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REFERENCE SERVICE SLIP
Archival Research Room Record Request
National Archives at St. Louis

Date: 5/16/2023

REQUESTER INFORMATION

Name (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Researcher ID Card Number
Anderson, Kraig, L.	23-003
E-Mail Address:	**Phone Number:**
kraiga@gmail.com	858-357-5100

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
Davis, Gus, M.		IL

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):
CA

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

Researcher Signature:
K Alan

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service		
From: 1917	To: 1922	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	

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

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STAFF USE ONLY

Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers:
☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number:
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Attendant Signature:

CMRS Search Request Number(s):

Remarks:

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SCREENING NOTES

☑ Reviewed and Nothing Removed SAM

☐ Items Removed and User Informed

Hold Requested: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Total Requests:

Screened Items:

☐ Additional charge outs and signatures on reverse side

Time Out:

Final Return:

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

Employee Name: DAVIS GUS M. **DOB:** 1870 POB: IL

DOS: 1917-1922

Records checked:

Agency: Commerce 6028	Area: Bay 10, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Commerce 6029	Area: Bay 10, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Old Commerce	Area: Bay 10, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative

AND

Agency: Treasury 2189	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Treasury 2188	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Old Treasury	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative

If Negative:

Agency: Treasury SRCs series 1	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Treasury SRCs series 2	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Treasury SRCs series 3	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Coast Guard SRCs	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative

If Negative:

CMRS: possible CG service	Area: _____	positive	negative
ARCIS: _____	Area: _____	positive	negative

Notes: _____

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REQUESTER INFORMATION

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Anderson, Kraig, L.	23-003
E-Mail Address:	**Phone Number:**
kraiga@gmail.com	858-357-5100

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
Davis, Gus, M.		IL

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):
CA

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

Researcher Signature:

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service		
From: 1917	To: 1922	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	

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

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STAFF USE ONLY

Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers:
☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number:

Attendant Signature:

CMRS Search Request Number(s):

Remarks:

SCREENING NOTES

- ☐ Reviewed and Nothing Removed
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Hold Requested: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Total Requests:

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Time Out:

Final Return:

Form 206

File No. 8

RECORD OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION OF LIGHT KEEPER OR ASSISTANT LIGHT KEEPER

IN CONNECTION WITH MEDICAL RELIEF BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

PLACE, San Francisco, California

DATE, October 26th, 1920

To the MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,
U. S. Public Health Service,

SIR:

Please examine Gus M. Davis

nativity, ~~Lithuania~~ American; age, 50; height, 5 feet, 6 inches;

weight, 149 pounds; color of hair, gray; color of eyes, blue

distinguishing marks, ~~-~~ none tattooed ballet girl on right forearm

as to eyesight, hearing, and physical condition.

When the examination has been completed the findings should be recorded on this blank and the blank returned to the applicant. In the absence and by direction of the Superintendent

Examining Physician - Please insert color of hair, eyes, distinguishing marks.

Respectfully,

F. J. OTTER (Signed)

1st Assistant Superintendent ~~Lighthouse Inspector~~.

(Signature of applicant:) GUS M. DAVIS (Signed)

(To be signed in the presence of the officer issuing this blank or witnessed by a designated employee of the Lighthouse Service.)

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE, San Francisco

DATE, Oct. 28, 1920

To LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR,

SIR: This certifies that I have this day examined the eyesight, hearing, and physical condition of Gus M. Davis, and find him physically ~~disqualified~~ qualified* in accordance with rules approved by the Secretary of the Treasury and the Secretary of Commerce, respecting the treatment by the Public Health Service of light keepers and assistant light keepers of the Lighthouse Service pursuant to the Act of Congress approved August 28, 1916.

~~He is disqualified for the reasons shown on page 3.~~

GEORGE MORTON (Signed)

A.A.

Surgeon, U. S. Public Health Service.

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* If qualified, strike out the word "disqualified" and the paragraph following.

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REPORT OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE, San Francisco, Calif.

