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REQUESTER INFORMATION

Name (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Researcher ID Card Number
Anderson, Kraig	
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
DeChamplain, Arthur		1863 Canada

MILITARY SERVICE

Branch of Service:

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

Type of Rank:

- ☐ Enlisted
- ☐ Officer
- ☐ Unknown

Service Period (Check all that apply):

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

Date & Place of Death: 1919 MI

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Kraig Anderson

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service (MI)		
From: 1907	To: 1919	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	

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

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Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number: 2-300405 71192

CMRS Search Request Number(s):

Attendant Signature:

Remarks: Submitted to Arch Search 9/25/24 KA Soundex: D251

SCREENING NOTES

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- ☐ Items Removed and User Informed

Hold Requested: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Total Requests:

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LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

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Employee Name: DECHAMPLAIN, ARTHUR **DOB:** 1/1/1863, CANADA

SOUNDEX: D251

Records checked:

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

Agency: Treasury 2189	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
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If Negative:

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If Negative:

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

Notes: **DOS: 1907 TO 1919; DOD: 1/1/1919, MI; LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE, MI**

Form 93

LETTER TRANSMITTING RESIGNATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Michigan, June 11, , 1919.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Herewith is ~~the resignation~~ reported the death of the following-named employee:

Name, Arthur DeChamplain Position, Keeper

Legal residence, Michigan Station, Sand Hills Light Station, Mich.

Salary, $960 v per annum

~~The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of~~

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

Remarks:

Mr. DeChamplain died June 6, 1919.

Edw. L. Woodruff

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

APR 4 1919 11 57 AM

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS OF LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES
APR 4 1919

Superintendent of Lighthouses Eleventh District
RECEIVED
APR 7 - 1919
Detroit, Mich.
DEPT. OF COMMERCE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 2, 1919.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $780 per annum to $840 per annum effective April 15, 1919 (the above rate of pay includes $60 per annum longevity pay).

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

D
G

11th

APR 28 1919 1 07 PM

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES
APR 28 1919

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 28, 1919.

Deputy Commissioner of Lighthouses
11th District
RECEIVED
MAY 1 - 1919
Detroit, Mich.
DEPT OF COMMERCE

r. Arthur DeChamplain,
M

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper of the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $840. per annum to $960. per annum, May 5, 1919, or as soon thereafter as you enter upon duty after receipt of this notice.

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.

M
G
11th District.

Eff May 1 5/19
Reported 2/25/20

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A. DeChamplain,
105 Mosher St.,
Bay City, Mich.

May 1, 1919.

1. There is forwarded herewith Department letter of April 28th, changging your pay from$840 to $960 per annum, which is the rate of pay for the newly authorized position of Keeper of Sand Hills Light Station.

2. Information is requested as to when you expect to report for duty, and if you do not expect to report in the near future, you should take steps to furnish a competent substitute in your place. The change in pay will be effective May 5th.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

11th

Detroit, Michigan, April 22 9.

Promotion of:

Arthur DeChamplain Michigan

Keeper $900 p.a.

Sand Hills Light Station, Mich. Sel. Kprs. of L.H.'s

May 5, 1919 xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Keeper $780 p.a.

Sand Hills Light Station, Mich.

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(New Position)
(Dept. letter Feb. 20-19)

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It is proposed to place the newly authorized complement at this station on duty on or about the date above given, inasmuch as the Diaphone fog signal will be placed in commission May 15 and the i.o.v. light in the near future, and it is desirable that the full complement be assigned in order to familiarize themselves with the station equipment, etc. It is not the intention, however, to continue DeChamplain as the permanent keeper as his length of service does not entitle him thereto, but promotion of the employee selected for permanent keeper is held in abeyance pending other changes in the personnel of the District. DeChamplain has been fully informed as to his status in this regard.

Edw L. Woodruff

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Michigan, March 28, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Increase in pay:

Name, **Arthur DeChamplain** Legal residence, **Michigan**

Position, **Keeper** Salary, **$840 p.a.**

Location, **Sand Hills Light Station, Michigan.** Appropriation, **Sal. Kprs. of L.H.'s**

Effective **April 15, 1919** [1] the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~xxx~~

Former position, -- Same Former salary, **$780 p.a.**

Location, --

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

Previous incumbent, -- Services terminated,

Reason,

Members of family in Government Service,

Remarks:
Above increase is longevity allowance. Mr. DeChamplain will have served five continuous years at the close of April 14, 1919.

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

For and in the absence of the Superintendent of Lighthouses.

CAP

Secretary, Civil Service District.

First Asst. Superintendent.

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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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 24, 1917.

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 26 1917

ELEVENTH LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SUPT. BUREAU CH. CLERK
MAR 28 1917
STATUS ANSWER INSP. INVESTIGATE RECOMMEND

rM Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Five Hundred and Fifty-two dollars per annum,

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

(By transfer from first assistant keeper at $504 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

L
C

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: New position.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

11—3692

GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
JAN 7 1916
HOUSES

January 4, 1916.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
JAN 10 1916
Detroit, Mich.

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, First Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Five Hundred and Four dollars per annum, effective January 1, 1916.

(By increase in compensation from $480 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

R
C

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice:

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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WCC

Eleventh

Detroit, Michigan, September 15, 5.

Promotion of.

Arthur DeChamplain, Michigan.

First Assistant Keeper, $480.00 per annum.

Passage Island Lt. Sta., Mich. Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

October 1, 1915. xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Second Assistant Keeper, $456.00 per annum.

Passage Island Light Sta., Michigan.

Jason Mihlethaler, x about Sept. 30, 1915.

To be transferred.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

C A P

11th

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 23, 1915.

Increase in pay of:

Arthur DeChamplain — Michigan

First Asst. Keeper — $504 per annum.

Passage Island Lt. Sta., Mich. — Sal. Kprs. of L.H.

Jan. 1, 1916. xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

First Asst. Keeper — $480 per annum

As above

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(New position.)

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
SEP 20 1915
HOUSES

ELEVENTH
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BUREAU CH. CLERK
SEP 2 1915
STATUS ANSWER INSP. INVESTIGATE RECOMMEND

September 18, 1915.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

First Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

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

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

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

R
C Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Jason Mihlethaler.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

11—3692

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 7, 1914.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Second Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Four Hundred and Fifty-six dollars per annum,

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

(By reinstatement in accordance with authority contained in Civil Service Certificate No. 6612.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

M
C

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Andrew Fisher.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

11—3692

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce ~~and Labor~~
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

July 23, 1913.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

~~First Assistant Keeper~~

in the ~~Lighthouse Service~~

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

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

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

Chief of Appointment Division.

M
C

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Arthur A. Cleary.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

11—3692

11th

Detroit, Mich., July 17 3.

Promotion of

Arthur DeChamplain Michigan.

1st Assistant Keeper $480.00 per annum.

Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

July 26, 1913, xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

2nd Assistant Keeper $456.00 per annum.

Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

Arthur A. Cleary. x July 25, 1913.

Resigned.

Ehw

11th

Detroit, Mich. March 21 7.

Transfer and promotion of:

Arthur DeChamplain, Michigan,

Keeper, $552 p.a.

Eagle River Shoals Fog Signal Sta., Mich. Sal., Keepers of Lighthouses.
April 1, 1917.

First assistant keeper, $504 p.a.

Passage Island Lt. Sta., Mich.

New position,
Feb. 27, 1917.

Ford Duty. Ant

11th

Detroit, Mich. March 30 4

Reinstatement and appointment of

Arthur DeChamplain Michigan.

Second Assistant Keeper $456.00 per annum.

Passage Island Light Station, Mich. salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

April 11, 1914, xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

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Andrew Fisher February 28, 1914

Resigned.

None.

Mr. DeChamplain was formerly first assistant at Detroit River Light Station, Mich. and resigned from the Service August 26, 1913. He is thoroughly familiar with Lighthouse duties and it is recommended that he be reinstated and appointed to fill the position noted above.

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LETTER TRANSMITTING RESIGNATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 14, 1913. , 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Arthur DeChamplain Position, 1st assistant keeper

Legal residence, Michigan Station, Detroit River

Salary, $480.00 per annum.

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of August 24, 1913.

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

Remarks:

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

COPY.

Eleventh District
DETROIT RIVER Lt. Sta.
August 13, 1913.

Inspector, 11th Dist.,

Detroit, Mich.

Sir:

I now tender my resignation to take affect on August 24th thanking you for the favor I remain very respectfully

(Signed.) Arthur DeChamplain

first assistant keeper

Respectfully forwarded

(Signed.) George N. Clark

Keeper.

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FBS-AK

Arthur DeChamplain
re date of resignation.

September 3, 1913.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES.

Returned herewith for correction as to the effective date, is Department letter of August 20th accepting resignation of Arthur DeChamplain, first assistant keeper at Detroit River Light Station, Mich. Mr. DeChamplain remained on duty at the station up to and including August 29th, when he was relieved by the new appointee.

Woodruff.

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E. S. Rising

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK

WASHINGTON

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES SEP 11 1913 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

September 9, 1913.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 6th instant, the Department has amended its order accepting the resignation of Arthur DeChamplain as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, at $480 per annum, by changing the same to read effective at the close of August 29, instead of August 24, 1913.

The communication addressed to Mr. DeChamplain under date of the 20th ultimo, notifying him of the acceptance of his resignation, has been amended accordingly and is herewith returned.

By direction of the Secretary:

Geo. L. Townsley

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
INSPECTOR 11TH L. H. DISTRICT
SUPT. BUREAU CH. CLERK
SEP 15 1913
STATUS ANSWER
INVESTIGATE RECOMMEND
INSPECTOR

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington.
SEP 12 1913

To Lighthouse Inspector, Detroit, Mich.
for his information, guidance, and files of office.

Acting Commissioner.

Enclosure No. 1424.
C-H

FBS-AK

John Garrity
date of entrance
on duty.

October 14, 1913.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES.

