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

Date: 10/2/2024

REQUESTER INFORMATION

Name (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Researcher ID Card Number
Flynn, Kylie	
E-Mail Address:	**Phone Number:**
knfgbb@umsl.edu	217-440-1332

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
Farrington, Grady		1894 TX

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: 1980 CA

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Kylie

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service (OR/WA/TX)	From: 1935	To: 1942
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:

2 folders

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

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STAFF USE ONLY

Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number: 2-301 050044 37

CMRS Search Request Number(s):

Attendant Signature:

Remarks:

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SCREENING NOTES

☑ Reviewed and Nothing Removed KFF ☐ Items Removed and User Informed

Hold Requested: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Total Requests:

Screened Items:

☐ Additional charge outs and signatures on reverse side

Time Out:

Final Return:

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

Employee Name: FARRINGTON, GRADY **DOB:** 5/15/1894 ?

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: _____

Form AB-30

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

AERONAUTICS BRANCH

Farrington, Grady (Name) — Oregon (Legal residence)

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SERVICE AND GRADE	SALARY	ACTION	STATION—DISTRICT	DATE OF EFFECT
Asst Air. Opr	1500 1500	$1500	Trans.	Castle Rock, Wash, 6th D.	7-1-33
"	1200 1500	1200	S. Trans.	" "	3-15-35

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IN REPLY REFER TO

REF. NO.

FARRINGTON, Grady

C-1,402,975

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF AIR COMMERCE
WASHINGTON

APRIL 29, 1935.

Veterans' Administration,
Portland, Ore.

Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter of April 20 requesting the amount of salary paid to Mr. Grady Farrington, a former employee of this service, for January, February and March, 1934, there is given below a tabulation on Mr. Farrington's salary for the above mentioned months.

Monthly Basic salary	Ret. ded.	15% ded.	Monthly Net salary
$100	3.50	15.00	81.50
100	3.50	15.00	81.50
100	3.50	15.00	81.50

$10 refund in accordance with the Act of March 28, 1934, Section 21(a).

Very truly yours,

Donald Bartlett,
Chief, Administrative Division.

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VETERANS ADMINISTRATION FACILITY

Portland, Oregon
April 20, 1935

YOUR FILE REFERENCE:

IN REPLY REFER TO: 3

FARRINGTON, Grady
C-1,402,975

Department of Commerce, Airways Division,
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

The above captioned veteran, who has been in receipt of disability compensation, has stated that he is employed by the Department of Commerce, Airways Division at the U. S. Airways Station, Castle Rock, Washington.

In order that the amount of compensation to which he is entitled may be determined, it would be appreciated if you would advise the amount of his monthly salary or compensation for services as such employee for the months of January, February and March, 1934.

By direction,

N. H. AARON,
Adjudication Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
AIRWAYS BRANCH

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OFFICE HEADQUARTERS
SIXTH AIRWAYS DISTRICT
U. S. POST OFFICE BUILDING
OAKLAND, CALIFORNIA

IN REPLY REFER TO
FILE Farrington

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF AIR COMMERCE
~~AERONAUTICS BRANCH~~

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1934 MAR - 18 - PM 1 : 06 OAKLAND

March 15, 1935

Assistant Director of Air Commerce
(Air Navigation)
Bureau of Air Commerce
Department of Commerce
Washington,D.C.

Form 2806 - Grady Farrington

1. Grady Farrington, Asst.,Airways Keeper, Castle Rock,,Washington, is transferring to the 17th Lighthouse District, Portland, Oregon as lighthouse keeper effective at the close of March 15, 1935. Form 2806, Retirement and Service Record is enclosed herewith.

2. Other personnel papers covering this case are forwarded to the 17th District this date.

Alvin O.Preil
District Manager

January 9, 1935.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Director of Air Commerce.

Sir:

In view of your transfer to the position of keeper at $1560 per annum in the Lighthouse Service the Department has discontinued your services as assistant airways keeper at $1200 per annum in the field service of the Bureau of Air Commerce, effective at the close of business on the date immediately preceding that on which you enter on duty in your new position.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

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JAN 17 1935

December 27, 1934.

Memorandum for Chief Clerk, Commerce.

In response to your letter of December 18, we have no objection to the transfer of Assistant Airways Keeper Grady Farrington to the Lighthouse Service.

Chief, Administrative Division.

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C I STANTON
chief airways engineer

WASHINGTON D C DECEMBER 22 1934

OAKLAND

AN STP ADVISE IF ANY OBJECTION TRANSFER ASSISTANT AIRWAYSHKEEPER GRADY PARRINGTON TO LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK

WASHINGTON

December 18, 1934.

Director of Air Commerce:

The Department is in receipt of a request from the Bureau of Lighthouses for the transfer of Grady Farrington, assistant airways keeper at $1200 per annum in the field service of your Bureau, to the position of keeper at $1560 per annum in the Lighthouse Service.

Before taking action on this recommendation information is requested whether there is any objection to the proposed transfer.

E. W. Gibbs

Chief Clerk.

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

SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 13 1933
PORTLAND,
OREGON

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment Commerce Date Mch 1 1933

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Farrington (Surname) Grady (Given name) None (Middle name)
2. Present address 1731 North Jarrett St (Number) (Street) Portland (City) Oregon (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Oregon (State and Congressional District) Multnomah (County) Portland (City or town)
4. Where born Texas (State or foreign country) Denton (City or town) When born May 15 1894 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien —
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you 3 Wife 36- Kathryn 6- Evan 5
8. A complete record of your past service for the United States Government other than military or naval:

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
		None							

9. Are any members of your family, who are domiciled with you, in the U. S. Government service? If so, state below: None

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

10. Do you now hold any State or municipal office? If so, state below:
None
(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)
11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?
No
(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)
12. Military and naval record. If any, check (√) to indicate branch and other information, and give dates of enlistment and discharge:

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

Enlisted Mch-14-1917 Discharged Oct 10-1919	Enlisted ____ Discharged ____
Rank Radio opr Rank Radio opr	Rank ____ Rank ____
Organization US Navy Organization US Navy	Organization ____ Organization ____

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

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

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	POSITION AND CHARACTER OF WORK	LENGTH OF SERVICE
Sou Pac Ry Co	Telegraph Operator / Telegraph	10 Years

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

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

16. In case of emergency, notify Mrs Vivian Farrington

Relationship Wife Post office address 1731 N 6th Jarrett St Portland Oregon

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

Grady Farrington

(Name as usually written and which will be used as official signature)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1936 10—1930

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
PORTLAND, OREG.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

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G. Farrington,
personal history sheets.