DATE, Oct. 28, 1920

Name of applicant, Gus M. Davis

Eyes: Color, Blue; exophthalmus, no

chronic inflammation, no; other abnormality, no

Eyelids: Ptosis, no; condition of conjunctiva on eversion, good

other conditions, no

Eyesight:

Vision of right eye, without glasses, 20/20; with glasses, 20/20

Vision of left eye, without glasses, 20/100; with glasses, 20/30

Is applicant partially or wholly color-blind? no

If color-blind, state which color he confuses none

Were candidate's eyes tested with lantern, woolen skeins, or both? skeins

Ears:

Abnormalities, no; shape, normal

Position, normal; condition of drums good

Evidence of mastoid disease, no

Hearing: (When testing hearing, the eyes and the opposite ear must be closed.)

Distance conversational speech can be heard: Right ear, 30 feet; left ear, 30 feet.

Distance whispered speech can be heard: Right ear, 15 feet; left ear, 15 feet.

Lungs: normal

Heart: normal

Defects noted which, in the opinion of the medical examiner, will not materially interfere with the discharge of the duties of light keeper or assistant light keeper:

none

Gus M. Davis

Gus M. Davis

LEGAL RESIDENCE.
California

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SALARY	BUREAU OR OFFICE	DATE OF EFFECT OF ACTION AUTHORIZED
3rd Asst Kpr Point Sur L.S. Cal	$516	L. H.	Dec 28, 1917
2nd " " " " " "	552	"	Mar. 16, 1918.
Resigned close — May 15. 1918.			
Keeper Southampton Shoal L.S.	660	L.H.	Oct. 30, 1920.
" Point Reyes L.S. Cal.	780	"	Jan. 28, 1921
" " " "	840	"	July 1, 1921
~~" East Bro. I. S.F.B. Cal~~	~~660~~	" Cancelled	
RESIGNED CLOSE OF Aug 31, 1921.			

Form 73

NOMINATION

HWR-CHT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., December 10, 1917, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES: (Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Probationary appointment of

Name, Gus M. Davis — Legal residence, California

Position, Third Assistant Keeper — Salary, $516 per annum

Location, Point Sur Light station, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective December 20, 1917 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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

Location, - - - -

Rank on eligible list, 1st Rating, Asst. Keeper Percentage, 82.2, Other eligibles considered:

Joseph A. Sylvia (D), Albert L. Rohrer (D), Walter Potts (C) and

Previous incumbent, Robert E. Arlington Services terminated, November 30, 1917.

Reason, Transfer and promotion. End

Members of family in Government Service, R.A.Davis, son, seaman Goat Island Naval Training Station.

Remarks:

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. DEC 12 1917, 191

C. L. Snyder
Secretary, Twelfth Civil Service District.

H. W. Rhodes
Inspector

12-20-17 no papers R

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

DEC 19 1917

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

December 20, 1917.

Mr. Gus M. Davis,

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 Five Hundred and Sixteen 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 local Civil Service Board for the Eighteenth Lighthouse District.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED DEC 21 1917 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

CARDED.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

C
N

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Robert E. Arlington.

Legal Residence: California.

(See reverse side.)

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

LIGHT
JAN 17 1918
HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK
JAN 21 1918

I, Gus M. Davis

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.

Gus M Davis
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 28th day of December, A. D. 191 7

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) J M Nelson

(Official title) Chief Clerk, 18th L.H. Dist.

My commission expires _____

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present 3rd Asst. Keeper (Probationary appointment)	$516 per annum	Point Sur Lightstation, Cal.
Former [5]		

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

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT

San Francisco, Cal., (Address) January 8, 1918 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on December 28, 1917 (Date)

H. W. Rhodes. Inspector
(Signature, followed by title)

[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 lighthouse inspectors' and the _____ 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.

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

LIGHT
JAN 17 1918
HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK
JAN 18 1918

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

MARCH 5, 1913.

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? (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 Gus Mike Davis

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

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

Hanford	Calif	Kings	4th
City or town.	State or Territory.	County.	Congressional district.

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

5. Where were you born? ~~Ill~~ Grandtower Ill

6. When were you born? Jan 26 1870
Month. Day. Year.

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

Mrs J. Moran
Name

San Franasco
City or town.

