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Name (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Researcher ID Card Number
Burns, Andrew	4563213
E-Mail Address:	**Phone Number:**
afbfg4@umsl.edu	636-415-7353

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
Cram, Jofe		LA

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 Burns

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)	From:	To:
Lighthouse Service (LA)	1918	1920
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:

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

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STAFF USE ONLY

Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Attendant Signature:

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT APR 14 HOUSES

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES NEW ORLEANS APR 17 1920

April 12, 1920.

r. Jofe Cram,

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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Sir:

Through the

The Department is in receipt of your resignation from the position designated below, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Bureau, to take effect at the close of business April 15, 1920.

on

Bureau Lighthouse Service, 8th District.

Station Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La.

Position Keeper.

Salary $720. per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD EASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

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8th.

2d asst. kpr.

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2 incs.

April 17, 1920.

Jofe Cram, Former 2d Asst. Keeper,
Point Au Fer Reef Light Station,
Morgan City, Louisiana.

1. Transmitted herewith is Department letter dated April 12, 1920, accepting your resignation as second assistant keeper at Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, Louisiana, effective at the close of April 15, 1920.

2. The Keeper reports that you left the station on April 14th. Inasmuch as your resignation was effective at the close of April 15th, it will be necessary for you to submit an application for one day's leave with pay on April 15th. You are therefore directed to sign and return inclosed Form 76.

3. Check in payment of your services from April 1 to 15, inclusive, will be forwarded to you in due course.

(Sgd.) E. S. LANPHIER,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy for information and files of Jos. M. Waits, Keeper, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, Morgan City, Louisiana.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

EIGHTH DISTRICT



Point Au Fer Reef Light Station 1920
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

April 13th 1920

Superintendent of Lighthouses

New Orleans La.

Sir,

I wish to advise you that 2nd asst Keeper Jofe Gram

Left Station At 2oclock April 14th 1920,

Respectfully,

J. M. Walker Keeper,

Leave with pay
April 15-/20.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

April 15, 1920.

Joseph M. Waits, Keeper,
Point Au Fer Reef Light Station,
Morgan City, Louisiana.

1. You are informed that the resignation of Second Assistant Keeper Jofe Cram has been forwarded to the Department at Washington with recommendation that it be accepted effective at the close of April 15, 1920. You are therefore directed to see that Mr. Cram does not perform service after the close of April 15th, advising this office by letter when he leaves the station.

2. For and in the absence of the Superintendent:

F. A. Muth
First Assistant Superintendent.

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April 15, 1920.

Joseph M. Waits, Keeper,
Point Au Fer Reef Light Station,
Morgan City, Louisiana.

1. You are informed that the resignation of Second Assistant Keeper Jofe Cram has been forwarded to the Department at Washington with recommendation that it be accepted effective at the close of April 15, 1920. You are therefore directed to see that Mr. Cram does not perform service after the close of April 15th, advising this office by letter when he leaves the station.

2. For and in the absence of the Superintendent:

F. A. M.
First Assistant Superintendent.

COPY (MCC)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

8th District
March 31, 1920.
Point Au Fer Reef Light Sta.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
New Orleans, La.

Sir:

I wish to resign my position as Second Assistant Keeper at Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, to take effect on the 15th day of April, 1920, as I am going in some other business.

Respectfully,

JOE CRAM, 2nd Asst. Keeper.

J.M.WAITS, Keeper.

Form 93
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NOTICE OF RESIGNATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., April 5, 1920. 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Jofe Cram — Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Legal residence, Louisiana — Station, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La.

Salary, $720.00 per annum.

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of April 15, 1920.

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

Remarks:

E.S.L.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT HOUSES

July 17, 1919.

Mr. Jofe Cram,

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 Twenty 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 Tenth Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

RM
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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Yourself.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

(See reverse side.)

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8th District

Point Au Fer Reef L.S.

COPY (MCC) Recd.,9 a.m. Aug.2,1919.L.

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Jofe Cram,

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

(Sgd.) JOFE CRAM
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 28th day of July, A. D. 1919.

(Affix official seal here)
Seal (Walter T.Gilmore
(Notary Public
(St.Mary Parish
(Louisiana.

[4] (*Name*) (Sgd.) Walter T. Gilmore,

(*Official title*) Notary Public

My commission expires July 9, 1922.

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper in the Light-house Service (Pro-bationary)	$720 p.a.	Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, and Atchafalaya Chan. Lts. 1,3,5,7, and 2, Louisiana.
Former Keeper in the Light-house Service (Temporary)	do.	do.