1933 MAR - 17 - AM 9 : 21

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 17TH DISTRICT
PORTLAND, OREG.

March 13, 1933.

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Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

There are forwarded herewith personal history sheets of Grady Farrington, Assistant Airways Keeper, Castle Rock Weather Reporting Station, who entered on duty March 1, 1933, under Department letter dated February 20, 1933.

R. R. TINKHAM
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

no oath?

Form A-30

NOT TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHTHOUSE
1933 FEB 24 PM 2:59

February 20, 1933.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Assistant Airways Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of One Thousand Two Hundred dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Probationary.

Civil Service authority: Manager, Eleventh Civil Service District.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER.

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Chief of Appointment Division.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

Appropriation (unit): Air Commerce.

FEB 21 1933

Vice: Robert T. Daly.

Legal Residence: Oregon.

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Position No. _____

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Justification for Filling Vacancy under Authority of
the Act Approved June 30, 1932

Bureau or Office:

Position: Aeronautics Branch, Airways Division

Compensation: Assistant Airways Keeper

Location: $1200 ($1200-1500) per annum

Appropriation: Castle Rock, Washington (17th Lighthouse Dist)

Date of Vacancy: Air Navigation Facilities

Justification: Transfer pending

This vacancy will result from the transfer of the present incumbent to another station without change in pay.

The complement necessary for the operation of this station is three assistant airways keepers, and the filling of this vacancy is necessary in order to maintain the complement at a minimum strength. This position requires the performance of duties directly concerned with the maintenance and/or operation of aids to navigation which must be either in actual operation or ready for immediate service at all times. In order that this service may be maintained without interruption, it is absolutely essential that the position be filled. The nonfilling of the position would interfere with the functioning of the aids and add to the hazards of navigation, thereby producing conditions endangering life and property.

It is proposed to fill this vacancy by selection from a register of eligibles, immediately upon receipt of Executive authority.

Approved:

Secretary of Commerce.

Acting

Recommended by:

_____
(Head of Bureau or Office)

P. C. Hibbard

Chief Engineer, Airways Division

Form 73)

NOMINATION

AERONAUTICS BRANCH

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT,

Portland, Oregon (City), January 24 (Date), 1933

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment

Name, Grady Farlington

Position, Assistant Airways Keeper

Location, Castle Rock Weather Reporting Station, Wash.

Effective, February 1, 1933 [1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Legal residence, Oregon

Proposed salary, $1200.00 P. A.

Proposed range, $1200-1500

Appropriation, Air Navigation Facilities

Former position, New appointee

Location,

Former salary,

Former range,

Airways Keeper

Rank on eligible list, 1 Rating, / Percentage, 87.DP , Other eligibles considered:
Adelbert C. Valentine C
Delbert B. Murphy C

(Lt.#3052)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Robert T. Daly / Services terminated, Jan. 24, 1933

Reason, Recommended for transfer to Assistant Keeper, Northdalles Weather Reporting Station, Wash.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 15, 1894

Remarks: See Form 73 of January 19, 1933, regarding transfer of Robert T. Daly to Northdalles. There are inclosed herewith fingerprint chart, medical examination, Declaration of appointee and Justification. Telegraphic reply is requested.

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

SEATTLE, WASH. JAN 26 1933

Original Signed by Superintendent

R. R. TINKHAM
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

~~January~~ February 3, 1933

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, justification being separately submitted.

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W. P. HARMAN

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Justification for Filling Vacancy under Authority
of the Act approved June 30, 1932.

Portland, Oregon, January 19, 1933.

Bureau or Office: 17th Lighthouse District,

Position: Assistant Airways Keeper

Compensation: $1200.00 per annum.

Location: Castle Rock Weather Reporting Station, Wash.

Appropriation: Air Navigation Facilities.

Date of Vacancy: January 25, 1933

Justification: This vacancy will be caused by the transfer of Robert T. Daly to North Dalles Weather Reporting Station, Wash.

Castle Rock Weather Reporting Station is a three-keeper Station and it is necessary that all positions be filled in order that proper watches may be maintained to keep the light in operation and make the necessary weather reports. It is necessary to arrange for an appointee whose experience will enable him to make accurate reports of weather. Since this station is operated as an aid to air navigation, the emrgency necessitates that this position be filled as soon as possible to assure its continuous efficient operation for the protection of life and property.

Approved:

Secretary of Commerce

Recommended by:

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

Form 1844a
Aug., 1930

(CONFIDENTIAL)

CERTIFICATE No. 14141

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

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Eleventh U. S. CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MANAGER

1933 JAN 30 AM 11:26

Seattle, Wash. January 10, 1933.

Superintendent,
17th Lighthouse District,
Portland, Oregon.
Sir:

The following eligibles are certified to you, under civil service rules, to fill the position indicated below.

One. (Vacancies) Assistant Airways Keeper, (Castlerock, Wn.) $1200. (Title of position and salary) Asst. Airways Keeper. (Register from which drawn)

1-10-33. Telegram. (Date of request)

PROBATIONAL. (Nature of appointment) (Temporary or probational)

*ACTION	SALARY OFFERED	NAME	PLACE OF REGISTRATION	RATING	POST OFFICE ADDRESS
A	1200.	Farrington, Grady	Umatilla	87. DP	69 West Jarrett St., Portland, Oregon.
C	1200.	Valentine, Adelbert C	"	81.5 DP	6741 62nd Ave. S.E Portland, Ore.
C	1200.	Murphy, Delbert D	"	89.6 P	899 DePaino St., Portland, Ore.
		DP-Disability preference.	P-Preference 5 points.		