1307 Sanchez
Number and street.
State or Territory.

8. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? .....

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

Name.	Relationship.	Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.
Robert A Davis	Son	Submarine Navy (U.S.)		Seaman

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.)

~~August 15th~~ 1917 for Asst Light house Keeper

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

left eye corrected by glasses

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.
No					

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

No

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? No (If answer is "yes," give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Relationship (widow or orphan) .....

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

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

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.)

Janitor

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.)

Public 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.")

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

See Paragraph 9

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. Dec 20, 1917

Witness:

In case signature is by mark.

(Signature) Gus M Davis

P. O. Address: 1307 Sanchez
City or town.
San Francisco
Number and street.

State or Territory. Calif

(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 January 8, 1918, 191

(Signature) H. W. Rhodes.

(Official title) Inspector 18th Lighthouse Dist.

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PART II.

(Part II should be executed by the executive officer of the Bureau of the Department to which the employee is assigned or by some authorized 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:

Lighthouses (Bureau or Service.) Point Sur, Cal. (Place (city, town, station, or vessel).) 18th (District.)

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

3. State the date of appointment. December 20, 1917

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

Entrance on duty

5. State the date of the oath. December 20, 1917

6. State the date the employee entered on duty. December 28, 1917

7. What is his salary? $516 per annum

8. From what appropriation is he paid? Salaries of 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.)

Selection from eligible register

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. - - - - -

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded to the Department.

(Signature) H. W. Rhodes

(Official title) Inspector 18th Lighthouse District

Date: January 8, 1918, 191

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 14 1918

HWR-CHT

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., March 8th 1918, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

RECEIVED
1918 MAR 15 PM 4 06
OFFICE OF
SUPERVISOR

Action recommended, Promotion of

Name, Gus M. Davis — Legal residence, California

Position, Second Assistant Keeper — Salary, $552 per annum

Location, Point Sur Lightstation, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective March 16, 1918 — {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Third Assistant Keeper — Former salary, $516 per annum

Point Sur Lightstation, Cal.

APPOINTMENTS
1918 MAR 16 AM 9 00

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN MAR 16 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

Previous incumbent, William P.D.Holmes — Services terminated, February 28,1918

Reason, Transferred and demoted

Members of family in Government Service, R.A.Davis, son, seaman Goat Island Naval Training Station, Cal.

Remarks: Request Commission's approval for this probational employee's promotion, as no other assistant is available for transfer to this station.

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

H. W. Rhodes.
Inspector

Secretary, Civil Service District.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAR 14 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1918 MAR 17 PM 2 32

Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

March 16, 1918.

Mr. Gus M. Davis,

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 Five Hundred and Fifty-two 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 $516 per annum.)

CARDED.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAR 16 1918 BY JOURNAL DEPT OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

N
C

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: William P. D. Holmes.

Legal Residence: California.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

APPOINTMENTS

RECEIVED APR 3 1918 Lighthouse Inspector SAN FRANCISCO

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1918 APR 26 AM 10 04

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT APR 16 1918 HOUSES

I, Gus M. Davis

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.

Gus M Davis CHIEF CLERK

(Appointee signs here)

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

1918 APR 26 AM 9 06

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Wm Wilson

(Official title) Chief Clerk 18th L. H. Dist

My commission expires

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present 2nd Asst. Keeper	$552 per annum	Point Sur Lightstation, Cal.
Former 3rd Asst. Keeper	$516 per annum	Point Sur Lightstation, Cal.

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 18th District

CARDED

San Francisco, Cal., (Address), April 3, 1918 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on March 16, 1918 (Date)

IN THE ABSENCE AND BY DIRECTION OF THE INSPECTOR

Wm Wilson ~~Inspector~~ Chief Clerk

(Signature, followed by title)

[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 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

LIGHT MAY 7 1918 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

HWR-CHT

MAY 7 1918 8 45 AM

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., May 1, 1918

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THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

CHIEF CLERK 1918 MAY 5 PM 3 42

Name, Gus M. Davis — Position, Second Assistant Keeper

Legal residence, California — Station, Point Sur Lightstation, Cal.

