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REQUESTER INFORMATION

Name (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Researcher ID Card Number
Burns, Andrew	4563213
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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
Brady, William, S.		

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:

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Andrew B Burns

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service (FL)		
From: 1919	To: 1920	
(Agency & Location)		
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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Final Return:

William S. Brady

Mr. William S. Brady.

INACTIVE

LEGAL RESIDENCE.

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SALARY	BUREAU OR OFFICE	DATE OF EFFECT OF ACTION AUTHORIZED
TEMPORARY (Pend Cert) Keeper Alligator Reef L.H. Stg.	$ 780	L.H.	April 1. 1920
~~" Prot " " " "~~		"	Cancelled
LAST DAY OF SERVICE June 3. 1920.			
		INACTIVE	

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NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT MAR 19 1920 HOUSE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 7th CHIEF CLERK'S DISTRICT,

Key West, Fla., (City.) March 10 (Date.), 1920.

1920 MAR 22 AM 10 07

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, temporary appointment not to exceed thirty days from date of establishing a register.

Name, William S. Brady. Legal residence, Florida.

Position, Keeper. Salary, $780. A.

Location, Alligator Reef Lightstation. Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective April 1, 1920. {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Former salary,

Location,

APPOINTMENTS

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

1920 MAR 22 AM 11 11

Previous incumbent, Charles E. Sands. Services terminated, March 31, 1920.

Reason, Recommended for transfer and promotion to Carysfort Reef Lightstation.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: This temporary appointment for thirty days from date of establishing a register is necessary to fill the vacancy caused by transfer and promotion of the previous incumbent.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, 3-16, 1920

H. H. Lloyd
Secretary, 5th Civil Service District.

W. W. Emmett
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON
MAR 19 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1920 MAR 20 PM 3 20

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN MAR 23 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Acting Commissioner

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 22, 1920.

Mr. William S. Brady,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

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

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

REPORT DATA ENTERED

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

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION RECEIVED MAR 31 1920 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

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C

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Charles E. Sands.

Legal Residence: Florida.

Seventh.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RECEIVED APR 12 1920 HOUSE APPOINTMENTS APR 12 1920

I, William S. Brady

do solemnly [1] swear (See below) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter: So HELP ME GOD.

CHIEF CLERK 1920 APR 12 PM 4 45

☞ William S Brady.
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] eighth day of April, A. D. 191

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) A Brosk

(Official title) Chief Asst L.H. Service.

My commission expires _____

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper	$780. A.	Alligator Reef Lightstation
Former [5]		

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

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

Key West, Fla., April 8, 1920.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on April 1, 1920.
(Date)

U. S. REPORT DEPT. ENTERED CARDED

(Signature, followed by title) Superintendent of Lighthouses.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.
[2] Insert here "sworn to" or "affirmed," as the case may be.
[3] The oath may be taken any time after the date of appointment and prior to the payment of compensation, but no compensation shall be paid until the oath is executed in proper form.
[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

LIGHT MAY 4 1920 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK
1920 MAY 4 PM 3 33
APPOINTMENTS
1920 MAY 4 PM 4 21

I, William S. Brady,

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.

William S Brady
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] fifth day of April, A. D. 191

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (*Name*) R Cothran

(*Official title*) Notary Public for the State of Fla

My commission expires August 20 1923

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper	$780. A.	Alligator Reef Lightstation
Former [5]		

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

Superintendent of Lighthouses,

Office of ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~, 7th District

Key West, Fla. (Address) April 24, 1920. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on April 1, 1920. (Date)

REPORT APPROVED

W. W. Winnett
(Signature, followed by title)

Superintendent of Lighthouses. 4th D.

[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.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

AB-LHP.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 7th DISTRICT,

Key West, Fla. (City.) June 10, 1920. (Date.) 19

LIGHT JUN 28 1920 HOUSES

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1920 JUN 29 PM 2 40

Action recommended, probationary appointment.

Name, William S. Brady. Legal residence, Florida.

Position, Keeper. Salary, $780. A.

Location, Alligator Reef L. S., Fla. Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective July 1, 1920. {1 ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, temporary Keeper. Former salary, $780. A.

Location, Alligator Reef L. S., Fla.

Rank on eligible list, 1 Rating, Keeper. Percentage, 86 , Other eligibles considered: Otis Curry, Edward P. Johnson and Milton S. Parker.

Previous incumbent, (himself William S. Brady.) Services terminated, June 30, 1920.

Reason, Nominated for probationary appointment.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JUL 1 - 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Remarks:

JOS 6/30/20.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, JUN 24 1920 , 19

Secretary, 5th Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 28 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1920 JUN 29 PM 12 59

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 1, 1920.

Mr. William S. Brady,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office and to a probationary period of not to exceed six months as provided by paragraph (c) of section 1 of civil-service rule VII, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Seven Hundred and Eighty dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

CARDED

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

MC

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Yourself.

Legal Residence: Florida.
Seventh

(See reverse side.)

U. S. REPORT ENTERED

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

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MEMORANDUM SHOWING LAST DAY SERVED BY TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE

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

LIGHT HOUSES JUL 19 1920

APPOINTMENTS JUL 20 1920

CHIEF CLERK

JUL 20 20 PM 3 02

Name of employee William S. Brady.

Designation Keeper. *Compensation* $780. per A.

Place of employment Alligator Reef Lightstation, Florida.

Last day served July 3, 1920.

REPORT ENTERED

CARDED

Date July 16, 1920.

A. W. Dimmick
(Official title.)
Superintendent of Lighthouses.
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE.
(Bureau or service)