With reference to Bureau endorsement on Department letter of the 8th inst., re date of entrance on duty of John Garrity as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

2. I have to state that Mr. Garrity entered on duty at this station August 27, 1913. Although Arthur DeChamplain, the previous incumbent, did not leave the station until August 29th, on account of inclement weather, he only rendered service up to and including August 26th. When forwarding my letter of September 3rd, re this matter, it was supposed that Mr. DeChamplain had remained on duty until August 29th, but later investigation showed his last date of service was August 26th.

3. The carbon copy of Department letter of August 20th, accepting DeChamplain's resignation, is returned herewith for correction as to the effective date. The original was sent him at the station, but he has apparently left no address and it will be impossible to have the original returned for correction.

L Woodruff

(Copy)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Office of the Chief Clerk

Washington

October 8, 1913.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The Department returns herewith oath of office executed by John Garrity under his appointment as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, attention being invited to the fact that the date of entrance on duty is given as August 27, 1913, whereas the resignation of Mr. Garrity's predecessor, Arthur DeChamplain, was accepted effective at theclose of August 29, 1913.

By direction of the Secretary:

(Signed) George C. Havenner,

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington,

October 10, 1913.

To Lighthouse Inspector, Detroit, Mich., for his information, action and return with report.

(Signed) CONWAY.

Acting Commissioner.

Enclosure No. 780

C-M

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
WASHINGTON

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 22 1913
DEP'T OF COMMERCE

October 20, 1913.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
INSPECTOR 11TH L. H. DISTRICT
SUPT. BUREAU CH. CLERK
OCT 27 1913
STATUS ANSWER
INVESTIGATE RECOMMEND
INSPECTOR

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

For the reasons set forth in the Eleventh Inspector's letter of the 14th instant, and in accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 16th instant, the Department has again amended its order accepting the resignation of Arthur DeChamplain as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, at $480 per annum, by changing the same to read effective at the close of August 26, 1913, instead of August 29, 1913.

The carbon copies of the Department's letter of August 20, 1913, notifying Mr. DeChamplain of the acceptance of his resignation, have been amended accordingly and are herewith returned.

By direction of the Secretary:

Geo. C. Hammett

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
OCT 24 1913

Enclosure No. 791.
C-M

To Lighthouse Inspector Detroit, Mich.,
for files of his office. By direction of the Commissioner:

Chief Clerk.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 16 1913
DEP'T OF COMMERCE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 22 1913
DEP'T OF COMMERCE

August 20, 1913.

Sir:

Having tendered your resignation as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, at $480 per annum, the Department has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses, effective at the close of August 26 1913.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

SIGNED) T. J. FITZGERALD

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sent to DeChamplain aug. 25/13 through keeper of Detroit River Light Station. A.T.

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C

Eleventh

Detroit, Mich., June 10 2.

Change in compensation of:

Arthur DeChamplain, Michigan,

Assistant Keeper, $480 per annum,

Gull Rock Light Sta., Mich.

July 1, 1912, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

$40 per month.

Appn., Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 11TH DISTRICT
DETROIT, MICH.

....., 190

Light-House Inspector

SUBJECT:

No. of Inclosures

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce and Labor
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

June 28, 1912.

M r. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES JUL 13 1912 DEPT.

Sir:

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

Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

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

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

(By change from $40 per month.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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ppropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

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l Residence: Michigan.

Ent. on duty July 1/12

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce and Labor
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

June 18, 1913.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Second Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Four Hundred and Fifty-six dollars per annum,

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

(By transfer from keeper at $624 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

C
Lw

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Arthur S. Marshall.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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11th

Detroit, Mich., June 12 3.

Transfer of

Arthur DeChamplain Michigan.

2nd Assistant Keeper $456.00 per annum.

Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

July 1, 1913, xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx

Keeper $624.00 per annum.

Gull Rock Light Station, Mich.

Arthur S. Marshall May 22, 1913.

Resigned.

Gull Rock Light Station, Mich., at which the nominee is at present keeper, will be made nonattended about June 30, 1913, and he has signified his willingness to accept transfer as recommended above. His letter attached.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector.

JUN 23 REC'D

DETROIT, MICH.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 11TH DISTRICT.

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT.

SUBJECT:

ENCLOSURES.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR
BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES
LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce and Labor
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

July 2, 1912.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Six Hundred and Twenty-four dollars per annum,

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

(By promotion from assistant keeper at $480 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Herbert P. Crittenden.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

11—3692

11th

Detroit, Mich., June 29

Promotion of

Arthur DeChamplain, Michigan,

Keeper, $624 per annum,

Gull Rock Light Sta., Mich.

July 10, 1912, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Asst. Keeper, $40 per month,

Gull Rock Light Station, Mich.

Herbert P.Crittenden,

Transfer and promotion.

Appn., Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

E.M.M.

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

10 11 1865

Employee Name: DECHAMPLAIN, ARTHUR **DOB:** 1/1/1863, CANADA

SOUNDEX: D251

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: **DOS: 1907 TO 1919; DOD: 1/1/1919, MI; LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE, MI**

DE CHAMPLAIN, ARTHUR

DE CHAMPLAIN, ARTHUR

Form 73 **ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE**



Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eleventh DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., June 10, 1912.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following recommendation is submitted:

Action proposed, Change in compensation of:

Name, Arthur DeChamplain, Legal residence, Michigan,

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

Location, Gull Rock Light Sta., Mich.

Effective July 1, 1912, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. ~~on the actual date of entrance on duty.~~

Former position, Former salary, $40 per month.

Location,

Rank in list of eligibles, Rating, Percentage,

Other eligibles considered,

Letters of declination inclosed,

Previous incumbent, Services terminated,

Reason,

Remarks: Appr., Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

C A Park

Department of Commerce and Labor
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 21 1912

Respectfully submitted to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, approved.

11—2314

~~Acting~~ Commissioner

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce and Labor
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

June 28, 1912.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

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

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

(By change from $40 per month.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

Chief of Appointment Division.

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C.S.D. July 1, 1912.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice:

Legal Residence: Michigan.

11—3692

Form 73

ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

Per

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

JUL 1 1912

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., June 29 , 1912.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following recommendation is submitted:

Action proposed, Promotion of

Name, Arthur DeChamplain, Legal residence, Michigan,

Position, Keeper, Salary, $624 per annum,

Location, Gull Rock Light Sta., Mich.

Effective July 10, 1912, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. ~~the actual date of entrance on duty.~~

Former position, Asst. Keeper, Former salary, $40 per month,

Location, Gull Rock Light Station, Mich.

Rank in list of eligibles, Rating, Percentage,

Other eligibles considered,

Letters of declination inclosed,

Previous incumbent, Herbert P.Crittenden, Services terminated,

Reason, Transfer and promotion.

Remarks: Appn., Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

O. M. McCormick

Department of Commerce and Labor

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

JUL 1 1912

Respectfully submitted to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, approved.

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Acting Commissioner

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce and Labor
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

July 2, 1912.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Six Hundred and Twenty-four dollars per annum,

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

(By promotion from assistant keeper at $480 per annum.)

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By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Herbert P. Crittenden.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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Form 73 ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

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Department of Commerce ~~and Labor~~

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., June 12, 1913.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following recommendation is submitted:

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES JUN 14 1913 DEPT OF COMMERCE

Action proposed, Transfer of

Name, Arthur DeChamplain Legal residence, Michigan.

Position, 2nd Assistant Keeper Salary, $456.00 per annum.

Title of appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Location, Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

Effective July 1, 1913, {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper Former salary, $624.00 per annum.

Location, Gull Rock Light Station, Mich.

Rank in list of eligibles, Rating, Percentage,

Other eligibles considered,

Letters of declination inclosed,

Previous incumbent, Arthur S. Marshall Services terminated, May 22, 1913.

Reason, Resigned.

Remarks: Gull Rock Light Station, Mich., at which the nominee is at present keeper, will be made nonattended about June 30, 1913, and he has signified his willingness to accept transfer as recommended above. His letter attached.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector.

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Two inclosures.

Department of Commerce ~~and Labor~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

June 14, 1913.

Respectfully submitted to the Secretary of Commerce ~~and Labor~~, approved.

Attention is invited to inclosed letter from DeChamplain requesting this transfer, and also to letter from the Eleventh Inspector, dated June 12, 1913, which is also inclosed.

Acting Commissioner

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce ~~and Labor~~
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

June 18, 1913.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Second Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Four Hundred and Fifty-six dollars per annum,

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

(By transfer from keeper at $624 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Arthur S. Marshall.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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JUN 20 1913

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Washington July 24 1913

Lighthouse Inspector Detroit Michigan

DeChamplain promoted to first assistant keeper Detroit River effective July twenty six ~~or entrance thereafter~~

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Commissioner

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Form 73 ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES JUL 21 1913 DEP'T OF COMMERCE

Department of Commerce ~~and Labor~~

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., July 17, 1913.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following recommendation is submitted:

Action proposed, Promotion of

Name, Arthur DeChamplain — Legal residence, Michigan.

Position, 1st Assistant Keeper — Salary, $480.00 per annum.

Title of appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Location, Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

Effective July 26, 1913, [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty; or~~ as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, 2nd Assistant Keeper — Former salary, $456.00 per annum.

Location, Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

Rank in list of eligibles, — Rating, — Percentage,

Other eligibles considered,

Letters of declination inclosed,

Previous incumbent, Arthur A. Cleary. — Services terminated ~~x~~ July 25, 1913.

Reason, Resigned.

Remarks:

Dep Commr.
Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
E. C. G.
Examiner.
Personnel.
Accounts.
Contracts.
Chf. Clk.
Commr.

Edw. H. Woodruff

Department of Commerce ~~and Labor~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

JUL 21 1913

Respectfully submitted to the Secretary of Commerce ~~and Labor,~~ approved.

Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce ~~and Labor~~
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

July 23, 1913.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

First Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

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

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

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,
Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Arthur A. Cleary.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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JUL 26 1913

Oct. 14, 1913, 11 Inspr states last day of service of Arthur DeChamplain was August 26, instead of August 29, 1913.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Oct.16,913
Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, with recommendation that Department letter of August 20,1913, be amended to show the last day of service of Arthur DeChamplain as August 26, instead of August 29, 1913.

