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Name (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Researcher ID Card Number
Flynn, Kylie	
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INFORMATION NEEDED TO LOCATE RECORDS (Furnish as much as possible)

Name used in Service (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Service Number/SSN	Date & Place of Birth
Babcock, Maurice, A.		1888New Brunswick,Canada

MILITARY SERVICE

Branch of Service:

- ☐ Air Force
- ☐ Army Air Corps
- ☐ Army Air Force
- ☐ Army
- ☐ Marine Corps
- ☐ Navy
- ☐ Coast Guard
- ☐ Unknown

Type of Rank:

- ☐ Enlisted
- ☐ Officer
- ☐ Unknown

Service Period (Check all that apply):

- ☐ 1939 & Prior
- ☐ 1940 - 1950
- ☐ 1950 & After

Date & Place of Death: 1968 ME

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

Other Identifying Information (Parent's Names, CSC Number, etc.)

Researcher Signature:

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)	
Lighthouse Service (MA)	
From: 1919	To: 1941
(Agency & Location) B122	
From:	To:
(Agency & Location)	
From:	To:

Other Identifying Information (Maiden Name, Job Title, etc.)

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Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

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LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

CMRS CASE #:2-30424656342

Employee Name: Babcock Maurice . **DOB:** 1888 .

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STANDARD FORM 50 (6 PART)
UNITED STATES
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
OCTOBER 1946

FORM APPROVED.
BUDGET BUREAU NO. 50-R064.

Babcock, Maurice A.

NOTIFICATION OF PERSONNEL ACTION

1. NAME (MR.—MISS—MRS.—FIRST—MIDDLE INITIAL—LAST)	2. DATE OF BIRTH	3. JOURNAL OR ACTION NO.	4. DATE
Babcock, Maurice A. (Mr.) SS# not given	4-3-1888	6	8-25-48

This is to notify you of the following action affecting your employment:

5. NATURE OF ACTION (USE STANDARD TERMINOLOGY)	6. EFFECTIVE DATE	7. CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY
AMENDMENT Retirement (Disability)	Close 10-31-47	

FROM		TO	
Keeper	8. POSITION TITLE		
Range $1440-1800) Plus $1680 per annum) $240 p.a. Qtrs.	9. SERVICE, GRADE, SALARY		
U. S. Coast Guard	10. ORGANIZATIONAL DESIGNATIONS		
Boston, Mass. Boston Lt. Sta., Mass.	11. HEADQUARTERS		
[X] FIELD [ ] DEPARTMENTAL	12. FIELD OR DEPT'L	[ ] FIELD [ ] DEPARTMENTAL	

13. REMARKS

In accordance with the Comptroller General's Decision B-70029 dated 10-23-47, which reversed Decision A-31584 of 5-28-30, your retirement pay has been recomputed on the basis of the average gross pay (which includes the valuation of quarters for the period occupied) received during the last five years of your active duty. The computation on this basis changes the rate of your retirement pay from $957.94 to $1099.07, and this notice is issued in order that you may have accurate information as to the rate of retirement pay which you are authorized to receive.

Total Service: 23 years, 6 months, 8 days.

Computation: ($1869.00 x 23.5222 ÷ 40) = $1099.07

14. SIGNATURE OR OTHER AUTHENTICATION

15. VETERAN'S PREFERENCE								16. POSITION CLASSIFICATION ACTION			
NONE	5 PT.	10 POINT			WWII	WWI	OTHER	NEW	VICE	I. A.	REAL.
		DISAB.	WIFE	WIDOW							
X											

17. SEX	18. RACE	19. APPROPRIATION	20. SUBJECT TO C.S. RETIREMENT ACT (YES—NO)	21. DATE OF OATH (ACCESSIONS ONLY)	22. LEGAL RESIDENCE
M		FROM: Civilian Employees, CG TO:	LH 3-4-25		Mass.

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2 November, 1941.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,
30 Quarry Road,
Milton, Massachusetts.

Dear Mr. Babcock:

Your retirement at the close of October 31, 1941, after a period of over twenty three years in the former Lighthouse Service and Coast Guard has been particularly noted.

While it is with regret that the termination of your services from active duty was necessary at this time on account of disability please be assured of the District Commander's appreciation of your long and faithful service and the hope that your health will improve so that you may enjoy the fruits of your well earned relief from previous labors for many days to come.

Very truly yours,

L. H. BAKER
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard
Commander, Boston District (Acting).

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BOSTON DISTRICT

Boston, Mass.,
31 October, 1941.

From: Commander, Boston District.
To: Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, Boston Light Station
(30 Quarry Road, Milton, Mass.)

Subject: Retirement.

Reference: (a) Personnel Notification.

Inclosure: (A) Reference (a).

1. Inclosure (A) is forwarded herewith covering your retirement from the Coast Guard Service on account of physical disability, effective at the close of 31 October, 1941.

O. A. LITTLEFIELD
By direction.

Copy to:
Dist. Pay Officer
CO. Hull Station.

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 1-M

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO:

Date Prepared 13 October, 1941.

Name: Babcock, Maurice A.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.:

Retirement, disability

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	
Grade		
Salary	Field(Range $1440-1800) $1680 p.a. plus $240 p.a.Ctrs.	
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U.S. Coast Guard	
Headquarters	Boston, Mass.	
Post of Duty	Boston Lt.Sta., Mass.	
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C.G.	
Allotment		

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

EFFECTIVE Close October 31, 1941.

Remarks:

The annual rate of retired pay is $957.94.

Justification:

Total service: 23 years, 6 months, and 6 days.

Computation: ($1629 x years 23.5222 ÷ 40) $957.94.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 4-3-1858

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Mass.

SEX: M RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

HAS C. S. COMM. ALLOWED VETERAN'S PREFERENCE? No

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH

Entire card

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY 10-27-41

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

Form 9

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~
U. S. COAST GUARD

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Commander, Boston District,
~~Superintendent of Lighthouses,~~

U. S. COAST GUARD, ~~District~~

BOSTON, MASS.
(City)

Date 1 August, 1941.

I hereby apply for retirement from active duty in the ~~Lighthouse~~ Coast Guard Service effective 31 October, 1941, on the basis of service shown hereon. disability

/s/ MAURICE A. BABCOCK
(Name)

Keeper, Boston Light Station.
(Designation)

Mailing address
30 Quarry Road,
Milton, Mass.

Commander, Boston District.
OFFICE OF ~~SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES~~

City Boston, Mass. *Date* 3 October, 1941.

COMMANDANT, U. S. COAST GUARD,
Submitted to ~~Commissioner of Lighthouses~~, Washington, D. C., recommending retirement at $ 957.94 per annum, effective at the close of 31 October, 1941.

It is certified that the record of service and pay shown on Page 2 is correct as shown by the records of this office, and that all Government service shown has been verified. Mr. Babcock has sufficient annual and sick leave to carry him to the close of 15 October, 1941.

P. J. SMITH, By direction. ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, *Washington, D. C.*, ...

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, recommending approval.

.....
Commissioner of Lighthouses.

FOR USE OF DEPARTMENT

11—10551

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Name Maurice A. Babcock Date of birth April 3, 1888.

Designation Keeper

RECORD OF ALL ACTIVE GOVERNMENT SERVICE

(Including military, naval, and civilian service. Each department, branch, or independent office in which applicant served in a civilian capacity should be listed separately)

	Beginning			Ending			Remarks
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year	
Army							
Navy							
Marine Corps							
Civilian employment	Apr.	8	1918	Oct.	15	1941	
Lighthouse & Coast Guard Service.							
Total service	23 years, 6 months, 8 days.						

Does applicant receive or has he applied for a pension from the Government under any law? No. If so, give number of pension certificate or of claim: ----------

Does applicant receive or has he applied for compensation under the War Risk Insurance Act? No. If so, give number of claim: ----------

Does applicant receive or has he applied for compensation under the Federal Compensation Act, as amended? No.

If so, state the compensation received: ----------

STATEMENT BY FISCAL YEARS OF BASIC PAY RECEIVED DURING LAST FIVE YEARS OF ACTIVE SERVICE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING EFFECTIVE DATE OF RETIREMENT

(Compute service on basis of 30 days a month. Do not include periods of leave without pay, rations, quarters, or other allowance)

Designation	Beginning			Ending			Rate of Pay	Pay Received
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year		
Keeper	Oct.	16	1936	June	30	1937	$1620.pa.	1147.50
	July	1	1937	June	30	1938	1620.pa.	1620.00
	July	1	1938	June	30	1939	1620.pa.	1620.00
	July	1	1939	June	30	1940	1620.pa.	1620.00
	July	1	1940	Jan.	15	1941	1620.pa.	877.50
	Jan.	16	1941	June	30	1941	1680.pa.	770.00
	July	1	1941	Oct.	15	1941	1680.pa.	490.00

Total compensation for last five years of active service $8145.00

Average compensation for last five years of active service $1629.00.

Annual rate of retired pay ($1629.00 / 40) × 23.5222 years (Not exceeding 30) = $957.94.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—10551

Form 2523
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION, DISABILITY RETIREMENT, CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

(Act of March 4, 1925)

NAME OF CLAIMANT Maurice A. Babcock DESIGNATION Keeper

Height 69½ Weight 171 pounds. Complexion Medium

Color of eyes Brown Color of hair Gray

Here give a complete personal description, together with permanent marks and scars other than those described below in physical examination: Middle-aged man with normal gait and facial expression; not appearing ill, with no apparent marks or scars.

Description of duties of position (to be filled in by district commander):

Description of duties.

A circular stone tower is about 90 feet high and must be climbed by each keeper at least twice a day on his watch. The fog signal compressors are of diesel units which must be started by hand, thereby requiring extreme physical disability and agility. The island upon which the station is located is several miles off shore and the Government furnishes only row boats for transportation of the keepers necessitating rowing a row boat about three miles. He is responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of the entire station which consists of main light, a fog signal as above-mentioned, a range light, rain shed, boathouse, one double dwelling and [illegible] a large incline boatway, station boats, and has a large steel sheet piling dock. These constitute all the buildings about Brewster Island which comprises the entire reservation of this station.

States for the last five years he had had shortness of breath particularly on climbing. Also had had only occasional pain in heart region for two or three years.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Visual acuity (uncorrected): R. E. 20/ 20 L. E. 20/ 20

With correction in spectacles: R. E. 20/ -- L. E. 20/ --

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. -- at 13 inches, without correction.

Reads Jaeger No. 1.75 at 13 inches, with correction.

Central color vision (binocular) Normal (Name method used) Ishihara plates

Inspection Normal

Pupils Normal Pupillary reaction Normal

Hearing: Whispered voice (unaccentuated) heard with R. E. at 30 ft., L. E. at 30 ft.

Appearance of right drum Normal, left drum Normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? No If so, specify

[OVER]

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Condition of nose and sinuses ..... Normal

Condition of mouth and throat, including tonsils and teeth ..... Normal

Bones, joints, muscles, including atrophies ..... Normal

(Express limitation of motion, if any, in degrees and joint involved)

Respiratory system ..... No rales or dullness

Cardiovascular system:

(a) Heart ..... No murmurs or extrasystoles

(1) Murmurs ..... No ..... (2) Arrhythmias ..... No

(b) Pulse rate: (1) Sitting ..... 84 ..... (2) After exercise ..... 114 ..... (3) 2 minutes after exercise 84

(c) Blood pressure: (1) Sitting—Syst. ..... 140 ..... Diast. ..... 80 ..... (2) After ex.—Syst. ..... 152 ..... Diast. 74

(d) Condition of blood vessels ..... Apparently normal for age.

Evidence of thyroid or other endocrine disturbance ..... No

Abdomen and gastro-intestinal system, including hernia ..... Negative findings

Genito-urinary system:

Urinalysis—Sp. gr. ..... 1.015 ..... Reaction ..... Alkaline Albumin ..... 0 ..... Sugar 0

Sediment microscopic (required when albumin or sugar is found) ..... Normal

Reflexes, motor disturbances, etc.:

(a) Station ..... Erect ..... (e) Gait ..... Normal

(b) Tremor ..... No ..... (f) Coordination ..... Normal

(c) Patellar reflexes ..... Normal ..... (g) Peripheral circulation ..... No evident impairment

(d) Other motor disturbances ..... None

Alcohol ..... No ..... Drugs ..... No ..... Syphilis ..... Kahn-Negative Epilepsy ..... No

Other neurological findings ..... None

General impression ..... Middle-aged man not appearing ill.

Here describe fully nature of disability: ..... Electrocardiogram on two occasions 7/7/41 and 7/14/41 revealed "partial heart block" and "Probable myocardial damage", respectively.

Is disability to perform duty of a permanent character? ..... probably

Is it indicated that applicant may recover from disability and be fit for restoration to active duty? ..... doubtful ..... Do you recommend reexamination with this in view? ..... no

..... I ..... HEREBY CERTIFY that upon examination ..... I ..... find the above-named claimant to be disabled for useful and efficient service by reason of the disability above described, which is not due to vicious habits, intemperance, or willful misconduct on his part.

The examining physician must be in the Federal Service

U. S. Marine Hospital, Boston, Mass.
(Place of examination)

A. Kaufman
(Examining surgeon)

August 12, 1941
(Date)

A. A. Surgeon, USPHS
(Title and branch of medical service)

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U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16—17606

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

BOSTON DISTRICT
RECEIVED
AUG 19 1941
U. S. COAST GUARD

HULL STATION

Hull, Massachusetts
18 August, 1941

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that I have not applied for, nor am I receiving a pension from the Government.

The address I wish to have my retirement checks mailed will be:

30 Quarry Road,
Milton, Mass.

Maurice A Babcock

Signed: Maurice A. Babcock
Keeper, Boston Light Station

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

BOSTON DISTRICT
RECEIVED
JUN 13 1941
U.S. COAST GUARD

HULL STATION

Hull, Massachusetts
12 June, 1941

From: Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, BOSTON LIGHT STATION.
To: Commander, BOSTON DISTRICT.

Via: Commanding Officer, HULL STATION.

Subject: Retirement; request for.

1. I hereby request retirement from active service on account of poor physical condition .

Maurice A. Babcock
Maurice A. Babcock

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Hull Station -73 1st Indorsement Hull, Massachusetts
13 June, 1941

From: Commanding Officer, Hull Station.
To: Commander, Boston District.

1. Forwarded.

Freeman H. Harmon
Freeman H. Harmon

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1 July, 1941.

From: Commander, Boston District.
To: Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, Boston Light Station.

Via: Commanding Officer, HULL STATION.

Subject: Retirement on account of disability; request for.

Reference: (a) Your letter 12 June, 1941 (75).

Inclosure: (A) Form 2523.

1. In accordance with the request contained in reference (a), three copies of inclosure (A) are forwarded herewith to cover a physical examination to determine whether or not you are found disabled for useful and efficient service in the Coast Guard.

2. It is requested that you present yourself to the Medical Officer in Charge, U. S. Marine Hospital, Brighton, Mass., for the required medical examination.

3. Upon receipt of the report of findings as the result of your medical examination on inclosure (A), you will be further advised. The forms should be returned to this office by the medical officer at the hospital.

O. A. LITTLEFIELD
By direction.

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15 August, 1941.

From: Commander, Boston District.
To: Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, Boston Light Station.

Via: Commanding Officer, HULL STATION.

Subject: Retirement on account of physical disability.

Reference: (a) Your letter 12 June, 1941 (75)
(b) Certificate of Medical Examination Form 2523.

Inclosure: (A) Form 9.

1. As the result of the report of findings on reference (b), it is proposed to recommend you for retirement on account of physical disability, effective at the close of 31 October, 1941.

2. In this connection, it is requested that you sign three copies of inclosure (A) at the place indicated by a check mark and return all copies to this office, with a statement attached thereto as to whether or not you have applied for or are now receiving a pension from the Government, together with the address to which you desire your retirement checks mailed.

3. The records of this office indicate that you have 26 days unused accrued annual and compensatory leave and 23 days sick leave which will carry you to the close of 13 October, 1941, provided you start your leave on 16 August, 1941. The time between 13 October to the close of 31 October, 1941, will be charged to leave without pay. It is requested that you submit a request for 26 days annual and compensatory leave to cover the period from 16 August, to the close of 16 September, 1941, and 23 days sick leave from 17 September to close of 13 October, 1941.

4. Return the forms with your signature only on all copies to this office as soon as practicable.

5. You will be further advised upon receipt of notification that recommendation for your retirement has been approved by Headquarters.

P. J. SMEATON
By direction.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
WASHINGTON

19 April, 1941.

Hull Station

From: Commandant.
To: **BABCOCK, Maurice A., Keeper, Boston Light Station.**

Via: **Commander, Boston District.**

Subject: Induction into Coast Guard.

Reference: (a) Regulations to Carry into Effect Section 4 of the Act of August 5, 1939 (Public No. 291, 76th Congress).

Inclosure: (A) Form letter to be returned to Commandant.

1. Under the provisions of reference (a) you are hereby tendered a (~~special temporary enlistment~~)(regular enlistment) of three years as **boatswain's mate,1st cl.** subject to the physical examination prescribed by paragraph 6 of reference (a), and evidence that you meet the qualifications for enlistment contained in Personnel Instructions, U. S. Coast Guard, except for age and marriage.

2. For your information paragraph 6, mentioned above, reads as follows:

> "Each candidate shall be required to take the standard physical examination. If his service, as computed pursuant to section 6 of the Act of August 5, 1939, is less than fifteen years, the standard of physical qualification shall be the same as that required for original appointment; Provided, That minor defects may be waived upon the recommendation of Chief Medical Officer of the Coast Guard. If the service of the candidate shall exceed fifteen years, physical defects may be waived by the Secretary of the Treasury unless they impair ability to perform all the duties of his grade or are likely to result in premature retirement."

3. You are advised that, having accepted an enlistment in the Coast Guard, you will be eligible for promotion in the same manner and under the same regulations as other men in the Coast Guard in the same rate. You are further advised that your enlistment is for general service and that you may be transferred and assigned to duty as the needs of the Service require.

4. Should you decline induction such action will not operate to prejudice your present position and pay.

P-75
19 April, 1941.

5. This authority to accept enlistment will remain effective for a period of fifteen days following receipt by you of this letter.

6. Acknowledge receipt hereof on the attached form.

C. H. JONES,
By direction.

BOSTON DISTRICT 73 1st Indorsement Boston, Mass.,
28 April, 1941.

1. Forwarded with inclosure for compliance.

O. A. LITTLEFIELD,
By direction.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Date 30 April, 1941

From: BABCOCK, Maurice A., Keeper, Boston Light Station.
To: Commandant.

Via: Commander, Boston District.

Subject: Induction into Coast Guard.

Reference: (a) Headquarters' letter 19 April, 1941 (P-75).

1. Receipt is acknowledged of reference (a) on 30 April, 1941.

2. I desire to be enlisted in the Coast Guard in the rate tendered me by reference (a), and I shall make immediate application to the district commander for this purpose.

3. ~~I hereby decline enlistment in the Coast Guard in the rate tendered me in reference (a).~~

Maurice A. Babcock

Maurice A. Babcock

(Note: With reference to paragraph 2, strike out the paragraph which does not apply to your case.)

BOSTON DISTRICT First Indorsement Boston, Mass., 2 May, 1941.

1. Forwarded. Report of physical examination will be promptly forwarded under separate cover when received.

O. A. LITTLEFIELD,
By direction.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD

HULL STATION
BOSTON DISTRICT

Hull, Massachusetts
30 April, 1941

From: Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, Boston Light Station.
To: Commander, Boston District.

Via: Commanding Officer, HULL STATION.

Subject: Enlistment in the Coast Guard.

Reference: (a) My letter to Commandant, 30 April, 1941.

1. I desire to be enlisted in the Coast Guard in the rate of Boatswain's Mate forst class and hereby make application to take the physical examination.