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

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Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th District
Office of ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~,

New Orleans, La., August 2, 1919.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on July 19, 1919.
(Date)

E.S.L.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.
(Title of officer, whether Lighthouse Inspector, Superintendent, or Engineer)

[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 124.
May, 1915.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Lighthouse Service
[Branch of service or department.]

Morgan City La, La
[Name of city.] [State.]

Point aux Pee Ref July 31st, 1919

DECLARATION OF APPOINTEE.

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

QUESTIONS.	ANSWERS.
1. What was your age on your last birthday and what was the date of your birth?	Born October 5th 1884. 35 years old. ✓
2. Where were you born?	Houma Louisiana ✓
3. What were the names of the persons who signed the vouchers to your application?	Jos M. Watts. W. J. Lawrence. ✓ David Moore. Jolly Bros. ✓
4. In what city or town, and in what building were you examined?	Custom House, P. O., La. (Annex) Morgan City La. Long Store
5. To what position have you been appointed? State the salary. If temporary, so state.	2nd asst keeper. Salary 720 per annum

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

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

7. Have any of the above-named persons entered the Government service since the execution of your application for examination? no If so, give the name of each such person ✓

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

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

J. F. Brown ✓
[Signature.]

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

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

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

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

Signature J. M. Watts ✓

Official title Keeper.

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

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3 inclosures

July 22, 1919.

Jofe Cram, 2d Asst. Keeper,
Point Au Fer Reef Light Station,
Morgan City, Louisiana.
(Through the Keeper)

1. Transmitted herewith is Department Certificate, dated July 17, 1919, covering your Probationary Appointment as Second Assistant Keeper at Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, Louisiana, at a salary of $720 per annum and the usual ration allowance, effective commencing July 19, 1919.

2. Subscribe to inclosed "Oath of Office" before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths and return same as soon as practicable. Form 124, "Declaration of Appointee," should be completed by you in the presence of the Keeper of Point Au Fer Reef Light Station; then dated and signed by him and forwarded to this office.

3. NO PAY WILL BE SENT YOU UNTIL THE OATH OF OFFICE IS RECEIVED IN PROPER FORM.

(Signed) LANPHIER,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished Joseph M. Waits, Keeper, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, Morgan City, Louisiana, for his information, guidance, and the station files. You are directed to see that this employee returns the "Oath of Office," properly completed, with as little delay as possible.

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Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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

New Orleans, La., July 11, 191 9.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Jofe Cram — Legal residence, Louisiana

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Salary, $720 per annum.

Location, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, etc., Louisiana. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective July 19, 1919, { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty,~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service (temporary) — Former salary, $720 p.a.

Location, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, etc., Louisiana.

Rank on eligible list, Second Rating, Assistant Keeper Percentage, 84.6, Other eligibles considered: Theophile Billiot, C; Alidor E. Guidry, C.

Previous incumbent, Himself. — Services terminated, See remarks.

Reason, - - - - - - - - - -

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Jofe Cram was appointed temporary keeper at above station effective March 29, 1919, pending certification of eligibles for probational appointment, (Register established June 19, 1919.) He has never been employed under any other branch of the Department of Commerce. Quarters are not provided at this station for the families of the keepers.

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

Thru C. S. Secy 7-11-19 mee

E.J.L.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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July 12, 1919.

Jofe Cram, Addl. Kpr.,
Point Au Fer Reef Light Station,
Morgan City, Louisiana.
(Through the Keeper.)

1. You are informed that you have been nominated for probational appointment as Second Assistant Keeper at Point Au Fer Reef Light Station at a salary of $720 per annum and the usual ration allowance, effective about July 19, 1919. You will be advised in due time of the Department's action in the matter.

(Sgd.) E. S. LANPHIER,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished Joseph M. Waits, Keeper, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, Morgan City, Louisiana, for his information and the station files.

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Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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MEMORANDUM SHOWING LAST DAY SERVED BY TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE

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

Name of employee Jofo Cram

Designation Keeper in the Lighthouse Service *Compensation* $720 p.a.

Place of employment Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, Louisiana.

Date of appointment: April 8,1919, effective March 29,1919, for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of receipt of certification of eligibles for probational appointment.

Last day served July 16, 1919.

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

(Sgd.) LAMPHIER,

E.J.L.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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

Date August 8, 1919.

Lighthouse Service
(Bureau or service.)