Acting Commissioner.

Dep. Gen.
Insp.
Engr. Corps.
Mech. Engr.
R. C.
Examiner.
Personnel.
Accounts.
Contracts.
Chf. Clk.
Commr.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
SEP 11 1913
DEPT OF COMMERCE

September 9, 1913.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 6th instant, the Department has amended its order accepting the resignation of Arthur DeChamplain as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, at $480 per annum, by changing the same to read effective at the close of August 29, instead of August 24, 1913.

The communication addressed to Mr. DeChamplain under date of the 20th ultimo, notifying him of the acceptance of his resignation, has been amended accordingly and is herewith returned.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) GEO. C. HAVENNER

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington,
SEP 12 1913

To Lighthouse Inspector, Detroit, Mich.,
for his information, guidance, and files of office.

Acting Commissioner.

Enclosure No. 1424.
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OCT 22 1913
DEP'T OF COMMERCE

Dep. Comm'r.
Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
L. C. G.
Examiner.
Personnel.
Accounts.
Contracts.
Chf. Clk.
Commr.

October 20, 1913.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

For the reasons set forth in the Eleventh Inspector's letter of the 14th instant, and in accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 16th instant, the Department has again amended its order accepting the resignation of Arthur DeChamplain as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, at $480 per annum, by changing the same to read effective at the close of August 26, 1913, instead of August 29, 1913.

The carbon copies of the Department's letter of August 20, 1913, notifying Mr. DeChamplain of the acceptance of his resignation, have been amended accordingly and are herewith returned.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) GEO. C. HAVENNER

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
OCT 24 1913

Orig To Lighthouse Inspector Detroit, Mich.
for files of his office. By direction of the Commissioner:

Enclosure No. 791.
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Chief Clerk.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 22 1913
DEPT OF COMMERCE

August 20, 1913.

APPOINTMENTS
Sec. 8

Sir:

Having tendered your resignation as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, at $480 per annum, the Department has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses, effective at the close of August 26, 1913.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

SIGNED) T. J. FITZGERALD

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT HOUSE BOARD
JUN 10 1909
NO. 43
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EFFICIENCY REPORT

(Read the instructions on the reverse side of this Form before attempting to fill it out.)

1. Bureau Light-House Service
2. Where employed Gull Rock Lt.Sta'n, Mich.
3. Name DeChamplain, Arthur
4. Where born Canada
5. Age 43
6. Position Asst. Keeper of the Gull Rock Light-Sta', Mich.
7. Compensation ~~$40 p.m.~~
8. When appointed (*a*) ~~Sept. 5, '08~~ June 29, 1907.
9. How appointed (*b*) ~~Through Civil Service Examination~~
10. Appointed from — State Michigan; Congressional District 10th; County Bay
11. Status under Civil Service Rules (*c*) Classified Competitive
12. Is the employee an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No.
13. Other Government service None
14. Duties (describe fully) In charge of the station in the absence of the keeper; assisting in maintaining and keeping the light under the immediate direction of the principal keeper.
15. Efficiency — Quantity of work (*d*) 9/10; Quality of work (*e*) Excellent; Interest manifested in work (*f*) Excellent
16. Is this employee fully earning the salary he is now receiving? Yes
17. Remarks (*g*) Efficient

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Lt. Commander, U.S.N. Inspector.
Head of Bureau or Office.

5 June, 1909

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READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON PAGE 3

May 10, 1911.

Department of Commerce and Labor

EFFICIENCY REPORT

(The parenthetical letters refer to instructions on page 3, which instructions should be read and understood before attempting to fill out the form.)

1. Name Arthur DeChamplain 2. Age 45 (Last birthday.)

3. Bureau Light-House Service 4. Position Asst.Kpr., Gull Rock Lt.St.

5. Compensation $40 p.m. 6. Where employed Eleventh District

7. When appointed (*a*) June 17,1907 8. How appointed (*b*) Civil Service Examination

9. Status under Civil Service Rules (*c*) Competitive

10. Is the employee an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No

11. Does the employee receive a pension? No If so, state the amount

12. Other Government service None

13. Duties (describe fully) Assistant to Keeper of station and in charge in his absence

14. Has the employee special qualifications? No If so, state them

15. Efficiency (*d*):

	Averages.	Relative weights.	Products of averages multiplied by weights.
Quantity of work	100	2	200
Quality of work	100	3	300
Interest manifested in work (see also Question 17)	100	3	300
Attendance	100	2	200
Total		10	1000
Average percentage			100

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16. In the following form state the number of days of annual leave, sick leave, and leave without pay taken in each of the years 1908, 1909, and 1910:

1908.			1909.			1910.		
Annual.	Sick.	Without pay.	Annual.	Sick.	Without pay.	Annual.	Sick.	Without pay.
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17. Is this employee a purely routine employee, or does he manifest interest, not only in his own work but also in the work of the office or bureau as a whole, to the extent of overtime work or voluntary efforts by suggestion or otherwise to add to its efficiency? (Answer fully.) Routine

18. On the basis of efficiency alone, is this employee overpaid or underpaid as compared with others in your office engaged on the same grade of work, or is his salary a fair equivalent for the service rendered? (Answer fully.) Fair equivalent

If the present salary is above or below a fair equivalent, state what, in your opinion, it should be.

19. Is this employee superannuated? No If so, what percentage of salary is unearned?

20. Remarks: (*e*)

The official who is primarily responsible for the statements herein submitted will sign here—

C. M. McCormick
Commander U. S. N. Inspector 11th L. H. District

The official who approves the statements thus submitted will sign here—

C. M. McCormick
Commander U. S. N. Inspector 11th L. H. District

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Chief of Bureau or Office.

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT APR 2 1914 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich. (City.), March 30 (Date.), 1914

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Reinstatement and appointment of

Name, Arthur DeChamplain - Legal residence, Michigan.

Position, Second Assistant Keeper Salary, $456.00 per annum.

Location, Passage Island Light Station, Mich. Appropriation, salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective April 11, 1914, [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, -- Rating, -- Percentage, -- , Other eligibles considered:

Previous incumbent, Andrew Fisher Services terminated, February 28,1914

Reason, Resigned.

Relatives in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Mr. DeChamplain was formerly first assistant at Detroit River Light Station,Mich. and resigned from the Service August 26,1913. He is thoroughly familiar with Lighthouse duties and it is recommended that he be reinstated and appointed to fill the position noted above.

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

Edw. L. Woodruff

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR. 2 1914

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 7, 1914.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

~~Second Assistant Keeper~~

in the ~~Lighthouse Service~~

at a salary of ~~Four Hundred and Fifty-six~~ dollars per ~~annum~~,

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

(By reinstatement in accordance with authority contained in Civil Service Certificate No. 6612.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY;

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Andrew Fisher.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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APR 8 1914

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eleventh DISTRICT,

Detroit, Michigan, September 15, 191 5.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion of.

Name, Arthur DeChamplain, Legal residence, Michigan.

Position, First Assistant Keeper, Salary, $480.00 per annum.

Location, Passage Island Lt. Sta., Mich. Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective October 1, 1915. ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Second Assistant Keeper, Former salary, $456.00 per annum.

Location, Passage Island Light Sta., Michigan.

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

Previous incumbent, Jason Mihlethaler, Services terminated, about Sept. 30, 1915.

Reason, To be transferred.

Relatives in Government Service, ---

Remarks:

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

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

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Park

Secretary, *Civil Service District.*

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

SEP 17 1915

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner

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

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Form letter sent
Insp & Dept

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
SEP 20 1915
HOUSES

September 18, 1915.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

First Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

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

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

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

EOD Oct 18, 1915.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

R C

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Jason Mihlethaler.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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SEP 20 1915

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES RECEIVED DEC 27 1915

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., (City.) Dec. 23, 1915. (Date.) 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Increase in pay of:

Name, **Arthur DeChamplain** Legal residence, **Michigan**

Position, **First Asst. Keeper** Salary, ✓ **$504 per annum.**

Location, **Passage Island Lt. Sta., Mich.** Appropriation, **Sal. Kprs. of L.H.**

Effective **Jan. 1, 1916.** {~~the date of his appointment~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, First Asst. Keeper Former salary, **$480 per annum**

Location, **As above**

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

Previous incumbent, (**New position.**) Services terminated,

Reason,

Relatives in Government Service, --

Remarks:

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

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Park

Secretary, Civil Service District

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

DEC 28 1915

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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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

LIGHT
JAN 7 1916
HOUSES

January 4, 1916.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

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, First Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Five Hundred and Four dollars per annum, effective January 1, 1916.

(By increase in compensation from $480 per annum.)

EOD Jan 1, 1916. JK

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice:

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Per

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 23 1917

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., March 21, 1917.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and promotion of:

Name, Arthur DeChamplain, Legal residence, Michigan,

Position, Keeper, Salary, $552 p.a.

Location, Eagle River Shoals Fog Signal Sta., Mich. Appropriation, Sal., Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective April 1, 1917, (~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, First assistant keeper, Former salary, $504 p.a.

Location, Passage Island Lt. Sta., Mich.

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

Previous incumbent, New position, Feb. 27, 1917. Services terminated,

Reason,

Members of family in Government Service, ---

Remarks:

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

Edw. K. Woodruff ap

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NDW March 23, 1917.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. **Attention in this connection is invited to Department letter of February 27, 1917, authorizing the above position.**

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Acting Commissioner

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1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
MAR 26 1917
HOUSES

March 24, 1917.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Five Hundred and Fifty-two dollars per annum,

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

(By transfer from first assistant keeper at $504 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: New position.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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MAR 26 1917

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LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

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Employee Name: DECHAMPLAIN, ARTHUR **DOB:** 1/1/1863, CANADA

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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: **DOS: 1907 TO 1919; DOD: 1/1/1919, MI; LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE, MI**

Arthur DeChamplain

Arthur DeChamplain

STATE FROM WHICH APPOINTED
Mich.