Maurice A Babcock
MAURICE A BABCOCK

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Hull Station -73 1st Indorsement Hull, Massachusetts
30 April, 1941

From: Commanding Officer, Hull Station.
To: Commander, Boston District.

1. Forwarded, approved.

Freeman H. Harmon
FREEMAN H. HARMON

Boston, Massachusetts,

18 June, 1941.

From: Commander, Boston District.
To : Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, BOSTON LIGHT STATION.

Via : 1. Commanding Officer, HULL STATION.

Subject: Failure to meet physical standard for induction into the Coast Guard.

Reference: (a) Form 2525-B, dated 6 May, 1941, in your case.

1. You are advised that Headquarters' third indorsement on reference (a) indicates that you are not physically qualified for enlistment in the U. S. Coast Guard by reason of:

Heart disability.

O. A. LITTLEFIELD,
By direction.

75 TREASURY DEPARTMENT

United States Coast Guard

Office of the Commander

Boston, Massachusetts,

2 May, 1941.

BOSTON DISTRICT

From: Commander, Boston District.
To : Commanding Officer, HULL STATION.

Subject: Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, Boston LH; Induction into Coast Guard.

Reference: (a) Headquarters' letter, 19 April, 1941 (P-75).

Inclosure: (A) Forms 2525-B, Physical Examination Record, in triplicate.

1. The above-named man having indicated that he desires to be inducted into the Coast Guard, you will make the necessary arrangements for the required standard physical examination at the nearest Public Health Service Facility. Blood test shall be taken at the time of the examination and the results of this blood test shall be noted on Form 2525-B.

2. Forward Form 2525-B, in triplicate, to this office at the earliest practicable date in order that the physical examination report may be submitted to Headquarters for appropriate action.

3. If you are aware of any reason why his enlistment should not be effected, advise this office, stating your reasons. This statement, if any is necessary, should accompany completed report of physical examination

O. A. Littlefield

O. A. LITTLEFIELD,
By direction.

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23 May, 1941.

From: Commander, Boston District.
To: Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, Boston Light Station.

Via: Officer in Charge, HULL STATION.

Subject: Disability retirement; request therefor.

Reference: (a) Your telephonic request this date.

1. In accordance with reference (a), you are advised that the records of this office indicate that you will have 23 years, two months and 23 days Government Service to the close of 30 June, 1941.

2. In the event you are found physically disabled for useful and efficient service and recommended for disability retirement, the approximate amount of your retired pay would be $944.03 per annum.

O. A. LITTLEFIELD
By direction.

Form No. 2599
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD
(Revised 1937)

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)
BABCOCK	MAURICE	A.	Civilian	Keeper

(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)
BOSTON LIGHT STATION	BOSTON DISTRICT	10 February, 1941

SALARY CHANGED FROM $1620 PER ANNUM ($1440-$1800) PLUS $240 P. A. QUARTERS TO $1680 PER ANNUM WITHOUT CHANGE IN RANGE OR QUARTERS EFFECTIVE 16 JANUARY, 1941.

AUTHORITY:

Form 2249, approved 1-16-41.

(Commanding)
O. A. LITTLEFIELD
By direction.
(Title)

SPACE BELOW IS FOR HEADQUARTERS' USE ONLY

LAW	PERSONNEL RECORDS		
	STATISTICS	CORRESPONDENCE	RECORDS

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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TO:

Date Prepared: January 10, 1941

Name: Babcock, Maurice A.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No:

Promotion

	FROM	TO
Position		Keeper
Grade		
Salary	Field (Range $1440-1800) $1620 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.	Field (Range $1440-1800) $1680 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.
Bureau or Div.		
Organizational Subdivisions		U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters		
Post of Duty		Boston, Mass.
Appropriation		Boston Light Station, Mass.
Allotment		Civilian Employees, C.G.
Field or Deptl.		Field

EFFECTIVE
Remarks: January 16, 1941

Justification:

No increase in pay since July 3, 1930.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 4-3-1888

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Mass.

SEX: M RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH

1641

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Office of Commander
xxxxxxxxxxxxx
Boston District

Boston, Mass.
29 January 1940

From: Commander, Boston District.
To : M. A. Babcock, Keeper BOSTON LIGHT STATION.

Subject: Accrued annual leave and reliefs during leave periods.

Reference: (a) Your letter, 18 January, 1940.

1. In reply to reference (a), you are advised that at the close of December 31, 1939, you had 51 days and 16 hours annual leave accrued.

2. In connection with your question relative to whether or not the Boston Light Station will continue to have reliefs during leave periods, you are advised that inasmuch as the Boston Light is a three-man station, when any of the keepers are on leave and there are two men left at the station, ordinarily it should not be necessary to furnish a relief. However, you are requested to advise this office if you believe you are now physically able to operate and maintain the station in an efficient manner with only one assistant while the third man is on leave. When you are on leave and the two assistant keepers are at the station, relief should not be necessary.

Geo.E.Eaton,
Supt.of Lighthouses.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SECOND DISTRICT

Boston Lights Station
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Jan 18, 1940

BOSTON DISTRICT
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JAN 22 1940
U.S. COAST GUARD

From: Keeper
To: Commander, Boston District
U.S. Coast Guard
Subject: Annual leave, accumulated.

1: Would like to know my status regarding same.

2 Also will this Station continue to have relief during leave periods

M. A. Babcock Keeper.

At close of Dec 31, 1939 - A.L. 51 de = 16 hrs accrued

Babcock
Norwood
Hallett

Form 207
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

(SEE INSTRUCTIONS AND REGULATIONS ON BACK)

APPLICATION FOR MEDICAL EXAMINATION AND TREATMENT OF SICK OR DISABLED EMPLOYEES IN THE LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Office of the ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~ COMMANDER, BOSTON District.

Customhouse, Boston, Mass.,
(Place)

4 September, 1940., 19

TO THE MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE,
U. S. Marine Hospital,
Brighton, Massachusetts.

SIR:

The bearer, Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper
(Name and title of applicant for medical relief)
is a beneficiary of the U. S. Public Health Service:

1. An officer or member of the crew of a vessel belonging to the Lighthouse Service (including lightship), i. e., the ____
(Name of vessel)

or—

2. A lightkeeper or an assistant lightkeeper on duty at Boston Light Station
(Name of station)

You are requested to examine this applicant and to furnish him with such medical relief as may be required. The signature and description of the applicant appear below.

Signature of employee to be examined _____

_____

Nativity Native Age 52 years. Height _____ feet _____ inches.

Color of eyes _____ Color of hair _____

Distinguishing marks _____

*Date of original appointment in the Lighthouse Service April 8, 1918.

†Date of certificate by the Public Health Service that person named passed physical examination, _____, 19

O. A. LITTLEFIELD, Lieut.Comdr.U.S.C.G.,
(Title of officer signing request)
Personnel Officer,
Boston District.

*Fill in only if person to be examined is a lightkeeper or assistant lightkeeper.

†Fill in only in case of lightkeeper or assistant lightkeeper when the date of original appointment in the Lighthouse Service is subsequent to August 27, 1916.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Office of Commander
HEADQUARTERS
xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx
Boston District

WASHINGTON, 31 May, 1940.

From: Commander, Boston District.
To : BABCOCK, Maurice A., Keeper - BOSTON LIGHT STATION.

Subject: Form 6, Personal History Statement; completion of.

Reference: (a) Headquarters' letter, 28 May, 1940, (CP-75).

Inclosure: (1) Form 6.

1. In compliance with reference (a), the attached Personal History Statement is returned herewith for completion of item 3. If you have not changed your legal residence since your entrance on duty, the legal residence you claimed at that time should be given. Kindly return the attached statement to this office when completed.

By direction,

O.A.LITTLEFIELD,
By direction.

Form 6 for
Baker & Tornberg
fd Hqrs 6-14-40

ADDRESS THE COMMANDANT, U. S. COAST GUARD
AND REFER TO No. CP-75

HEADQUARTERS

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

WASHINGTON

28 May, 1940.

BOSTON DISTRICT
RECEIVED
MAY 29 1940
U.S. COAST GUARD

From: Commandant.
To: Commander, Boston District.

Subject: Forms 6, Personal History Statements, for Charles A. Baker, Ralph C. Norwood, Per F. Tornberg, and Maurice A. Babcock.

Inclosure: 1. Form 6 for subject employees.

1.The attached forms 6 for the subject employees are returned for completion of item 3. If these employees have not changed their legal residence since their entrance on duty, the legal residence they claimed at that time should be given, after which the forms should be returned to Headquarters. In the case of Charles A. Baker, the city or town in which he was born should be shown under item 4.

By direction,

W. N. DERBY,
Assistant Personnel Officer.

BABCOCK	MAURICE	ALTNDO	Apr.	3	1888	Mass. 8	Middlesex	Medford
				M	W			x
Birthplace: New Brunswick, Canada.					70			x

					Com.,2nd LH Dist.,Chelsea,
Prob.Appt.	3rd Assistant Keeper	456.pa.	456.pa.	4-8-18	Mass. - Cape Ann LH.
Inc.in pay		576.pa.	576.pa.	3-16-18	do.
Inc.in pay		600.pa.	600.pa.	6-1-18	do.
Pro.	2nd Assistant Keeper	480.pa.	480.pa.	6-1-18	do.
Inc.in pay		720.pa.	720.pa.	11-1-18	do.
Trans.	Assistant Keeper	660.pa.	660.pa.	4-1-19	Gay Head LH.
Trans.	Keeper	780.pa.	780.pa.	6-16-19	Bird Island LH.
Inc.in pay		840.pa.	840.pa.	4-8-23	do.
Readj.		1080.pa.	1080.pa.	7-1-24	do.
Inc.in pay		1260.pa.	1260.pa.	2-1-25	do.
Inc.in pay		1320.pa.	1320.pa.	7-1-25	do.
Trans.	Keeper (1440-1800)	1440.pa.	*1680.pa.	8-26-26	Boston LH.
Inc.in pay		1500.pa.	*1740.pa.	7-1-27	do.
Act.5-28-28		1560.pa.	*1800.pa.	7-1-28	do.
Chg.in pay		1620.pa.	*1860.pa.	7-3-30	do.
A. Trans. Reorg. Plan No. II, 5-9-39				7-1-39	Treasury - Coast Guard, Boston, Mass.

* Includes $240 pa. allowed for family quarters.

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STANDARD FORM NO. 6
(Approved by the President 3/28/24)
Revised Dec. 5, 1929

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

COMMANDER, [illegible] DISTRICT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD,

Department or Establishment _____ Date 10 Oct 1939

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss, or Mrs.~~) Babcock (Surname) Maurice (Given name) Alendo (Middle name)
2. Present address Boston Light Station (Number) (Street) Hull (City) Mass. (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence not registered (State and Congressional District) (County) (City or town)
4. Where born Canada, Campobello Island N.B. (State or foreign country) (City or town) When born April 3, 1888 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien American, born of American parents
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

SEX		MARITAL CONDITION				RACE. (If other, state which)	
Male ✓	Female	Single	Married ✓	Divorced	Widowed	White ✓	Colored

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you 2. Wife 50, Son 15.
8. A complete record of your past service for the United States Government other than military or naval:

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
U.S.C.H.S.	Cape Ann Light Station	Asst. Keeper	456.	April	8	1918	—	—	—
	Gay Head Light Sta.	to	to						
	Bird Island Light Sta.	Keeper							
	Boston Light Station	in Charge	1860.						

9. Are any members of your family, who are domiciled with you, in the U. S. Government service? If so, state below:

NAME	POSITION AND DEPARTMENT OR OFFICE IN WHICH EMPLOYED	RELATIONSHIP
None	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	

10. Do you now hold any State or municipal office? If so, state below:

None
(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)

11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?

(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

12. Military and naval record. If any, check (√) to indicate branch and other information, and give dates of enlistment and discharge:

None ✓	Army	Navy	Marine Corps	Coast Guard	War veteran	Pensioner	Veterans' Bureau beneficiary

Enlisted _____ Discharged _____
Rank _____ Rank _____
Organization _____ Organization _____

Enlisted _____ Discharged _____
Rank _____ Rank _____
Organization _____ Organization _____

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13. State any special qualifications not involved in your present position (for instance, lawyer, physician, civil engineer, knowledge of foreign languages, etc.) None

14. Statement of principal employment other than with the United States Government:

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	POSITION AND CHARACTER OF WORK	LENGTH OF SERVICE
	Fisherman	8 years
H. A. Gunnett	Clerk, grocery Store	1 Year
A. C. Frankland & Co	Clerk Fish Business	6 years

15. Education. Indicate by circling the number of years:

Common school	High school	College	(Name of college, degrees, and dates conferred)
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 (8)	(1) 2 3 4	1 2 3 4	

16. In case of emergency, notify Mary G. Babcock

Relationship wife Post office address Boston Lights Ste. Hull, Mass

I certify that the foregoing answers are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Maurice A. Babcock
(Name as usually written and which will be used as official signature)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1930

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
AUG
18
1930
2ND DIST. CHELSEA, MASS.

July 3, 1930.

Maurice A. Babcock

(Thru Commissioner of Lighthouses)

Sir:

You are advised that under the Brookhart Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 3, 1930.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: 1560

To: 1620

2nd Keeper

HL

February 26, 1929

The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.,
P. O. Box 5140,
Boston, Mass.

Sirs: Attention Mr. G. G. Haworth, Accounting Dept.

1. Referring further to your letter of February 18th, regarding the indebtedness of Maurice A. Babcock, keeper Boston Light Station, Mr. Babcock advises that he has never received a bill from you for the amount you state is due, and that if you will do so he will send you a check to cover same. His address is c/o Quarantine Station, Gallups Island, Boston, Mass.

2. Kindly advise this office when this matter has been cleaned up.

Respectfully,
For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

Chief Clerk.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
CHELSEA, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SECOND DISTRICT

Boston Light Sta
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Feb 25, 1929

RECEIVED SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES FEB 26 1929 CHELSEA, MASS.

Supt. ✓
1st Asst. Supt.
Chief Clerk
Asst. Supt.
Draftsman
Junior Engr.
1st Clerk
2nd Clerk
3rd Clerk
4th Clerk
5th Clerk
Messenger
Depot Kpr.

Supt of Lighthouses
Chelsea Mass.

1. In answer to letter dated Feb 19/29
2. Subject, - $42.14 unpaid balance
to Atlantic and Pacific Tea Co.
3 I have never received any bill
for this amnt, am writing them
for same and as soon as recived
will send check covering same.
4 I am still doing business
with the A & P. Tea Co- their
Store in Hull and am suprised
at them taking this method
as I have always paid them
on a monthly basis.

Babcock Keeper.

GEE-HL

February 19, 1929

Maurice A. Babcock,
Keeper, Boston Light Station:

1. This office is in receipt of a letter from the Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., advising that they have an unpaid balance of $42.14, covering purchases made by Mrs. Babcock during the week ending September 15, at their store at 36 Blue Hill Ave., Roxbury.

2. Article 491 of Regulations, states that all persons in the Lighthouse Service must pay their honest, just and legal debts, and failure to do so will be considered cause for dismissal. It is therefore suggested that you settle this account as soon as possible and make every effort not to run up bills so as to have a recurrence of such matters.

3. Advise the office at once what action you intend to take in this case.

Superintendent.

GP

HL

February 19, 1929

The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.,
P. O. Box 5140,
Boston, Mass.

Sirs: Attention Mr. G. G. Haworth, Accounting Dept.

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of February 18th, regarding the indebtedness of Mrs. Babcock, wife of the keeper at Boston Light Station. This office has written Mr. Babcock and directed him to advise what steps he intends to take to cancel this indebtedness and you will be further advised.

Respectfully,

Superintendent.

Telephone Somerset 6800

Form 872 100 4-27

STATEMENT

Boston, Mass., Feb. 12, 1927

Mrs. Babcock, Boston Light Station

The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.

P. O. BOX 5140

BOSTON, MASS.

Mar.	24	Groc.	8 32	
Apr.	21	"	12 17	
Sept	15	"	42 14	
Oct	6	"	39 94	
				102 57
		Credits		
Nov.	9	Cash		60 43
		Balance		42 14

THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA COMPANY

ESTABLISHED 1859

NEW ENGLAND DIVISION—BOSTON OFFICES

Corner of Auckland and Dewar Streets, Dorchester, Mass.

P. O. BOX 5140
BOSTON, MASS.

SUPT. OF LIGHT HOUSE KEEPERS
FEB 19 1929
2nd DIST. CHELSEA

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Supt.
1st Asst. Supt.
Chief Clerk
Asst. Supt.
Draftsman
Junior Engr.
1st Clerk
2nd Clerk
3rd Clerk
4th Clerk
5th Clerk
Messenger
Depot Kpr.

February 18th, 1929.
"GGH-Accounting.

Office of the Superintendent
of Light House Keepers,
Marginal Street,
Chelsea, Mass.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing a statement of the account of Mrs. Babcock, Boston Light Station at Fort Warren.

Our records show that Mrs. Babcock owes us $42.14. This represents Groceries for the week ending September 15th purchased at our store at #36 Blue Hill Avenue, Roxbury.

I believe that Mr. Gale of our supervision talked to you about this account. As you will note on the statement, the payment of November 9th covers the March, April and October items but leaves the September item open.

We would appreciate any aid you could give us in collecting this account.

Yours very truly,

G G Haworth
.....
Accounting Dept.

GGH:AL

THE GREAT ATLANTIC & PACIFIC TEA CO.

HE. Take up with Bab- suggest to him he settle acct soon as poss- etc + try to keep out of debt- quote rg. - he to reply what action he is to take etc

Feb. 15, 1929

GP

A representative of one of the Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co's, called at 3.25 P.M. today and stated that M.A.Babcock, Keeper of Boston Light, had been getting supplies from him for about two years and was well in arrears in payments and wanted to know if we could do anything. I suggested to him that inasmuch as you were out the best method would be to write you stating the facts and that we would take the matter up with Mr. Babcock and advise him further.

GP

PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATION BOARD FO[illegible]O. 14—FIELD QUESTIONNAIRE
(To be filled out in accordance wi[illegible]e instructions given in P. C. B. Forms Nos. 15 and 16)

Bureau No. [illegible] Sheet No. 2(b)7

Space reserved for the use of the Board

1. Babcock (Surname) Henrico (Given name) A. (Initial)

2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouses
4. Field service Lighthouse Service
5. (a) Field station Boston Light Station
(b) Subdivision Outer District
(c) City or town Fort Warren, Boston State Mass.

6. Pay roll title Light Keeper
7. Customary office title Keeper
8. Present administrative allocation [illegible] 1800.00
9. Present gross rate of pay $ 240.00
10. Deduction for allowances $ 1800.00
11. Net rate paid in cash $

12. Indicate by an "X" in the proper box or boxes the kind of allowances, if any, received by the employee:
☒ House ☐ Room { ☐ Furnished ☒ Unfurnished } ☐ Heat ☐ Light ☐ Fuel ☐ Laundry ☐ Uniform ☐ Subsistence or rations in kind Meals per day: ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3

13. Describe any other allowance, privilege, or perquisite of value

14. If any special equipment or a bond is required by law or regulation to be furnished at the employee's expense, state kind and annual cost Uniform & gloves

15. (a) Regular hours of work: From [illegible] m. to As Regular Keeper m. (b) How many hours per week excluding unusual or irregular overtime work?
Summer Winter (c) If not a full time and all-the-year-round position, state number of hours per day;
number of days per { week / month / year }
(d) If certain hours of availability for duty, outside of regular working hours, are required, state hours and type of such duty

16. (a) Rate of pay for overtime (b) Amount of overtime pay in last 12 months

17. (a) Does the employee in any way direct or supervise other employees? Yes (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering)
Has direct supervision of two assistant keepers and lays out and directs their work.
(c) How many? 2

18. If the employee supervises other persons through immediate contact, give the name and the sheet numbers of such persons. (For such of these as may not be covered by questionnaires, give number and kinds by occupations.) If the employee exercises supervision through section or division heads, give the title of such sections or divisions and the names and sheet numbers of their heads.
Mahlon Dunn Sheet No. 2(b)8
Chester J. Wheeler " No. 2(b)9

19. (a) Is the employee in any way directed, supervised, or instructed, or his work reviewed? Yes (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering.)
Work is not regularly reviewed but is covered by general directions set forth in instructions to employees and by specific oral and written instructions from the superintendent. Works without close observation of his superiors, but is subject to periodical inspections by the Superintendent without previous notice.
George E. Eaton Superintendent.