Section 213 of the Economy Act directs that preference in appointment shall be given to persons other than married persons living with husband or wife, such husband or wife being in the service of the United States or the District of Columbia.

As the names on this certificate do not include all the eligibles on the Civil Service register, selection should not be made, therefore, from anyone who has such marital status. If the names of persons with such status appear on this certification, request may be made upon the Civil Service Commission for additional ...les in lieu thereof.

A—Selected for appointment.
D—Declined, declination inclosed.
FR—Failed to respond to notice.
C—Considered but not selected.

District Manager.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1930 6—71704

STANDARD FORM 127
APRIL 1952
PRESCRIBED BY GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
REG. 3-IV-302.

REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL PERSONNEL FOLDER
(SEPARATED EMPLOYEE)

1. DATE OF REQUEST

Submit in duplicate to the Federal Records Center, St. Louis, Mo.

SECTION I—TO BE COMPLETED BY REQUESTING OFFICE

General Services Administration
Records Management Service, Region 6
Federal Records Center
~~1024 Vacuum Street~~
111 Winnebago Street
St. Louis 18, Mo.

2. NAME (*Last, first, middle*)	3. NAME UNDER WHICH FORMERLY EMPLOYED FEDERALLY (*If other than item 2*)	4. DATE OF BIRTH
FARRINGTON, Grady NMN		5-15-94

5. FORMER FEDERAL EMPLOYING OFFICE (*Agency, bureau or equivalent, address, and dates of employment*)

U. S. Coast Guard from 3-1-33 to 8-4-42 New Orleans, Louisiana

(*If formerly employed by agencies in addition to above, list under item 7*)

6. PERSONNEL FOLDER ACTION (*Check appropriate box*)

- [ ] a. CURRENTLY EMPLOYED. REQUEST TRANSMISSION OF FOLDER COVERING PREVIOUS FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT FOR PERMANENT RETENTION
- [X] b. REQUEST TRANSMISSION OF FOLDER FOR TEMPORARY USE
- [ ] c. CONSOLIDATE ATTACHED PAPERS WITH OFFICIAL PERSONNEL FOLDER PREVIOUSLY FORWARDED

7. REMARKS

SECTION II—FOR USE BY FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER, ST. LOUIS, MO.

8.

- [ ] a. CONSOLIDATE ATTACHED PAPERS WITH FOLDER PREVIOUSLY FORWARDED
- [✓] b. FOLDER ENCLOSED Loan
- [ ] c. FOLDER NOT LOCATED
- [ ] d. FLAGGED, FOLDER TO BE FORWARDED WHEN LOCATED
- [ ] e. FOLDER PREVIOUSLY REQUESTED IS ENCLOSED
- [ ] f. FOLDER FORWARDED ON A LOAN BASIS IN LIEU OF INFORMATION REQUESTED. IF EMPLOYEE IS REHIRED, FOLDER SHOULD BE RETAINED BY YOUR AGENCY

9. REMARKS

NOTE.—Original will be used as charge-out by Federal Records Center. Duplicate will be returned as transmittal sheet when appropriate.

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TO: Chief, Civilian Personnel Division
ADDRESS: U. S. Coast Guard Headquarters
1300 "E" Street, N. W.
Washington 25, D. C.
ATTN: ATTN: Mrs. Rountree

Requesting agency will type name and address of office submitting request in address box. To be used to mail folder or reply.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE : 1960 O - 559288

PC
9 April 1962

Mr. Grady Farrington
2928 East Princeton Avenue
Fresno, California

Dear Mr. Farrington:

Reference is made to your letter of 22 January 1962 addressed to the Bureau of Employees Compensation and your letter of 12 March 1962 to Captain J. F. Bills of the Special Services Division, U. S. Coast Guard. You requested information as to whether you are entitled to compensation due to becoming disabled while employed by the U. S. Coast Guard.

As you know, you were separated from your position as Keeper due to a report of the Public Health Service, Galveston, Texas, dated 24 June 1942 that you were considered to be permanently disabled for useful and efficient service, and due also to the fact that you had not had sufficient service (15 years) to meet the requirements for retirement on account of disability under the provisions of the Lighthouse Service Retirement Act of 20 June 1918, as amended. According to the Public Health Service report your disability was due to arthritis, obesity, etc.

Your case has been informally discussed with a representative of the Bureau of Employees Compensation. We have been advised that the statutory limitation (time within which to make a claim) has expired and that therefore your case could not be considered at this time.

Sincerely yours,

H. L. MORGAN
Chief, Civilian Personnel Division
By direction of the Commandant

JSRountree:meh

Return to 3-2

APR - 9 1962
Date mailed:

Miss Mayer?

Requested file -

Fresno Calif
Mar - 12 - 1962

Capt J. F Bicks
Chief Special Service Division
U S Coast Guard
Washington D. C.

In reference to your letter Feby 28 - 1962 PS-1 PS6 - I was Civil Service Employee, Position as Light House Keper fixed Range 1140 to 1500 My salary 1320. plus 240. plus quarters with Headquarters in new Orleans La.

Post of duty Brazos River Light Station Texas.

I was Light House Keper when Coast Guard took over Lighthouses and my discharge was Civil Servia in line of duty signed by Secretary of Navy, Charles Piozet by H. L morgan Chief personnel actions Subsection

My discharge was dated 4 aug 1942 - NO-175 without prejudice

Grady Farrington
2928 East Princeton Ave

AFTER 5 DAYS RETURN TO

Grady Turrington
2928 East Princeton
Fresno, California

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FRESNO, 6:30PM MAR 13 1962 CALIF.

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Captain J. F. Bells
Chief Special Service Division
U. S. Coast Guard
Washington, D. C.

PS-1
P6
28 February 1962

Mr. Grady Farington
2928 East Princeton Avenue
Fresno 3, California

Dear Sir:

The Bureau of Employees Compensation, U. S. Department of Labor, has referred your letter of 22 January 1962 to Coast Guard Headquarters since you indicated therein that you were discharged from the Coast Guard on 4 August 1942.