STATUS INACTIVE

DESIGNATION	SALARY	OFFICE, BUREAU, OR DIVISION	DATE APPOINTED
A.K. Gull Rock, Mich., (Prob.)	$400 pa	Light-House	June 29-07.
" " " "	$40, mo	L.K.	July 1. 1908
" " " "	$480.	"	July 1, 1912.
Keeper " " "	$624.	"	July 26, 1912.
2nd Asst. Kpr. Detroit River L-S. Mich.	$456	"	July 1, 1913.
1st " " " " " "	480	"	July 26, 1913
Resigned close Aug. 26, 1913.			
Reinstated 2nd Asst. Kpr, Passage Isl. L S Mich	$456.	L.K.	Apr. 15, 1914.
1st " " " " " "	$480.	"	Oct. 18, 1915
1st " " " " " "	$504	"	Jan. 1, 1916
Keeper. ~~Eagle River Shoals L S Mich~~ Sann Hills L.S. Mich	$552.	"	May 3, 1917
" Increases "	780	"	Nov. 1, 1918.
" " "	840	"	Apr. 15, 1919
" " "	960	"	May 15, 1919
Died - June 6, 1919			

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Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHT-HOUSE BOARD
Washington

11 June, 1907.

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS
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DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

The Honorable,

The Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

Sir:

The Board has the honor to ask the probationary appointment of Mr. Arthur DeChamplain of Michigan, to the position of Assistant Keeper of Gull Rock, Mich., Light-Station, with pay at the rate of $400 a year, to date from 17 June, '07, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty, in the place of Mr. Hiram E. Gallagher, resigned. Mar 31-07

Mr. DeChamplain has passed the required Civil Service examination and obtained a rating of (91.3) 90.3 per cent in class four.

Respectfully,

H Sebree

Captain, U. S. N.,
Naval Secretary.

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2d on eligible list.
Considered with:
Guy Lawrence
Thomas McLean

11th Insp. D

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_____ on eligible list.
Considered with:
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PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT—WITHOUT FIXED DATE

Department of Commerce and Labor

10687 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Washington

June 17, 1907.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain, of Michigan, having qualified under the civil-service regulations, is hereby appointed Assistant Keeper of Gull Rock Light-Station, Michigan, in the Light-House Service, with compensation at the rate of Four Hundred dollars per annum, for a probationary period of six months, effective beginning June 17, 1907, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. (vice Hiram E. Gallagher.)

Retention in the service after the expiration of probationary period shall be equivalent to absolute appointment.

Payment of the compensation authorized in this appointment is subject to the oath of office being taken.

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS RECEIVED JUN 20 1907 TO DISBURSING CLERK DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

CARDED

CHANGE REPORTED JUN — 1907 C. S. COMMISSION.

Lawrence O. Murray

Assistant Secretary.

The Light-House Board.

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PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

Department of Commerce and Labor

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Washington

February 1, 1906.

To the Chiefs of Bureaus of the Department of Commerce and Labor:

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 officer in immediate charge should review the information given by the appointee or employee, and if correct, should forward the form to the Chief of the Bureau without delay. The information called for by the questions in Part II should then be supplied and the form forwarded to the Department.



V. H. Metcalf

Secretary.

CARDED

PART I.

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

1. What is your full name? (Do not use initials, but spell out each name and state whether Mr., Miss, or Mrs. Example: Mr. John Richard Doe.)

Arthur De Champlain

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

Arthur De Champlain

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

Bay City W.D. (City or town.) Michigan (State or Territory.) Bay (County.) Tenth (Congressional district.)

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

5. Where were you born? Province Quebec, Canada

6. When were you born? October (Month.) 11th (Day.) 1865 (Year.)

7. Are you pensioned by the U. S. Government? (Answer "Yes" or "No.") No

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

Name.	Relationship.	Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.
None that I know of.				

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.)

Civil service examination (written interrogatories and answers) February 1907

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

No. No defective eyesight.

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.)

No

12. 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.)

Regiment and company, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
No.			

13. 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.

Regiment and company, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
Never served.			

14. 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 for the Government, indicated in your answers to questions 11, 12, and 13.)

Cooking on Steam vessels on the Lakes and out of sailing seasons, Carpenter work

15. 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 schools in Canada, and all of [illegible]

16. What special qualifications have you—professional, technical, mechanical, etc.? (Examples: Qualified as "Lawyer," or "Civil Engineer," or "Draftsman," or "Carpenter.")

Handy man as Carpenter

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17. What, if any, civil service [illegible]

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

None, except as stated above.

18. 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.)

No. Alfred M. King, Jr. 207 Center Ave, Bay City, Mich.

19. State the date upon which the above blanks were filled. June 25th, 1907

Witness:

In case signature is by mark.

(Signature) Arthur Dechamplain

P. O. Address: Bay City Mich.
City or town.
528 State St
Number and street.
Michigan
State or Territory.

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded June 25th, 1907

~~(Signature)~~ In the absence and by direction of the Inspector

~~(Official title)~~ Fred B Sides
Chief Clerk

PART II.

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

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

Light-House Service (Bureau or Service.) Gull Rock Light Station (Place (city, town, or station).) Eleventh (District.)

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

3. State the date of appointment. June 17, 1907.

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

June 17, 1907.

5. State the date of the oath. 25 June, 1907

6. State the date the appointee or employee entered on duty. 29 June, '07

7. What is his salary? $ 720 per annum

8. From what appropriation is he paid? Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses, 1908

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 appointee or 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.)

By Civil Service examination held Feb. 7, '07

12. Is the appointee or employee required to give bond? No.

~~(Signature)~~ In the absence and by direction of the Inspector

Date: July 25, 1907

(Official title) Fred B Sides
Chief Clerk.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 1757, REVISED STATUTES)

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
RECEIVED
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DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

I, Arthur DeChamplain

do solemnly[a] swear 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.**

Arthur DeChamplain

CARDED

Light House Board,
Entered upon duty.
Date 29 June '07

[b] Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 25th day of June, A. D. 1907

A B Johnson
Chief Clerk.

[c] Name: Alfred M. King

{Affix official seal.}

Official title: Notary Public, Bay Co. Mich.

Commission expires April 26th 1910

NAME OF OFFICE.	NAME OF STATION.	State or Country in which born.	State or Territory from which appointed.
Assistant Light House Keeper	Gull Rock Light Station	Canada	Michigan

[a] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.
[b] Insert here "Sworn to" or "Affirmed," as the case may be.
[c] This Oath should be taken before a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Judge, Clerk of a Court, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a Collector of Customs, as he has no power to administer oaths in such cases. *The oath should be taken on or after the date of the appointment.*

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.

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Form 73 ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF EMPLOYEE

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK RECEIVED SEP -4 1908 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS RECEIVED SEP 4 1908 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Office of the Inspector, 11th L. H. Dist.,

Detroit, Michigan,

The Light-House Board,

Washington, D. C.

26 August, 1908.
(Date)

Sirs: I have the honor to recommend the (1) Promotion
(Probationary appointment, transfer, promotion, etc.)

of (2) Mr. Arthur DeChamplain of (3) Michigan
(Name of person—letter for letter—as reported to Board) (State of legal residence)

from (4) Assistant Keeper
(Official title of present position, as Keeper, First Assistant Keeper, etc.)

at (5) Gull Rock Light-Station, Michigan,
(Official name of aid, as given in Light List, as Absecon Light-Station, N. J.)

at (6) $400 per annum to (7) Assistant Keeper
(Salary now paid) (Official title of position, as Keeper, First Assistant Keeper, etc.)

at (8) Gull Rock Light-Station, Michigan, at
(Official name of aid, as given in Light List, as Absecon Light-Station, N. J.)

(9) $40 per month, effective beginning (10) 1 July, '08 (the date
(Salary recommended)

of his entrance on duty) (~~or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty~~)
(Strike out the clause not appropriate)

in the place of (11) Arthur DeChamplain
(State name of *last* person holding position)

who (12) Committee on Equalization of Pay, approved on (13) June 25, 1908.
(Died, transferred, resigned, dismissed, etc.) (Last day of service)

Mr. (14) ..... stands No. (15) ..... in list of eligibles,

Class (16) ....., with an average of (17) ..... per cent, and

was considered with (18) .....

(19) letters of declination of ..... herewith.

Respectfully,

Jas H. Smith

Commander, U.S.N., Inspector.

Dept. 9/4/08 no eff. rating.

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE BOARD

10657

September 3, 1908, 190

Approved, and respectfully forwarded to the Honorable the Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK FORWARDED SEP 4 1908 TO APPOINTMENTS DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

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J. M. Helm

Captain, U. S. N.,

Naval Secretary.

GENERAL APPOINTMENT--PRIOR DATE

Department of Commerce and Labor
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Washington

September 5, 1908.

Mr Arthur DeChamplain, of Michigan, is hereby appointed

Assistant Keeper of Gull Rock Light-Station, Michigan,

in the Light-House Service,

at a salary of Forty dollars per month,

this appointment to be effective beginning July 1, 1908, he

having entered upon duty on that date and since continuously served

in the above-mentioned position. (Mr. DeChamplain succeeds himself.)

Payment of the compensation authorized in this appointment is

subject to the oath of office being taken.

CARDED

(Vice [illegible] from Assistant Keeper of Gull Rock Light-Station, Michigan, at $400 per annum.)

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DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Secretary.

Date of oath: , 190

The Light-House Board.

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Enclosures.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 1757, REVISED STATUTES)

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
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DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Department of Commerce and Labor

No. 10657

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

I, Arthur D. Champlain

do solemnly[a] Swear 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.

Arthur DeChamplain

[b] Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 24th day of September, A. D. 1908

(Affix official seal here.)

[c](Name:) Geo. M. Brand

(Official title:) Notary Public

My Commission Expires May 1st, 1909.