20. What is the name, official position, and sheet number of the employee's immediate superior? Sheet No. 2(a)1

21. Employee's education: Strike an "X" over the number representing the highest grade or year completed in each type of school:

Elementary								High				Normal				College				Postgraduate or professional				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	X 8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	(Kind)

Other education (describe):

22. What length and kind of experience or other training did the employee possess upon original entrance into this position which was most qualifying or pertinent?
Service in Lighthouse Service as asst. keeper

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most of your time. Explain occasional duties [redacted] in the column at the right. Also, please reflect the approximate percentage of your time devoted to the work described in that paragraph. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO [redacted]MPOSE THIS STATEMENT WITHOUT FOLLOWING THE INSTRUCTIONS OF P. C. B. FORM NO. 15.

Percentage of working time

First and most important, light and fog signal. Lamps of the oil vapor type, clock work revolving apparatus, fog signal, first class air siren horn, air furnished by oil burning internal combustion engines, compressors attached.

Very important that I should have fair mechanical ability in order to keep the above mentioned apparatus in first class running condition at all times and to teach new men whenever changes in personnel occur, to properly operate same, doing general repair work, such as replacing broken parts, general overhauling, cleaning and replacing valves when necessary, occasional soldering, such as unions to copper feed lines, lubricating oil leads etc., breaking loose by vibration, also standing equal watch duty eight out of twenty four hours.

Planing work such as caring for grounds, mowing grass, washing paint, cleaning brass, glass, etc. Painting dwellings, other buildings, whitewashing light tower and other stone or brick buildings, walls etc.

Buildings to be kept in repair: two dwellings, boat house, two sheds, oilhouse, light tower (98 feet high) range light, two out door toilets, fences, platforms, wharfs, station boats, numbering two row dories and one motor dory. Doing minor repairs, carpenter work, setting glass etc., everything pertinent to the upkeep of the station in general, helping to do above mentioned work on station.

Bookkeeping, consisting of journal, a record of all important work, weather conditions, working condition of light and fog signal apparatus, making monthly reports to district office on same along with fog signal report, hours run, amount of fuel oil and lubricating oil expended, annual property returns, ordering supplies, keeping a record of all supplies expended etc.

Going for supplies and mail, being capable of handling small boats in all kinds of weather, squalls and the like. Work and watches being mixed make

24. I hereby certify that the foregoing was composed by me after reading P. C. B. Form No. 15, and that it is a true statement of my duties.

Maurice A. Babcock
(Signature of Employee)

25. TO THE PREPARING OFFICER: Write your own description of the employee's work. If in describing the work of the position you would cover the same subject matter and use the same language and expressions, indicate your concurrence in the employee's statement and utilize the rest of the space below by giving further and broader information regarding the position, such as the kind and degree of responsibility involved, the ultimate purpose of the work, its place in your organization, its working conditions, etc. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet. See instructions in Form No. 16.

I concur in the foregoing

26. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? 10 years

27. I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the statements made by me on both sides of this sheet are accurate and complete.

September 29, 1928 (Date) — Edward J. Curran (Signature of Preparing Officer) — Chief Clerk (Title)

28. I hereby certify that I have read all of the foregoing and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made on both sides of this sheet are accurate and complete, except as indicated in attached memorandum, marked ____ In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $1440 to $1740

September 29, 1928 (Date) — Geo. E. Eaton (Signature of head of field office or station) — Superintendent. (Title)

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____, 1928 (Date) — ____ (Signature of head of bureau or his representative) — ____ (Title)

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it impossible to give any percentage of time for each item as requested by item twentythree of questionnaire, hours of duty average twelve out of twentyfour hours, anything over six hours from station unless detained by weather conditions supposed to be taken from thirty days annual leave including sick leave.

Last but not least, being isolated, shut off from recreation and amusements, boarding children for school, methods of years ago, such as, outdoor toilets rainwater drawn from cistern in cellar by old fashioned kitchen pumps, no bathroom, using the common washtub for such purposes, all very trying conditions, which should be considered.

Maurice A. Babcock.

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September 29, 1928 (Date) — Geo. E. Eaton (Signature of head of field office or station) — Superintendent. (Title)

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____, 1928 (Date) — ____ (Signature of head of bureau or his representative) — ____ (Title)

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 1, 1928.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Chief, Bureau of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that under the Welch Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1928.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1500

To: $1560

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Ent. Rec

(1)

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
CHELSEA, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Supt.
1st Asst. Supt.
Chief Clerk
Asst. Supt.
Draftsman
Junior Engr.
1st Clerk
2nd Clerk
3rd Clerk
4th Clerk
5th Clerk
Messenger
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SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 8 1927
2ND DIST. CHELSEA, MASS.

SECOND DISTRICT

Boston Lights Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

July 6 -, 1927

Supt. of Light Houses
Chelsea, Mass.

1. Answer to letter of july 2nd regarding injury to my eye.
2 Eye better, only for slight blur when too much light, same leaving gradually.
3 Returned to duty June 28th, have

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
CHELSEA, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SECOND DISTRICT

(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

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mailed leave of absence Form 76 covering time off duty.

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Babcock Keeper.

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

July 1, 1927.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1927.

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1440 per annum.

To: $1500 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

2.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9051

c/w

REPORT OF TERMINATION OF TOTAL OR PARTIAL DISABILITY.

(Cross out one.)

[To be forwarded to the UNITED STATES EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION, WASHINGTON, D. C., through official channels, as soon as disability from injury terminates. This form to be submitted for each injury resulting in any disability, whether or not employee makes claim for compensation.]

1. Department Commerce (War, Navy, etc.) 2. Bureau or office Light House Service (Engineer, Navigation, etc.)
3. Place of employment Boston Light Station (Arsenal, Navy Yard, etc.) Boston (City or town.) Mass (State.)
4. Full name of injured employee Maurice A. Babcock
5. Time of injury June 22 (Date.), 1927 Wednesday (Day of week.) 11 a (Hour, a. m. or p. m.) m.
6. Time employee stopped work June 23 (Date.), 1927 Thursday (Day of week.) 4 a (Hour, a. m. or p. m.) m.
7. Time employee's pay stopped (Date.), 19 (Day of week.) (Hour, a. m. or p. m.) m.
8. First day employee was able to resume work June 28 (Date.), 1927 Tuesday (Day of week.) 3 a (Hour, a. m. or p. m.) m.
9. Did employee return to the same work and at same rate of pay after termination of disability? Yes
If so, when? If not, state character of work performed upon return to duty and rate paid employee for such work
10. Actual time disabled (including Sundays and holidays) 4 2/3/27 days.
11. Number of days for which employee would have received pay had he not been disabled days.
12. If employee was receiving subsistence as part of his wages, was such subsistence furnished during entire period of disability? If not, give dates on which subsistence was not furnished
13. Has employee been paid for any portion of above absence on account of—
(a) Annual leave? (Give exact dates.)
(b) Sick leave? (Give exact dates.)
(c) Any other reason
14. Nature of injury Rust scale, on right left eye.
15. Remarks

[The following information is to be furnished *only* in case of death resulting from an injury sustained while in the performance of duty. If death results immediately, or if no Report of Injury has previously been submitted, such report, on Form C. A. 2, should be forwarded herewith.]

REPORT OF DEATH

16. Full name of deceased employee
17. Time of death (Date.), 19 (Day of week.) (Hour, a. m. or p. m.) m.
18. Time employee's pay stopped (Date.), 19 (Day of week.) (Hour, a. m. or p. m.) m.
19. Place of death (Name of hospital, establishment, etc.) (City or town, and State.)
20. Immediate cause of death
21. Widow of deceased employee (Give full name.) (Address.)
22. Children of deceased employee under 18 years of age, or those over 18 who are incapable of self-support:

Name.	*Age.*

23. Names, relationship, and addresses of all other persons known to be dependent, in any degree, upon decedent at time of death:

Name.	*Relationship.*	*Address.*

Signed this day of , 19
at
(Official superior.)
(Title.)

(*All forwarding indorsements to be made on reverse side of this sheet.*)

C. A. 3.
Revised to May 27, 1922.

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July 2, 1927

Keeper, Boston Light Station:

In regard to Forms CA 1 and 2 for injury to your eye, please advise this office the present condition of the eye and whether you have been able to return to duty. If you have returned to duty forwarded Form CA 3 showing termination of disability.

Superintendent.

NOTICE OF INJURY

LEAVE THIS SPACE BLANK

(To be submitted to the official superior for transmission with the report of injury, C. A. 2, to the United States Employees' Compensation Commission by every employee injured in the performance of his duty, or some one on his behalf, within forty-eight hours after the injury. This notice shall be given by delivering it personally to the official superior or by depositing it in the mail properly stamped and addressed to the official superior. It should be retained by the official superior unless the injury is one for which C. A. 2 must be submitted, when it should be forwarded with that report to the Compensation Commission.)

Boston Light Station Mass
(City or town.) (State.)

Via Fort Warren
(Street and number.)

June 24, 1927
(Date of this notice.)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I was injured in the performance of my duties on June 22, 1927
(Date.)

Wednesday, 11 a m m.
(Day of week.) (Hour, a. m. or p. m.)

1. The injury occurred at Boston Light Station
(Give name of navy yard, arsenal, or post office, etc., where injury occurred.)

in the following manner: while chipping iron rail etc. top of Tower,

2. Cause of injury Rust scale flying from hammer,

3. Nature of injury Rust scale in sight, left eye.

4. Was this injury caused by your— ~~fault~~

(a) Willful misconduct? no

(b) Intention to bring about the injury or death of yourself or of another? no

(c) Intoxication? no

5. Names of witnesses to injury:

C. A. 1
Revised to May 25, 1918

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(Name) Babcock, Keeper.

REPORT OF INJURY

[To be submitted to UNITED STATES EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION COMMISSION, Washington, D. C., through official channels, as soon as practicable after any injury to a civil employee of the United States sustained while in the performance of duty which results in any medical charge against the Compensation Commission or in any loss of time other than the remainder of the day or shift on which injury occurred. This form should be accompanied by C. A. 1.]

Place of employment.

1. Department ..... [War, Navy, etc.] 2. Bureau or office ..... [Engineer, Navigation, etc.]
3. Place of employment Boston Light Station, Via Fort Warren Mass [Arsenal, Navy Yard, etc.] [City.] [State.]
4. Reporting office Chelsea Mass [Location of reporting office or division headquarters.]
5. Name of superintendent or foreman in charge when injury occurred .....

The injured employee.

6. Name of injured employee Maurice A Babcock [Give first name in full.] 7. Age 39 8. Sex male
9. Home address Boston Light Station, Via Fort Warren, Mass [Street and number.] [City or town.] [State.]
10. Married, ~~single, widowed~~ [Cross out two words.] 11. Speak English? yes If not, what language? .....
12. Race American 13. Was injury reported to official superior within 48 hours after injury? yes
14. Was injury caused by:
(a) Willful misconduct of the employee? no
(b) Intention of employee to bring about injury or death of himself or another? no
(c) Employee's intoxication? no
[If any answers to these questions are made in the affirmative, the reporting officer should make an additional statement giving the reason for his conclusion and forward same with this report.]
15. Occupation and division Keeper in charge [Give both, as laborer, hull division; helper, machine shop, etc.] 16. Was employee doing his regular work? yes If not, what work? .....
17. How long employed at present work? 9 years
18. How long at present work in this establishment? 10 months,
19. Dates of other injuries none
20. Rate of pay, $ 120 per month, and subsistence valued at $ ..... per .....
21. Employee begins work at ..... [Hour, a. m. or p. m.] m. 22. Regular day's work terminates ..... [Hour, a. m. or p. m.] m.
23. Hours worked per day ..... 24. Days paid per week .....
25. Date employee stopped work June 23; day of week Thursday; hour of day 4 a. m. [a. m. or p. m.]
26. Date employee's pay stopped .....; day of week .....; hour of day ..... m. [a. m. or p. m.]

The injury.

27. Date of injury June 22/27 28. Day of week Wed. 29. Hour of day 11 a. m. [a. m. or p. m.]
30. Place where injury occurred On parapet around tower top. [Give exact location, as name or number of building and division, etc.]
31. Name of machine, tool, or appliance in connection with which injury occurred Scaling hammer
(a) By what kind of power driven? hand (b) Hand feed or mechanical? .....
(c) Part on which injury occurred .....
(d) Was an improved safeguard in use at time of injury? .....
If not, is it possible to provide such safeguard? .....
(e) Was the machine, tool, or appliance out of order or ill-suited for the work? .....
(f) Was employee instructed as to its use? .....
32. Describe in full how injury occurred Injury caused by rust scale and old paint flying
33. State part of body injured and nature and extent of injury, marking upon chart on reverse of this report site of injury Left eye, rust scale, small piece in sight.
34. Did injury cause loss of any member or part of member? no If so, describe exactly .....

Medical attendance.

35. Name and address of physician who first attended case H.B.C. Riemer M.D. 27 Clarendon St. Boston Mass
36. How soon after injury? 27 hours
37. To what hospital sent? ..... Location .....
38. If not sent to hospital, where sent? Boston Light Station
39. Name and address of physician now attending case H.B.C Riemer M.D.
40. Was transportation furnished at Government expense? no
41. What is probable length of disability for work? 5 days. [If injured employee has already returned to work, give date and hour.]

General.

42. Names and addresses of witnesses to injury .....
43. Was employee injured while in performance of duty? yes If not, or in doubt, give detailed statement .....
44. Was injury caused by other than a Government employee or agency? no
[If so, a detailed statement should be forwarded with this report.]

Signed this 24 day of June, 1927 Maurice A Babcock [Signature of reporting officer.]
at Boston Light Station Keeper in charge. [Title.]

C. A. 2 9—585 [OVER.]
Revised to January 1, 1923.

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Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

July 1, 1927.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1927.

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1440 per annum.

To: $1500 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

2.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Appointment Division

Washington

Memorandum for Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In the case of Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, 2nd District, the records of the Appointment Division are incomplete in the following respect:

Effective date of transfer to Boston Light Station, authorized September 4, 1926.

It is requested that the attention of the proper officer be called to the matter with a view to its being remedied without delay.

/s/ Clifford Hastings

Chief of Appointment Division

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.
January 31, 1927.

Referred to Superintendent of Lighthouses, Chelsea, Mass., for compliance and return.

J. S. CONWAY
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Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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Chelsea, Mass., February 3, 1927

Returned to Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Effective date of transfer to Boston Light Station, authorized by the Bureau September 4, 1926, was August 26, 1926. This information was previously supplied by endorsement of November 16 on Appointment letter of November 12, 1926.

Superintendent.

Maurice A. Babcock

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
SEP 17 1926
2nd DIST. CHELSEA, MASS.

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September 4, 1926

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHTHOUSES
1926 SEP 13 PM 3 55

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $1320 per annum to $ 1440 per annum, effective upon entrance on duty.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Second DISTRICT,

Chelsea, Mass., August 31st, 1926.
(City.) (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and promotion.

Name, Maurice A. Babcock — Legal residence, Massachusetts.

Position, Keeper — Salary, $1440 per annum (1320-1560)

Location, Boston Light Station, Mass. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective August 26, 1926. — {[1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper — Former salary, $1320 per annum (1200-1440)

Location, Bird Island Light Station, Mass.

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

Previous incumbent, James L. Hart — Services terminated, August 5, 1926.

Reason, Transferred.

Members of family in Government Service,

Date of birth, April 3, 1888.

Remarks: Mr. Babcock is a capable employee and deserving of this promotion. Quarters are provided at this station for families of keepers.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 19

Secretary, Civil Service District. — Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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August 11th, 1926.

Keeper, Bird Island Light Station:

1. You are advised that you will be nominated for the position of Keeper, Boston Light Station.

2. You will be advised later the effective date of your transfer and the date on which the tender will transport yourself and household effects to your new station.

3. The salary of your new position is $1440 per annum.

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Superintendent.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SECOND DISTRICT

Bird Island Light
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

July 22, 1926

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL
24
1926
CHELSEA, MASS.

Supt. of Lighthouses
Chelsea, Mass.

1 In reply to letter of July 21-26
regards to vacancy, position of Keeper
at Boston Light Station.

2 I will gladly accept transfer to
above position

Babcock, Keeper

E.J.C. / Note + Rtd
& In other applicants

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

GEE-EJC

July 21st, 1926.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

Keepers of Light Stations:

1. It is expected that a vacancy will occur in the near future in the position of Keeper at Boston Light Station.

2. Applications for transfer to the above position will be received at this office until July 27th.

GEO. E. EATON,
Superintendent Second District.

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
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1925
2nd DIST. BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON June 26, 1925.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1260 per annum to $ 1320 per annum, effective July 1, 1925.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER.
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 31, 1925.

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FEB 5 1925

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

In connection with the readjustment of pay of positions in the Lighthouse Service the total compensation of the position occupied by you has been fixed as indicated below, effective February 1, 1925.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. T. GARDN

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Position: Keeper.

Salary: $1260.

Appropriations: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.
General Expenses, Lighthouse Service.

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Maurice A. Babcock

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Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

1923 APR 13 AM 11 55

April 12, 1923.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 780 per annum to $840 per annum, effective April 8, 1923, (including $60 per annum longevity pay).

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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April 10, 1923.

Keeper, Bird Id. L.S.

The Superintendent has this date made recommendation to Washington that you receive $60. a year additional as longevity pay effective April 8, 1923, as on April 7th you completed five years continuous service in the Lighthouse Service.

Superintendent.

GEE-SE

Second

Boston, Mass. April 10 23

Allowance of longevity pay.

Maurice A. Babcock Massachusetts

Keeper $840. per annum, which includes $60. longevity pay.

Bird Island Light Station, Mass. Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses

April 8, 1923, xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Keeper $780. per annum.

Bird Island Light Station, Mass.

- - -

Himself -

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None.

On April 7, 1923, Mr. Babcock will have completed five years' continuous service in the Lighthouse Service, and it is recommended that he be granted longevity pay of $60. per annum, effective April 8, 1923.

Superintendent.

Maurice A. Babcock

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To: Commissioner of Lighthouses: June 21, 1919.

Subject: Effective Date: Notice of Change in Salary:

1. The following information is furnished with regard to effective date of Notice of Change in Salary issued by Appointment Division-

NAME	NOTICE DATE	EFFECTIVE DATE
Babcock, Maurice A.	6-16-19	6-16-19.

Superintendent.

Gen. 102 June 10

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY OF LIGHT-HOUSE KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT JUN 18 1919 HOUSES

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR 2 BOSTON, MASS JUN 20 1919

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June 16, 1919.

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

r. Maurice A. Babcock,

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ per annum to $ per annum, ~~Sir.~~ ctive

No new appointment will be issued to you as a result of this change, and an oath of office is 660t required. 780

June 14, 1919, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty at the increased rate of pay.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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June 16 Reported to Bureau

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
MAR 22 1919
HOUSES

March 21, 1919.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 720 per annum to $ 660 per annum, effective April 1, 1919, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty at the changed rate of pay.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings

Chief of Appointment Division.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

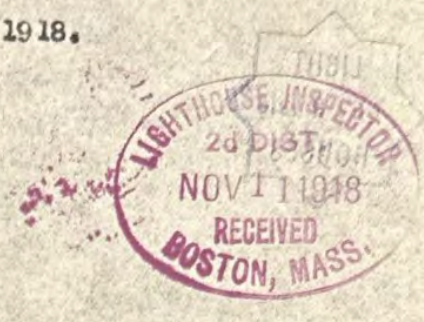
November 7, 1918.

r. Maurice A. Babcock,

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the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir: Through



You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, Keeper Lighthouse Service in the Seven Hundred and Twenty annum at a salary of dollars per effective November 1, 1918.