Salary, $552 per annum

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The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of a date to be reported later.

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

Remarks:

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
~~Personnel~~
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN MAY 8 - 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

H. W. Rhodes
Inspector

5-9-18

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON MAY 8 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

1918 MAY 8 PM 2 05

Acting Commissioner

TSC ACT

Point Sur Light Station
April 30/18



Lighthouse Inspector 18 Dist.

Dear Sir

It is with regret that I am sending in my resignation as I will hafto go to Illinois a Brother died 2 weeks ago and another one very sick and my Sister asked me to come home I will be away from 3 to 6 months and would like to return to the Light house Servia if I could when I return to the coast and will notifie you if in line would like to leave near by the 15 of May thanking you for the treatment I have received while in the Light house service I am sincearly

Gus M Davis
2nd asst. Point Sur Lt House
Monteray
Cal

Approved and Forwarded
John W Osborn
Keeper

NC

May 9, 1918.

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your resignation, dated April 30, 1918, as second assistant keeper of Point Sur Light Station, California, at $552 per annum, in the Lighthouse Service, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses, effective at the close of a date to be fixed by the Bureau and reported to the Department.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings,
Chief of Appointment Division.

Mr. Gus M. Davis,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAY 10 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT
MAY 29 1918
HOUSES

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 18TH DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

CHIEF CLERK
1918 JUN 5 PM 3 42

HWR-CHT

Gus M. Davis:
date of resignation.

May 23rd 1918

Commissioner of Lighthouses,

1. Referring to Department letter of May 9, 1918, accepting the resignation of Mr Gus M. Davis as second assistant keeper at Point Sur Lightstation, California, at $552 per annum, effective at the close of a date to be fixed by the Bureau and reported to the Department.

2. The Bureau is informed that Mr Davis was relieved from duty at the close of business on ~~May 15, 1918.~~

H. W. Rhodes

Inspector

GUARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUN 6 - 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JUN 4 1918

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

1918 JUN 5 PM 3 34

Acting Commissioner.

1918 JUN 5 PM 4 08

APPOINTMENTS

Form 73 AMG

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 18th DISTRICT. 1920 NOV 4 AM 11 35

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 28, 19 20
(City.) (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Probationary appointment

Name, Gus M. Davis — Legal residence, California

Position, Keeper (Assistant) — Salary, $660. p.a.

Location, Southampton Shoal Light Station Cal — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers

Effective October 30, 1920 — {[1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

CHIEF CLERK APPOINTMENTS

Former position, -- — Former salary,

1920 NOV 4 PM 3 16

Location,

1920 NOV 4 PM 3 21

Rank on eligible list, 2 — Rating, Assistant Lighthouse Keeper — Percentage, 80.8, Other eligibles considered:

Thomas B. Guthrie - C
Richard Tighe - C

Previous incumbent, Daniel B. Sullivan — Services terminated, Sept. 6, 1920

Reason, Resigned

Members of family in Government Service, None — BORN - Jan. 26, 1870

Remarks: Emergency case in accordance with Circular No.313 - Necessary for the saving of life and property.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE NOV 5 1920 APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN NOV 5 - 1920 , 19 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

11/4/20 Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, OCT 30 1920

John A. Burby
ACTING Secretary, Twelfth Civil Service District.

H. W. Rhodes.
Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NOV 4 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

LIGHTHOUSES

1920 NOV 4 PM 2 59

H. B. Bowerman
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

November 4, 1920.

Mr. Gus M. Davis,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office and to a probationary period of not to exceed six months as provided by paragraph (c) of section 1 of civil-service rule VII, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Six Hundred and Sixty 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 Acting Secretary of the Twelfth Civil Service District.

CARDED

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

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(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Daniel B. Sullivan.

Legal Residence: California.

18th

(See reverse side.)