From the limited information given in your letter we have been unable to locate a record of your service. It will therefore be necessary to furnish additional service information such as the date and place of enlistment, service number, date and place of discharge, and if known the stations at which you served.

Very truly yours,

J. F. BILLS
Captain, U. S. Coast Guard
Chief, Special Services Division
By direction of the Commandant

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C.O.F.F.

Fresno Calif
Jan - 22 - 1962

Bureau of Employes Compensation
Federal Security Bldg
3rd and Independence Ave S.W.
Washington D.C.

Gentlemen :

In reference to U.S. Coast Guard discharge No 175 dated august 4 - 1942, please advise the amount of Compensation due me account totaly and permantently disabled while on duty.

Very truly yours

Grady Farington

2928 East Princeton Ave
Fresno 3 Calif

AFTER FIVE DAYS RETURN TO

Grady Farrington
2928 East Princeton
Fresno 3 California

/

JAN 26 1962 REC

Bureau of Employees Compensation
Federal Security Bldg.
3rd and Independence Ave. S.W.
Washington, D. C.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR
BUREAU OF EMPLOYEES' COMPENSATION
630 SANSOME STREET
SAN FRANCISCO 11, CALIFORNIA

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

US AIR MAIL

District of Commandent
U. S. Coast Guard
1300 E. Street, NW
Washington, D. C.

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 12-41

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO:

Date Prepared 4 August, 1942

Name: Farrington, Grady

From: U. S. Coast Guard Bureau No.: 175

Discharge, without prejudice

Effective: close b August, 1942

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	
Grade	Field (Range $1140-1500)	
Salary	$1320 p.a. plus $240 p.a.qtrs.	
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	
Headquarters Post of Duty	New Orleans, La. Brazos River Lt.Sta., Texas	
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C. G.	
Allotment		

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks: Due to a report of the Public Health Service, Galveston, Texas, dated 2d June, 1942, that you had been a patient in the hospital from April 1, to June 2, 1942, and were considered to be permanently disabled for useful and efficient service, and due also to the fact that you have not had sufficient service (15 years) to meet the requirements for retirement on account of disability under the Act of March 4, 1925, the Navy Department upon recommendation of the Commandant of the Coast Guard, has terminated your service in the manner and on the date above indicated.

Justification:

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-15-1893

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Oregon

SEX: M

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

HAS C. S. COMM. ALLOWED VETERAN'S PREFERENCE?

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH

ORIGINAL TO MR. FARRINGTON 11-3-42
CARDED

CHARLES PIOZET

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY 8-4-42

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New Orleans, La.,
3 November, 1942

Office of
District Coast Guard Officer,
Eighth Naval District.

Grady Farrington,
c/o Dispatcher, Santa Fe Railroad,
Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Sir:

Forwarded herewith is Department Notice, Form 2249, advising of your discharge without prejudice at the close of 4 August, 1942.

Check for the period August 1 to 4, inclusive, will be forwarded to you.

Yours truly,

W. J. BRAUN, JR.,
Sr. Administrative Assistant,
By direction

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

HEADQUARTERS

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

WASHINGTON

20 October, 1942.

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From: Commandant.
To: District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District, New Orleans.

Subject: Grady Farrington, Keeper, discharge; discontinuance of position.

Reference: (a) Your letter dated 22 August, 1942 (75).

Inclosure: (A) Form 2249 notice of discharge.

1. Pursuant to recommendation in reference (a) the discharge of Mr. Farrington has been approved by the Navy Department and notice thereof is contained inthe inclosure.

2. Since Mr. Farrington continued to occupy the quarters until 4 August, 1942, his separation has been made effective at the close of that date rather than at the close of 31 July as recommended. Since your office had granted him advance sick leave on account of his physical condition to the close of 31 July no reason is seen why he should not be allowed such leave up to the date that he vacated the quarters, on which date his separation has been made effective.

3. As recommended also in reference (a) the position of assistant keeper at Brazos River Light Station in the salary range of $1140-1500, which was occupied by Mr. Farrington, has been discontinued coincident with his separation from the service.

N. R. STILES,
By direction.

R.C

New Orleans, La.
22 August, 1942

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.
To : Commandant.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady, Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station.

Inclosure: (A) Copy of letter from subject employee, dated 13 April, 1942.
(B) Copy of DCGOS letter to subject employee, dated 15 April, 1942 (75).
(C) Copy of letter from CO Brazos River Light Station, dated 16 June, 1942 (75).
(D) Copy of DCGOS letter to Medical Officer in Charge, U. S. Marine Hospital, Galveston, Texas, dated 22 June, 1942.
(E) Copy of letter from Medical Officer in Charge, U. S. Marine Hospital, dated 24 June, 1942.
(F) Copy of DCGOS letter to subject employee, dated 25 July, 1942 (75).
(G) Copy of DCGOS dispatch 181644 (August) to CO, Freeport Station.
(H) Copy of letter from CO Freeport Station, dated 19 August, 1942.

1. At his request, subject employee was sent to the U. S. Marine Hospital at Galveston, Texas, for examination and medical relief on 1 April, 1942. He was released from the hospital and returned to his station on the morning of 2 June, 1942. In inclosure (A) Keeper Farrington made application for retirement on account of physical disability. He was advised by inclosure (B) that he was not eligible for such retirement because of the fact that he did not have the required fifteen years' service.