By promotion from second assistant keeper at $480 per annum.

Oath 11-21-18
Duty 11-1-18

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

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(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Appropriation:

New position. (By increase in compensation.)

Vice:

Massachusetts.

Legal Residence:

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Copy Clerk

M. A. Babcock

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

102

SECOND DISTRICT

Cape Ann Light Station
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sept. 1st, 1918

Lighthouse Superintendant
Boston Mass.

Monthly report of probationary appointees
for August 1918.

2nd Asst. Babcock, Conduct Good
3rd " Daggett, " "

Gustavus Kaper

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

Cape Ann Light Station,
July 1st. 1918.



JUL 3 1918

Lighthouse Inspector,
Boston, Mass.

Sir :-

Monthly report of Probat ionary Appointees for June 1918.

2nd. Ass't. Babcock, conduct good.

Gustavus

Keeper

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June 10, 1919.

Mr. M.A.Babcock, Asst. Keeper,
Gay Head Light Station:

1. You have this date been nominated for the position of Keeper, Bird Island Light Station.

2. Arrangements will be made to have the tender call for you, your family and effects, on the 16th instant.

Copy to Captain, Tender Anemone:-
Please arrange to make this tranfer on the 16th instant and remove the effects of Keeper Davis at that time.

Superintendent.

(Copy to Keeper of)
(Gay Head L.S.)

Copy to Keeper at Bird Id. Light Station:
Mr. Babcock will be transported to Bird Island by tender at which time you will proceed with the schedule of reliefs of keepers which was forwarded on the 6th instant.

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., (City.) June 10, (Date.) 191 9

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion and transfer

Name, Maurice A. Babcock — Legal residence, Massachusetts.

Position, Keeper — Salary, $780 per annum

Location, Bird Island Light Station, Mass.- — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective June 14, 1919. — {[1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper — Former salary, $660 per annum

Location, Gay Head Light Station, Mass.

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

Previous incumbent, Herbert H. Davis — Services terminated, June 12, 1919.

Reason, Leave without pay.

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Mr. Babcock is a capable employee and deserving of this promotion. It is urgent that the position of Keeper of Bird Island Light Station be filled at once and Mr. Babcock will be placed there as soon as it is possible to transport him by tender.

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

Secretary, Civil Service District. — Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR 2nd DIST. BOSTON, MASS.

SECOND DISTRICT
Cape Ann Light Station,
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)
June 1st., 1918

JUN 3 1918

Lighthouse Inspector,
Boston, Mass.

Monthly report of Probationary

Appointees for May 1918.

3rd. Ass't. Babcock, conduct good.

Gustavus
Keeper

Form 73
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NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., (City.) March 17 (Date.), 1919.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, **Maurice A. Babcock** Legal residence, **Massachusetts**

Position, **Keeper** Salary, **$660 per annum**

Location, **Gay Head Light Station, Mass.** Appropriation, **Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses**

Effective **April 1, 1919** {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper Former salary, **$720 per annum**

Location, **Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.**

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

Previous incumbent, Charles W. Vanderhoop Services terminated, **March 31, 1919**

Reason, **Transfer**

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Letter from Mr. Babcock stating that he desires this position, which involves a reduction in pay is herewith.

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

Secretary, Civil Service District

Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

Cape Ann Light
Mar 15, 1919

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Boston, Mass.

I respectfully request that I be transferred as 1st Asst. Keeper to Gay Head Light Station

Sgd Babcock

2nd Asst

Through Keeper

Gustavus

WBJ

Enclosures-

May 31, 1918.

M. A. Babcock, Third Asst. Keeper,
Cape Ann Light Station;
Through Keeper:

Herewith is your Appointment as Second Assistant Keeper of Cape Ann Light Station, Mass., salary $480 per annum.

Also enclosed is Oath of Office, which please execute before a Notary Public, being sure to see that his seal is impressed, or before a Master of Tender, returning same to this office as soon as practicable.

Inspector.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT HOUSES MAY 28 1918

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR 2nd DIST. BOSTON, MASS. MAY 31 1918

May 27, 1918.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Second Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Four Hundred and Eighty dollars per annum,

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

(By promotion from third assistant keeper at $456 per annum.)

Oath - 6-13-18
Duty - 6-1-18

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Edward Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Walter F. Cotelle.

Legal Residence: Massachusetts.

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2 Insp.

WGY-LG

May 23, 1918.

Second Assistant Keeper, Cape Ann L. S.
Through Keeper:-

Owing to the pressure of work, the Tender Mayflower will not be able to furnish you transportation to Race Point Light Station, but will furnish transportation as far as Boston, and you can arrange for transportation the rest of the way.

Goddard

Inspector.

WGY-LG

May 21, 1918.

Second Assistant Keeper, Cape Ann L. S.,
Through Keeper:-

You have been nominated for transfer to the position of First Assistant Keeper, Race Point Light Station, effective June 1st.

The tender will furnish you transportation on or about that date.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Chief Clerk.

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., (City.) May 21 (Date.), 1918.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion-

Name, Maurice A. Babcock- Legal residence, Massachusetts-

Position, Second Assistant Keeper- Salary, $480 per annum-

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.- Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses-

Effective June 1, 1918 { ~~the date of entrance on duty~~; or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Third Assistant Keeper- Former salary, $456 per annum-

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.-

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

Previous incumbent, Walter F. Cotelle- Services terminated, May 31, 1918-

Reason, Transfer-

Members of family in Government Service, None-

Remarks: Mr. Babcock is an efficient employee, deserving of this promotion.

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

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Chief Clerk.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

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

"Thrive by Thrift, Buy War Savings Stamps."

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Maurice A. Babcock,
probationary appt.

May 6, 1918.

Lighthouse Inspector, Boston, Mass.:

Referring to your nomination dated March 27, 1918, for the probationary appointment of Maurice A. Babcock, 3rd assistant keeper of Cape Ann Light Station, Mass., which was not submitted to the Department for approval until April 29, 1918.

You are advised that delay in acting on nomination was due to fact that it was inadvertently filed in Bureau.

Conway

Acting Commissioner

WGY-LG

May 6, 1918.

Keeper, Cape Ann Light Station:-

Your letter 4th instant.

The check of Maurice A. Babcock was held up pending receipt of his appointment and was mailed on the 4th instant, presumably having arrived by this time.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Chief Clerk.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



MAY 6 1918

SECOND DISTRICT

Cape Ann Light Station
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

May 4th., 1918

Lighthouse Inspector,
Boston, Mass.,

Sir :- 3rd. assistant Maurice A. Babcock has not received his check for month of April. He has not been sworn in for 3rd. ass't. He is a good all round worker.

Gustavus
Keeper

WBJ

SET Enclosures-

May 4, 1918.

M. A. Babcock, 3rd Asst. Keeper,
Cape Ann Light Station;
Through Keeper:-

Herewith is your appointment as Third Assistant Keeper, Cape Ann Light Station, salary $456 per annum, effective the date you entered on duty, April 8, 1918.

Please execute the enclosed Oath of Office before a Notary Public, seeing that his seal is impressed, or before a Master of Lighthouse Tender.

Answer each and every question of Part I of the Personal Question Sheet, being guided by the pencil notations in questions 1, 2, 9, and 19; sign same and state your address. In answer to Question 1, be sure to fill in your middle name.

Answer all questions in the Declaration of Appointee, except No. 4; sign same and state your address, and detach the second page.

You should return the Oath of Office, Personal Question Sheet, and the first page of the Declaration of Appointee to this office as soon as practicable after they have been properly executed; you should retain the Appointment and second page of the Declaration of Appointee.

Goddard

Inspector, 2nd District.

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

LIGHT
MAY 1 1918
HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 30, 1918.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

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, Third Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Four Hundred and Fifty-six dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you entered upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. - - - -) issued by the local Civil Service Board for the Second Lighthouse District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

Duty 4-8-16
Oath 5-9
M
C

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: W. F. Cotelle.

Legal Residence: Massachusetts.

(See reverse side.)

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WGY-LG

Maurice A. Babcock,
Appointment-

April 22, 1918.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:-

On March 27th, this office forwarded to the Secretary, First Civil Service District, the nomination of Maurice A. Babcock, as 2d Assistant Keeper, Cape Ann Light Station, effective April 8th or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

This nomination was approved by the Civil Service office on March 28th, and forwarded to the Bureau. The appointment has never been received. In the meanwhile, as the man's services were required and as his appointment was expected, arrangements were made and he was placed on duty on the date specified, April 8th.

It is now requested that the appointment, when issued, be made effective April 8th, the date of entrance on duty.

Goddard

Inspector.

WCX-LC

March 28, 1918.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,
74 Albion Street,
Medford, Mass.

Sir:-

On the 26th instant, you were nominated to the position of 3rd Assistant Keeper, Cape Ann Light Station.

You will report with your household effects to the Captain of the Tender Mayflower, 37 Marginal St., Chelsea, Mass., late in the afternoon of April 6, for transportation to Cape Ann Light Station early on the morning of the 8th.

The Master has been directed to furnish you and your family such meals as you require at the regulation rate of 33¢ each. Of course, you can take your meals elsewhere, if you so prefer. Beginning with the 8th of April, meals will be furnished you free on the tender, but your family will have to continue to pay for such meals as are partaken.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Chief Clerk.

Copy to Master, Tender Mayflower.

Chief Clerk.

WGY-LG

March 27, 1918.

Master, Tender Mayflower:-

Maurice A. Babcock, 74 Albion St., Medford, Mass., has been nominated for the position of 3rd Asst. Keeper of Cape Ann Light Station and directed to report to you with his household effects late Saturday afternoon, the 6th proximo, for transportation to Cape Ann early on the morning of the 8th.

Any meals he takes on the tender for himself or family before the 8th are to be paid for at the current rates.

Goddard

Inspector.

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., (City.) March 27 (Date.), 1918

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment-

Name, Maurice A. Babcock- Legal residence, Massachusetts-

Position, Third Assistant Keeper- Salary, $456 per annum-

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.- Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses, 1918-

Effective April 8, 1918 { 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, 5 Rating Assistant Light-house Keeper Percentage, 83.0, Other eligibles considered: W.S.Thompson, D; C.A.Dow, C; J.F.Sweeney, C; F.H.Parsons, D, restored-

Previous incumbent, W. F. Cotelle - Services terminated, March 31, 1918-

Reason, Promoted-

Members of family in Government Service, None-

Remarks: Quarters are provided for the families of Keepers at this station. Mr. Babcock has had no previous Government service. He appeared at the office and gave clear record in previous employment.

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

Goddard

Secretary, Civil Service District. Inspector.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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WLLC.

November 16, 1917.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,
26 North Street,
Medford Hillside, Mass.

Sir:-

Referring to your acceptance of position at Boston Light Station.

You are informed that a man with a higher rating than you, who accepted the position, has been nominated.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Respectfully,

Savage

Superintendent.

WGY-LG

March 26, 1918.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,
74 Albion Street,
Medford, Mass.

Sir:-

Please call at this office in reference to the position at Cape Ann Light Station.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Savage

Superintendent.

Jm.

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83.

Babcock, Maurice A. — Lighthouse Service

Average: 83

Kind of Examination: Asst Kpr. (Ed. or Non-Ed.) Non-ed.

Date of Examination: 10-1-17

Date of Registration: 29

Age

Names Certified	Averages

$840.

Certificate Number

7-1-25

Date of Certificate

Dist. 1 Initials of D. S. BV-1

Name: Commerce, 1st L. H. District, Boston.

Department and Office: 3d Asst Kpr. * $456.

Position — Salary

3-28-18 — 4-8-18 V

Date Selection Approved — Date Appointed

Changes in Status:

* Cape Ann Lt. Sta., Mass

June 1/18 2d Asst Kpr. $480; 11/1/18 $720;
Kpr: 4/1/19 $660; 6/16/19 $780; 4/8/23 #(6-373)
7-1-24 (128) #1080; 2-1-25 #1260
#(1233)
8/26/26 - 1440;

6—3096

Form 1942—Nov., 1911.

AUG 22 '22 Record compared with Dept's. record

Record of former Service
Record Division, CSC,
Retain as [illegible]
in Official Personnel Folder

Dated CR-37-20840-06-1-10-05-19-1616-1
7/3/30
Dep Bull
1898

#1620

See Form 2800

See Form 2800

Record of former Service
Record Division, CSC,
Retain as [illegible] and paper
in Official Personnel Folder

CTION NO. B122

☐ DECLARATION
☐ MEDICAL CERTIFICATE
☐ FINGERPRINTS

LEGAL RESIDENCE (STATE) (COUNTY)

APPORTIONMENT NO.

NAME (SURNAME)	(FIRST NAME)	(MIDDLE NAME)	DATE OF BIRTH MONTH	DAY	YEAR	SEX—RACE	CIV. SERV. STATUS	PREF.	MIL. SERV.
BCOCK	MAURICE	A	4	3	88				

cement No. _____ District _____

PLACE OF BIRTH

ATION) (RATING) (DATE ENT. REG.) (CERTIFICATE NO.)

EDUCATION
C. S. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
H. S. 1 2 3 4
Col. 1 2 3 4
Business School
(DEGREES) (SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS)

Nature of Action Code

APPOINTMENTS
06 Temp. pending rein.
07 A. Exc. (Ex. order)
08 Prob. appt. reempl. list (T. A.)
09 Prob. appt. (T. A.)
10 Act of Congress
11 A. Exc. (law)
12 A. Exc. (nominal)
13 A. Exc. (Sched. A)
14 A. Exc. (Sched. B)
15 A. Pres.
16 A. Trans.
17 A. Unct.
18 Double designation
19 Employment auth.
20 Ex. order (individual)
21 Prob. appt.
22 Reemployment
23 Reinstatement
24 Returned to duty
25 Temp. appointment
26 Classification
27 Trans. class. to exc.
28 Trans. exc. to class.
29 Perm. appointment

CHANGES IN SERVICE
30 Act of Congress
31 Amendment
32 Cancelation
33 Change of name
34 Change status
35 Continuance approved
36 Double desig. eliminated
37 Promotion
38 Readjustment
39 Reallocation
40 Reduction
41 Suspension
42 Change of appropriation
43 Detailed

SEPARATIONS
50 Act of Congress
51 Died
52 Disch. with prejudice
53 Disch. w. o. prejudice
54 Furloughed
55 Laid off
56 Leave w. o. pay
57 Res. with prejudice
58 Res. w. o. prejudice
59 Retired
60 S. Transfer
61 Termination

Allocation Code

1 CAF
2 CM
3 CU
4 P
5 SP
6 EO

Salary Basis Code

Salary rates for 3, 4, 5, and 8 are expressed in cents and mills (.000); for 2, 6, 7, and 9, in cents (.00); for 1 and 0, in dollars only.

1 Per annum
2 Per month
3 Per day
4 Per hour
5 Piece-work
6 Per week
7 Fee basis
8 Per day W. A. E.
9 Part time
0 Per annum W. A. E.

CIVIL SERVICE STATUS

ASSIFIED
4 ☐ Sched. B
5 ☐ By statute
6 ☐ Presidential
7 ☐ Ex. order
8 ☐ Outside lab. reg.

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LASSIFIED
der labor reg.
hed. A

SEX AND RACE

MALE		FEMALE
1 ☐	Caucasian	☐ 6
2 ☐	Negroid	☐ 7
3 ☐	Indian	☐ 8
4 ☐	Mongolian	☐ 9
5 ☐	Malayan	☐ 0

PREFERENCE STATUS

1 ☐ None
2 ☐ 5-Point
3 ☐ Disability
4 ☐ Wife
5 ☐ Widow

MILITARY SERVICE

1 ☐ Army
2 ☐ Navy
3 ☐ Marine Corps
4 ☐ Coast Guard

(ENLISTED) (DISCHARGED)

NAME	NATURE OF ACTION: DATE OF— MONTH	DAY	YEAR	ACTION CODE	CIV. SERV. STAT.	AUTHORITY: DIST.	REFERENCE	POSITION CODE: MAIN	SUB	ALLOCATION: SERV.	GRADE	SALARY: RATE	BASIS	AGENCY: DEPT.	BUR.	OFFICIAL STATION: STATE	CITY	JOURNAL SHEET NUMBER
	7	1	39	Reorg. Plan II, May 9, 1939 Trans. Treasury, U. S. Coast Guard				20840				1620	1	3	55	19	1616	
	1	16	41	Prom.				Keeper				$1680	p.a.	Treas. Coast Guard Boston, Mass.				3520
	10	31	41	Retirement			(Disability)											59317

Record of Former Service
Record Division CSC
Returned to Agency
Effective Date Posted

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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date 13 October, 1941.

Name: Babcock, Maurice A.

From: U. S. Coast Guard
(BUREAU OR DIVISION)

Bureau No.:

Nature of Recommendation

Retirement, disability

	FROM	TO
Position Grade Salary	Keeper Field(Range $1440-1800) $1680 p.a. plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.	
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U.S. Coast Guard	
Headquarters Post of Duty Appropriation Allotment	Boston, Mass. Boston Lt.Sta., Mass. Civilian Employees, C.G.	

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

EFFECTIVE *Remarks:* Close October 31, 1941.

The annual rate of retired pay is $957.94.

Justification:

Total service: 23 years, 6 months, and 8 days.

Computation: ($1629 x years 23.5222 ÷ 40) $957.94.

Consideration given all other eligible employees
Certified as to sufficiency of Appropriated Funds

S. P. MEHLMAN,
Lt. Commander, U. S. Coast Guard,
Acting Asst. Personnel Officer.
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 4-3-1888

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Mass.

SEX: M RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION
NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

HAS C. S. COMM. ALLOWED VETERAN'S PREFERENCE? No

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act
3-4-25
DATE OF OATH

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL, TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY
10-17-41

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Form 2523
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION, DISABILITY RETIREMENT, CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

(Act of March 4, 1925)

NAME OF CLAIMANT Maurice A. Babcock DESIGNATION Keeper

Height 69½ Weight 171 pounds. Complexion Medium

Color of eyes Brown Color of hair Gray

Here give a complete personal description, together with permanent marks and scars other than those described below in physical examination: Middle-aged man with normal gait and facial expression; not appearing ill, with no apparent marks or scars.

Description of duties of position (to be fill

Description of duties.

A circular stone tower is about 90 feet high and must be climbed by each keeper at least twice a day on his watch. The fog signal compressors are of diesel units which must be started by hand, thereby requiring extreme physical disability and agility. The island upon which the station is located is several miles off shore and the Government furnishes only row boats for transportation of the keepers necessitating rowing a row boat about three miles. He is responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of the entire station which consists of main light, a fog signal as above-mentioned, a range light, rain shed, boathouse, one double dwelling and one single dwelling and other small out-buildings, and a large incline boatway, station boats, and has a large steel sheet piling dock. These various items are scattered about Brewster Island which comprises the entire reservation of this station.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Visual acuity (uncorrected): R. E. 20/ 20 L. E. 20/ 20

With correction in spectacles: R. E. 20/ -- L. E. 20/ --

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. -- at 13 inches, without correction.

Reads Jaeger No. 1.75 at 13 inches, with correction.

Central color vision (binocular) Normal (Name method used) Ishihara plates

Inspection Normal

Pupils Normal Pupillary reaction Normal

Hearing: Whispered voice (unaccentuated) heard with R. E. at 30 ft., L. E. at 30 ft.