11—5080

Ed. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

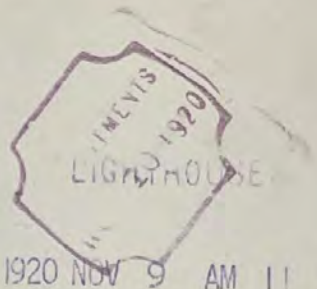
Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



1920 NOV 9 AM 11 58

I, Gus M. Davis

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 NOV 10 AM 9 13

Gus M Davis

(Appointee signs here)

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[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 30 day of October, A. D. 19 20

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (*Name*) M Nelson

(*Official title*) Chief Clerk, 18th L.H.Dist.

~~My commission expires~~

OFFICIAL TITLE	RATE OF PAY	NAME OF STATION, VESSEL, OR PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT.
Present Keeper (Assistant)	$660. P.A.	Southampton Shoal Light Station, Calif.
Former [5] --		

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

CARDED

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 18th DISTRICT

San Francisco, California (Address) Nov. 4, 1920 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on October 30, 1920 (Date)

H. W. Rhodes.

Superintendent of Lighthouses (Signature, followed by title)

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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 on or after the effective 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 superintendent of lighthouses 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 superintendent of lighthouses 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.

11—944

G. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, California (City.) Jan. 26 (Date.), 1921

1921 FEB 14 PM LIGHTHOUSES

1921 FEB 1 PM 3 38

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, Gus M. Davis — Legal residence, California

Position, Keeper (2nd Assistant) — Salary, $780. p.a.

Location, Point Reyes Light Station Cal — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers

Effective January 27,1921 — {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

CHIEF CLERK

1921 FEB 16 PM 4 11

Former position, Keeper (Assistant) — Former salary, $660. p.a.

Location, Southampton Shoal Light Station Cal

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

APPOINTMENTS

Previous incumbent, Albert H. Joost — Services terminated, Jan. 26,1921

1921 FEB 17 AM 9 10

Reason, Transferred

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Emergency case in accordance with Circular No.313 - Necessary for the saving of life and property.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FEB 17 1921 NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN APPOINTMENT DIVISION

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

2/17/21.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

H. W. Rhodes.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON FEB 15 1921

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1921 FEB 16 AM 10 20

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

February 17, 1921.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

r. Gus M. Davis, WASHINGTON

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Sir: Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse duty. Service has been changed from $ 660 per annum to $ 780 per annum, effective January 27, 1921.

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.

CARDED

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18th

O. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

FEB 17 1921

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1921 FEB 28
CHIEF CLERK
1921 MAR 1 PM 3 29
SUPERINTENDENT

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 18TH DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Feb. 23,1921

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

APPOINTMENTS
MAR 1 PM 3

1. Referring to Department letter of February 17, 1921, advising Gus M. Davis that his salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service had been changed from $660. per annum to $780. per annum, effective January 27,1921, or as soon thereafter as he entered upon duty.

2. The Bureau is informed that Gus M. Davis entered upon duty as keeper in the Lighthouse Service with salary at the rate of $780. per annum effective January 28, 1921.

P. H. Reyes

H. W. Rhodes.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
FEB 28 1921
1921 MAR 1 AM 10 11

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

H. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner.

CARDED

G. S. REPORT DATA
ENTERED

Form 73 AMG

NOMINATION

1921 JUN 20 AM LIGHTHOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal. (City.) June 14 (Date.), 19 21

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion

Name, Gus M. Davis — Legal residence, California

Position, Keeper (1st Asst.) — Salary, $840. A

1921 JUN 21 PM 3 37

Location, Pt. Reyes Light Station Calif — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers

Effective July 1,1921 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper (2nd Asst.) — Former salary, $780. A

Location, Pt. Reyes Light Station Calif

1921 JUN 21 PM 4 37

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

Previous incumbent, William P.D.Holmes — Services terminated, June 30,1921

Reason, Transferred

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks:

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JUN 22 1921 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

6/22/21

H. W. Rhodes.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON JUN 20 1921

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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June 22, 1921.

r. Gus H. Davis,

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 July 1, 1921, or as soon thereafter as you enter 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,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUN 22 1921 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1921 JUL 12 PM 3 56

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SUPERINTENDENT
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 18TH DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

July 7th, 1921

APPOINTMENTS
1921 JUL 15 AM 8 57

CHIEF CLERK
1921 JUL 14 PM 4 41

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Department letter of June 22, 1921, advising Gus M. Davis that his salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service had been changed from $780. per annum to $840. per annum, effective July 1, 1921, or as soon thereafter as he entered on duty.

