the Department's action in the matter, at which time definite instructions will be given you as to the exact date you should proceed to the new station.

(Signed) E. S. LANPHIER,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished William B. Thompson, Keeper, Pensacola Light Station, for his information, guidance, and the station files.

(Signed) E.S.LANPHIER,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished D. D. Silva, Keeper, Cape St. George Light Station, Florida, for his information and the station files. Immediately upon Mr. Anderson's arrival at Cape St. George Light Station, you will discontinue the services of temporary keeper Lawrence F. Meyer, advising this office of the exact date.

L.
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

[redacted]

Dear Director Wiles
Thank you for your response

Dated - 2020
6-20-19

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Pensacola, 1919
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 19, 1919

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
New Orleans, La.

Sir:

In reply to your letter of June 17, 1919 directing me to submit report on Mr W. M. Anderson, 2nd assistant Keeper at this Station, I will say that I have found Mr Anderson to be efficient and attentive to his duties at all times, I consider him perfectly qualified for the position which he seeks and highly recommend him for same. I wish to add that I have never had an assistant whom I esteemed more in every respect than Mr Anderson.

Very Respectfully
W B Thompson, Keeper

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June 17, 1919

W. B. Thompson, Keeper,
Pensacola Light Station,
Fort Barrancas, Fla.

1. This office is in receipt of an application from V. M. Anderson, Second Assistant Keeper of Pensacola Light Station, who desires transfer to the position of Assistant Keeper at Cape St. George Light Station.

2. The records indicate that Mr. Anderson entered on duty at the station under your charge on February 22, 1919, and you are requested to submit report and recommendation as to his qualifications and ability, and state whether you recommend him for the position of Assistant Keeper of Cape St. George Light Station.

First Assistant Superintendent in Charge

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Ans. Apptn. This account desirable. Kindly file record here with & see me

EIGHTH DISTRICT
Pensakola Light Station
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)
June 13, 1919

Supt Light House Dist # 8
Dear Sir-

~~Vacancy~~ Having heard that there is a vacancy at Cape St George Light House am writing you in regards to same, If so, I would appreciate very much to be considered in a transfer to that station, I am very anxious to move nearer to my home, owing to the conditions of my wifes health.

Hoping an early reply I am yours truly

W. M. Anderson
2nd Asst. Kpr.

WB Thompson, Keeper

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 4, 1919.

M r. Victor M. Anderson,

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 Six Hundred dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. .....) issued by the Secretary, Tenth Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Harting

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Yourself.

Legal Residence: Florida.

(See reverse side.)

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8th

Pensacola F.D. Fla.

COPY (MCC) Recd., 11:30 a.m., March 14, 1919.

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Victor M. Anderson,

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.

(SGD.) VICTOR M. ANDERSON
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 13th day of March, A. D. 191 9.

(Affix official seal here)
S(JAMES A. WHITE,
E(Notary Public,
A(State of Florida
L(at Large

[4](*Name*) (SGD.) JAS. A. WHITE,

(*Official title*) Notary Public

My commission expires October 20, 1920.

	Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present	Keeper in the Light-house Service (Probationary)	$600 p.a.	Pensacola Light Station, Florida.
Former [5]	Keeper in the Light-house Service (Temporary)	$600 p.a.	do.

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

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Office of ~~Lighthouse Inspector~~ Superintendent of Lighthouses, Eighth District

New Orleans, La., March 14, 1919.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on March 11, 1919.
(Date)

(Signature, followed by title)
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

[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, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has 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, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[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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March 10, 1919.

Victor M. Anderson, Additional Keeper,
Pensacola Light Station,
Fort Barrancas, Florida.
(Through the Keeper.)

1. Transmitted herewith is Department letter dated March 4, 1919, covering your probationary appointment as Second Assistant Keeper at Pensacola Light Station, Florida, at a salary of $600 per annum and a ration allowance of 45¢ per day, effective commencing March 11, 1919.

2. Subscribe to inclosed "Oath of Office" before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths and return same as soon as practicable, as no compensation under this appointment can be paid you until the oath is received in proper form.