Appearance of right drum Normal, left drum Normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? No If so, specify

[OVER]

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Condition of nose and sinuses Normal

Condition of mouth and throat, including tonsils and teeth Normal

Bones, joints, muscles, including atrophies Normal
(Express limitation of motion, if any, in degrees and joint involved)

Respiratory system No rales or dullness

Cardiovascular system:

(a) Heart No murmurs or extrasystoles

(1) Murmurs No (2) Arrhythmias No

(b) Pulse rate: (1) Sitting 84 (2) After exercise 114 (3) 2 minutes after exercise 84

(c) Blood pressure: (1) Sitting—Syst. 140 Diast. 80 (2) After ex.—Syst. 152 Diast. 74

(d) Condition of blood vessels Apparently normal for age.

Evidence of thyroid or other endocrine disturbance No

Abdomen and gastro-intestinal system, including hernia Negative findings

Genito-urinary system:

Urinalysis—Sp. gr. 1.015 Reaction Alkaline Albumin 0 Sugar 0

Sediment microscopic (required when albumin or sugar is found) Normal

Reflexes, motor disturbances, etc.:

(a) Station Ereet (c) Gait Normal

(b) Tremor No (f) Coordination Normal

(c) Patellar reflexes Normal (g) Peripheral circulation No evident impairment

(d) Other motor disturbances None

Alcohol No Drugs No Syphilis Kahn-Negative Epilepsy No

Other neurological findings None

General impression Middle-aged man not appearing ill.

Here describe fully nature of disability: Electrocardiogram on two occasions 7/7/41 and 7/14/41 revealed "partial heart block" and "Probable myocardial damage", respectively.

Is disability to perform duty of a permanent character? probably

Is it indicated that applicant may recover from disability and be fit for restoration to active duty? doubtful Do you recommend reexamination with this in view? no

I HEREBY CERTIFY that upon examination I find the above-named claimant to be disabled for useful and efficient service by reason of the disability above described, which is not due to vicious habits, intemperance, or willful misconduct on his part.

The examining physician must be in the Federal Service

U. S. Marine Hospital, Boston, Mass.
(Place of examination)

A. Kaufman
(Examining surgeon)

August 12, 1941
(Date)

A. A. Surgeon, USPHS
(Title and branch of medical service)

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U. S. COAST GUARD (16)

REC'D OCT 6 1941

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~

U. S. COAST GUARD

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RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Commander, Boston District,
~~Superintendent of Lighthouses,~~

U. S. COAST GUARD, ~~District~~

BOSTON, MASS.
(City)

Date 1 August, 1941.

I hereby apply for disability retirement from active duty in the Coast Guard ~~Lighthouse~~ Service effective 31 October, 1941, on the basis of service shown hereon.

Maurice A. Babcock
(Name)

Keeper, Boston Light Station.
(Designation)

Mailing address
30 Quarry Road,
Milton, Mass.

Commander, Boston District.
OFFICE OF ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~

City Boston, Mass. *Date* 3 October, 1941.

COMMANDANT, U. S. COAST GUARD,

Submitted to ~~Commissioner of Lighthouses~~, Washington, D. C., recommending retirement at $ 957.94

per annum, effective at the close of 31 October, 1941.

It is certified that the record of service and pay shown on Page 2 is correct as shown by the records of this office, and that all Government service shown has been verified. Mr. Babcock has sufficient annual and sick leave to carry him to the close of 15 October, 1941.

P. J. SMENTON, By direction. ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, *Washington, D. C.*,

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, recommending approval.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

FOR USE OF DEPARTMENT

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Name Maurice A. Babcock Date of birth April 3, 1888.

Designation Keeper

RECORD OF ALL ACTIVE GOVERNMENT SERVICE

(Including military, naval, and civilian service. Each department, branch, or independent office in which applicant served in a civilian capacity should be listed separately)

	Beginning			Ending			Remarks
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year	
Army							
Navy							
Marine Corps							
Civilian employment Lighthouse & Coast Guard Service.	Apr.	8	1918	Oct.	15	1941	
Total service	23 years, 6 months, 8 days.						

Does applicant receive or has he applied for a pension from the Government under any law? No. If so, give number of pension certificate or of claim:

Does applicant receive or has he applied for compensation under the War Risk Insurance Act? No. If so, give number of claim:

Does applicant receive or has he applied for compensation under the Federal Compensation Act, as amended? No.

If so, state the compensation received:

STATEMENT BY FISCAL YEARS OF BASIC PAY RECEIVED DURING LAST FIVE YEARS OF ACTIVE SERVICE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING EFFECTIVE DATE OF RETIREMENT

(Compute service on basis of 30 days a month. Do not include periods of leave without pay, rations, quarters, or other allowance)

Designation	Beginning			Ending			Rate of Pay	Pay Received
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year		
Keeper	Oct.	16	1936	June	30	1937	$1620.pa.	1147.50
	July	1	1937	June	30	1938	1620.pa.	1620.00
	July	1	1938	June	30	1939	1620.pa.	1620.00
	July	1	1939	June	30	1940	1620.pa.	1620.00
	July	1	1940	Jan.	15	1941	1620.pa.	877.50
	Jan.	16	1941	June	30	1941	1680.pa.	770.00
	July	1	1941	Oct.	15	1941	1680.pa.	490.00

Total compensation for last five years of active service $8145.00

Average compensation for last five years of active service $1629.00.

Annual rate of retired pay ($ 1629.00 × years 23.5222 - 40) = $957.94.
(Not exceeding 30)

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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date January 10, 1941

Give below all

Name: Babcock, Maurice A.

From: (month and year) To--

U. S. Coast Guard (BUREAU OR DIVISION) Bureau No:

Nature of Recommendation

Promotion

	FROM	TO
Position		Keeper
Grade	Field (Range $1440-1800)	Field (Range $1440-1800)
Salary	$1620 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.	$1680 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions		U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters Post of Duty Appropriation Allotment Field or Deptl.		Boston, Mass. Boston Light Station, Mass. Civilian Employees, C.G. Field

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 4-3-1888

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Mass.

SEX: M

RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW

ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY

VICE

EFFECTIVE January 16, 1941

Remarks:

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT?
Lighthouse Act
6-20-18

DATE OF OATH

Justification:

No increase in pay since July 3, 1930.

Consideration given all other eligible employees
Certified as to sufficiency of Appropriated Funds

S. P. MEHLMAN,
Lt. Commander, U. S. Coast Guard,
Acting Assistant Personnel Officer.
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL. TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY

July 1, 1939. Lighthouse Districts No. First and Second

consolidated with Boston Coast Guard District,

Headquarters Boston, Mass.

See U. S. Coast Guard General Order No. 37, dated June 20, 1939.

7/1/39 Transferred from Bureau of Lighthouses, Department of Commerce, and consolidated with United States Coast Guard, under terms of Plan No. 2 of Reorganization Act of 1939, approved by Congress April 3, 1939.

File received - FEB 9 1940

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Maurice A. Babcock — (Name)

Massachusetts — (Legal Residence)

STATUS

11—8940

DESIGNATION	ACTION	SALARY	BUREAU—SERVICE—STATION	DATE OF EFFECT
3rd Asst Kpr.	Prob.	$456	L-H. Cape Ann L.S. Mass.	Apr 8/18
2nd " "	Prom.	$480	" " " "	June 14/18
Keeper	Incr.	$720	" " " "	Nov 1/18
"	Trans.	$760	" Gay Head " "	Apr 1/19
"	Prom & trans	$780	" Block Island " "	June 16/19
"	allow longevity pay.	$840	" " " "	Apr 8/23
"	Read. pay	$1080	" " " "	July 1/24
"	"	$1260	" " " "	Feb 1/25
"	Incr.	$1320	" " " "	July 1/25
" (Prin)	Trans. & Prom.	1440	" - Boston L.S. Mass.	Aug 26 1926
"	INCREASE IN COMPENSATION	1500	" " "	JUL 1 1927
"	COMPENSATION Act. May 28, 1928.	1560	" " "	JUL 1 1928
"	COMPENSATION Act. July 3, 1930	1620	" " "	JUL 3 1930

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES CUSTOMS SERVICE

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COLLECTOR

Eastport, Maine.
September 27, 1938.

To whom it may concern:-

This is to certify that F.W. Babcock was a resident of Lubec, Maine sometime previous to 1908 and that I was acquainted with him. At a later date I was Deputy Collector of Customs at Lubec and also Immigration Inspector and that Gilford Babcock, a brother of F.W.Babcock arrived at Lubec from Campobello, N.B. and produced sufficient proof to be passed into the United States as a citizen. The same proof would apply to F.W. Babcock.

J. M. Tealody

Deputy Collector.

Everett
Massachusetts
September 29, 1938

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that I was personally acquainted with Freeman Willard Babcock, father of Maurice A. Babcock, and knew him for thirty-five years before his death and know that he was an American citizen.

Very truly yours,

Frank L Paul

Everett, Massachusetts
County of Middlesex
September 29, 1938

Personally appeared before me Frank L. Paul on Oath declared the above statement to be true. Signed the same in my presence.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Alice Florence Porter

My Com. expires Jan 13 193

Everett
Massachusetts
September 28, 1938

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that I was personally acquainted with Freeman Willard Babcock, father of Maurice A. Babcock, and knew him for thirty-five years before his death and know that he was an American citizen.

Very truly, yours,

Annie I. Decker.

File

Everett, Massachusetts
County of Middlesex
September 28, 1938

Personally appeared before me Annie I. Decker on Oath declared the above statement to be true. Signed the same in my presence.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Alice Florence Porter
My com. expires Jan 13 193

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 3, 1930.

Maurice A. Babcock

(Thru Commissioner of Lighthouses)

Sir:

You are advised that under the Brookhart Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 3, 1930.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 9 1930 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

From: 1560

To: 1620

2nd Keeper

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 1, 1928.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Chief, Bureau of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that under the Welch Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1928.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1500

To: $1560

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Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

July 1, 1927.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1927.

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1440 per annum.

To: $1500 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

APPOINTMENT DIVISION JUL 1 - 1927 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9061

LIGHTHOUSES
1927 JAN 28 PM 4 18

Supt.
1st Asst.
Draftsman
Junior Engr.
1st Clerk
2nd Clerk
3rd Clerk
4th Clerk
5th Clerk
Messenger
Depot Kpr.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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CLERK

Hydro
Radio
Engr. Comm.
Gen. Engr.
Personnel
Financial
Law and Prop.
Adm Asst.
Insp. Constr.
Constr.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 8 1927
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 3 1927
2nd DIST. CHELSEA, MASS.

Memorandum for Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In the case of Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, 2nd District, the records of the Appointment Division are incomplete in the following respect:

Effective date of transfer to Boston Light Station, authorized September 4, 1926

It is requested that the attention of the proper officer be called to the matter with a view to its being remedied without delay.

Clifford Harding
Chief of Appointment Division.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.
January 31, 1927.

Referred to Superintendent of Lighthouses, Chelsea, Mass., for compliance and return.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

CARDED

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Chelsea, Mass., February 3, 1927

Returned to Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Effective date of transfer to Boston Light Station, authorized by the Bureau September 4, 1926, was August 26, 1926. This information was previously supplied by endorsement of November 16 on Appointment letter of November 12, 1926.

Superintendent.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
FEB 7 1927

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

January 27, 1927.

Civil Service Commission,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

In compliance with the request contained in the Commission's letter of January 21, 1927 (File MCR:MS), the Department gives below the effective dates, which have been received, of changes in the following cases:

Name	Journal Order	Line	Effective Date
Babcock, Maurice A.	1255	18	Not received
Burroughs, Laurence R.	1279	5	Cancelled
Canty, George R.	1198	7	July 26, 1926.
Copenhaver, Edward J.	1175	42	July 1, 1926
Currier, Eugene E.	1199	20	July 23, 1926
Dame, Kenneth	1156	3	July 1, 1926
Darlington, Homer T.	1306	14	Not received
Delahanty, Thomas	1191	9	July 1, 1926
Doyle, Mrs. Anne F.	1355	14	January 5, 1927
Gruny, Charles R.	1186	6	July 1, 1926
Hagerman, Arthur J.	866	9	December 16, 1925
Harris, Earl C.	859	4	December 17, 1925
Lee, William T.	941	7	May 1, 1925
Lopeman, Edwin	1090	17	July 1, 1926
McCarthy, Aloysius	1337	5	December 1, 1926
Murdock, Laura V.	1052	14	April 1, 1926
Steidel, Oscar	593	10	June 16, 1925
Sullivan, Anne M.	1186	2	June 30, 1926
Sutherland, Orlando	1325	5	Not received
Von Gerichten, Edmund	1245	1	Not received
Wadleigh, Francis	590	35	June 16, 1925.

The effective dates which have not yet been received will be reported on the "Completion of Personnel Journal" reports when they are received.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

JAN 28 1927

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

ADDRESS ONLY
"CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION"
IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
FILE MCR:MS.
AND DATE OF THIS LETTER

January 21,1927.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JAN 22 1927
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Chief, Division of Appointments,

Department of Commerce.

Sir:

As the effective dates do not appear to have been reported on any completion sheets received in this office to date, the Commission requests to be furnished with the correct dates for the following changes reported on journal orders indicated:

	Name	Bureau	Action	Journal Order	Line
	Babcock, Maurice A.	L.H.S.	Prom.to $1440 pa.	1255.	18
Cancelled	Burroughs, Laurence R.	C.& G.	Reinstated	1279.	5
July 26/26	Canty, George R.	F.& D.	Prom.Tr.Commr.	1198.	7
July 1/26	Copenhaver, Edward J.	L.H.S.	Appointed	1175.	42
July 23/26	Currier, Eugene E.	Nav.	"	1199.	20
July 1/26	Dame, Kenneth	F.& D.	Special Agent	1156.	3
not in	Darlington, Homer T.	Mines	Appointed	1306.	14
July 1/26	Delahanty, Thomas	F.& D.	Promotion	1191.	9
Jan 5/27	Doyle, Mrs. Anne F.	S.I.S.	"	1335.	14
July 1/26	Gruny, Charles R.	F.& D.	"	1186.	6
Dec 16/25	Hagerman, Arthur J.	Mines	Transfer	866.	9
Dec 17/25	Harris, Earl C.	L.H.S.	Appointed	859.	4
May 1/25	Lee, Wm. T.	Mines	"	941.	7
Jul 1/26	Lopeman, Edwin	Nav.	"	1090.	17
Dec 1/26	McCarty, Aloysius McCarthy	Patent	Promotion	1337.	5
April 1/26	Murdock, Laura V.	Census	"	1052.	14
June 16/25	Steidel, Oscar	Patent	"	593.	10
June 30/26	Sullivan, Anne M.	Mines	Transfer	1186.	2
Not in	Sutherland, Orlando	C.& G.	Promotion	1325.	5
not in	Von Gerichten, Edmund	Airways	Appointed	1245.	1
June 16/25	Wadleigh, Francis	F.& D.	Promotion	590.	35

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY
ACTION TAKEN
JAN 26 1927
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Very respectfully,

C W Bartlett

C.W.Bartlett,
Asst. Chief, Division of Appointments.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1926 DEC 2 PM 4

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LIGHTHOUSES
1926 DEC 1 PM 4 C8

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DEC 3 1926
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
CHELSEA, MASS.
BOSTON, MASS.

November 30, 1926

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Subject: Promotion Maurice A. Babcock, keeper.

Reference: Bureau's endorsement November 27 on Department letter November 23, 1926.

Babcock's appointment was really an emergency one, and it should have been so stated on his nomination. It was necessary that he should take up his new duties immediately upon the termination of his old ones. The office notes the Department's instructions, which will be observed in the future.

Superintendent.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C. December 2, 1926.
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce, attention being invited to Department letter of November 23, 1926 in the matter.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

File

November 23, 1926.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In his memorandum of November 16, 1926, the Second Superintendent states that the promotion of Maurice A. Babcock, keeper, from $1320 to $1440 per annum became effective August 26, 1926. This information is submitted in response to the Department's request of November 12.

From an analysis of the circumstances leading to the promotion of this employee, it appears that he was transferred to the position of keeper at Boston Light Station, which was vacated by James L. Hart at the close of August 5. Presumably, by reason of the fact that Babcock's position at Bird Island Light Station was filled on August 26, 1926, his promotion, effective on that date, to $1440 was proposed by the Superintendent under date of August 31, 1926. The nomination, however, was not received from the Bureau until September 4, on which date it was approved by the Department. Since no intimation was given that the promotion in question was recommended under conditions constituting an emergency it was assumed by the Department that it would not become effective on a date prior to that on which authorized. As a definite date would not well be fixed, Mr. Babcock was [redacted] informed by letter bearing date of September 4, 1926, that his compensation had been increased to $1440 per annum "upon entrance on duty."

Concerning the Superintendent's request to be informed whether it is necessary to report effective dates when the nomination form gives the actual date of entrance on duty: As it is sometimes impossible to secure Departmental approval of recommendation on or before the date on which the action recommended is to become effective, the fact that a promotion (or for that matter, any other action) has been recommended to become effective on a certain date does not necessarily mean that Departmental authorization will have been procured in sufficient time to warrant the appointment or promotion, as the case may be, becoming effective on the date given by the field officer. The instant case will serve as an illustration. Generally speaking, unless specifically authorized, dates of entrance on duty or promotion cannot antedate the date of certificates of appointment or notices of increase in salary. Certificates of appointment or notices of increase in salary in which provision is made for assignment to duty or promotion on a date prior to that on which

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approved by the Department are issued only in emergency cases. Nominations covering such cases must contain a certification to the effect that the action proposed was necessary for the proper safeguarding of life or property, and the circumstances or conditions constituting the emergency must be set forth. (See the Department's letter of October 12, 1922, concerning emergency cases.) When a notice similar to the one issued to Mr. Babcock does not provide for an effective date, the date of effectiveness should be reported to the Department in the usual manner. Such a report need not, of course, be made in cases requiring an oath of office.

NOV 24 1926

(SIGNED) E. W. LIBBEY

Chief Clerk.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Appointment Division
Washington

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE NOV 19 1926 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES NOV 15 1926 2ND DIST. CHELSEA, MASS.

LIGHTHOUSES 1926 NOV 17 PM 3 35

November 12, 1926.

Memorandum for the Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In the case of the employees listed herewith, the records of the Appointment Division are incomplete in the following respect:

Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper, 2nd District, effective date of promotion.

It is requested that the attention of the proper officer be called to the matter with a view to its being remedied without delay.

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.,
November 13, 1926.

Referred to Superintendent of Lighthouses, Chelsea, Mass., for compliance and return, attention being invited to Bureau circular No. 586 of September 21, 1926.

H. B. BOWERMAN

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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Chelsea, Mass., November 16, 1926

Returned to Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The effective date of promotion was August 26, 1926. The nomination of Babcock gave this date as "the actual date of entrance on duty." If it is necessary for this office to report effective dates when the nomination form gives the actual date of entrance on duty, it is requested that we be so informed.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
NOV 18 1926

Superintendent.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

CROSS REFERENCE

SEE FILE--464/16/D#1

NAME Babcock, Maurice A. POSITION Keeper

BUREAU BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES STATION 2nd Dist.