OFFICIAL TITLE.	NAME OF STATION.	State or Country in which born.	State or Territory from which appointed.
Assistant Keeper $40 per month	of Gull Rock Light. Station, Mich.	Canada	Michigan

OFFICE OF THE Inspector, 11th LIGHT-HOUSE DISTRICT,

Detroit, Michigan, 29 Sept., '08
(Address.) (Date.)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on 1 July, '08
(Date.)

(Signed:) Jas T. Smith
Captain, U.S.N.,
Inspector. 11th L.H.

[a] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.

[b] Insert here "Sworn to" or "Affirmed," as the case may be.

[c] This Oath should be taken before a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Judge, Clerk of a Court, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a Collector of Customs, as he has no 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.

CARDED

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NOTE CAREFULLY.

The oath may be executed at any time subsequent to the actual issuance of the appointment certificate, but no compensation should be paid until the oath is executed in proper form. Whenever possible the oath should be executed upon the date of actual entrance upon duty.

A letter of transmittal (use Form 95) should accompany Oath, stating the **exact** date of the entrance on duty of the appointee and the above blank also filled out and properly signed by the district officer.

Failure to fill out this Oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT HOUSE BOARD
JUN 10 1909
NO.

EFFICIENCY REPORT

(Read the instructions on the reverse side of this Form before attempting to fill it out.)

1. Bureau Light-House Service
2. Where employed Gull Rock Lt.Sta'n,Mich.
3. Name DeChamplain, Arthur
4. Where born Canada
5. Age 43
6. Position Asst. Keeper of the Gull Rock Light-Sta', Mich.
7. Compensation $40 p.m.
8. When appointed (a) ~~Sept.5,1905~~ June 29, 1907.
9. How appointed (b) Through Civil Service Examination
10. Appointed from — State Michigan; Congressional District 10th; County Bay

O.R.

11. Status under Civil Service Rules (c) Classified Competitive
12. Is the employee an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No.
13. Other Government service None
14. Duties (describe fully) In charge of the station in the absence of the keeper; assisting in maintaining and keeping the light under the immediate direction of the principal keeper.
15. Efficiency — Quantity of work (d) 9/10; Quality of work (e) Excellent; Interest manifested in work (f) Excellent

(SELECT)

16. Is this employee fully earning the salary he is now receiving? Yes
17. Remarks (g) Efficient

Lt. Colonel, Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.,
Engineer Secretary.

Captain, U. S. N.
Naval Secretary

Lt. Commander, U.S.N.
Inspector.

Head of Bureau or Office.

5 June, '09, 19

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READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON PAGE 3

May 10, 1911.

Department of Commerce and Labor

EFFICIENCY REPORT

(The parenthetical letters refer to instructions on page 3, which instructions should be read and understood before attempting to fill out the form.)

1. Name Arthur DeChamplain 2. Age 45 (Last birthday.)

3. Bureau Light-House Service 4. Position Asst.Kpr., Gull Rock Lt.St.

5. Compensation $40 p.m. 6. Where employed Eleventh District

7. When appointed (a) June 17,1907 8. How appointed (b) Civil Service Examination

9. Status under Civil Service Rules (c) Competitive

10. Is the employee an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No

11. Does the employee receive a pension? No If so, state the amount

12. Other Government service None

13. Duties (describe fully) Assistant to Keeper of station and in charge in his absence

14. Has the employee special qualifications? No If so, state them

15. Efficiency (d):

	Averages.	Relative weights.	Products of averages multiplied by weights.
Quantity of work	100	2	200
Quality of work	100	3	300
Interest manifested in work (see also Question 17)	100	3	300
Attendance	100	2	200
Total		10	1000
Average percentage			100

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16. In the following form state the number of days of annual leave, sick leave, and leave without pay taken in each of the years 1908, 1909, and 1910:

1908.			1909.			1910.		
Annual.	Sick.	Without pay.	Annual.	Sick.	Without pay.	Annual.	Sick.	Without pay.
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

17. Is this employee a purely routine employee, or does he manifest interest, not only in his own work but also in the work of the office or bureau as a whole, to the extent of overtime work or voluntary efforts by suggestion or otherwise to add to its efficiency? (Answer fully.) Routine

18. On the basis of efficiency alone, is this employee overpaid or underpaid as compared with others in your office engaged on the same grade of work, or is his salary a fair equivalent for the service rendered? (Answer fully.) Fair equivalent

If the present salary is above or below a fair equivalent, state what, in your opinion, it should be.

19. Is this employee superannuated? No If so, what percentage of salary is unearned?

20. Remarks: (e)

The official who is primarily responsible for the statements herein submitted will sign here—

C. M. McCormick

Commander U. S. N. Inspector 11th L. H. District

The official who approves the statements thus submitted will sign here—

C. M. McCormick

Commander U. S. N. Inspector 11th L. H. District

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L. R. Putnam for

Chief of Bureau or Office.

Form 73 **ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE**

BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES
JUN 14 1912
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eleventh DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., June 10, 1912.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following recommendation is submitted:

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JUN 27 1912
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Action proposed, Change in compensation of:

Name, Arthur DeChamplain, Legal residence, Michigan,

Position, Assistant Keeper, 1041 Salary, $480 per annum,

Location, Gull Rock Light Sta., Mich.

Effective July 1, 1912, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. ~~on the actual date of entrance on duty.~~

Former position, Former salary, $40 per month.

Location,

Rank in list of eligibles, Rating, Percentage,

Other eligibles considered,

Letters of declination inclosed,

Previous incumbent, Services terminated,

Reason,

Remarks: Appn., Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

6/27/12 MCB

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

C. A. Park

Department of Commerce and Labor
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 21 1912

Respectfully submitted to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, approved.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION
APPOINTMENT WRITTEN
JUN 28 1912
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

G. B. Putnam

~~Acting~~ Commissioner

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce and Labor
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

June 28, 1912.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

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

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

(By change from $40 per month.)

APPOINTMENT DIVISION. REPORTED JUN 29 1912 TO DISBURSING CLERK DEP'T OF COMMERCE AND LABOR.

CARDED.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice:

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES AUG 12 1912 DEP'T OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

OFFICE OF DISBURSING CLERK RECEIVED AUG 20 1912 DEPT. OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Carded in the Disbursing Office

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Arthur DeChamplain

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.

Arthur DeChamplain
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 1st day of August, A. D. 1912

(Affix official seal here)

[4](Name) John F. Smith

(Official title) Notary Public

commission expires 4th 1913

OFFICIAL TITLE	RATE OF PAY	NAME OF STATION, VESSEL, OR PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT
Assistant Keeper	$480 p.a.	Gull Rock L.S., Mich.

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

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS RECEIVED AUG 20 1912 G DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT

Detroit, Mich. (Address), Aug. 1, 1912. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on July 1, 1912. (Date)
Same position; change in pay
from monthly to yearly rate.
Former pay $40 per month.

CARDED

O. M. McCormick
(Signature, followed by title)
Commander, U.S.N., Inspector.

[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, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs, as he has no 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.

Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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Form 73 **ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE**

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

JUL 1 1912

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., June 29, 1912.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK RECEIVED JUL 2-1912 COMMERCE AND LABOR

CHIEF CLERK FORWARDED TO JUL 2-1912 APPTS. COMMERCE AND LABOR

The following recommendation is submitted:

Action proposed, Promotion of

Name, Arthur DeChamplain, 100% Legal residence, Michigan,

Position, Keeper, Salary, $624 per annum,

Location, Gull Rock Light Sta., Mich.

Effective July 10, 1912, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. ~~or the actual date of entrance on duty.~~

Former position, Asst. Keeper, Former salary, $40 per month,

Location, Gull Rock Light Station, Mich.

changed to $480 P.L. 6/30/12 Eff. m. cod.

Rank in list of eligibles, Rating, Percentage,

Other eligibles considered,

Letters of declination inclosed,

Previous incumbent, Herbert P. Crittenden Services terminated,

Reason, Transfer and promotion. recommended Done D

Remarks: Appn., Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

C. M. McCormick

7/2/12 MMG

Department of Commerce and Labor

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON JUL 1 1912

Respectfully submitted to the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, approved.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION APPOINTMENT WRITTEN JUL 2 1912 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

J S Conway

Acting Commissioner

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce and Labor
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

July 2, 1912.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Six Hundred and Twenty-four dollars per annum,

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

(By promotion from assistant keeper at $480 per annum.)

CARDED.

CHANGE REPORTED
AUG -- 1912
C. S. COMMISSION.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

APPOINTMENT DIVISION. REPORTED JUL 2 1912 TO DISBURSING CLERK DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY.

P D

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Herbert P. Crittenden.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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Form 111

BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES
AUG 7 1912
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR
OFFICE OF DISBURSING CLERK
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AUG 10 1912
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Carded in the Disbursing Office.

I, ARTHUR DE CHAMPLAIN

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.

☞ Arthur De Champlain
(Appointee signs here.)

[2] Sworn to (See below.) and subscribed before me, this [3] 1st day of August, A. D. 1912

(Affix Official seal here.)

[4] (Name) John F. Smith

(Official title) Notary Public

Commission expires July 1st 1913

Official Title.	Rate of Pay.	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Keeper,	$624 per annum.	Gull Rock Lt. Sta., Mich.

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

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DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS
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AUG 12 1912
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 11th District

Detroit, Mich. (Address.), August 5, 1912. (Date.)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on July 26, 1912. (Date.)
Promoted from Asst. Keeper, $40 per mo., Gull Rock L.S. Mich.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Park
Superintendent.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.

[2] Insert here "sworn to" or "affirmed," as the case may be.

[3] The oath may be taken any time after the date of appointment and prior to the payment of compensation, but no compensation shall be paid until the oath is executed in proper form.

[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs, as he has no 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.

Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

Form 73 ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

Department of Commerce and ~~Labor~~

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., June 12, 1913.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following recommendation is submitted:

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES JUN 14 1913 DEP'T OF COMMERCE

Action proposed, Transfer of

Name, Arthur DeChamplain 100% Legal residence, Michigan.

Position, 2nd Assistant Keeper Salary, $456.00 per annum.