(Signed) DORRY,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished William B. Thompson, Keeper, Pensacola Light Station, Fort Barrancas, Florida, for his information and the station files.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th
OFFICE OF ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~, ... DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., February 25, 191 9.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Victor M. Anderson — Legal residence, Florida

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Salary, $600 per annum

Location, Pensacola Light Station, Florida. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective March 11, 1919, { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty;~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper (Addl.) in L.H.Service — Former salary, $600 p.a.

Location, Pensacola Light Station, Florida.

Rank on eligible list, First Rating, Assistant Keeper Percentage, 82.4, Other eligibles considered:

No other eligible available.

Previous incumbent, Himself — Services terminated, to March 10, 1919.

Reason, Certified for probationary appointment.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Victor M. Anderson has been serving under temporary appointment in accordance with Department letter dated February 12, 1919, since February 22, 1919. He has never previously served under any branch of the Department of Commerce. Quarters are provided at Pensacola Light Station for the family of the Second Assistant Keeper.

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

Thru U.S. Secy. mail

..... *Secretary, Civil Service District.*

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..... Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

11—2314

Posted mail

Form 124.
May, 1915.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
[Branch of service or department.]

Pensacola L.S., Fort Barrancas, Fla.
[Name of city.] [State.]

March 1, 1919.

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DECLARATION OF APPOINTEE.

This form must be executed by the appointee before he enters on duty. If the answer to question 6 includes two or more names, and is not IDENTICAL in every respect with answer to similar question in the application, this form must be submitted by the appointing officer for approval before appointment may be authorized. ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE PROVISIONS OF LAW AS QUOTED ON ATTACHED FORM. False personation in an examination is a criminal offense, and will be prosecuted accordingly.

QUESTIONS.	ANSWERS.
1. What was your age on your last birthday and what was the date of your birth?	28 years. ~~Sept 19th~~ Sept 19th 1889.
2. Where were you born?	Apalachicola Fla
3. What were the names of the persons who signed the vouchers to your application?	W. J. Knickmeyer Wm Sawyer S. M. Hoffman Gad Barnes Judge W. M. Dunn
4. In what city or town, and in what building were you examined?	New Orleans, La., Customhouse Bldg.
5. To what position have you been appointed? State the salary. If temporary, so state.	M. J. S. Munroe Apalachicola Fla Addl. Keeper $600. per annum.

6. Are any members of your family in the U. S. Government Service? Answer "yes" or "no" No. If so, fill in the following blanks. If additional space is necessary use back of this sheet.

Name.	Post office address.	Position and department or office in which employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position		
		Department or office		
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		Department or office		

7. Have any of the above-named persons entered the Government service since the execution of your application for examination? ---- If so, give the name of each such person ----

8. Will you inform yourself of and observe the provisions of the civil service law and rules and Executive orders concerning political activity, political coercion, political assessments, use of influence to secure promotion, etc., as quoted on the attached form? Yes

I hereby certify that the answers to the foregoing questions are true in every particular.

Victor M Gudesson
[Signature.]

[Give here your present post-office address, city and state, including street and number.]

The officer before whom the above certificate is made is requested to sign the following:

The above certificate was executed before me, in his own handwriting, by the identical person who has reported for assignment to duty.

Was photograph of appointee furnished you? ---- If so, is it a correct likeness of the person who executed this form? ----

Signature W B Thompson

Official title Keeper, Pensacola L.S., Fla.

This is to be signed by an officer of the department or bureau to which the appointee belongs, not by a notary public, and does not need to be sworn to.
The paper should be returned to Chief Clerk of bureau when completed.

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MEMORANDUM SHOWING LAST DAY SERVED BY TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE

(To be filled in immediately after the last day temporary employee serves, signed by the proper official and forwarded to the Secretary of Commerce.)

Name of employee Victor M. Anderson

Designation Keeper (Addl.) in the L.H. Service *Compensation* $600 p.a.

Place of employment Pensacola Light Station, Florida.

Date of appointment, Feb.12,1919, effective Feb.22,1919, for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of certification of eligibles for probational appointment.

Last day served March 10, 1919.