2. The Bureau is informed that Gus M. Davis entered upon duty as keeper in the Lighthouse Service with salary at the rate of $840. per annum effective July 1, 1921.

H. W. Rhodes.

EK.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JUL 13 1921
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner

CARDED

U. S. REPORT DATA
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Form 73 AMG

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1921 JUL 5

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, California June 29, 1921
(City.) (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK

Action recommended, Promotion

Name, **Gus M. Davis** Legal residence, **California**

1921 JUL 6 PM 1 00

Position, **Keeper (Additional 1st Asst.)** Salary, **$840. A**

Location, **Pt. Reyes Light Station Cal** Appropriation, **Salaries of Keepers**

Effective **July 1, 1921** {[1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

Former position, Keeper (2nd Asst.) Former salary, **$780. A**

Location, **Pt. Reyes Light Station Cal**

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

APPOINTMENTS

Previous incumbent, New position Services terminated, -

1921 JUL 6 PM 3 57

Reason, -

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Emergency case in accordance with Circular No. 313 - Necessary for the saving of life and property.
See telegram from this office to Bureau dated June 27th, 1921, recommending position of additional first assistant keeper.
Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 19

CARDED

H. W. Rhodes

Secretary, Civil Service District. **Superintendent of Lighthouses**

Supersedes nomination dated June 14, 1921.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON JUL 5 1921

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

J. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 18th DISTRICT.

1921 AUG 15 AM 8 46

San Francisco, Calif., August 9th, 19 21
(City.) (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and demotion

CHIEF CLERK

Name, Gus M. Davis — Legal residence, California

Position, (Assistant) Keeper — Salary, $660.00 per annum

1921 AUG 15 PM 3 53

Location, East Brother Island Light Station Calif — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses, 1922.

Effective August 20th, 1921 — {~~the actual date of entrance on duty;~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, (1st Assistant) Keeper — Former salary, $840.00 per annum

Location, Pt. Reyes Light Station Calif

APPOINTMENTS

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

1921 AUG 16 AM 9 46

Previous incumbent, Albert H. Joost — Services terminated, Aug. 15th, 1921

Reason, Transfer and promotion

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Davis informed this office under date of August 6, 1921, that he would accept transfer, even at reduced salary.

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

8/16/21

AUG 16 1921

For and in the absence of the Superintendent

R. J. Otter

Secretary, Civil Service District. — 1st Assistant Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON AUG 15 1921

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

E. C. GILLETTE
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE August 16, 1921.
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

r. Gus M. Davis,

M

Sir:

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

840 660
August 20, 1921, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty.

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

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.

CARDED
U. S. REPORT DATA

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED
AUG 16 1921
ON JOURNAL
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
1921 AUG 29 AM 8 46

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SUPERINTENDENT
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 18TH DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Aug. 23, 1921.

1921 AUG 31 PM 2 35

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Form 73 from this office dated August 9, 1921, recommending Gus M. Davis for transfer to the position of Assistant Keeper at East Brother Island Light Station.

2. There is enclosed a letter dated August 6, 1921, from Davis stating he will accept the transfer even at the reduction in salary.

H. W. Rhodes.

APPOINTMENTS

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
AUG 29 1921

1921 AUG 31 PM 3 59

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner

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LIGHTHOUSES
1921 AUG 29 AM 8 46

Pt. Reyes, Calif.,
August 6, 1921.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,

San Francisco, California.

Dear Sir:-

I will accept transfer to the position of assistant keeper at East Brother Island Light Station, even at reduced pay.

Respectfully,

J M Davis

1st Assistant Keeper,
Pt. Reyes Light Station.

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Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Comms.
Comms.