2. From inclosure (C) it will be noted that subject employee, upon his return to duty, informed the Commanding Officer that the Public Health Service doctor had ordered him not to do any more work after his return to the light station. By inclosure (D), this office requested the Medical Officer to advise whether or not the statement made by Keeper Farrington was correct, and to give a complete diagnosis of his case, and to state whether or not he was considered to be permanently disabled for useful and efficient service. Inclosure (E) gives the information requested, and it will be noted that the doctor's opinion is

that the subject employee should be considered as permanently disabled for useful and efficient service. By inclosure (F), Keeper Farrington was advised of the doctor's report, and, under the circumstances, he was requested to submit his resignation effective at the close of 31 July, 1942, and vacate his quarters on that date. He was unable to locate a place of residence until 4 August, and, on that date, he vacated his quarters and left the reservation. He failed to submit his resignation, as requested, and by inclosure (G) the Commanding Officer of Freeport Station was directed to ascertain and advise the reason for noncompliance. By inclosure (H), the Commanding Officer advised that Farrington, when departing from Brazos River Light Station, stated that he had no intention of resigning. He also advised that Farrington is now employed by the Santa Fe Railroad in Fort Worth, Texas.

3. Although subject employee failed to submit his resignation, as requested, it is recommended that he be separated from the Service without prejudice at the close of 31 July, 1942, because of the fact that he was physically unable to continue on duty, and did not leave of his own accord. It is also recommended that his position, Assistant Keeper at Brazos River Light Station, with pay at the rate of $1320 per annum, appropriation Civilian Employees, Coast Guard, be abolished as of 31 July, 1942.

J. F. FARLEY

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April 13- 1942

From Grady Farrington, Asst Lighthouse Keeper
To Dist Comdr. U.S. Coast Guard
New Orleans La.

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Grady Farrington

COPY

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15 April, 1942

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To : Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Lt. Sta., c/o U. S. Marine Hospital, Galveston, Texas

Subject: Retirement, disability.

Reference: (a) Your letter 13 April, 1942.

1. Replying to reference (a), you are advised that, in order to be eligible for disability retirement, an employee coming under the Lighthouse Retirement Act must have had fifteen years' service.

2. A check of your record of service, including your Naval service, gives you to the close of April, 1942, 12 years, 2 months and 24 days.

W. J. BRAUM, JR.,
By direction

cc to:
Commanding Officer,
Freeport Station

ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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Velasco, Texas.
16, June, 1942.

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Via : Commanding Officer, Freeport Lifeboat Station.

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W. D. Cooper.

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Freeport, Texas.
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22 June, 1942

Medical Officer in Charge,
U. S. Marine Hospital,
Galveston, Texas

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the case of Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station, Velasco, Texas, who was under treatment at the Marine Hospital, Galveston, Texas, from April 1, 1942, to June 2, 1942.

Mr. Farrington returned to the station on June 2, 1942, and the Commanding Officer of his unit has advised that he, Farrington, stated that the doctor at the Marine Hospital ordered him not to do any work after his return to his post of duty as he was unable to do any more work.

The above employee has not had sufficient service to entitle him to retirement on account of physical disability under the Lighthouse Retirement Act, and, if his condition is such as to prevent him from performing duty of any kind, his services would, necessarily, have to be discontinued.

Will you please advise whether or not the statement made by Mr. Farrington is correct, giving complete diagnosis of his case, and whether or not he is considered to be permanently disabled for useful and efficient service.

By direction of Captain J. F. Farley, District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.

Very truly yours,

F. J. BIRKETT,
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard

IN REPLYING ADDRESS:
MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE
U. S. MARINE HOSPITAL
FORTY-FIFTH STREET AND AVENUE N
GALVESTON, TEXAS

Personnel

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FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

GALVESTON, TEXAS

June 24, 1942

Commander F. J. Birkett
United States Coast Guard
New Orleans, Louisiana

Re: Grady Farrington

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your request of June 22, 1942, the following information is submitted in the case of the above-named man, who was a patient in this hospital from April 1, 1942, to June 2, 1942. The diagnoses in this case were as follows:

Arthritis, chronic, rheumatoid
Obesity
Deafness, partial, left ear
Perforation, small, left tympanum

This man is suffering from a chronic arthritis of probably several years' duration. The arthritic symptoms were made worse by the exposure to cold and duties such as climbing ladders. Also the obesity was a factor which increased his disability. He was given extensive physiotherapy treatments in the hospital, and also his weight was reduced by twenty-five pounds. However, it is the opinion of the Ward Surgeon who had charge of his case that this man will not be able to carry out duties which he described as necessary at the Light House Station. Since he had been treated once before for the same condition and had a recurrence as soon as he returned to duty, it is our opinion that this man should be considered as permanently disabled for useful and efficient service.

Respectfully

A. T. Morrison, Surgeon
Medical Officer in Temporary Charge

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25 July, 1942

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.
To : Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station.

Via : Commanding Officer, Freeport Station.
Commanding Officer, Brazos River Light Station.

Subject: Duty status.

Reference: (a) Letter from U. S. Public Health Service, Galveston, Texas, dated 24 June, 1942.

Inclosure: (A) Copy of reference (a).

1. It has been reported to this office by the Commanding Officer of the Freeport Lifeboat Station and Brazos River Light Station that, since you have returned to the station from sick leave, you have refused to perform any work in accordance with instructions from the doctor, and that you consider you are on annual leave since the expiration of your sick leave on 2 June, 1942. The Commanding Officer of Brazos River Light Station also advised that you made the statement that you are "through with lighthouse keeping."

2. As you were advised in a letter dated 15 April, 1942, you are not entitled to retirement because of physical disability due to the fact that you have not had the required fifteen years service. It will be noted from inclosure (A) that the Public Health Service doctor is of the opinion that you should be considered as permanently disabled for useful and efficient service.

3. If, as the Commanding Officer stated, you have performed no duty since your return to the station on 2 June, 1942, you will be charged with annual leave for the period June 2 through July 11, 1942. You will be given advance sick leave to carry you in a pay status until the close of 31 July, 1942.

4. It appears necessary, under the circumstances, to request your resignation, effective at the close of 31 July, 1942. You will state therein that physical disability is your reason for resigning.

On that date, you will vacate your quarters, which are now needed to take care of the overflow of military personnel at Freeport Station, and the position of Assistant Keeper at the light station will be abolished as of that date. You will submit your resignation as instructed without delay.

5. As soon as possible, advise this office of your address in order that your check for July may be sent to proper destination.