Copy furnished Secretary, Tenth Civil-Service District, Room 350, Customhouse Building, New Orleans, La., for his information.

(Signed) DORRY,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th Dist.,
(*Official title.*)

March 14, 1919.
Date

Lighthouse Service.
(*Bureau or service.*)

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

FEB 14 1919 HOUSES

February 12, 1919.

FEB 17 1919 SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES NEW ORLEANS

Mr. Victor M. Anderson,

Thrcugh the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office,

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Six Hundred dollars per annum

effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

Your appointment will continue for a period not to exceed thirty days from date of receipt of a certification of eligibles for probational appointment in the above-mentioned position.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

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(SIGNED) W. S. GILCHRIST
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: H. H. Holdeman.

Legal Residence: Florida.

8th

Pensacola F. D. Fla.

COPY (MCC) Recd., 9 a.m., March 3, 1919. D.

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Victor M. Anderson,

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.

(Sgd.) Victor M. Anderson
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 1st day of March, A. D. 1919.

(Affix official seal here)
S(Mae O. White,
E(Notary Public
A(State of Florida
L(at Large

[4] (*Name*) (Sgd.) Mae O. White

(*Official title*) Notary Public

My commission expires February 20, 1923.

OFFICIAL TITLE	RATE OF PAY	NAME OF STATION, VESSEL, OR PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT.
Present: Keeper (Addl.) in the Lighthouse Service	$600 p.a.	Pensacola Light Station, Florida.
Former: [5] Temporary appointment for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of certification of eligibles for probational appointment in above-mentioned position.		

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

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OFFICE OF ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~ Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th DISTRICT

New Orleans, La., March 3, 1919.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on February 22, 1919.
(Date)

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

[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, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has 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, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[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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Carded MCC

V. M. ANDERSON,

DEALER IN

Fresh Meats of all Kinds.

Phone 40



Ft Barrancas Fla
~~Apalachicola, Fla.~~ March 10 1919

Supt of Lighthouses
New Orleans La

Dear Sir

Yours of recent date Rec'd must say that on Sept 19 1891 is my exact age. If it had it 1889 on the examination form 1025 It was a mustake on my part hope this is Satisfactory

Yours Truly
V. M Anderson

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March 8, 1919.

Victor M. Anderson, Additional Keeper,
Pensacola Light Station,
Fort Barrancas, Florida.
(Through the Keeper.)

1. Referring to inclosed "Personal Question Sheet" executed by you on March 1, 1919:

2. It is noted in answer to Question 12 that you state you were born in the year 1891, whereas in your application for examination (Form 1025) you stated you were born in the year 1889. Advise which date is correct and amend inclosed "Personal Question Sheet" accordingly.

(Signed) DORRY,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished Wm. B. Thompson, Keeper, Pensacola Light Station, Fort Barrancas, Florida, for his information and the station files.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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2 inclosures

March 3, 1919.

William B. Thompson, Keeper,
Pensacola Light Station,
Fort Barrancas, Florida.

1. Personal Question Sheet executed by additional keeper V. M. Anderson is herewith returned for answers to Questions 18, 21, and 23, and date opposite his signature.

2. Declaration of Appointee is also returned for your signature, date, etc.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE.

U.S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

This form is to be used solely for the purpose of recording forme employment of a person appointed to the Government service with a vie to directing applicants for employment to the possible need for worke It may be filled out by the appointee, or by other person from data i application of examination papers. In the latter case the question a to strike need not be answered.

Record of last private employment of Victor M. Anderson.

Appointed Feb. 12, 1919, Addl. Keeper, Pensacola L.S. in the Lighthouse Service.
(Date) (Position) (Office)

Trade or calling In business for self. Pay received about $90.00 per month

Name and address of last employer.....

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Was termination of employment due to a strike?.....

Filed

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE.

U.S.CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

This form is to be used solely for the purpose of recording former employment of a person appointed to the Government service with a view to directing applicants for employment to the possible need for workers. It may be filled out by the appointee, or by other person from data in application of examination papers. In the latter case the question as to strike need not be answered.

Record of last private employment of.....Victor M. Anderson.....