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE APR 10 19

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT APR 10 1919 HOUSES

April 8, 1919.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES APR 14 1919 NEW ORLEANS

Mr. Jofe Cram,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) the date indicated, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Seven Hundred and Twenty dollars per annum effective March 29, 1919.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

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Chief of Appointment Division

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: William Waits.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.
Eighth District.

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COPY (MCC) Recd., 9 a.m., May 2, 1919. D.

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Jofe Cram,

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.

(Signed) JOFE CRAM
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 30 day of April, A. D. 191 9.

(Affix official seal here)
S(I.W.Paddock,
E(Notary Public,
A(Parish, St.Mary,
L(Louisiana,

[4](*Name*) (Sgd.) I. W. PADDOCK.

(*Official title*) Notary Public.

My commission expires June, 1923.

OFFICIAL TITLE	RATE OF PAY	NAME OF STATION, VESSEL, OR PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT.
Present Keeper in the Light-house Service	$720 p.a.	Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, etc., Louisiana.
Former [5] Temporary appointment for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of receipt of certification of eligibles for probational appointment in above-mentioned position.		

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

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

New Orleans, La., May 2, , 1919.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on March 29, 1919.
(Date)

Superintendent of Lighthouses.
(Official designation of officer)

[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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Inclosures

April 15, 1919.

Jofe Cram, Additional Keeper,
Point Au Fer Reef Light Station,
Morgan City, Louisiana.
(Through the Keeper.)

1. Transmitted herewith is Department certificate, dated April 8, 1919, appointing you temporary additional keeper at Point Au Fer Reef Light Station at a salary of $720 per annum and a daily ration allowance of 45¢, effective commencing March 29, 1919.

2. Subscribe to inclosed "Oath of Office" before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths and return same as soon as practicable. "Personal Question Sheet" and slip relative to former employment should be completed and returned.

3. NO PAY WILL BE SENT YOU UNTIL THE OATH IS RECEIVED.

(Signed) DORRY,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished J. M. Waits, Keeper, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, Morgan City, Louisiana, for his information and the station files.

You are directed to see that this employee returns the oath of office, properly executed, with as little delay as possible.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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

New Orleans, La., April 2, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Temporary appointment for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of certification of eligibles for probational appointment.

Name, Jofe Cram. Legal residence, Louisiana.

Position, Keeper (Addl.) in the Lighthouse Service Salary, $720 per annum.

Location, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, etc., Louisiana. Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective March 29, 1919. ('the actual date of entrance on duty; or ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

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

Location, - - - - -

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

EIGHTH DISTRICT

(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

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Jofe Gram .in fullno middle initial

bonn in year 1884 in State of Louisiana
35 years of age.voting Residents Morgan City La.
employed at Government Ship Yard at Morgan City La.
as Gorker.Salery$6.70¢ per day one years employment.
Union Bridge & Gonstruction Co.
two Brothers in Government service .
one in Noffok Va. one in Mobile Alabama.
but dont know their saleries and Department.

Jofe Gram.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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EIGHTH DISTRICT

Point Au Fer Reef Light Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 29th, 1919

Lighthouse Superintendent

New Orleans La.

Sir,

Mr Jofe Gram arrived at Station March 29th
12m oclock for duty.

Resoectfully,

J. M. Wash Keeper.

COPY (MCC) Recd., 9 a.m., May 2, 1919. D.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
U. S. EMPLOYMENT SERVICE.

U.S.CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

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

Record of last private employment of Jofe Gram.

Appointed Add'l Kpr. 4-8-19 (Date) Pt.Au Fer Reef L.S. (Position) in the Lighthouse Service (Office)

Trade or calling Calker Pay received 80¢ per hour.

Name and address of last employer Union Bridge Cons. Co., Morgan City, Louisiana.

Was termination of employment due to a strike? No.

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Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th District, New Orleans, La., May 2, 1919.

1. Forwarded to U. S. Employment Service, City Hall, New Orleans, La.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

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May 2, 1919.

Jofe Cram, Addl. Keeper,
Point Au Fer Reef Light Station,
Morgan City, Louisiana.
(Through the Keeper.)

1. "Personal Question Sheet" executed by you in connection with your appointment as temporary additional keeper at Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, is herewith returned for answers to Questions 1 and 2. Under Question 11, state the name of the town in which you were born, and under Question 12 the exact date of your birth.