CIRCULAR #11----9/15/23

BASE PAY	Bonus	Total	Allowances			As Classified for estimate purposes			Recommendations regarding differential from standard rates		
			Items	Value	Aggregate	Service	Grade	Pay	Is differential recommended	Amt. per annum to be Added	Amt. per annum to be Subtracted
840	240	1080	XCR	404.25	1484.25	LHS	5	1260	yes	60	

CIRCULAR #13----11/13/23

approv-1260

GRADE RECOMMENDED 5

RANGE OF COMPENSATION RECOMMENDED FROM $1140 TO $1380

CATION BOARD FORM NO. 1
n accordance with detailed
on sheet, Form No. 2)

Sheet No. 20.
2—12758

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

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Babcock (Surname) Maurice (Given name) A. (Initial)

2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouses
4. Field Service Lighthouse Service
5. (a) Field Station Second Lighthouse District
   (b) Subdivision Bird Island Light Station
   (c) City or town Marion State Mass.
6. Pay-roll title Keeper
7. Customary office title Keeper

8. (a) Number of regular working hours of the position, per day about 15; per week 105
   (b) If this is not a full-time position, state percentage of time employed per day ---; or per week ---
   (c) If night work, wholly or in part, state the hours: From 1/3 of time from sunset to sunrise. m.
9. If this is not an all-year-round position, state approximate number of days employed each year ---
   During what months ---
10. If the employee receives compensation from any other branch of the Federal Government, or from any city, county, or State government, state the position held and the compensation ---
11. Present rate of pay, exclusive of bonus $840 per annum; bonus, $240 per annum.
12. Rate of pay, exclusive of bonus, on January 1, 1923, $780 per annum; bonus, $240 per annum.
13. If the employee receives overtime pay, state the rate None.
14. Title of appropriation or fund from which basic compensation is paid Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.
15. Indicate by an "X" in the proper box any of the following allowances received, in addition to salary or wages: ☒ Quarters; ☐ 3 meals per day; ☐ 2 meals per day; ☐ 1 meal per day; ☐ Subsistence or rations in kind; ☐ Uniform; ☐ Laundry; ☒ Fuel; ☒ Light; ☐ Heat. If cash allowances are made for any of these items, state which items and the amounts per annum 45 cents per diem commutation of rations, $164.25
16. Indicate what special equipment, if any, the employee is required by law or regulation to furnish at his own expense, and the approximate annual maintenance cost to the employee:
    Kind of equipment Uniform; annual cost, $20.00
17. Extent of employee's education. (Place an "X" in the box before the highest grade or year.)
    (a) Elementary school; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☒ 8
    (b) High school; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4
    (c) Business school; years ☐ ½ ☐ 1 ☐ 1½ ☐ 2 ☐ 2½ ☐ 3
    (d) College: Name ---; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4
    (e) Post graduate work: Kind ---; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3
    (f) Correspondence courses: Kind ---; number of lessons ---; number completed ---

18. Description of work. (Describe the various tasks performed, making the description of each as detailed as space will permit. Use a paragraph for each task and number the paragraphs. In the column at the right state the estimated percentage of the total time—in the course of a day, month, or year—given to each task.)

	Percentage of total time given to each task
1. Operating the light every night from sunset to sunrise; operating fog signal during thick or foggy weather.	50
2. Cleaning and caring for grounds, quarters, light and fog signal apparatus.	25
3. Painting building and light tower and making minor repairs as necessary.	15
4. Going for mail and supplies.	10

19. Does employee work under immedi[illegible]pervision, or to a large extent upon his own res[illegible]bility? (Describe fully.)

Works largely upon his own responsibility but is governed by general directions set forth in the printed Instructions to Employees and by specific oral and written instructions from the Superintendent; works without close observation of his superiors, but is subject to periodical inspections by the Superintendent and 1st Assistant Superintendent without previous notice.

20. Do the duties involve direction or supervision of the work of other employees? No.
If so, describe the nature of the direction or supervision and give the number and classes of employees directed or supervised.

21. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? Since June 16, 1919.

22. I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the answers to the foregoing questions are correct.

May 31, 1923. (Date) Fred C Eaton (Signature of Preparing Officer) Supt. of Lighthouses (Title)

23. I have read the foregoing and I agree to it except as follows:

(Signature of Employee)

THE FOLLOWING TO BE FILLED OUT BY THE HEAD OF THE FIELD OFFICE OR STATION

24. Indicate by an "X" in the proper spaces below the qualifications and personal traits considered important for the satisfactory performance of the duties of this position:

	High Degree	Average	Not Essential
Judgment		X	
Accuracy		X	
Initiative (originality and resourcefulness)	X		
Trustworthiness (dependability)	X		
Speed (quickness)		X	
Physical Qualities (strength and endurance)	X		

EDUCATIONAL TRAINING		
	Essential	Desirable But Not Essential
College		
High School		X
Common School	X	

Technical Education: If essential, kind and extent

Experience: If essential, kind and extent

25. I hereby certify that I have read the foregoing and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made are accurate and complete. In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $ 900 to $ 1140

May 31, 1923. (Date) Fred C Eaton (Signature of head of field office or station) Supt. of Lighthouses. (Title)

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—12758

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

September 4, 1926

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1320 per annum to $ 1440 per annum, effective upon entrance on duty.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

11—8074 GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

SEP 10 1926

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APPOINTMENT CLASSIFICATION DIVISION
SEP 11 1926
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Form 73

GEE-LIGHTHOUSES

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK

1926 SEP 3 PM 2 47

1926 SEP 2 PM 12 15

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Second DISTRICT,

Chelsea, Mass., (City.) August 31st, (Date.) 1926.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE SEP 9 26 APP DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and promotion.

Name, Maurice A. Babcock — Legal residence, Massachusetts.

Position, Keeper Asst — Salary, $1440 per annum (1320-1560) - same step as former rate.

Location, Boston Light Station, Mass. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective August 26, 1926. — {'the actual date of entrance on duty, or ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty~~. Such date.

Former position, Keeper Asst. — Former salary, $1320 per annum (1200-1440)

Location, Bird Island Light Station, Mass.

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

Previous incumbent, James L. Hart 1440 — Services terminated, August 5, 1926.

Reason, Transferred. To Spectacle Island

Members of family in Government Service,

Date of birth, April 3, 1888.

Remarks: Mr. Babcock is a capable employee and deserving of this promotion. Quarters are provided at this station for families of keepers.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 19

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN SEP 10 1926 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Secretary, Civil Service District. Superintendent.

B/9-2-26

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

SEP 2 - 1926

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

APPROVED: ACTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON June 26, 1925.

M r. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1260 per annum to $ 1320 per annum, effective July 1, 1925.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 1 1925 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 31, 1925.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

In connection with the readjustment of pay of positions in the Lighthouse Service the total compensation of the position occupied by you has been fixed as indicated below, effective February 1, 1925.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED FEB 4 1925 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Position: Keeper.

Salary: $1260. ✓

FEB 3 1925

Appropriations: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.
General Expenses, Lighthouse Service.

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(CROSS REFERENCE)

Babcock, Maurice A. In accordance with authority of the Director of the Budget dated June 27, 1924, the salary is re-adjusted to $ 1080, effective July 1, 1924.

For authorization see letter dated JUL 15 1924 File No. 1095/21.

(COPY)

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September 25, 1923.

My dear Mr. Babcock:

I have read with interest your report forwarded from the Superintendent at Boston, regarding your rescue from drowning of a young man whose small boat capsized in the vicinity of the light station on September 12, 1923, and also the saving of his boat. Your act reflects credit on the Lighthouse Service, and I am pleased to commend you for your heroic work in this instance, which commendation will be noted on official records.

Cordially yours,

(Signed) S. B. DAVIS

Acting Secretary of Commerce.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper,
Bird Island Light Station, Massachusetts.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

S. B. DAVIS

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files

Exact copy as signed by [illegible]

Mailed ____ by [illegible]

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 12, 1923.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 780 per annum to $840 per annum, effective April 8, 1923, (including $60 per annum longevity pay).

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

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Chief of Appointment Division.

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(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED APR 13 1923 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1923 APR 11 AM 11 44

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass. (City.) April 10 (Date.) 1923

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK

Action recommended, Allowance of longevity pay.

Name, Maurice A. Babcock — Legal residence, Massachusetts

1923 APR 11 PM 3 03

Position, Keeper — Salary, $840. per annum, which includes $60. longevity pay.

Location, Bird Island Light Station, Mass. — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective April 8, 1923, {'the actual date of entrance on duty, or ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty~~

Former position, Keeper — Former salary, $780. per annum.

Location, Bird Island Light Station, Mass.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE APR 11 1923 APPOINTMENT DIVISION.

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

Previous incumbent, Himself — Services terminated, -

Reason, -

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: On April 7, 1923, Mr. Babcock will have completed five years' continuous service in the Lighthouse Service, and it is recommended that he be granted longevity pay of $60. per annum, effective April 8, 1923.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 19

4/12/23.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. APR 11 1923

APPROVED:

ACTING SECRETARY OF COMMERCE.

E. C. GILLETTE
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

IN REPLY REFER TO

FILE NO.

LIGHT HOUSES JUN 23 1919

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Commr.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

WBJ

To: Commissioner of Lighthouses: June 21, 1919.

Subject: Effective Date: Notice of Change in Salary:

1919 JUN 25 AM 11 30

1. The following information is furnished with regard to effective date of Notice of Change in Salary issued by Appointment Division-

NAME	NOTICE DATE	EFFECTIVE DATE
Babcock, Maurice A.	6-16-19	6-16-19.

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Eaton
Superintendent.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses. June 16, 1919.

r. Maurice A. Babcock,

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been 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. 660 780

June 14, 1919, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty at the increased rate of pay.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT.

LIGHT HOUSES JUN 11 1919

Boston, Mass., June 10, 1919
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion and transfer

Name, Maurice A. Babcock — Legal residence, Massachusetts.

Position, Keeper — Salary, $780 per annum

Location, Bird Island Light Station, Mass.- — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective June 14, 1919. — {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

CHIEF CLERK
1919 JUN 13 PM 3 26

Former position, Keeper — Former salary, $660 per annum

Location, Gay Head Light Station, Mass.

APPOINTMENTS
1919 JUN 13 PM 4 05

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

Previous incumbent, Herbert H. Davis — Services terminated, June 12, 1919.

Reason, Leave without pay.

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Mr. Babcock is a capable employee and deserving of this promotion. It is urgent that the position of Keeper of Bird Island Light Station be filled at once and Mr. Babcock will be placed there as soon as it is possible to transport him by tender.

Sas 6/14/19.

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

Eaton

Secretary, Civil Service District. — Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 12 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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JUN 16 1919

Conway

Acting Commissioner

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

April 8, 1919.

To: Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Subject: Notices of Change in Salary; Effective Dates:

1. The following information is furnished in connection with Notices of Change in Salary issued by the Appointment Division, with regard to date of entrance of duty of employees in new positions:

Name	Date of Notice	Entered on Duty
Yates, James	3-15-19	4-1-19
Vanderhoop, Charles W.	3-15-19	4-1-19
Bassett, Roland F.	3-18-19	4-1-19
Thomas, Henry L.	3-19-19	4-1-19
Scharff, John M.	3-19-19	4-1-19
Barrus, Joseph H.	3-19-19	4-1-19
Howard, George A.	3-21-19	4-1-19
Babcock, Maurice A.	3-21-19	4-1-19

For original letter see file of James Yates.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 21, 1919.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 720 per annum to $ 660 per annum, effective April 1, 1919, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty at the changed rate of pay.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings

Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION
MAR 21 1919
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., (City.) March 17 (Date.), 1919.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, Maurice A. Babcock APPOINTMENTS

Position, Keeper

Location, Gay Head Light Station, Mass. 1919 MAR 20 PM 2 31

Effective April 1, 1919

Legal residence, Massachusetts

1919 MAR 20 PM 1 12

Salary, $660 per annum

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses

~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper

Former salary, $720 per annum

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.

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

Previous incumbent, Charles W. Vanderhoop Services terminated, March 31, 1919

Reason, Transfer

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Letter from Mr. Babcock stating that he desires this position, which involves a reduction in pay is herewith.

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

Eaton
Superintendent.

Secretary, Civil Service District

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAR 19 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner

MAR 21 1919

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SECOND DISTRICT

LIGHT
MAR 19 191[illegible]
HOUSES

Cape Ann Light
(Station, ~~Depot, or Vessel~~)

Mar 15, 1919

INSPECTOR 2nd DIST.
MAR 17 1919
BOSTON, MASS.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Boston, Mass.,

I respectfully request that I be transferred as 1 Ss. Asst Keeper to Gay Head Light Station.

Babcock
2nd Asst.

Through Keeper
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Form 111
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OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

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LIGHT HOUSES NOV 25 1918

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

NOV 25 1918 9 09 AM

I, Maurice A. Babcock

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.

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Maurice A Babcock
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 21st day of Nov., A. D. 191 8

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) James H Bradley

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires Feb. 14, 1925

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Second Asst. Kpr.	$720 per A.	Cape Ann Light Station
Former [5] " " "	$480 " "	" " " "

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, Second District

Boston, Massachusetts (Address), Nov. 22, 1918 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on November 1, 1918 (Date)

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(Signature, followed by title) Superintendent.

[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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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

November 7, 1918.

r. Maurice A. Babcock,

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the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Through

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, Keeper Lighthouse Service in the Seven Hundred and Twenty per annum at a salary of dollars per,

effective November 1, 1918.

By promotion from second assistant keeper at $480 per annum.

CARDED

ON BASIS OF THIS ACTION BY
DATED 10/16/18
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APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NOV 17 1918
EXAMINER

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

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(Signed) Clifford Hastings.
Chief of Appointment Division.

Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Appropriation:
New position. (By increase in compensation.)
Vice:
Massachusetts.
Legal Residence:

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

CHIEF CLERK

LIGHT
MAY 10 1918
HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

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APPOINTMENTS

March 5, 1918

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To the Chiefs of Bureaus of the Department of Commerce:

For the purpose of enabling the Department to maintain a complete record of its officers and employees, you are requested to have every person hereafter appointed or employed in your Bureau, immediately upon his entrance on duty, answer each of the questions in Part I of this form and sign the same. The information given in Part I should be reviewed and approved in accordance with instructions. The information in Part II should be supplied as indicated and the form forwarded to the Department.

William C. Redfield
Secretary.

PART I.

(Part I should be filled out by the appointee or employee; but, if he is unable to write legibly, another person may write the answers at his dictation. In either case the statement should be signed by the appointee or employee. If he is unable to write, he may sign by mark in the presence of one witness. If he is unable to answer any question, he should indicate that fact.)

1. What is your full name? (Do not use initials, but spell out each name and state whether Mr., Miss, or Mrs. Example: Mr. John Richard Doe. If name itself is merely a letter, it should be so stated.)

Mr Maurice Alendo Babcock

2. How do you intend to write your name on the pay roll? (*This should agree with signature to your oath of office.*) Maurice A Babcock

CARDED

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

City or [redacted]	State or Territory.	County.	Congressional district.
Medford	Mass.	Middlesex	8th

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

5. Where were you born? Campobello Island, New Brunswick, Canada.

6. When were you born? April (Month.) 3 (Day.) 1888 (Year.)

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7. Give name and address of person whom you would like to have notified in case of accident.

Mrs Mary J Babcock (Name) Thatcher's Island. (Number and street.)

Rockport (City or town.) Mass. (State or Territory.)

8. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? (If so, give below their names, relationships, the Departments and Bureaus or Services in which they are employed, and the positions they occupy.)

Name.	Relationship.	Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.
none				

9. If you were appointed through a civil service examination, state, as near as you recollect, the name and date of the examination. If not so appointed, state how you entered the service. (Examples: "By reinstatement," or "by transfer from ———," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

Asst Lighthouse Keeper Oct 1 1917

10. Have you any physical disabilities? (If so, describe briefly. If you have defective eyesight, state whether corrected by glasses.)

No

11. 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.
none					

12. Do you hold any State or municipal office? (If so, state name of such office and compensation attached.)

none

13. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during the Civil or Spanish-American 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			

14. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States at any time other than during the Civil or Spanish-American Wars, indicate such service in the spaces below.

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
no			

15. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Name under which service was rendered no

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
[redacted]		[redacted]	

16. 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 11, 12, 13, and 14.)

Fish cutting and Fishing

17. 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.)

8th Grade, Grammar School

18. 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

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

Asst Keeper Oct 1, 1917

20. 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.

21. State the date upon which the above blanks were filled. May 7, 1918

Witness:

In case signature is by mark.

(Signature) Maurice A Baberck

P. O. Address: Thatcher's Island,
City or town.
Rockport,
Number and street.
Mass.
State or Territory.

(Where the appointee is to be employed outside of the District of Columbia the information given in Part I should be reviewed and approved by the officer in immediate charge before forwarding to the Bureau. Where he is to be employed in the District of Columbia, Part I should be reviewed and approved by the officer who executes Part II.)

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded May 9, 1918.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

(Signature) Meager

(Official title) Chief Clerk.

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PART II.

(Part II should be executed by the executive officers of the various Bureaus of the Department, or, at their direction, by some official who can give the information desired. If unable to answer any question, indicate that fact.)

1. State the Bureau or Service, place, and district in which the person who answered the foregoing questions is employed:

Lighthouse (Bureau or Service.) — Cape Ann Light Station, Mass., (Place (city, town, station, or vessel.)) — Second (District.)

2. To what position has he been appointed? Third Assistant Keeper

3. State the date of appointment. April 30, 1918

4. State the date the appointment was effective. (If appointment was made to take effect on date of oath, so state.)

April 8, 1918

5. State the date of the oath. May 9, 1918

6. State the date the employee entered on duty. April 8, 1918

7. What is his salary? $456 per annum

8. From what appropriation is he paid? Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

9. Is the position excepted, competitive, or unclassified under the civil service rules? Competitive

10. If classified, state the date of classification. May 6, 1896

11. In what manner did the employee enter the service? (Examples: "From stenography and typewriting examination;" or "without examination;" or "by reinstatement;" or "by transfer from ——," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

Through examination for Assistant Lighthouse Keeper-

12. Is the employee required to give bond? No

13. When the legal residence given in answer to question 3, Part I, differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

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

Father American citizen, and appointee returned to United States while a minor-

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded to the Department. (Signature) A Yeager

(Official title) Chief Clerk.

Date: May 9, 19 18.

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OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

CHIEF CLERK

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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I, Maurice A. Babcock,

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.

JUN 17 1918 9 15 AM

Maurice A Babcock

(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 13th day of June, A. D. 1918.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Grafton Putnam

(Official title) Justice of the Peace

My commission expires My commission expires Mar. 29, 1925.

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Second Assistant Keeper-	$480 per annum-	Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.
Former [5] Third Assistant Keeper-	$456 per annum-	" " " " "

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

CARDED

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, Second District

Boston, Mass., June 14, 1918.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on June 1, 1918. (Date)

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

(Signature, followed by title) Chief Clerk.

[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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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

May 27, 1918.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Second Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Four Hundred and Eighty dollars per annum,

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

(By promotion from third assistant keeper at $456 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

CARDED

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Walter F. Cotello.

Legal Residence: Massachusetts.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAY 27 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT HOUSES MAY 23 1918

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., (City.) May 21 (Date.), 1918.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion-

Name, Maurice A. Babcock- APPOINTMENTS 1918 MAY 24 PM 1 56

Legal residence, Massachusetts-

Position, Second Assistant Keeper-

Salary, $480 per annum-

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.- 1918 MAY 24 PM 2 17

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses-

Effective June 1, 1918 {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Third Assistant Keeper-

Former salary, $456 per annum-

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.-

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN MAY 27 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

Previous incumbent, Walter F. Cotelle- Services terminated, May 31, 1918-

Reason, Transfer- requested

Members of family in Government Service, None-

Remarks: Mr. Babcock is an efficient employee, deserving of this promotion.

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

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Mgeager
Chief Clerk.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAY 23 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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S Cruzey
Acting Commissioner

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

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES MAY 10 1918

MAY 10 1918 12 10 PM

I, Maurice A. Babcock

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.

Maurice A Babcock

(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 9th day of May, A. D. 191 8.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Grafton Dutman

(Official title) Justice of the Peace

My commission expires My commission expires Mar. 29, 1925.

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Third Assistant Keeper-	$456 per annum-	Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.
Former [5] ---	---	---

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, Second District

Boston, Mass., (Address) May 9, 1918. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on April 8, 1918. (Date)

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Yeager

(Signature, followed by title) Chief Clerk.