Appointed.....Feb. 12, 1919, Asst. Keeper, Pensacola L.S., in the Lighthouse Service.....
(Date) (Position) (Office)

Trade or calling.....Pay received.....

Name and address of last employer.....

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Was termination of employment due to a strike?.....

MDC
5 inclosures

February 26, 1919.

Victor M. Anderson, Addl. Keeper,
Pensacola Light Station,
Fort Barrancas, Florida.
(Through the Keeper.)

1. Transmitted herewith is Department letter dated February 12, 1919, appointing you additional keeper at Pensacola Light Station, Florida, at a salary of $600 per annum and a daily ration allowance of 45¢, effective commencing February 22, 1919. This appointment will continue until receipt of Department certificate covering your probationary appointment in the position of Second Assistant Keeper at above station.

2. Subscribe to inclosed "Oath of Office" before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths and return same as soon as practicable, as no compensation under this appointment can be paid you until the oath is received in proper form. Inclosed "Personal Question Sheet," "Declaration of Appointee," and slip relative to previous employment should also be completed and returned as soon as practicable.

(Signed) DORRY,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished W. B. Thompson, Keeper, Pensacola Light Station, Fort Barrancas, Florida, for his information and the station files.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTH DISTRICT

Pensacola, Fla.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Feb 22, 1919

Superintendent of Lighthouses.
New Orleans, La.

Sir:

I have the honor to report that Mr V. M. Anderson, has this day reported for duty at this station.

Very Respectfully.
W B Thompson, Keeper

Mr. Jennings says O.K. to let this appointment stand as it is, and submit another nomination for probational appt. commencing one month from date of this appointment.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 17 1919
NEW ORLEANS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

February 12, 1919.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Referring to the recommendation of the Superintendent of the 8th District for the "probational appointment" of Victor M. Anderson as Keeper at $600 per annum at the Pensacola Light Station, Fla., the Department begs to state that the Secretary of the 10th Civil Service District has approved the same with the notation "temporary appointment pending establishment of a register of eligibles." The Department has accordingly issued a temporary appointment to Mr. Anderson for a period not to exceed thirty days from date of receipt of a certification of eligibles and in the meantime it is suggested that the Superintendent again take up with the Civil Service Secretary the matter of Mr. Anderson's eligibility for probational appointment.

By direction of the Secretary:

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
FEB 12 1919

W. S. Gilchrist
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

To Superintendent of Lighthouses New Orleans La.

for his information, guidance, and files of office.

G/D
Be guided accordingly.

Conway
Acting Commissioner.

Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
Superintendent of Lighthouses
OFFICE OF ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~ 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., February 5, 1919
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Victor M. Anderson — Legal residence, Florida

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Salary, $600 per annum

Location, Pensacola Light Station, Fla. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective February 15, 1919 { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, - - - - — Former salary, - - - -

Location, - - - -

Rank on eligible list, 1st Rating, ~~1st~~ Asst. Kpr. Percentage, 82.4, Other eligibles considered:
No other eligible available.

Previous incumbent, H.H. Holdeman — Services terminated, November 10, 1917.

Reason, Resigned

Members of family in Government Service, Not any.

Remarks: The nominee has had no previous service in any branch of the Department of Commerce.

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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EP-LSC

February 5, 1919

V. M. Anderson,
Apalachicola,
Florida.

1. Your letter of the 1st inst. accepting the position of Second Assistant Keeper at Pensacola Light Station, at a salary of $600.00 per annum and ration allowance of 45¢ per day, has been received, and it is noted that you desire fifteen days in which to dispose of your business before reporting for duty.

2. In reply you are informed that you have this day been nominated for the position, and you are requested to report to W. B. Thompson, Keeper of Pensacola Light Station, fifteen days from the receipt of this letter.

(Signed) B. B. Dorry

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Copy furnished W. B. Thompson, Keeper, Pensacola Light Station, Fort Barrancas, Fla., for his information and station files.

Upon receipt of Mr. Anderson's appointment same will be forwarded to you at the light station, and it is requested that you inform this office the exact date Mr. Anderson reports for duty.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

V. M. ANDERSON,

DEALER IN

Fresh Meats of all Kinds.