(Signed) DORRY,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy furnished Joseph M. Waits, Keeper, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, Morgan City, Louisiana, for his information and the station files.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

COPY (MCC) Recd., 9 a.m., May 2, 1919. D.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

(To be furnished for each person appointed in the service of the Department immediately upon entrance on duty. The statement should be signed by the appointee or employee. If unable to write, he may sign by mark in the presence of one witness.)

1. What is your full name? (State whether Mr., Miss, or Mrs., and spell out names in full, including middle name or names. Example: Mr. John Richard Roe. If name itself is merely a letter, it should be so stated.)

Mr. Jofe Cram

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

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

Lighthouse (Bureau or Service.) | Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La. (Place (city, town, station, or vessel).) | Eighth (District.)

4. Position to which appointed Additional Keeper in the Lighthouse Service.

5. Compensation $720 per annum.

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

7. In what manner did the employee enter the service? (Examples: "From stenography and typewriting examination, ——, 191—;" or "Without examination;" or "By reinstatement;" or "By transfer from ——," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

Without examination—temporary appointment.

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

Morgan City (City or town.) | Louisiana (State or Territory.) | St. Mary Parish (County.) | 3d Dist. (Congressional district.)

9. When the legal residence given in answer to question 8 differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

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

11. Where were you born? ~~Louisiana~~ Houma, Louisiana.

12. When were you born? October (Month.) 5, (Day.) 1884. (Year.) 35 years old.

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

14. What is your marital condition? Single

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

Liza Cram, (Name.)
Morgan City, (City or town.)
Louisiana. (Number and street. / State or Territory.)

16. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? None

(If answer is "Yes," give in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.)

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

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

Good eyesight; good hearing and good health.

18. Have you ever held any other position in the civil service of the United States? (If so, give below the Department and Bureau or Service in which you served, the position held, the salary you received, and the dates of your appointment and separation from the service.)

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
No					

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

No

20. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during any war? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

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

21. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States other than during war time, indicate such service in the spaces below.

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

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

Relationship (widow or orphan) No

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service

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

23. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States civil service? (It is intended that the answer to this question shall state briefly the lines of work followed by you before receiving your present appointment, with the exception of your service indicated in answer to questions 18, 19, 20, and 21.)

Union Bridge & Construction Co.; pay received, 80¢ per hour, as calker.

24. What education have you received? (Indicate the grades of schools you have attended, and, in case you have attended schools of higher grade than high schools, give the institution, degrees received, and date in each case. Example: Public school; high school; business college; Cornell University, A. B., 1900; Columbia University, LL. B., 1903.)

Common School.

25. What special qualifications have you—educational, professional, technical, mechanical, etc.? (Examples: Qualified as "Lawyer," or "Civil engineer," or "Translator," or "Interpreter," or "Draftsman," or "Carpenter.")

Calker and Carpenter.

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

None

27. Were the answers to the foregoing questions written by you? (If not, state the name and address of the person who wrote them for you.)

Sullivan R. White

Date, April 1st, 1919

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) Jofe Cram

P. O. Address: Morgan City
City or town.

- - - - -
Number and street.

Louisiana.
State or Territory.

(If appointee is to be employed in the field, this form should be reviewed and approved by the proper field officer and need not be signed by an official of the Bureau. If appointee is to serve in the District of Columbia, the form should be reviewed and approved by the proper Bureau officer. When forwarding this form, no letter of transmittal is required.)

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Reviewed, approved, and forwarded May 12, 19.

(Signature)

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



Carded

Jofe Cram.

Mr. Jofe Cram.

INACTIVE

LEGAL RESIDENCE
La

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SALARY	BUREAU OR OFFICE	DATE OF EFFECT OF ACTION AUTHORIZED
Temp. Pond Mg. Keeper Point au Fer Reef L.S.H.S.	$720	L.H.	March 29, 1919
Last day July 18, 1919.			
" (Prof) " " " "	$720	"	July 19, 1919.
RESIGNED CLOSE OF April 15, 1920			
		INACTIVE	

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APR 2 1919

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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

New Orleans, La., April 2, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

APR 8 - 1919 JN

Action recommended, ~~Temporary appointment for a period not to exceed 30 days from~~ date of certification of eligibles for probational appointment.

Name, Jofe Cram. Legal residence, Louisiana.

Position, Keeper ~~(Asst.)~~ in the Lighthouse Service. Salary, $720 ~~per annum~~

1919 APR 7 PM 4 06

Location, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, etc., Louisiana. Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective March 29, 1919, ('the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~or~~
(~~xx xxxx to be fixed as he enters on duty~~x

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

Location, -

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

- -

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Previous incumbent, William Waits. Services terminated, March 25, 1919.