F. Y. AWALT,
By direction

N. C. G.-2655

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FREEPORT LIFEBOAT STATION
EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT

Freeport, Texas
19 August, 1942.

From: Commanding Officer, Freeport Lifeboat Station.
To: District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady; Assistant Keeper of Brazos River Light Station.

Reference: (a) District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District, Dispatch No. 181644, August, 1942.
(b) District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District, Letter dated 25 July, 1942, Addressed to Keeper Farrington.

1. Keeper Farrington departed Brazos River Light Station, (1300) 4 August, 1942. He stated that he had no intentions of resigning.

2. Farrington is now employed by the Sante Fe Railroad, Ft. Worth, Texas. His address is as set forth below.

Grady Farrington,
C/O Chief Dispatcher,
Sante Fe Railroad,
Ft. Worth, Texas.

Lloyd C. Hawes

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT.

1934 OCT 31 PM 3 53

Portland, Oregon (City), October 23 (Date), 1934

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and promotion

Legal residence, Washington

Name, Grady Farrington

Proposed salary, $1560.00 per annum
Plus quarters $60.00 per annum

Position, Keeper (2d Asst.), Lighthouse Service.

Proposed range, $1560-1920

Location, Tillamook Rock Light Station, Oreg.

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses, 1935

Effective, November 1, 1934 [1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Asst. Keeper, Airways

Former salary, $1200.00 per annum

Location, Castle Rock Weather Reporting Station, Wash.

Former range, $1200-1500

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

(Lt.#411)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Henry Jenkins / $1560.00 per annum Services terminated, October 31, 1934

Reason, Recommended for transfer to Watchman, Seattle Lighthouse Depot.

Members of family in Government service, None

#3082

Date of birth, May 15, 1894

Remarks: This transfer is agreeable to the Acting Superintendent, 6th Airways District. Form 375 is enclosed herewith.

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

Original Signed by Superintendent

R. R. TINKHAM
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

November 19, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, attention being invited to the Superintendent's remarks above to the effect that the transfer is agreeable to the district office of the Air Commerce Bureau where the nominee is now employed.

Request for Presidential authority required in connection with filling this vacancy is contained in the accompanying schedule of replacements.

W. P. HARRI[illegible]

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Form A-3

NOT TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 9, 1935.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

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 Fifteen Hundred and Sixty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Change from Assistant Airways Keeper at $1200 per annum in the field service of the Bureau of Air Commerce.

Civil Service authority: Certificate No. T-134.

#3082

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

W. P. GARDNER

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: Henry Jenkins.

Legal residence: Oregon.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
PORTLAND, OREG.

IN REPLYING REFER TO
DATE OF THIS LETTER AND
FILE No.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

AIR MAIL

1935 FEB 20 AM 8:58

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 17TH DISTRICT
PORTLAND, OREG.

February 18, 1935

2/20/35 Wired

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Department notice of appointment dated January 9, 1935, directed to Grady Farrington, covering his transfer from the position of assistant airways keeper at $1200 per annum to the position of keeper, in the Lighthouse Service at Tillamook Rock Light Station at $1560 per annum has been received, but to date Presidential Authority for assignment of this new appointee to duty has not been received.

2. It is requested that the Bureau advise by telegraph or air mail when presidential authority might be expected, or in case presidential authority is not required that the Bureau so state, so that arrangements might be made for assigning him to duty.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent

E. C. Merrill
Assistant Superintendent

3082 - J #107 - J date 1/8/35

commissioner of lighthouses

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VIA MACKAY RADIO

WASHINGTON DC FEB 20 1935

SUPERINTENDENT LIGHTHOUSES PORTLAND OREGON

RELET PRESIDENTIAL AUTHORITY FOR KEEPER GRADY FARRINGTON NUMBER THREE NAUGHT EIGHT TWO JOURNAL NUMBER ONE NAUGHT SEVEN JOURNAL DATE DECEMBER EIGHT CONTAINED IN DEPARTMENT LIST DATED DECEMBER TWENTY

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confirmation:

Department list containing the above Presidential authority was mailed your office by the Bureau December 22, 1934, and the No. 3082 immediately precedes the authority for Zimmerman's new position of clerk at $2160.

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February 20, 1935

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

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1. Reference is made to Bureau telegram of Feb. 20th stating that authority for Keeper Grady Farrington's transfer is No. 3082, Journal No. 107, Journal date, Dec. 8, contained in Department List dated December 20.

2. The Bureau is advised that E. Laschinger, who was promoted to first assistart keeper, Tillamook Rock Light Station has entered upon duty under this authority, effective Dec. 8, 1934, which appears to be in order.

3. Department list of January 4, 1935, listed another authorization of keeper at Tillamook Rock Light Station at $1620 per annum, which is the rate authorized for the first assistant keeper at that station, under Journal No. 111 dated Dec. 22, 1934, position No. 3140. Inasmuch as the salary authorized for this position is in excess of the rate which will be paid Farrington, it is presumed that this authorization will be satisfactory and arrangements will be made for entering him on duty under this authority. Farrington's rate of pay is $1560 per annum. If entering him on duty under this authority is not in order, it is requested that the Bureau advise promptly.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent

E. C. Merrill
Assistant Superintendent

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cover the cash pay of $1560 plus $60 for quarters.

Presidential authority #3140, contained in Department list of January 4, was obtained for the filling of the position of third assistant keeper at Tillamook Rock at the gross pay, $1620, to cover the cash salary of $1560 plus $60 for quarters. This authority was obtained in connection with your nomination of November 23 for the reinstatement of George H. Wheeler, which nomination was delayed pending the receipt of affidavit as to marital status of the nominee. It is understood that Wheeler's reinstatement is now under consideration at the Civil Service Commission; and the Presidential authority is not to be used as indicated in paragraph 3 of your letter, as the case has progressed thus far on the basis of this authority.

Farrington

For the Commissioner:

W. P. HARMAN

Administrative Assistant

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington

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Superintendent of Lighthouses: April 3, 1935
Portland, Oregon

It is requested that the information indicated in the item checked below be furnished the Bureau promptly, with the return of the attached papers, if any.