Phone 40



Apalachicola, Fla., 2/1 1919

Supt Light House Dept.

Dear Sir

If I should be appointed as Light house assistant I would like to have fifteen days notice in order to dispose off my market

If not appointed at this station I would like to be considered in the Cape San Blas appointment

Thanking You in advance I am Yours

Truly

V. M. Anderson

Form 201

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LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



Mr. Victor M. Anderson,
Apalachicola, Florida.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT

New Orleans, La., January 29, 1919.

SIR: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of

(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)

2d Asst. Keeper, Pensacola Light Station, Florida, a first-order IOV light, located on shore about two miles from Warrington, Fla., and 8 miles from Pensacola. Three keepers are authorized to care for this station.

Salary: $600 per annum- - - - - - - - - - - - - per annum.

Quarters: are provided for the families of the keepers.

(State whether or not quarters are provided by the Government for the families of keepers at this station, or if quarters can be rented by appointee in the vicinity.)

Traveling expenses from your home to the light station will not be paid by the Goeernment.

Fuel: Allowed.

(State allowance of fuel for domestic purposes, if authorized.)

Rations: 45¢ per day in cash instead of rations.

(State facts concerning rations for this position.)

This position is also offered to other eligibles, any one of whom may be selected, although all may indicate willingness to accept this position.

Read carefully the Instructions to Eligibles on the other side before returning this letter.

You will, therefore, please advise this office in this connection by answering the questions below and returning this communication at the earliest date practicable.

Respectfully,

AN IMMEDIATE REPLY IS REQUESTED.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." No If yes, state how many ; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

My reasons for declining the position tendered me are as follows:

(Signature) Victor M Anderson

Date, 2/1-1919 (Post-office address) Apalachicola Fla

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V. M. ANDERSON,

DEALER IN

Fresh Meats of all Kinds.

Phone 40



Apalachicola, Fla., Jan 28 1919

Light House Inspector
New Orleans.

Dear Sir:-

In regard to my application for assistant Light house Keeper. I would like to know just how I stand on the eligible register.

I understand there's an openening at Cape St Blas Fla for assistant and I would like to know if there's any chance of getting it.

I sent in my application Aug 15 1918 and rec'd 82.4 Percentage. I would prefer this Station in preference to any

Hoping to hear from you soon

Yours truly V.M. Anderson

COPY (MCC) Recd., 9 a.m., March 3, 1919. D.
" " 3 p.m., March 7,1919. D.
" DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE 1:30 p.m., March 10, 1919. D.

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.)

Mr. Victor Marion Anderson

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

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

Lighthouse (Bureau or Service.) Pensacola Light Station, Florida. (Place (city, town, station, or vessel).) Eighth (District.)

4. Position to which appointed... Keeper (Addl.) in the Lighthouse Service

5. Compensation ... $600 per annum

6. Appropriation from which paid... Salaries, Keepers of 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.)

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

Apalachicola (City or town.) Florida (State or Territory.) Franklin (County.) Third (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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10. What is your race? (Answer "white," "colored," or "Mongolian.") White

11. Where were you born? Apalachicola, Fla.

12. When were you born? September (Month.) 19 (Day.) 1891 (Year.)

13. If foreign born, state when and where naturalization papers were taken out - - - - - - - - -

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.

Mrs. Victor M. Anderson, (Name.) - - - (Number and street.)

Pensacola, Light Station, (City or town.) Florida. (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		
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		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.)

No

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.
No			

22. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No. (If answer is "Yes," give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Relationship (widow or orphan)

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.)

In business for myself - market business.

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.)

High School--10th Grade

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.")

None

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

Only for Lighthouse Service

Assistant Lighthouse Keeper--August 15, 1918.

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, March 1 - - - - - -, 191 9.

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) Victor M. Anderson

P. O. Address: Fort Barrancas,
City or town.
- - -
Number and street.
Florida.
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.)

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Reviewed, approved, and forwarded March 12, 191 9.

(Signature) S

(Official title) Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th District.

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