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS APPOINTMENT WRITTEN JUN 17 1913 U.S. COAST GUARD DEPT OF COMMERCE

Title of appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

HOUSE CLERK JUN 13 1913

Location, Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

Effective July 1, 1913, {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

APPOINTMENTS JUN 16 1913

Former position, Keeper Former salary, $624.00 per annum. 4,02

Location, Gull Rock Light Station, Mich.

Rank in list of eligibles, Rating, Percentage,

Other eligibles considered,

Letters of declination inclosed,

Previous incumbent, Arthur S. Marshall Services terminated, May 22, 1913.

Reason, Resigned.

Remarks: Gull Rock Light Station, Mich., at which the nominee is at present keeper, will be made nonattended about June 30, 1913, and he has signified his willingness to accept transfer as recommended above. His letter attached. Discontinued by Dft 6/17/13.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector.

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Two inclosures.

Department of Commerce and ~~Labor~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

June 14, 1913.

Respectfully submitted to the Secretary of Commerce and ~~Labor~~, approved.

Attention is invited to inclosed letter from DeChamplain requesting this transfer, and also to letter from the Eleventh Inspector, dated June 12, 1913, which is also inclosed.

Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
★ LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR ELEVENTH DISTRICT ★
....SUPT.....BUREAU.....CH. CLERK....
JUN 12 1913
STATUS INVESTIGATE
NOTE RECOMMEND
FILE INFORMATION
.....APPROVAL.....INSPECTOR

Answered JUN 12, ANS

ELEVENTH DISTRICT

Gull Rock LIGHT Station

June 9th, 1913.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
★ JUN 14 1913 ★
DEP'T OF COMMERCE

Light-House Inspector,

Detroit, Mich.

Sir;-

In reply to your letter of June 7th, 1913. with referance to the vacences existing at preasent, will say that I prefer the position as 2nd assistant at Detroit River Light Station in preferance of the other vacencies that now exist.

Very Respectfully,

Arthur DeChamplain Keeper.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
DETROIT, MICH.

Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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Gull Rock L.S.
re change to nonattended.

Dep. Comm'r.
Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
E. C. &
Examiner.
Personnel.
Accounts
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Chf. Clk.
Commr.

OK Dept 9/6/14

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 11TH DISTRICT
POST OFFICE BUILDING
DETROIT, MICH.

June 12, 1913.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 14 1913
DEP'T OF COMMERCE

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES.

With reference to the change of the Gull Rock Light Station, Lake Superior, Michigan, to nonattended as approved, and for which Notice to Mariners has been issued that the change will take place about June 30, 1913:

2. It is proposed to transfer the keeper and assistant keeper to vacancies now existing at other stations until such time as vacancies occur in their present grades to which they can be restored, in lieu of placing them on furlough without pay.

3. The keeper of the station, Mr. Arthur DeChamplain, has signified his willingness to accept the position of second assistant keeper at the Detroit River Light Station, Mich., which is now vacant, and there is being transmitted herewith nomination covering this transfer, together with his letter of acceptance.

4. Nomination covering the transfer of the assistant keeper at Gull Rock Light Station will be transmitted in due time.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector.

Bides

June 17, 1913.

Acting De Champlain

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 14th* instant, the Department hereby discontinues the positions of keeper and assistant keeper of Gull Rock Light Station, Michigan, at $624 and $480 per annum, respectively, effective at the close of June 30, 1913, or as soon thereafter as the light is made nonattended.

The Department notes that recommendations for the disposition of the incumbents of the above-mentioned positions will be submitted.

(sgd) A. L. Shuman

Acting Secretary.

* File 646

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce and Labor
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

June 18, 1913.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Second Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Four Hundred and Fifty-six dollars per annum,

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

(By transfer from keeper at $624 per annum.)

CARDED.

CHANGE REPORTED
JUL 1913
C. S. COMMISSION.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

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Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
REPORTED
JUN 18 1913
10 ASSIGNING CLERK
DEPT. OF COMMERCE

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Arthur S. Marshall.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

11—3692

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES JUL 7 1913 DEP'T OF COMMERCE

I, Arthur DeChamplain

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.

Arthur DeChamplain
(Appointee signs here)

CHIEF CLERK JUL 21 1913

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] Second day of July, A. D. 1913

DEPARTMENTS JUL 22 1913

(Affix official seal here)

[4](Name) Alfred M. King

(Official title) Notary Public, Bay Co. Mich.

Commission expires April 21st 1914

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
2nd Assistant Keeper	$456.00 p.a.	Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

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

CARDED.

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 11th District

Detroit, Mich. (Address), (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on July 1, 1913. (Date)

By transfer from keeper at $624. per annum. at Gull Rock.
In the absence and by direction of the Inspector.

Park
(Signature, followed by title)

Superintendent.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.

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Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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Form 73 **ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE**

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES JUL 21 1913 DEPT OF COMMERCE

Department of Commerce ~~and Labor~~

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., July 17, 1913.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following recommendation is submitted:

APPOINTMENT DIVISION JUL 23 1913 DEPT OF COMMERCE

CHIEF CLERK JUL 22 1913 5

Action proposed, Promotion of

Name, Arthur DeChamplain $100 Legal residence, Michigan.

Position, 1st Assistant Keeper Salary, $480.00 per annum.

Title of appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

ENGINEERING IMPROVEMENTS JUL 22 1913 1157

Location, Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

Effective July 26, 1913, [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty,~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, 2nd Assistant Keeper Former salary, $456.00 per annum.

Location, Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

Rank in list of eligibles, Rating, Percentage,

Other eligibles considered,

Letters of declination inclosed,

Previous incumbent, Arthur A. Cleary. Services terminated, July 25, 1913.

Reason, Resigned.

Remarks:

Edw. E. Woodruff

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Department of Commerce ~~and Labor~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

JUL 21 1913

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Respectfully submitted to the Secretary of Commerce ~~and Labor,~~ approved.

E. C. Gillette

Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce ~~and Labor~~

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Washington

July 23, 1913.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

First Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

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

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

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

CARDED.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION. REPORTED JUL 24 1913 TO DISBURSING CLERK DEPT OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Arthur A. Cleary.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

CHANGE REPORTED AUG 1913 U. S. COMMISSION.

11—3692

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES AUG 14 1913 DEP'T OF COMMERCE

RK AUG 18 1913 5 APPOINTMENTS AUG 18 1913

I, Arthur DeChamplain,

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.

Arthur DeChamplain
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Frank T. Bondy (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 9th day of August, A. D. 1913

(Affix official seal here)

[4](Name) Frank T. Bondy

(Official title) Notary Public

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
1st Asst. Keeper	$480.00 P.A.	Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

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

CARDED.

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 11th District

Detroit, Mich. (Address), AUG 11 1913 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on July 26, 1913. (Date)

By promotion from second assistant keeper at $456. per annum.

Edw. L. Woodruff
(Signature, followed by title)
Inspector.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.

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FORM 93

LETTER TRANSMITTING RESIGNATION

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES AUG 16 1913 DEP'T OF COMMERCE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS Resignation Accepted AUG 20 1913

Detroit, Mich., Aug. 14, 1913. , 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

CHIEF AUG 19 1913

Name, **Arthur DeChamplain** Position, **1st assistant keeper**

Legal residence, **Michigan** Station, **DETROIT RIVER Lt Sta**

Salary, **$480.00** per **annum**

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of **Aug. 24, 1913.**

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

APPOINTMENTS AUG 19 1913 419

Remarks:

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

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8/20/13 MG

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

AUG 18 1913

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

S Conway

Acting Commissioner

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Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
★ LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR ELEVENTH DISTRICT ★
SUPT. BUREAU CH. CLERK
AUG 14 1913
STATUS INVESTIGATE
NOTE RECOMMEND
FILE INFORMATION
to Bur.
APPROVAL INSPECTOR

ELEVENTH DISTRICT

Detroit River Aug 13 1913
(Depot, Vessel, or Light Station.)

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
AUG 16 1913
DEP'T OF COMMERCE

August 13, 1913

Inspector 11th distric
Detroit Mich
Sir

I now tender my resignation to take affecton
Augst 24th thanking yor for the favor
I remain very respectfully

Arthur Dechamplain
fist assistant Keeper

Respectfully forwarded
George M. Clark
Keeper

August 20, 1913.

Sir:

Having tendered your resignation as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, at $480 per annum, the Department has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses, effective at the close of ** 24* August 24, 1913.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

SIGNED) T. J. FITZGERALD

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION. REPORTED AUG 20 1913 TO DISBURSING CLERK DEPT OF COMMERCE

* 9/9/13 Dt amends
** Dt 10/20/13 again amends

CHANGE REPORTED AUG 1913 U. S. COMMISSION.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
DETROIT, MICH.

Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES SEP 5 1913 DEPT OF COMMERCE

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 11TH DISTRICT
POST OFFICE BUILDING
DETROIT, MICH.

Arthur DeChamplain
re date of resignation.

Dep. Commr.
Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
R. C. G.
Examiner.
Personnel.
Accounts.
Contracts.
Chf. Clk.
Commr.

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN SEP 9 1913 DEPT OF COMMERCE

September 3, 1913.

CHIEF CLERK SEP 8 1913

APPOINTMENTS SEP 8 1913

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES.

Returned herewith for correction as to the effective date, is Department letter of August 20th accepting resignation of Arthur DeChamplain, first assistant keeper at Detroit River Light Station, Mich. $480. Mr. DeChamplain remained on duty at the station up to and including August 29th, when he was relieved by the new appointee.

W.B.S.

9-8-13

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
SEP 6 1913

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommending for approval.

Acting Commissioner.

September 9, 1913.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 6th instant, the Department has amended its order accepting the resignation of Arthur DeChamplain as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, at $480 per annum, by changing the same to read effective at the close of August 29, instead of August 24, 1913.

The communication addressed to Mr. DeChamplain under date of the 20th ultimo, notifying him of the acceptance of his resignation, has been amended accordingly and is herewith returned.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) GEO. C. HAVENNER

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION. REPORTED SEP 9- 1913 TO DISBURSING CLERK DEPT OF COMMERCE

Enclosure No. 1424.
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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
DETROIT, MICH.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES OCT 16 1913 DEP'T OF COMMERCE

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 11TH DISTRICT
POST OFFICE BUILDING
DETROIT, MICH.