NAME AND DESIGNATION Grady Farrington, keeper

(1) Give date of entrance on duty, of transfer, or of resignation.
(2) Furnish personal history sheet.
XX (3) Furnish oath of office.
XX (4) Furnish civil service form 375 in triplicate.
(5) Submit form SS-66, showing last day served by temporary appointee.
(6) Furnish standard form 13 in quadruplicate (abstract of official record).
(7) Furnish documentary evidence of date of birth as prescribed in civil service form 2473, attached.
(8) Submit inclosed nominations through the District Civil Service Secretary,
(9) Furnish one copy certified form 2806.
(10) Miscellaneous.

For the Commissioner:

R. J. Gross
Chief of Personnel Division.

District 17th Date April 22, 1935

Returned to Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Oath of Office on standard form 8 and personal history statement in duplicate on standard form 6 are enclosed herewith.

R. E. Trimble
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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STANDARD FORM NO. [illegible]
(Approved by the President 2/8/24)
Revised Dec. 5, 192[illegible]

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment Lighthouse Service Date april-18-1935

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Farrington (Surname) Grady (Given name) (NONE) (Middle name)
2. Present address Tillamook Rock Light Station (Number) (Street) (PO) Astoria (City) Oregon (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Oregon, third, Multnomah (State and Congressional District) (County) Portland (City or town)
4. Where born Texas (State or foreign country) Denton (City or town) When born May 15-1894 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien —
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you Wife- Wife 37- Dtr 9- Son 7
8. A complete record of your past service for the United States Government other than military or naval:

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
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9. Are any members of your family, who are domiciled with you, in the U. S. Government service? If so, state below:

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

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

NONE (Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)

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

No (Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted Mch-14-1917	Discharged Oct 10-1919	Enlisted	Discharged
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13. State any special qualifications not involved in your present position (for instance, lawyer, physician, civil engineer, knowledge of foreign languages, etc.) None

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

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	POSITION AND CHARACTER OF WORK	LENGTH OF SERVICE
Mr E.L. King Supt Southern Pacific Co. Union Station Portland Oregon	Telegraph Operator	10 Years

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

Common school	High school	College	(Name of college, degrees, and dates conferred)
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 (8)	1 (2) 3 4	(0) 2 3 4	Chillicothe Business College

Chillicothe Mo.

16. In case of emergency, notify Mrs Grady Farrington

Relationship Wife Post office address 1731- North Jarrett St Portland Oregon

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

Grady Farrington
(Name as usually written and which will be used as official signature)

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SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
PORTLAND, OREGON

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT.

Portland, Oregon (City), April 16, 1935 (Date), 19___

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and decrease in pay.

Name, GRADY FARRINGTON — Legal residence, Oregon

Position, Watchman — Proposed salary, $1260.

Location, Seattle Lighthouse Depot — Proposed range, $1260-$1620.

Effective, May 1, 1935 — Appropriation, Salaries, Lighthouse Service

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

Former position, Keeper, Second Assistant Tillamook Rock Light Station — Former salary, $1560

Location, — Former range, $1560-1920

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Henry Jenkins (Lt.#3656) / $1440 per annum. — Services to be terminated, May 1st or as soon after as approved.

Reason, Transferred to the position of additional keeper.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 15, 1894.

Remarks: This transfer is agreeable to Mr. Farrington and is not in violation of Sec. 2 of Civil Service Rule 1 relative to political or religious opinions or affiliations. Form 73, recommending the transfer of Henry Jenkins, Watchman, to the position of additional keeper ~~at Tillamook Rock~~ hereinbefore was forwarded April 15, 1935.

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

Original Signed by Superintendent

R. R. Tinkham
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

April 24, 1935

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. the proposed change being agreeable to the nominee. Prior to his present employment as keeper in this Service, Mr. Farrington served in the Bureau of Air Commerce as assistant airways keeper, and Civil Service Form 375 showing that and previous experience is herewith.

W. P. HARMAN

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

Form 375
Sept., 1932

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

LIGHTHOUSES

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT, TRANSFER, REINSTATEMENT, OR PROMOTION, ETC.

(NONCOMPETITIVE)

1934 NOV 21 AM 11 24

Any false statement in an application, or alteration of a voucher or certificate, or presentation to the Commission of any such paper, is a violation of the law and punishable as such. All answers must be in ink or typewriting. If more space is required, an additional sheet securely fastened to this form may be used. Answers on such sheet should be numbered to correspond to questions.

GIVE DATES AND PERIODS OF TIME REQUIRED IN YEARS AND MONTHS AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE

1. (a) Give your name Grady Farrington (b) Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes (Yes or No)

2. Give (a) the date of your birth May 15, 1894 (b) the place of your birth Denton, Texas

3. Give in the blanks below a detailed statement of your education, including dates:

(a) Grammar school: Attended from Sept., 1901 to Sept., 1909 Highest grade completed 8th

(b) High school: Name and location Randlett, Randlett, Okla.

Attended from Sept., 1909, to May, 911 Highest grade completed 2nd Were you graduated? No

(c) College or university (Give both graduate and undergraduate work)		Dates of attendance (Give month and year)		Semester-hours credit received	Major subject		Degree conferred	Date of degree
Name	Location	From	To		Name	Sem. hrs. in major		

(d) Specify here any specialized courses which you have completed in high school, college, or elsewhere, and indicate the credits received for each course

Chillicothe Business College, Chillicothe, Mo. Completed
U. S. Navy Radio School, Mare Island, Calif. Completed.

4. Furnish in the blanks below a complete, comprehensive statement, showing every employment you have had since you first began to work, including your present employment, and accounting for all periods of unemployment.