Form 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

CHIEF CLERK LIGHTHOUSE
1921 SEP 7 PM 4 24
1921 SEP 6 AM 8 36

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, California Aug. 31, 1921

APPOINTMENTS
1921 SEP 8 AM 9 16

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Gus M. Davis Position, Keeper (1st Assistant)

Legal residence, California Station, *Pt. Reyes Light Station Cal

Salary, $840. per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of August 31, 1921

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

Remarks:

*Trans Aug 16/21 or end to East Bro. Isl L.S. Cal

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN SEP 9 - 1921 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

H. W. Rhodes.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

9/8/21

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON SEP 6 1921

Inclosure

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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J. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

San Francisco
Aug 30th

LIGHTHOUSES
1921 SEP 6 AM 8 36
LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT
AUG 30 1921
SAN FRANCISCO

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Sir

You will please ecept my Resegnation to take efect at once

G M Davis
1st Asst
Point Reyes Light Sta

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

September 8, 1921.

M

r. Chas M. Davis,

Through the

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

August 31, 1921.

Bureau..... Lighthouse Service.

Station..... Point Reyes Light Station, Cal.

Position..... Keeper.

Salary..... $840 per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) E. M. CROSS

CARDED

Chief of Appointment Division.

Acting

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED SEP 9 1921 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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10th district

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

LIGHTHOUSES

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1921 OCT 10 AM 8 49

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Enc.

SUPERINTENDENT
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 18TH DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Oct. 4, 1921.

APPOINTMENTS

1921 OCT 12 PM 1 00

1921 OCT 12 PM 1 36

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. There is returned for cancellation carbon copy of Department letter of August 16, 1921, advising Gus M. Davis that his salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service had been changed from $840. per annum to $660. per annum, effective August 20, 1921, or as soon thereafter as he entered on duty.

2. The Bureau is advised that Davis resigned at the close of August 31st and did not enter on duty as keeper with salary at the rate of $660. per annum.

3. Davis has been requested several times to return Department letter (original) of August 16, 1921, but has failed to do so.

H. W. Rhodes.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY
ACTION TAKEN
OCT 13 1921
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.
OCT 10 1921

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Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval.

10/15/21.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner.

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1921 AUG 16 PM 2 35

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

August 16, 1921.

LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT
AUG 22 1921
SAN FRANCISCO

T. Gus M. Davis,

M

Sir:

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

840 660
August 20, 1921, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty.

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

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.

P
18th

DAVIS, Gus M.

DAVIS, Gus M.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

HWR-CHT

LIGHT HOUSES DEC 19 1917

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., December 10, 1917, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Through the District Secretary)

Action recommended, Probationary appointment of

Name, Gus M. Davis — Legal residence, California

Position, Third Assistant Keeper — Salary, $516 per annum

Location, Point Sur Lightstation, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective December 17, 1917 (the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Hydrog. Engr. Cons. Mar. Engr. Personnel Accountant Contracts Chf. Clk. Dep. Commr. Commr.

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

Location, - - - -

Rank on eligible list, 1st — Rating, Asst. Keeper — Percentage, 82.2, Other eligibles considered:

Joseph A. Sylvia (D), Albert L. Rohrer (D), Walter Potts (C) and

Previous incumbent, Robert E. Arlington — Services terminated, November 30, 1917.

Reason, Transfer and promotion.

Members of family in Government Service, R.A.Davis, son, seaman Goat Island Naval Training Station.

Remarks:

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. DEC 12 1917, 191

C L Snyder
Secretary, Twelfth Civil Service District.

H. W. Rhodes
Inspector

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

DEC 19 1917

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

LIGHT
DEC 21 1917
HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

December 20, 1917.

Mr. Gus M. Davis,

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 Five Hundred and Sixteen 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 local Civil Service Board for the Eighteenth Lighthouse District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

C
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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Robert E. Arlington.

Legal Residence: California.

(See reverse side.)

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Form 73

NOMINATION

HWR-CHT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 14 1918

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

San Francisco, Cal., March 8th 1918, 191
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion of

Name, Gus M. Davis — Legal residence, California

Position, Second Assistant Keeper — Salary, $552 per annum

Location, Point Sur Lightstation, Cal. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective March 16, 1918 — {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Third Assistant Keeper — Former salary, $516 per annum

Location, Point Sur Lightstation, Cal.