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John Garrity
date of entrance
on duty.

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN OCT 20 1913 DEP'T OF COMMERCE

Dep. Comr.
Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
E. C. G.
Examiner.
Personnel.
Accounts.
Contracts.
Chf. Clk.
Jommr.

Dept

October 14, 1913.

CHIEF CLERK OCT 18 1913

APPOINTMENTS OCT 18 1913

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES.

With reference to Bureau endorsement on Department letter of the 8th inst., re date of entrance on duty of John Garrity as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Mich.

2. I have to state that Mr. Garrity entered on duty at this station August 27, 1913. Although Arthur DeChamplain, the previous incumbent, did not leave the station until August 29th, on account of inclement weather, he only rendered service up to and including August 26th. When forwarding my letter of September 3rd, re this matter, it was supposed that Mr. DeChamplain had remained on duty until August 29th, but later investigation showed his last date of service was August 26th.

3. The carbon copy of Department letter of August 20th, accepting DeChamplain's resignation, is returned herewith for correction as to the effective date. The original was sent him at the station, but he has apparently left no address and it will be impossible to have the original returned for correction.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Oct. 16, 913
Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, with recommendation that Department letter of August 20, 1913, be amended again to show the last day of service of Arthur DeChamplain as August 26, instead of August 29, 1913.

Woodruff.

Acting Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK

WASHINGTON

Dep. Comm.,
Hydrog.
Engr. Comm.
Mar. Engr.
E. C. G.
Examiner,
Personnel.
Accounts.
Contracts.
Chf. Clk.
Commr.

October 8, 1913.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES OCT 8 1913
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES OF COMMERCE OCT 16 1913 DEP'T OF COMMERCE
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE INSPECTOR 11TH L. H. DISTRICT
SUPT. BUREAU CH. CLERK
OCT 13 1913
STATUS ANSWER INVESTIGATE RECOMMEND
INSPECTOR

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The Department returns herewith oath of office executed by John Garrity under his appointment as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, attention being invited to the fact that the date of entrance on duty is given as August 27, 1913, whereas the resignation of Mr. Garrity's predecessor, Arthur DeChamplain, was accepted effective at the close of August 29, 1913.

By direction of the Secretary:

Acting Commissioner.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
OCT 10 1913

To Lighthouse Inspector, Detroit, Mich.,
for his information, action and return with report.

Acting Commissioner.

Enclosure No. 780
C-M

October 20, 1913.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

For the reasons set forth in the Eleventh Inspector's letter of the 14th instant, and in accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 16th instant, the Department has again amended its order accepting the resignation of Arthur DeChamplain as first assistant keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, at $480 per annum, by changing the same to read effective at the close of August 26, 1913, instead of August 29, 1913.

The carbon copies of the Department's letter of August 20, 1913, notifying Mr. DeChamplain of the acceptance of his resignation, have been amended accordingly and are herewith returned.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) GEO. C. HAVENNER

CARDED.

CHANGE REPORTED
OCT 1913
U. S. COMMISSION.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION.
REPORTED
OCT 20 1913
TO DISBURSING CLERK
DEPT OF COMMERCE

Enclosure No. 791.
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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich. (City.), March 30 (Date.), 1914

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Reinstatement and appointment of

Name, Arthur DeChamplain of 100 Legal residence, Michigan.

Position, Second Assistant Keeper Salary, $456.00 per annum.

Location, Passage Island Light Station, Mich. Appropriation, salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective April 11, 1914, {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, -- Former salary, --

Location, ----

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

Previous incumbent, Andrew Fisher Services terminated, February 28, 1914

Reason, Resigned.

Relatives in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Mr. DeChamplain was formerly first assistant at Detroit River Light Station, Mich. and resigned from the Service August 26, 1913. He is thoroughly familiar with Lighthouse duties and it is recommended that he be reinstated and appointed to fill the position noted above.

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

Edw. L. Woodruff

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR. 2 1914

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

S. Conway

Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

Form 381.
May, 1910.

REQUEST FOR REINSTATEMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
[Department, Commission, or Office.]

Washington, D. C., April 3, 1914.

To the U. S. Civil Service Commission:

Request is made for certificate under Rule IX for the reinstatement of Arthur DeChamplain, a legal resident of the State (or Territory) of Michigan, to the position of Second Assistant Keeper of Passage Island Light Station, Michigan, now vacant (or to become vacant on), at a salary of $456 per annum, in the Lighthouse Service, for which a certification of
[Bureau or Office.]
eligibles has not been requested.* Mr. DeChamplain was, without delinquency or misconduct on his part, separated by resignation on August 26, 1913, from the position of
[Removal or resignation.]
First Assistant Keeper of Detroit River Light Station, Michigan, at a salary of $480 per annum, in the Lighthouse Service.
[Bureau or Office.]

MEMBERS OF FAMILY IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES:

The Bureau reports that there are no members of Mr. DeChamplain's family in the Government service.
[State degree of relationship and where employed.]

MILITARY OR NAVAL RECORD.

Regiment Company

Vessel Date of honorable discharge

By direction of the Secretary: (SIGNED) T. J. FITZGERALD
Signature:

Official title: ACTING Chief Clerk.

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*If a certification has been requested, the date should be given. When a requisition has been made under section 1 of Rule VII for a certification of eligibles, and the Commission, at the request of the Department, has made public announcement of an examination to secure such eligibles, the vacancy shall not thereafter be filled by transfer, promotion, or reinstatement, without the consent of the Commission.

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Form 1788 (First Sheet).
Jan., 1913.

NO. 6612

CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZING REINSTATEMENT.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

CHIEF CLERK
APR 7 1914
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APPOINTMENT DIVISION
APPOINTMENT WRITTEN
APR 7 1914
DEPT OF COMMERCE

Washington, D. C., April 4, 1914

APPOINTMENTS
APR 7 1914
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To the

Secretary of Commerce.

Sir:

Certification is hereby made that the following reinstatement is authorized by the Commission under Civil Service Rule IX:

Arthur DeChamplain of Michigan

STATUS AUTHORIZED.	FORMER STATUS.
Commerce (Department.)	Same (Department.)
Lighthouse Service (Bureau or office.)	Same (Bureau or office.)
2nd.asst.Keeper (Position and salary.)	1st.asst.Keeper (Position and salary.)
Passage Id.Sta.,Mich (City in which to be employed.)	DetroitRiver Light.Sta.,Mich. (City in which formerly employed.)
April 3,1914 (Date of request.)	August 26,1913,resigned. (Date and manner of separation.)

Very respectfully,

T. P. Chapman

6—3058

Acting Secretary.

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 7, 1914.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Second Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Four Hundred and Fifty-six dollars per annum,

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

(By reinstatement in accordance with authority contained in Civil Service Certificate No. 6612.)

CHANGE REPORTED
APR 1914
U. S. COMMISSION.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

CARDED.

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY

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Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED APR7 1914 ON JOURNAL DEPT OF COMMERCE

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Andrew Fisher,

Legal Residence: Michigan.

11—3692

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT APR 22 1914 HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK APR 24 1914

APPOINTMENTS APR 24 1914

I, Arthur DeChamplain

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.

☞ Arthur DeChamplain
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 17th day of April, A. D. 1914

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) C. S. Palmer

(Official title) NOTARY PUBLIC, St. Louis County, Minn. My Commission Expires April 2, 1915

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present 2nd Asst.Kpr.	$456.00 P.A.	Passage Island Light Station, Mich
Former[5] --------	---------	--------

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

CARDED.

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 11th District

Detroit, Mich. (Address), April 20, 1914. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on April 15, 1914. (Date)

By reinstatement in accordance with authority contained in Civil Service Certificate No. 6612.

Edw. L. Woodruff
(Signature, followed by title)
Inspector.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.

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[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 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eleventh DISTRICT.

Detroit, Michigan, September 15, 1915.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion of.

Name, Arthur DeChamplain, 100% Legal residence, Michigan.

Position, First Assistant Keeper, Salary, $480.00 per annum.

Location, Passage Island Lt. Sta., Mich. Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective October 1, 1915. ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Second Assistant Keeper, Former salary, $456.00 per annum.

Location, Passage Island Light Sta., Michigan.

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

Previous incumbent, Jason Mihlethaler, Services terminated, about Sept. 30, 1915.

Reason, To be transferred.

Relatives in Government Service, ---

Remarks:

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

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

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Secretary, *Civil Service District.*

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

SEP 17 1915

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

H Conway

Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

September 18, 1915.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

First Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

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

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

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Jason Mihlethaler.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES JAN 5 1916
CHIEF CLERK JAN 8 1916
APPOINTMENTS JAN 8 1916

I, Arthur DeChamplain

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.

☞ Arthur DeChamplain
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 3d day of January, A. D. 1916

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) A. Fisher

(Official title) Chief Clerk, 11th L. H. District

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present 1st Asst. Kpr.	$480. P.A.	Passage Island Lt. Sta.,
Former 2d Asst. Kpr.	456. P.A.	Passage Island Lt. Sta.

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 11th District

Detroit, Mich. (Address), Jan. 3, 1916. (Date)

CARDED.

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on Oct. 18, 1915. (Date)

Edw. L. Woodruff
Inspector.
(Signature, followed by title)

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[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.

Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

December 4, 1915.

CHIEF CLERK
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Lighthouse Inspector,

Detroit, Mich.

Referring to Department letter appointing the following-named employee, secure and forward oath of office covering this appointment as soon as practicable. See paragraph "Forwarding oaths and personal question sheets," ~~page 117,~~ Par 426 Regulations, 1914.

Name of employee: Arthur DeChamplain

Position: First Assistant Keeper

Date of Department letter: September 18, 1915.

(Signed)

J. S. Conway

Acting Commissioner.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington.