Reason, Services discontinued; over maximum age limit for employees of the Lighthouse Service.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Due to the necessity for maintaining the full authorized complement of keepers at Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, Jofe Cram was assigned to duty on March 29, 1919. He has never been employed under any branch of the Department of Commerce. This nomination is made to fill the lowest-rated position at above station, in accordance with Department authority of June 5, 1918.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission, April 2, 1919

Pending the [illegible] & registration of eligibles

E. M. Thurmond
Secretary, 10 Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR 5 - 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

4-17 8-19

1919 APR 8 PM 2 19
Acting Commissioner

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 8, 1919.

Mr. Jofe Cram,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Seven Hundred and Twenty dollars per annum

effective March 29, 1919.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION RECEIVED APR 9 -1919 CARDED

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: William Waits.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

Eighth District.

C. S. REPORT DATA
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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

APPR- MAY 5 1919

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I, Jofe Cram,

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.

Jeeve Cram
(Appointee signs here)

CHIEF CLERK

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 30th day of April, A. D. 191 9.

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(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) J. W. Pardee

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires June 1923

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present: Keeper in the Light-house Service	$720 p.a.	Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, etc., Louisiana.
Former [5]: Temporary appointment for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of receipt of certification of eligibles for probational appointment in above-mentioned position.		

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

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Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th District

New Orleans, La., May 2, , 1919.
(Date)

CARDED

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on March 29, 1919. (Date) Fixed Date

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B B Dorroh
(Signature followed by title)
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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[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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MAY 15 1919 9 00 AM

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

(To be furnished for each person appointed in the service of the Department immediately upon entrance on duty. The statement should be signed by the appointee or employee. If unable to write, he may sign by mark in the presence of one witness.)

1. What is your full name? (State whether Mr., Miss, or Mrs., and spell out names in full, including middle name or names. Example: Mr. John Richard Roe. If name itself is merely a letter, it should be so stated.)

Mr Joseph Braun

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

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

Lighthouse (Bureau or Service.) Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La. (Place (city, town, station, or vessel).) Eighth (District.)

4. Position to which appointed Additional Keeper in the Lighthouse Service.

5. Compensation $720 per annum.

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

7. In what manner did the employee enter the service? (Examples: "From stenography and typewriting examination, ———, 191—;" or "Without examination;" or "By reinstatement;" or "By transfer from ———," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

Without examination--temporary appointment.

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

Morgan (City or town.) City (State or Territory.) La (County.) St Mary Parish 3rd Dist. (Congressional district.)

9. When the legal residence given in answer to question 8 differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

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

11. Where were you born? ~~Louisiana~~ Houma Louisiana

12. When were you born? October (Month.) 5th (Day.) 35 years old (Year.) 1884

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

Single

14. What is your marital condition?

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

Iza Braun (Name.) (Number and street.)

Morgan City (City or town.) La. (State or Territory.)

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16. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? None

(If answer is "Yes," give in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.)

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

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

Good eye sight
n saing and good Health

18. Have you ever held any other position in the civil service of the United States? (If so, give below the Department and Bureau or Service in which you served, the position held, the salary you received, and the dates of your appointment and separation from the service.)

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
		no			

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

no

20. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during any war? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

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

21. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States other than during war time, indicate such service in the spaces below.

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

22. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? ..... (If answer is "Yes," give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Relationship (widow or orphan) no

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service .....

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

23. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States civil service? (It is intended that the answer to this question shall state briefly the lines of work followed by you before receiving your present appointment, with the exception of your service indicated in answer to questions 18, 19, 20, and 21.)

Asst Bridge & Const Co
Engineering Work for Hon. Co Labor

24. What education have you received? (Indicate the grades of schools you have attended, and, in case you have attended schools of higher grade than high schools, give the institution, degrees received and dates in each case. Example: Public school, high school, business college, Cornell University, A. B., 1900, Columbia University, LL. B., 1903.)

common school

25. What special qualifications have you—educational, professional, technical, mechanical, etc.? (Examples: Qualified as "Lawyer," or "Civil engineer," or "Translator," or "Interpreter," or "Draftsman," or "Carpenter.")

Caulker & Carpenter.

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

none

27. Were the answers to the foregoing questions written by you? (If not, state the name and address of the person who wrote them for you.)

Sullivan R. White

Date, April 1st, 1919

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) John Bram

P. O. Address: Morgan City La
City or town.

Number and street.

State or Territory.