Hydro.
Mech. Engr.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Comsr.
Comsr.

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

Previous incumbent, William P.D.Holmes — Services terminated, February 28, 1918

Reason, Transferred and demoted

Members of family in Government Service, R.A.Davis, son, seaman Goat Island Naval Training Station, Cal.

Remarks: Request Commission's approval for this probational employee's promotion, as no other assistant is available for transfer to this station.

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

H.W. Rhodes
Inspector

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAR 14 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
MAR 19 1918
HOUSES

March 16, 1918.

Mr. Gus M. Davis,

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 Five Hundred and Fifty-two 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 $516 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

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C Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: William P. D. Holmes.

Legal Residence: California.

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LIGHT
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HOUSES

May 9, 1918. MAY 11 1918 12 33 PM

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your resignation, dated April 30, 1918, as second assistant keeper of Point Sur Light Station, California, at $552 per annum, in the Lighthouse Service, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses, effective at the close of a date to be fixed by the Bureau and reported to the Department.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

Mr. Gus M. Davis,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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RECORD OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION OF LIGHT KEEPER OR ASSISTANT LIGHT KEEPER

IN CONNECTION WITH MEDICAL RELIEF BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 18th DISTRICT,

PLACE, San Francisco, California

DATE, October 26th, 1920

To the MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,
U. S. Public Health Service,

SIR:

Please examine Gus M. Davis

nativity, ~~Hibernian~~ American; age, 50; height, 5 feet, 6 inches;

weight, 149 pounds; color of hair, gray; color of eyes, blue

distinguishing marks, ~~-~~ none tattooed ballet girl on right forearm

as to eyesight, hearing, and physical condition.

When the examination has been completed the findings should be recorded on this blank and the blank returned to the applicant. In the absence and by direction of the Superintendent Respectfully,

Examining Physician - Please insert color of hair, eyes, distinguishing marks.

F. J. OTTER (Signed)
1st Assistant Superintendent ~~Lighthouse Inspector~~.

(Signature of applicant:) GUS M. DAVIS (Signed)

(To be signed in the presence of the officer issuing this blank or witnessed by a designated employee of the Lighthouse Service.)

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE, San Francisco

DATE, Oct. 28, 1920

To LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR,

SIR: This certifies that I have this day examined the eyesight, hearing, and physical condition of Gus M. Davis, and find him physically ~~disqualified~~ qualified* in accordance with rules approved by the Secretary of the Treasury and the Secretary of Commerce, respecting the treatment by the Public Health Service of light keepers and assistant light keepers of the Lighthouse Service pursuant to the Act of Congress approved August 28, 1916.

~~He is disqualified for the reasons shown on page 3.~~

GEORGE MORTON (Signed)
A.A.
Surgeon, U. S. Public Health Service.

* If qualified, strike out the word "disqualified" and the paragraph following.

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REPORT OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE, San Francisco, Calif.

DATE, Oct. 28, 1920

Name of applicant, Gus M. Davis

Eyes: Color, Blue; exophthalmus, no

chronic inflammation, no; other abnormality, no

Eyelids: Ptosis, no; condition of conjunctiva on eversion, good

other conditions, no

Eyesight:

Vision of right eye, without glasses, 20/20; with glasses, 20/20

Vision of left eye, without glasses, 20/100; with glasses, 20/30

Is applicant partially or wholly color-blind? no

If color-blind, state which color he confuses none

Were candidate's eyes tested with lantern, woolen skeins, or both? skeins

Ears:

Abnormalities, no; shape, normal

Position, normal; condition of drums good

Evidence of mastoid disease, no

Hearing: (When testing hearing, the eyes and the opposite ear must be closed.)

Distance conversational speech can be heard: Right ear, 30 feet; left ear, 30 feet.

Distance whispered speech can be heard: Right ear, 15 feet; left ear, 15 feet.

Lungs: normal

Heart: normal

Defects noted which, in the opinion of the medical examiner, will not materially interfere with the discharge of the duties of light keeper or assistant light keeper:

none

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