DEC 4 1915

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

J. S. Conway

Acting Commissioner.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Mich., (City.) Dec. 23, 1915. (Date.) 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Increase in pay of:

Name, Arthur DeChamplain — Legal residence, Michigan

Position, First Asst. Keeper — Salary, $504 per annum.

Location, Passage Island Lt. Sta., Mich. — Appropriation, Sal. Kprs. of L.H.

Effective Jan. 1, 1916. — ~~the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

Former position, First Asst. Keeper — Former salary, $480 per annum

Location, As above

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

Previous incumbent, (New position.) Services terminated,

Reason,

Relatives in Government Service, --

Remarks:

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

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

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Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 4, 1916.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

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, First Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Five Hundred and Four dollars per annum, effective January 1, 1916.

(By increase in compensation from $480 per annum.)

CARDED.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JAN 4 - 1916 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice:

Legal Residence: Michigan.

CHANGE REPORTED JAN 1916 U. S. COMMISSION

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

LIGHT JAN 27 1916 HOUSES

APPOINTMENTS JAN 29 1916

CHIEF CLERK JAN 29 1916

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Arthur DeChamplain,

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.

☞ Arthur De Champlain
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 24th day of January, A. D. 1916

(Affix official seal here)

[4](Name) Alfred W. King

(Official title) Notary Public Bay Co. Mich.

Commission expires April 16th 1918

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present 1st Asst. Kpr.	$504. p.a.	Passage Island Lt. Sta., Mich.
Former[5] " " "	480. "	" " " " "

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 11th District

Detroit, Michigan, (Address), January 25, 1916. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on January 1, 1916. (Date)

CARDED.

Edw. L. Woodruff
(Signature, followed by title)
Inspector 11th L. H. District

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Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 23 1917

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT.

Detroit, Mich., March 21, 1917.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK MAR 24 1917

Action recommended, Transfer and promotion of:

Name, Arthur DeChamplain, Legal residence, Michigan,

Position, Keeper, Salary, $552 p.a.

Location, Eagle River Shoals Fog Signal Sta., Mich. Appropriation, Sal., Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective April 1, 1917, ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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Former position, First assistant keeper, Former salary, $504 p.a.

Location, Passage Island Lt. Sta., Mich.

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

Previous incumbent, New position, Auth. — Feb. 27, 1917. Services terminated,

Reason,

Members of family in Government Service, ---

Remarks:

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

Edw. L. Woodruff Asst

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NDW March 23, 1917.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. Attention in this connection is invited to Department letter of February 27, 1917, authorizing the above position.

3-24-17

H. Gurney
Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 24, 1917.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Five Hundred and Fifty-two dollars per annum,

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

(By transfer from first assistant keeper at $504 per annum.)

CARDED.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAR 24 1917 JOURNAL DEPT OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: New position.

Legal Residence: Michigan.

11—3692

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES MAY 12 1917

CHIEF CLERK MAY 17 1917

I, Arthur DeChamplain,

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.

☞ Arthur DeChamplain (Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 2nd day of April, A. D. 1917

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Alfred M. King

(Official title) Notary Public, Bay Co. Mich.

Commission expires April 16th 1918

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Keeper,	$552.00 p.a.	Eagle River Shoals Fog Sig. Sta., Mich
Former[5] 1st Asst. Kpr.	504.00 "	Passage Island Light Sta., Mich.

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 11th District

Detroit, Michigan, (Address), May 10, 1917. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on May 3, 1917. (Date)

CARDED.

Edw. L. Woodruff.

Inspector, 11th L. H. Dist. (Signature, followed by title)

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August 29, 1917.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 25th instant, the Department has changed the designation of the positions of keeper and assistant keeper of Eagle River Shoals Fog Signal Station, Michigan, at $552 and $456 per annum, respectively, to keeper and assistant keeper of Sand Hills Light Station, Michigan, without change in the rate of pay.

Acting Chief Clerk.

(Case Reference)

CARDED.

USE TYPEWRITER—SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK.

UNITED STATES
BUREAU OF EFFICIENCY.
FORM 8.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF THE CENSUS.
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MAKE NO ENTRIES IN THIS COLUMN.

LIGHT
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HOUSES

RECORD OF CIVIL EMPLOYEE.

JULY 1, 1916.

1. Name: (Surname first. Given name in full. For women write Miss or Mrs. before given name.)

DeChamplain, Arthur

2. Department:

Commerce

3. Bureau, office, or service:

Lighthouse Service 11th Dist.

4. Designation of position:

1st assistant keeper

5. Occupation (if not clearly shown by answer to question 4):

See 4

6. Annual earnings:

484.80

7. Kind of appropriation:

LS

8. Present rate of pay:

$ 504.00 PA

9. Initial rate of pay:

$ 400.00

10. Total length of service (give the total of ALL U. S. GOVT. SERVICE with the exceptions stated on the back of this card)—

~~Substitute—~~ Years: 8 ~~Months:~~

~~Regular—~~ ~~Years:~~ Months: 4

11. State, Territory, or foreign country of birth (do not give town):

Canada

12. Race:

W

13. Sex:

Male

14. Date of birth—

Month: October

Year: 1865

15. Kinds of schools attended, years attended, and degrees taken:

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16. Marital condition:

S

17. War veteran?

No

18. Appointed from—

Congressional district and State: 10 Michigan

County: Bay

19. Civil service status:

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20. Method by which classified status was obtained:

CE

21. Place of employment—

City: Duluth

State: Minnesota

DO NOT FOLD THIS CARD.

11—5869

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

November 15, 1918.

M. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $832 per annum to $780 per annum, effective November 1, 1918.

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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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT MAR 31 1919 HOUSE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Michigan, March 28, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Increase in pay:

CHIEF CLERK

Name, Arthur DeChamplain — Legal residence, Michigan

Position, Keeper — Salary, ~~$840~~ $900 per ann. 1919 APR 1 PM 2 40

Location, Sand Nills Light Station, Michigan. — Appropriation, Sal. Kprs. of L.H.'s

Effective April 15, 1919 — {'the actual date of entrance on duty, xxx
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Former position, -- Same — Former salary, $780 p.a.

Location, --

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

APPOINTMENTS

Previous incumbent, -- Services terminated, 1919 APR 1 PM 3 04

Reason,

Members of family in Government Service,

Remarks:

Above increase is longevity allowance. Mr. DeChamplain will have served five continuous years at the close of April 14, 1919.

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

For and in the absence of the Superintendent of Lighthouses.

L. L. Feb 20/19

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Chas A Park

First Asst. Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAR 3 1 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner.

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

April 2, 1919.

Mr. Arthur DeChamplain,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $780 per annum to $840 per annum effective April 15, 1919 (the above rate of pay includes $60 per annum longevity pay).

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION RECEIVED APR 2 - 1919 BUREAU OF JOURNAL AND MAILS DEPT. OF COMMERCE

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LIGHT APR 28 1919 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT,

Detroit, Michigan, April 22, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

APR 28 1919 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Action recommended, Promotion of:

Name, Arthur DeChamplain — Legal residence, Michigan

Position, Keeper — Salary, $900 p.a. ~~$960.~~ CLERK (900 does not include Longevity)

Location, Sand Hills Light Station, Mich. — Appropriation, Sal. Kprs. of L.H.'s

Effective May 5, 1919 — ~~1919 APR 26 PM~~ 2 15 as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper — Former salary, $780 p.a. Now at 840. incl Longevity

Location, Sand Hills Light Station, Mich.

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

APPOINTMENTS

1919 APR 26 PM 2 58

Previous incumbent, (New Position) (Dept. letter Feb. 20-19) Services terminated,

Reason,

Members of family in Government Service, --

Remarks: It is proposed to place the newly authorized complement at this station on duty on or about the date above given, inasmuch as the Diaphone fog signal will be placed in commission May 15 and the i.o.v. light in the near future, and it is desirable that the full complement be assigned in order to familiarize themselves with the station equipment, etc. It is not the intention, however, to continue DeChamplain as the permanent keeper as his length of service does not entitle him thereto, but promotion of the employee selected for permanent keeper is held in abeyance pending other changes in the personnel of the District. DeChamplain has been fully informed as to his status in this regard.

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

Edw. L. Woodruff
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR 25 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

4-26-19

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H. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner

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[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

April 28, 1919.

r. Arthur DeChamplain,
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Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper of the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 840. per annum to $ 960. per annum May 5, 1919, or as soon thereafter as you enter upon duty at the increased rate of pay. The compensation stated includes $60. per annum longevity pay.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED APR 28 1919 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

Chief of Appointment Division.

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11th District.

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
DETROIT, MICH.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT
FEB 27 1920
HOUSE

SUPERINTENDENT
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 11TH DISTRICT
POST OFFICE BUILDING
DETROIT, MICH.

Re:Reporting date of effect of changes in personnel, Lighthouse Service.

February 25, 1920.

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CHIEF CLERK
1920 MAR 1 PM 3 21

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D.C.

Referring to Bureau indorsement on Department letter of February 12, as to reporting effective dates of promotion, etc., of certain employees, the Bureau is advised that the effective date of promotion of Arthur DeChamplain Keeper Sand Hills Light Station, was May 15, 1919; Department letter of April 28, 1919. This is the only employee concerned in this District.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
FEB 28 1920

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

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Acting Commissioner

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LETTER TRANSMITTING RESIGNATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 11th DISTRICT.

Detroit, Michigan, June 11, 1919.

CHIEF CLERK

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Herewith is ~~the resignation~~ reported the death of the following-named employee:

1919 JUN 16 PM 1 56

Name, Arthur DeChamplain Position, Keeper APPOINTMENTS

Legal residence, Michigan Station, Sand Hills Light Station, Mich.

1919 JUN 16 PM 2 42

Salary, $960 per annum

~~The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of~~

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

Remarks:

Mr. DeChamplain died June 6, 1919.

Lab. 6/16/19.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUN 17 1919 DEPT'L JOURNAL OF COMMERCE

CARDED

Edw. K. Campbell
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON JUN 16 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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1919 JUN 16 PM 1 41

N. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner

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