(If appointee is to be employed in the field, this form should be reviewed and approved by the proper field officer and need not be signed by an official of the Bureau. If appointee is to serve in the District of Columbia, the form should be reviewed and approved by the proper Bureau officer. When forwarding this form, no letter of transmittal is required.)

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Reviewed, approved, and forwarded May 12, 1919.

(Signature) R R Doom

(Official title) Superintendent of Lighthouses.
6th District



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MEMORANDUM SHOWING LAST DAY SERVED BY TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE

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LIGHT AUG 5 1919 HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK AUG 5 PM 3 56 APPOINTMENTS

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

1919 AUG 6 AM 9 09

Name of employee Jofe Cram

Designation Keeper in the Lighthouse Service *Compensation* $720 p.a.

Place of employment Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, Louisiana.

Date of appointment: April 8,1919, effective March 29,1919, for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of receipt of certification of eligibles for probational appointment.

Last day served July 18, 1919

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED AUG 6 - 1919 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

CARDED

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

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

Date August 2, 1919.

Lighthouse Service
(Bureau or service.)

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Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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

New Orleans, La., July 11 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

RECEIVED JUL 14 1919 TENTH U.S. CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Jofe Cram — Legal residence, Louisiana

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Salary, $720 per annum.

Location, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, etc., Louisiana. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective July 19, 1919, { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty, or~~ as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

LIGHT JUL 14 1919 HOUSES

CLERK

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service (temporary) — Former salary, $720 p.a.

1919 JUL 15 PM 2 42

Location, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, etc., Louisiana.

Rank on eligible list, Second — Rating, Assistant Keeper — Percentage, 84.8 , Other eligibles considered: Theophile Billiot, C; Alidor E. Guidry, C.

APPOINTMENTS

Previous incumbent, Himself. — Services terminated, See remarks.

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Reason, - - - - - - - - - -

Members of family in Government Service, None.

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Remarks: Jofe Cram was appointed temporary keeper at above station effective March 29, 1919, pending certification of eligibles for probational appointment. (Register established June 19, 1919.) He has never been employed under any other branch of the Department of Commerce. Quarters are not provided at this station for the families of the keepers.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission, July 11, 1919

Secretary 10 Civil Service District.

E. S. Lanphier.
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUL 14 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JUL 16 1919 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Acting Commissioner

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

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 17, 1919.

Mr. Jofe Cram,

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 Twenty 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 Tenth Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 17 1919 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD [illegible]

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Yourself.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

(See reverse side.)

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8th District

JUL 17 1919 U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

APPOINTMENTS AUG 6 1919

LIGHT AUG 5 1919 HOUSES PM 3

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I, Jofe Cram,

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.

Jofe C Cram

(Appointee signs here)

Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 28th day of July, A. D. 1919.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (*Name*) Walter P. Gilmore

(*Official title*) Notary Public

My commission expires July 9/1922

	Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present	Keeper in the Light-house Service (Pro-bationary)	$720 p.a.	Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, and Atchafalaya Chan. Lts. 1,3,5,7, and 2, Louisiana.
Former	Keeper in the Light-house Service (Tempor-ary)	do.	do.

CARDED

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

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REPORT DATE

Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th District

New Orleans, La., August 2, 1919.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on July 19, 1919.
(Date)

E. S. Lamphier.

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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NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

LIGHT APR 8 1920 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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

New Orleans, La., April 5, 1920. 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Jofe Cram

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Legal residence, Louisiana

Station, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La.

Salary, $720.00 per annum.

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of April 15, 1920.

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

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Remarks:

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN APR 12 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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E. S. Lanphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

APR 8 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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1920 APR 9 PM 4 00

Acting Commissioner

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTH DISTRICT

Point Au Fer Reef Light Sta
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 31st 191 20



Superintendent Of Lighthouses
New Orleans La.

Sir,

I wish to Resign my Position as 2nd Asst Keeper
at Point Au Fer Reef Light Station ,To take effect
on the 15th day of April 1920.
as I am going in some other business.

Respectfully,

Joe Lem 2nd Asst Keeper.

P. M. Waitz Keeper.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 12, 1920.

r. Jofe Cram,

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Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir: Through the

The Department is in receipt of your resignation from the position designated below, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Bureau, to take effect at the close of business April 15, 1920

on

Bureau Lighthouse Service, 8th District.

Station Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La.

Position Keeper.

Salary $720. per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

CARDED

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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U. S. REPORT DATE
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DEPT. OF COMMERCE