[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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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 30, 1918.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

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, Third Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Four Hundred and Fifty-six dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you entered upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. - - - -) issued by the local Civil Service Board for the Second Lighthouse District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

CARDED

(Signed) Clifford Hastings

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: W. F. Cotelle.

Legal Residence: Massachusetts.

(See reverse side.)

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED APR 30 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

11—3085

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

LIGHT
APR 24 1918
HOUSES

WGY-LG

Maurice A. Babcock,
Appointment-

April 22, 1918.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:-

On March 27th, this office forwarded to the Secretary, First Civil Service District, the nomination of Maurice A. Babcock, as 2d Assistant Keeper, Cape Ann Light Station, effective April 8th or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

This nomination was approved by the Civil Service office on March 28th, and forwarded to the Bureau. The appointment has never been received. In the meanwhile, as the man's services were required and as his appointment was expected, arrangements were made and he was placed on duty on the date specified, April 8th.

It is now requested that the appointment, when issued, be made effective April 8th, the date of entrance on duty.

Goodwin

Inspector.

Form 73
WGY-WBJ

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 30 1918

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., March 27, 1918
(City.) (Date.)

RECEIVED MAR 27 1918 FIRST C. S. DIST.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment-

APPOINTMENTS

1918 APR 30 AM 10 24

Name, Maurice A. Babcock- Legal residence, Massachusetts-

Position, Third Assistant Keeper- Salary, $456 per annum-

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.- Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses, 1918-

Effective April 8, 1918 { the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, -- Former salary, --

Location, --

CHIEF CLERK
1918 APR 29

Rank on eligible list, 3/5 Assistant Light-house Keeper Rating, Percentage, 83.0, Other eligibles considered:
W.S.Thompson, D; C.A.Dow, C; J.F.Sweeney, C; F.H.Parsons, D, restored-

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN APR 30 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Previous incumbent, W. F. Cotelle - Services terminated, March 31, 1918-

Reason, Promoted- L. 2 arc

Members of family in Government Service, None-

Remarks: Quarters are provided for the families of Keepers at this station. Mr. Babcock has had no previous Government service. He appeared at the office and gave clear record in previous employment.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, MAR 28 1918, 191

Inadvertently filed.

B. L. Salmon
Secretary, 1st Civil Service District.

Goodrich
Inspector.

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McC-HFC
1 inclosure.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

April 29, 1918.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. Referring to the inclosed letter of inquiry from the Second Inspector of April 22, 1918, it is stated that delay in forwarding was due to nomination having been inadvertently filed in the Bureau. It is accordingly recommended that prior date appointment be issued in this case, effective April 8, 1918.

1918 APR 29 PM 3 50

Stanway
Acting Commissioner

H-30-18

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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File 75

10 September 1948
FA-PA 75

General Accounting Office
Claims Division
Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Reference your file Misc- 2907427. Inclosed is a letter of Mr. Maurice A. Babcock, a retired member of the former Lighthouse Service, in which he claims the difference due in retired pay based on gross salary, which includes the amount deducted as a charge for occupancy of Government quarters, over that paid him based on net salary, for the period November 1, 1941 to June 30, 1947. In this connection, reference is made to the Comptroller General's decision of October 23, 1947 (B-70029).

Also inclosed is Standard Form 50 (9 Part), describing this retirement. This form shows correct computation of retired pay to be $1099.07 per annum, whereas, for the period November 1, 1941 to June 30, 1947, Mr. Babcock was paid at the rate of $957.94 per annum - an underpayment of $141.13 per year, or $11.76 per month.

Computation of the amount due and appropriations chargeable are as follow:

2021255 - Retired Pay, Former Lighthouse Service, Coast Guard,	1942 -	$ 94.08
2031255 - " " " " " " "	1943 -	$ 141.13
2041255 - " " " " " " "	1944 -	$ 141.13
2051255 - " " " " " " "	1945 -	$ 141.13
2061255 - " " " " " " "	1946 -	$ 141.13
2071255 - " " " " " " "	1947 -	$ 141.13
TOTAL		$ 799.73

For tax withholding purposes, the records of this office show that Mr. Babcock claims 2 exemptions.

Mr. Babcock's mailing address is Box 52, Searsmont, Maine, and his claim is forwarded for settlement. No part of this claim has been or will be paid by this office.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

A. F. MACKAY
Lieutenant, USCG
Chief, Pay and Audit Section

Incls:
1. Claimant's letter dtd 12/23/47
2. Standard Form 50 (9 Part)

CC: Claimant
Budget Division, Sta. 6-3

JEMuzik:RB
9/9/48 6-7

GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25

CLAIMS DIVISION
IN REPLY PLEASE QUOTE

March 22, 1948

Misc-2907427-PP

U.S. COAST GUARD HDQTRS
MAIL & FILES SECTION
RECEIVED MAR 29 1948 (111)

Treasury Department,
United States Coast Guard,
Washington 25, D. C.

Sirs:

Transmitted herewith for administrative examination and report is the claim of Maurice Alendo Babcock, Searsmont, Maine, for the difference between retirement pay received based on net salary and that alleged to be due based on gross salary, as a former employee of the United States Lighthouse Service.

In connection therewith, it is requested that this office be furnished with copies of claimant's appointment, promotions, or any other personnel action taken while he was in a pay status for the five year period immediately prior to the date he became separated from the service and placed on retirement, together with a copy of his notice of retirement, showing the date retired and last day of duty.

It is also requested that a pay roll voucher be furnished showing the basis on which his retirement pay was computed and the amount he would have received if his retirement pay had been based on his gross salary, together with any other pertinent facts relative thereto. The payroll voucher should include complete citation to the appropriations or appropriations from which paid from the beginning of his retirement to the present date.

The enclosure should be returned with your report.

Respectfully,

P. E. Sours
Chief of Section

Enclosure

STANDARD FORM 50 (9 PART)
UNITED STATES
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
OCTOBER 1946

FORM APPROVED.
BUDGET BUREAU NO. 50-R064.

NOTIFICATION OF PERSONNEL ACTION

1. NAME (MR.—MISS—MRS.—FIRST—MIDDLE INITIAL—LAST)	2. DATE OF BIRTH	3. JOURNAL OR ACTION NO.	4. DATE
Babcock, Maurice A. (Mr.)	4-3-1888	6	8-25-48

This is to notify you of the following action affecting your employment:

5. NATURE OF ACTION (USE STANDARD TERMINOLOGY)	6. EFFECTIVE DATE	7. CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY
AMENDMENT Retirement (Disability)	Close 10-31-41	

FROM		TO
Keeper	8. POSITION TITLE	
Range $1440-1800) Plus $1680 per annum) $240 p.a. Qtrs.	9. SERVICE, GRADE, SALARY	
U. S. Coast Guard	10. ORGANIZATIONAL DESIGNATIONS	
Boston, Mass. Boston Lt. Sta., Mass.	11. HEADQUARTERS	
[X] FIELD [ ] DEPARTMENTAL	12. FIELD OR DEPT'L	[ ] FIELD [ ] DEPARTMENTAL

13. REMARKS

In accordance with the Comptroller General's Decision B-70029 dated 10-23-47, which reversed Decision A-31584 of 5-28-30, your retirement pay has been recomputed on the basis of the average gross pay (which includes the valuation of quarters for the period occupied) received during the last five years of your active duty. The computation on this basis changes the rate of your retirement pay from $957.94 to $1099.07, and this notice is issued in order that you may have accurate information as to the rate of retirement pay which you are authorized to receive.

Total Service: 23 years, 6 months, 8 days.

Computation: ($1869.00 x 23.5222 ÷ 40) = $1099.07

H. L. Morgan
H. L. MORGAN
Chief, Civilian Personnel Division
14. SIGNATURE OR OTHER AUTHENTICATION

15. VETERAN'S PREFERENCE							16. POSITION CLASSIFICATION ACTION			
NONE	5 PT.	10 POINT			WWII	WWI	OTHER	NEW	VICE	I. A.	REAL.
		DISAB.	WIFE	WIDOW							
X											

17. SEX	18. RACE	19. APPROPRIATION	20. SUBJECT TO C.S. RETIREMENT ACT (YES—NO)	21. DATE OF OATH (ACCESSIONS ONLY)	22. LEGAL RESIDENCE
M		FROM: Civilian Employees, CG TO:	LH 3-4-25		Mass.

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4. PERSONNEL FOLDER COPY

AUG 26 1948

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Searsmont Maine
31 Jan. 1947

U.S. Coast Guard
Washington D.C.

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FEB 4 '47 PM

Sir:- The Commandant
Refer:- (TA-PA)
Subj:- Change of permanent address for mailing retirement pay check.

I am now 26 Main St. Lubec, Maine, & not 52 Searsmont, Maine.

Maurice A Babcock Apr. Ret.

chg of Pay
Record
2-3-47

3-72 file 75

Lubec Maine
Nov 12/46

U.S. Coast Guard
Allotment Disbursing Officer
Washington D.C.

Sir

Retirement pay check for Oct. received Nov 6th. No signature card inclosed for next month. Please forward same.

Maurice A Babcock
Lt. Ret.

Answered by form letter 11/22/46

HEADQUARTERS

...S THE COMMANDANT, U. S. COAST GUARD
...D REFER TO No. CP-475

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

WASHINGTON 27 October, 1941.

Mr. Webb

From: Commandant.
To: Commander, Boston District.

Subject: Retirement of Maurice A. Babcock, keeper, Boston Lt.Sta., effective close 31 October, 1941.

Inclosure: (A) Form 2249, Department Notice of Retirement.

1. The inclosure is approval of retirement under the Lighthouse Service Retirement Law.

2. In order to preclude the possibility of overpayment, it is requested that Headquarters be advised as early as practicable as to the payroll (stating D. O. Voucher Number, name of disbursing officer, and symbol number) on which this person was paid for his last (final) actice duty. In furnishing this information, state also the period covered by the final payment and the amount thereof.

N. R. STILES,
By direction.

Mailing address:

30 Quarry Road,
Milton, Massachusetts.

1 Nov. '41

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
BOSTON DISTRICT

BOSTON, MASS.

U. S. COAST GUARD
RECD NOV 6 - 1941

4 November, 1941

From: Senior Coast Guard Officer, First Naval District.
To: Commandant.

Subject: Maurice A.Babcock, Keeper, Boston Light Station, Mass.; retirement close 31 October, 1941.

Reference: (a) Headquarters' letter, 27 October,1941 (CP-75).

1. You are advised that final payment to the above subject employee was made on Keepers' payroll for October, 1941, D.O. Voucher No. 1-40821, Accounts G.F.Allen, C.D.O., 101-101. The payment was made for the period 1-14 October, 1941, in the amount of $65.33 and employee was in a leave without pay status during remainder of month.

L. H. BAKER,
Acting.

Form 9626
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD
Sept. 1930

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U. S. COAST GUARD

OFFICIAL DISPATCH

TRANSMIT

DATE 27 OCTOBER 1941

FROM COMMANDANT COAST GUARD HEADQUARTERS		CODE
		CIPHER
TO (FOR ACTION) COMMANDER BOSTON DISTRICT		ACKNOWLEDGE
		PRIORITY
UNLESS DESIGNATED OTHERWISE TRANSMIT THIS DISPATCH AS NITE.	X	ROUTINE
TO (FOR INFORMATION)		ACKNOWLEDGE
		PRIORITY
		ROUTINE

MAIL TO

TELEPHONE TO

MESSENGER TO

CG44MO

OUTGOING HEADING

272231

TEXT

YOUR 251702 RETIREMENT MAURICE A BABCOCK APPROVED AND FORWARDED THIS DATE

VICTOR INGLOTT FOUND DISABLED AND RETIREMENT RECOMMENDED AS PROPOSED

REF: ADVISE STATUS RETIREMENTS KEEPER MAURICE A BABCOCK 1ST ASSISTANT ENGINEER VICTOR INGLOTT RECOMMENDED EFFECTIVE CLOSE 31 OCT 1941

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PERSONNEL
N R S

OPERATOR'S RECORD. OFFICIAL BUSINESS. INITIALS OF "RELEASING" OFFICER.

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FORM 9619
TREASURY DEPT.

U. S. COAST GUARD

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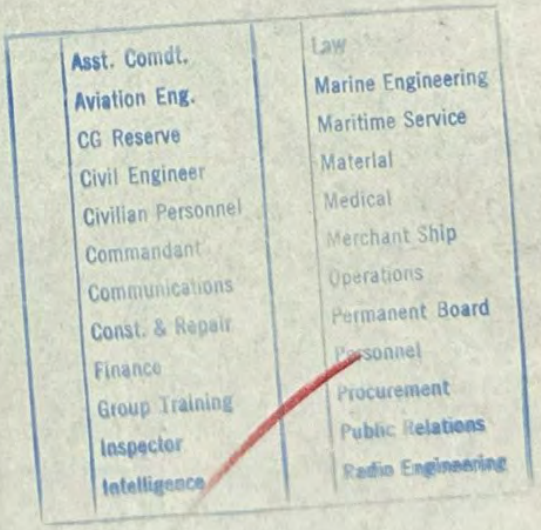
FROM: COMBOSDIST

ACTION: COMMANDANT

INFORM:

TEXT

ADVISE STATUS RETIREMENTS KEEPER MAURICE A BABCOCK 1ST ASSISTANT ENGINEER VICTOR INGLOTT RECOMMENDED EFFECTIVE CLOSE 31 OCT 1941



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OPERATOR'S RECORD AND DATE

OFFICIAL INITIALS

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 1-41

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PAGE: 1

TO:

Date Prepared 13 October, 1941.

Name: Babcock, Maurice A.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.:

Retirement, disability

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	
Grade	Field(Range $1440-1800)	
Salary	$1680 p.a. plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.	
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U.S. Coast Guard	
Headquarters	Boston, Mass.	
Post of Duty	Boston Lt.Sta., Mass.	
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C.G.	
Allotment		

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

EFFECTIVE *Remarks:* Close October 31, 1941.

The annual rate of retired pay is $957.94.

Justification:

Total service: 23 years, 6 months, and 6 days.
Computation: ($1629 x years 23.5222 ÷ 40) $957.94.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 4-3-1886

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Mass.

SEX: M RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

HAS C. S. COMM. ALLOWED VETERAN'S PREFERENCE? No

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act 1-1-25

DATE OF OATH

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY 10-27-41

BUREAU OR DIVISION PERSONNEL FILES

OCT 27 1941

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER

COAST GUARD HEADQUARTERS

Date 14 October, 1941

Memorandum for-Chief Personnel Records.

Subject: BABCOCK, Maurice A.; Keeper, Boston Light Station.

Reference: (a) Form 2523 - Certificate of Medical Examination, Disability Retirement, Civilian Personnel - 12 August, 1941.

1. The medical evidence contained in reference (a) has been reviewed and found satisfactory. It is recommended that subject-named man be retired for physical disability.

Carl Michel

CARL MICHEL,
Medical Director.

Form 9

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~
U. S. COAST GUARD

U. S. COAST GUARD
RECD OCT 13 1941
MEDICAL SECTION
BY

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Commander, Boston District,
~~Superintendent of Lighthouses,~~

U. S. COAST GUARD, ~~District~~

BOSTON, MASS.
(City)

~~U. S. COAST GUARD~~
RECD OCT 13 1941

Date 1 August, 1941.

I hereby apply for disability retirement from active duty in the ~~Lighthouse~~ Coast Guard Service effective 31 October, 1941, on the basis of service shown hereon.

Maurice A. Babcock
(Name)

Keeper, Boston Light Station.
(Designation)

Mailing address
30 Quarry Road,
Milton, Mass.

OFFICE OF ~~SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES~~ Commander, Boston District.

City Boston, Mass. *Date* 3 October, 1941.

COMMANDANT, U. S. COAST GUARD,

Submitted to ~~Commissioner of Lighthouses~~, Washington, D. C., recommending retirement at $ 957.94 per annum, effective at the close of 31 October, 1941.

It is certified that the record of service and pay shown on Page 2 is correct as shown by the records of this office, and that all Government service shown has been verified. Mr. Babcock has sufficient annual and sick leave to carry him to the close of 15 October, 1941.

P. U. SMENTON, By direction. ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, *Washington, D. C.*,

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, recommending approval.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

FOR USE OF DEPARTMENT

11—10551

Form 9

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Name Maurice A. Babcock Date of birth April 3, 1888.

Designation Keeper

RECORD OF ALL ACTIVE GOVERNMENT SERVICE

(Including military, naval, and civilian service. Each department, branch, or independent office in which applicant served in a civilian capacity should be listed separately)

	Beginning			Ending			Remarks
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year	
Army							
Navy							
Marine Corps							
Civilian employment Lighthouse & Coast Guard Service.	Apr.	8	1918	Oct.	15	1941	
Total service	23 years, 6 months, 8 days.						

Does applicant receive or has he applied for a pension from the Government under any law? No. If so, give number of pension certificate or of claim:

Amended to include qtrs. as result Comp. Gen. Dec. B-70029 dated 10-23-47.

STATEMENT BY FISCAL YEARS OF BASIC PAY RECEIVED DURING LAST FIVE YEARS OF ACTIVE SERVICE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING EFFECTIVE DATE OF RETIREMENT

(Compute service on basis of 30 days a month. Do not include periods of leave without pay, rations, quarters, or other allowance)

Designation	Beginning			Ending			Number Days in Pay Status (P. D. or P. H. personnel)	Rate of Pay	Pay Received
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year			
Pay	Oct.	16	1936	Oct.	15	1941	5 yrs.	total	8145.00 ✓
Quarters	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	240.00	1200.00
									9345.00 ✓

Total compensation for last five years of active service $9345.00 ✓

Average compensation for last five years of active service $1869.00 ✓

Annual rate of retired pay ($1869.00 ✓ × years 23.5222 ✓ 40) = $1099.07 ✓

(Not exceeding 30)

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JJH

number of claim: .....

Does applicant receive or has he applied for compensation under the Federal Compensation Act, as amended? No.

If so, state the compensation received: .....

STATEMENT BY FISCAL YEARS OF BASIC PAY RECEIVED DURING LAST FIVE YEARS OF ACTIVE SERVICE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING EFFECTIVE DATE OF RETIREMENT

(Compute service on basis of 30 days a month. Do not include periods of leave without pay, rations, quarters, or other allowance)

Designation	Beginning			Ending			Rate of Pay	Pay Received
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year		
Keeper	Oct.	16	1936	June	30	1937	$1620.pa.	1147.50
	July	1	1937	June	30	1938	1620.pa.	1620.00
	July	1	1938	June	30	1939	1620.pa.	1620.00
	July	1	1939	June	30	1940	1620.pa.	1620.00
	July	1	1940	Jan.	15	1941	1620.pa.	877.50
	Jan.	16	1941	June	30	1941	1680.pa.	770.00
	July	1	1941	Oct.	15	1941	1680.pa.	490.00

Total compensation for last five years of active service $8145.00

Average compensation for last five years of active service $1629.00.

Annual rate of retired pay ($ 1629.00 × years 23.5222 ÷ 40) = $957.94.

(Not exceeding 30)

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PAGE:

TO:

Date Prepared
January 10, 1941

Name:
Babcock, Maurice A.

From:
U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No:

Promotion

	FROM	TO
Position		Keeper
Grade		
Salary	Field (Range $1440-1800) $1620 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.	Field (Range $1440-1800) $1680 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.
Bureau or Div.		
Organizational Subdivisions		U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters		
Post of Duty		Boston, Mass.
Appropriation		Boston Light Station, Mass.
Allotment		Civilian Employees, C.G.
Field or Deptl.		Field

EFFECTIVE
Remarks: January 16, 1941

Justification:

No increase in pay since July 2, 1930.

S. P. MEHLMAN,
Lt. Commander, U. S. Coast Guard,
Acting Assistant Personnel Officer.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION

DATE OF BIRTH

LEGAL RESIDENCE

SEX M RACE W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT?

Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH
6-20-18

BUREAU SUSPENSE AND FILE COPY

N.J.M.

CP-75

28 May, 1940.

From: Commandant.
To: Commander, Boston District.

Subject: Forms 6, Personal History Statements, for Charles A. Baker, Ralph C. Norwood, Per F. Tornberg, and Maurice A. Babcock.

Inclosure: 1. Form 6 for subject employees.

1. The attached forms 6 for the subject employees are returned for completion of item 3. If these employees have not changed their legal residence since their entrance on duty, the legal residence they claimed at that time should be given, after which the forms should be returned to Headquarters. In the case of Charles A. Baker, the city or town in which he was born should be shown under item 4.

By direction,

W. N. DERBY,
Assistant Personnel Officer.

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MAILED
MAY 29 1940
MAIL DESK

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STANDARD FORM NO. 6
(Approved by the President 8/8/24)
Revised Dec. 5, 1928

U. S. COAST GUARD
RECEIVED
OCT 10 1940
COMMANDER, BOSTON DISTRICT
COAST GUARD

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or establishment UNITED STATES COAST GUARD, Date 10 Oct 1939

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss, or Mrs.~~) Babcock (Surname) Maurice (Given name) Alendo (Middle name)
2. Present address Boston Light Station (Number, Street) Hull (City) Mass. (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence ~~not registered~~ Marion (State and Congressional District) Mass. (County) (City or town)
4. Where born Canada (State or foreign country) Campobello Island N.B. (City or town) When born April 3 1888 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien American, born of American parents.
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

SEX		MARITAL CONDITION				RACE. (If other, state which)	
Male √	Female	Single	Married √	Divorced	Widowed	White √	Colored

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you 2, Wife 50, Son 13.
8. A complete record of your past service for the United States Government other than military or naval:

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
U.S.L.H.S.	Cape Ann Light Station	Asst. Keeper	$ 456.	April	8	1918	—	—	—
	Gay Head Light Station	to	to						
	Bird Island Light Station	Keeper	$						
	Boston Light Station	in charge	1860.						
			per annum						

9. Are any members of your family, who are domiciled with you, in the U. S. Government service? If so, state below:

NAME	POSITION AND DEPARTMENT OR OFFICE IN WHICH EMPLOYED	RELATIONSHIP
None	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	

10. Do you now hold any State or municipal office? If so, state below:

None (Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)

11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?

No (Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

12. Military and naval record. If any, check (√) to indicate branch and other information, and give dates of enlistment and discharge:

None √	Army	Navy	Marine Corps	Coast Guard	War veteran	Pensioner	Veterans' Bureau beneficiary

Enlisted ..... Discharged .....
Rank ..... Rank .....
Organization ..... Organization .....

Enlisted ..... Discharged .....
Rank ..... Rank .....
Organization ..... Organization .....

[OVER]

10—1930

13. State any special qualifications not involved in your present position (for instance, lawyer, physician, civil engineer, knowledge of foreign languages, etc.) None

14. Statement of principal employment other than with the United States Government:

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	POSITION AND CHARACTER OF WORK	LENGTH OF SERVICE
	Fisherman	8 years
H. A. Garnett	Clerk. Grocery Store	1 year
A C Frankland Co	Clerk Fish Business	6 Years

15. Education. Indicate by circling the number of years:

Common school	High school	College	(Name of college, degrees, and dates conferred)
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 (8)	(1) 2 3 4	1 2 3 4	

16. In case of emergency, notify Mary J. Babcock

Relationship wife Post office address Boston Lights Station, Hull, Mass

I certify that the foregoing answers are correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Maurice A. Babcock
(Name as usually written and which will be used as official signature)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1930

Copy of this form has not been sent to the Department

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
CHELSEA, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1932 APR-25- AM 9:32

SECOND DISTRICT

Boston Light Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Apr. 18, 1932

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Chelsea, Mass.

OPH 4/25

1. Left my station April 17th, about 6 PM, giving assistance to Coast Guard men off Stony Beach Station, in taking twelve men, one being seriously hurt - in fact unconscious - from motor boat EZ, stranded on Northwest side of Great Brewster Bar, landing same on main land about 11 P.M.

2. Owing to strong winds did not return to station until early A.M. April 18th.

/signed/ Babcock
Keeper

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Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Chelsea, Mass., April 22, 1932.

Forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses, for his information only.

Eaton

Geo. E. Eaton
Superintendent

PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATION BOARD FORM NO. [redacted] FIELD QUESTIONNAIRE
(To be filled out in accordance with the instructions given in P. C. B. Forms Nos. 15 and 16)

Bureau No. [redacted]1289 *Sheet No.* 2(b)7

Space reserved for the use of the Board

1. Babcock (Surname) Marion (Given name) A. (Initial)

2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouses
4. Field service Lighthouse Service
5. (a) Field station Boston Light Station
   (b) Subdivision Second District
   (c) City or town Fort Warren, Boston State Mass.

6. Pay roll title Light Keeper
7. Customary office title Keeper
8. Present administrative allocation $1440-1740
9. Present gross rate of pay $ 1800.00
10. Deduction for allowances $ 240.00
11. Net rate paid in cash $ 1560.00

12. Indicate by an "X" in the proper box or boxes the kind of allowances, if any, received by the employee:
☒ House ☐ Room { ☐ Furnished ☐ Unfurnished } ☐ Heat ☒ Fuel ☒ Light ☐ Laundry ☐ Uniform ☐ Subsistence or rations in kind Meals per day: ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3

13. Describe any other allowance, privilege, or perquisite of value

14. If any special equipment or a bond is required by law or regulation to be furnished at the employee's expense, state kind and annual cost Uniform - $50.00

15. (a) Regular hours of work: From No regular hours m. to m. (b) How many hours per week excluding unusual or irregular overtime work?
Summer Winter (c) If not a full time and all-the-year-round position, state number of hours per day;
number of days per { week / month / year } (d) If certain hours of availability for duty, outside of regular working hours, are required, state hours and type of such duty

16. (a) Rate of pay for overtime (b) Amount of overtime pay in last 12 months

17. (a) Does the employee in any way direct or supervise other employees? (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering)
Has direct supervision of two assistant keepers and lays out and directs their work.
(c) How many? 2

18. If the employee supervises other persons through immediate contact, give the name and the sheet numbers of such persons. (For such of these as may not be covered by questionnaires, give number and kinds by occupations.) If the employee exercises supervision through section or division heads, give the title of such sections or divisions and the names and sheet numbers of their heads.
Mahlon Dunn Sheet No. 2(b)8
Chester J. Wheeler " No. 2(b)9

19. (a) Is the employee in any way directed, supervised, or instructed, or his work reviewed? Yes (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering.)
Works largely upon his own responsibility but is governed by general directions set forth in instructions to employees and by specific oral and written instructions from the Superintendent; works without close observation of his superiors, but is subject to periodical inspections by the Superintendent without previous notice.
George B. Eaton Superintendent.

20. What is the name, official position, and sheet number of the employee's immediate superior? Sheet No. 2(a)1

21. Employee's education: Strike an "X" over the number representing the highest grade or year completed in each type of school:

Elementary								High				Normal				College				Postgraduate or professional				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	(Kind)

Other education (describe):

22. What length of experience or other training did the employee possess upon original entrance into this position which was most qualifying or pertinent?
[redacted] yrs in Lighthouse Service as asst. keeper

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to the work described in that paragraph. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO COMPOSE THIS STATEMENT WITHOUT FOLLOWING THE INSTRUCTIONS OF P. C. B. FORM NO. 15.

Percentage of working time

First and most important, light and fog signal. Lamps of the oil vapor type, clock work revolving apparatus, fog signal, first class air siren horn, air furnished by oil burning internal combustion engines, compressors attached.

Very important that I should have fair mechanical ability in order to keep the above mentioned apparatus in first class running condition at all times and to teach new men whenever changes in personnel occur, to properly operate same, doing general repair work, such as replacing broken parts, general overhauling, cleaning and replacing valves when necessary, occasional soldering, such as unions to copper feed lines, lubricating oil leads etc., breaking loose by vibration, also standing equal watch duty eight out of twenty four hours.

Planing work such as caring for grounds, mowing grass, washing paint, cleaning brass, glass, etc. Painting dwellings, other buildings, whitewashing light tower and other stone or brick buildings, walls etc.

Buildings to be kept in repair: two dwellings, boat house, two sheds, oilhouse, light tower (98 feet high) range light, two out door toilets, fences, platforms, wharfs, station boats, numbering two row dories and one motor dory. Doing minor repairs, carpenter work, setting glass etc., everything pertinent to the upkeep of the station in general, helping to do above mentioned work on station.

Bookkeeping, consisting of journal, a record of all important work, weather conditions, working condition of light and fog signal apparatus, making monthly reports to district office on same along with fog signal report, hours run, amount of fuel oil and lubricating oil expended, annual property returns, ordering supplies, keeping a record of all supplies expended etc.

Going for supplies and mail, being capable of handling small boats in all kinds of weather, squalls and the like. Work and watches being mixed make

24. I hereby certify that the foregoing was composed by me after reading P. C. B. Form No. 15, and that it is a true statement of my duties.

Maurice A. Babcock
(Signature of Employee)

25. TO THE PREPARING OFFICER: Write your own description of the employee's work. If in describing the work of the position you would cover the same subject matter and use the same language and expressions, indicate your concurrence in the employee's statement and utilize the rest of the space below by giving further and broader information regarding the position, such as the kind and degree of responsibility involved, the ultimate purpose of the work, its place in your organization, its working conditions, etc. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet. See instructions in Form No. 16.

I concur in the foregoing

26. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? 10 years

27. I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the statements made by me on both sides of this sheet are accurate and complete.

September 29, 1928 (Date) — Edward J. Cowram (Signature of Preparing Officer) — Chief Clerk (Title)

28. I hereby certify that I have read all of the foregoing and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made on both sides of this sheet are accurate and complete, except as indicated in attached memorandum, marked ____. In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $1440 to $1740

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OCT -8 1928, 1928 (Date) — J. S. CONWAY (Signature of head of bureau or his representative) — Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses (Title)

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it impossible to give any percentage of time for each item as requested by item twentythree of questionnaire, hours of duty average twelve out of twentyfour hours, anything over six hours from station unless detained by weather conditions supposed to be taken from thirty days annual leave including sick leave.

Last but not least, being isolated, shut off from recreation and amusements, boarding children for school, methods of years ago, such as, outdoor toilets rainwater drawn from cistern in cellar by old fashioned kitchen pumps, no bathroom, using the common washtub for such purposes, all very trying conditions, which should be considered.

Maurice A. Babcock.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK

WASHINGTON

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SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES NOV 29 1926 2nd DIST. CHELSEA, MASS.

November 23, 1926.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In his memorandum of November 16, 1926, the Second Superintendent states that the promotion of Maurice A. Babcock, keeper, from $1320 to $1440 per annum became effective August 26, 1926. This information is submitted in response to the Department's request of November 12.

From an analysis of the circumstances leading to the promotion of this employee, it appears that he was transferred to the position of keeper at Boston Light Station, which was vacated by James L. Hart at the close of August 5. Presumably, by reason of the fact that Babcock's position at Bird Island Light Station was filled on August 26, 1926, his promotion, effective on that date, to $1440 was proposed by the Superintendent under date of August 31, 1926. The nomination, however, was not received from the Bureau until September 4, on which date it was approved by the Department. Since no intimation was given that the promotion in question was recommended under conditions constituting an emergency it was assumed by the Department that it would not become effective on a date prior to that on which authorized. As a definite date could not well be fixed, Mr. Babcock was consequently informed by letter bearing date of September 4, 1926, that his compensation had been increased to $1440 per annum "upon entrance on duty."

Concerning the Superintendent's request to be informed whether it is necessary to report effective dates when the nomination form gives the actual date of entrance on duty: As it is sometimes impossible to secure Departmental approval of recommendation on or before the date on which the action recommended is to become effective, the fact that a promotion (or for that matter, any other action) has been recommended to become effective on a certain date does not necessarily mean that Departmental authorization will have been procured in sufficient time to warrant the appointment or promotion, as the case may be, becoming effective on the date given by the field officer. The instant case will serve as an illustration. Generally speaking, unless specifically authorized, dates of entrance on duty or promotion cannot antedate the date of certificates of appointment or notices of increase in salary. Certificates of appointment or notices of increase in salary in which provision is made for assignment to duty or promotion on a date prior to that on which

approved by the Department are issued only in emergency cases. Nominations covering such cases must contain a certification to the effect that the action proposed was necessary for the proper safeguarding of life or property, and the circumstances or conditions constituting the emergency must be set forth. (See the Department's letter of October 12, 1922, concerning emergency cases.) When a notice similar to the one issued to Mr. Babcock does not provide for an effective date, the date of effectiveness should be reported to the Department in the usual manner. Such a report need not, of course, be made in cases requiring an oath of office.

Chief Clerk.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
NOV 27 1926
Chelsea, Mass.

To Superintendent of Lighthouses,----

for his information, action and return with report.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHTHOUSES

1926 DEC 1 PM 4 C8

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.
CHELSEA, MASS.
November 30, 1926

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Subject: Promotion Maurice A. Babcock, keeper.

Reference: Bureau's endorsement November 27 on Department letter November 23, 1926.

Babcock's appointment was really an emergency one, and it should have been so stated on his nomination. It was necessary that he should take up his new duties immediately upon the termination of his old ones. The office notes the Department's instructions, which will be observed in the future.

Eaton
Superintendent.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C. December 2, 1926.
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce, attention being invited to Department letter of November 23, 1926 in the matter.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES

LGJ

1923 SEP 27 AM 10 02

September 25, 1923.

My dear Mr. Babcock:

I have read with interest your report forwarded from the Superintendent at Boston, regarding your rescue from drowning of a young man whose small boat capsized in the vicinity of the light station on September 12, 1923, and also the saving of his boat. Your act reflects credit on the Lighthouse Service, and I am pleased to commend you for your heroic work in this instance, which commendation will be noted on official records.

Cordially yours,

S. B. DAVIS

Acting Secretary of Commerce.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock, Keeper,
Bird Island Light Station, Massachusetts.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files. S. B. DAVIS

Exact copy as signed by

Mailed by

Bureau of Lighthouses, Wash., Copy to 2nd Supt.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

GEE-EWS

SEP 25 1923

Commended
Copy to Sec'y
Copy to Asst Sec'y
Copy to Comm'r.

1923 SEP 21 AM 9 07

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

September 19, 1923.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Subject: Letter of commendation.

1. Forwarded herewith is a letter from the Keeper of Bird Island Light Station relative to rescue of young man from drowning.

2. It is recommended that the Keeper, Maurice A. Babcock, be commended for his action.

Hydro.
Engr.
Mar. Engr.
Insp.
Accts.
Constr.
Chf. Clk.
Stenog.
Comm.

Geo. E. Eaton,
Superintendent.

Dept commended
Bulletin
9/21

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BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES 2d DIST. SEP 17 1923 RECEIVED BOSTON, MASS.

SECOND DISTRICT

Bird Island Light
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

1923 SEP 21 AM 2

Sept 13 1923

Supt 2d Lighthouse,

On Sept 12th while lighting up, sighted skiff capsized boat about one mile South West of Station, on going to same find 1 occupant a young man who had been in water clinging to boat about 3 or 4 hours. After landing him on station and making him comfortable for night, went back and saved two boats also telephoned his parents of Mattapoisett who came after him Sept 13 early A.M.

Babcock, Keeper

Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES MAY 23 1918

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
~~Personnel~~
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

MAY 23 1918 10 00 AM

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES: Boston, Mass., (City.) May 21 (Date.), 1918.

Action recommended, Promotion-

Name, Maurice A. Babcock- Legal residence, Massachusetts-

Position, Second Assistant Keeper- Salary, $480 per annum-

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.- Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses-

Effective June 1, 1918 ~~the date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Third Assistant Keeper- Former salary, $456 per annum-

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.-

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

Previous incumbent, Walter F. Cotelle- Services terminated, May 31, 1918-

Reason, Transfer-

Members of family in Government Service, None-

Remarks: Mr. Babcock is an efficient employee, deserving of this promotion.

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

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Mcager
Chief Clerk.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAY 23 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner

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

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

LIGHT
MAY 1 1918
HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

MAY 1 1918 1 35 PM

April 30, 1918.

Mr. Maurice A. Babcock,

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, Third Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Four Hundred and Fifty-six dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you entered upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. - - - -) issued by the local Civil Service Board for the Second Lighthouse District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

M
C

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: W. F. Cotelle.

Legal Residence: Massachusetts.

(See reverse side.)

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Maurice A. Babcock,
probationary appt.

May 6, 1918.

Lighthouse Inspector, Boston, Mass.:

Referring to your nomination dated March 27, 1918, for the probationary appointment of Maurice A. Babcock, 3rd assistant keeper of Cape Ann Light Station, Mass., which was not submitted to the Department for approval until April 29, 1918.

You are advised that delay in acting on nomination was due to fact that it was inadvertently filed in Bureau.

Acting Commissioner

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT
APR 24 1918
HOUSES

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2d DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.
APR 24 1918 10 14 AM

WGY-LG

April 22, 1918.

Maurice A. Babcock,
Appointment-

4/29/18 Wrote Dept.
5/6/18 Wrote Dept

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
~~Personnel~~
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

Mr Cahoon: Please explain how you filed room without its having been acted on. 3d Can you recall what you did with carbon copy. Make thorough search.
McC 4/25

Commissioner of Lighthouses:-

On March 27th, this office forwarded to the Secretary, First Civil Service District, the nomination of Maurice A. Babcock, as ~~2d~~ Assistant Keeper, Cape Ann Light Station, effective April 8th or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Mr. McEnaney I cannot remember how I came to put paper in files and will have to plead the short length of time I had before me desk, and the urgency of many matters which were pressing for attention. H.F.C.

This nomination was approved by the Civil Service office on March 28th, and forwarded to the Bureau. The appointment has never been received. In the meanwhile, as the man's services were required and as his appointment was expected, arrangements were made and he was placed on duty on the date specified, April 8th.

It is now requested that the appointment, when issued, be made effective April 8th, the date of entrance on duty.

Rec'd note Dept for prior date appt. with expl that delay was due to paper being inadvertently filed in Bureau
McC 4/26

Inspector.

TSC 4/27

FWCT-WBJ

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., (City.) March 27 (Date.), 1918

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Sir: I have the honor to recommend the following action:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment-

Name, Maurice A. Babcock- Legal residence, Massachusetts-

Position, Third Assistant Keeper- Salary, $456 per annum-

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.- Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses, 1918-

Effective April 8, 1918 ✓ the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Hydrog. / Engr. Cons. / Mar. Engr. / Accounts. / Contracts / Chf. Clk. / Dep. Commr. / Commr.

RECEIVED MAR 27 1918 FIRST C. S. DIST.

Former position, --

Location, --

Rank on eligible list, 5 Rating Assistant Lighthouse Keeper Percentage, 83.0, Other eligibles considered: W.S.Thompson, D; C.A.Dow, C; J.F.Sweeney, C; F.H.Parsons, D, restored-

Previous incumbent, W. F. Cotelle - Services terminated, March 31, 1918-

Reason, Promoted-

Members of family in Government Service, None-

Remarks: Quarters are provided for the families of Keepers at this station. Mr. Babcock has had no previous Government service. He appeared at the office and gave clear record in previous employment.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, MAR 28 1918, 191

B. L. Palmer
Secretary, 1st Civil Service District.

Goodrich
Inspector.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

April 29, 1918.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. Referring to the inclosed letter of inquiry from the Second Inspector of April 22, 1918, it is stated that delay in forwarding was due to nomination having been inadvertently filed in the Bureau. It is accordingly recommended that prior date appointment be issued in this case, effective April 8, 1918.

Acting Commissioner

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† Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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