	Place of employment	Dates of employment (Month and year)	NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER (Give street address and city and State. If unemployed, give own address at that time)	Yearly salary or net earnings	NATURE OF YOUR DUTIES
1	City Portland State Oregon	From Oct. 1 1925 To Oct. 1 1926	Mr. E. L. King, Supt. Portland, Oregon Sou. Pacific Co.	1800.	Telegraph operator
2	City Portland State Oregon	From Oct. 1 1926 To Oct. 1 1927	do	1800.	do
3	City Portland State Oregon	From Oct. 1 1927 To Oct. 1 1928	do	1800.	do
4	City Portland State Oregon	From Oct. 1 1928 To Oct. 1 1929	do	1800.	do
5	City Portland State Oregon	From Oct. 1 1929 To Oct. 1 1930	do	1800.	do
6	City Portland State Oregon	From Oct. 1 1930 To Oct. 1 1931	do	1800.	do
7	City Portland State Oregon	From Oct. 1 1931 To Oct. 1 1932	do	1800.	do
8	City Castle Rock State Wash.	From Oct. 1 1932 To Oct. 1 1933	Dept. of Commerce, Oakland, Calif.	1200.	Airways Keeper
9	City Castle Rock State Wash.	From Oct. 1 1933 To Oct. 31 1934	do	1200.	do

IF MORE SPACE IS REQUIRED, CONTINUE YOUR ENTRIES ON A SEPARATE SHEET ARRANGED AS ABOVE 16—497

Form 375
Sept., 1932

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT, TRANSFER, REINSTATEMENT, OR PROMOTION, ETC.

(NONCOMPETITIVE)

Rating 1

Application No. ---

The applicant will carefully fill ALL blank spaces

Position sought Lighthouse Keeper
(Give exact title of position of examination)

in the 17th Lighthouse Dist.
(Office in which the position exists)

Present position (if now employed) { Airway Keeper (Title) / Dept. of Commerce (Department and bureau or office) }

N. B.—Applicant will write plainly full name (if a woman, stating whether Miss or Mrs.) and post-office address in the blanks below. The address here given will be treated as the applicant's post-office address until notification of change is made to the Commission in writing.

Name of Applicant { Grady Farrington

Number and Street Airway Station

Post Office Castle Rock, Wash.

County Cowlitz

State or Territory Wash.

Applicant will not fill the following blanks

Kind of examination

Place

Date —

Application ---, approved ---, 19--

By whom ---, approved

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5. If you have any practical knowledge of a mechanical trade, name the trade or trades, and state the time you have worked at each, and when, where, and under whom, giving places and dates. (If you have served an apprenticeship, so state.)

6. If not now employed, state how long you have been unemployed

7. If ever in the United States military or naval service, give dates of enlistment and discharge
U. S. Navy March 14, 1917, to Oct. 10, 1919.

8. (a) Have you ever filed an application with this Commission or its representative for any branch of the United States Government service? Yes

	Name each position for which examined, or for which application was filed	In what city were you, or are you to be, examined?	Give the date of each examination (Month and year)	Did you pass? (Answer "Yes" or "No")
(b) If so, give information indicated regarding each examination.	Airway Keeper	Portland, Oregon	Sept. 10, 1932	Yes

I, the undersigned, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that the statements made by me in answer to each and all of the foregoing questions are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. SO HELP ME GOD.

If female, prefix "Miss" or "Mrs."

(*Signature of Applicant*) Grady Farrington
(Sign your first name in full, your middle initial or initials, if you have any, and your surname in full)

THIS APPLICATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF THE JURAT OR OATH IS OMITTED

JURAT OR OATH

[The following oath must be taken before a NOTARY PUBLIC, or other officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes, *before whom the applicant must appear in person.*]

Suscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant, this 13th day of November, 19 34, at city [or town] of Portland county of Multnomah, and State [or Territory or District] of Oregon.

(*Signature of officer*) ---

(*Official title*) Chief Clerk

Form 2453
Dec. 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

SRR:MW

May 24, 1935.

The Honorable
The Secretary of Commerce
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Referring to your request of May 7, 1935, for approval of the change in status of Grady Farrington to the position of Watchman in the Lighthouse Service, Field,

you are informed that action is delayed for the reason checked below:

Proof of residence (Form) is required.

Affidavit as to marital status and members of family in the service is required.

Medical certificate is necessary.

Form was returned to applicant for correction.

Certified copy of military or naval discharge is necessary.

Preference is being investigated.

Examination Form required.

** Guard, field examination has been ordered.

Strength test is required.

Proof of correct date of birth is necessary (see Form 2473, inclosed).

Fingerprint chart (Form 2390) is necessary.

Indorsement by is required.

** Instructions were mailed to the Secretary at Kelso, Washington on May 23, 1935. May 28, 1935.

Copy transmitted to the Bureau of Lighthouses.

By direction of the Secretary:

o-r-c 16—481

U. S. Civil Service Commission.

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Form 2453
Dec. 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

SRR:MW

June 12, 1935.

6/14 wrote 17th

The Honorable
The Secretary of Commerce
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Referring to your request of May 7, 1935, for approval of the change in status of Grady Farrington to the position of Watchman in the Lighthouse Service, Field, you are informed that action is delayed for the reason checked below:

Proof of residence (Form) is required.

Affidavit as to marital status and members of family in the service is required.

Medical certificate is necessary.

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Proof of correct date of birth is necessary (see Form 2473, inclosed).

Fingerprint chart (Form 2390) is necessary.

Indorsement by is required.

** Instructions were mailed to the Manager at Seattle, Washington on June 11, 1935.

June 13, 1935.
Copy transmitted to the Bureau of Lighthouses.

Fay Gardner

*** 16-481

U. S. Civil Service Commission.
Chief of Appointment Division.

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IN REPLYING ADDRESS
COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

1935 JUN 15 AM 8 40

June 14, 1935

Superintendent of Lighthouses, Portland, Oregon.

In connection with your recommendation for the transfer of Grady Farrington to the position of Watchman at the Seattle Depot, the Civil Service Commission has advised the Bureau under date of June 12 that it has ordered an examination (Guard, field), and that it forwarded instructions to the Manager at Seattle, Washington, on June 11, 1935.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

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Office of the Superintendent, 17th District
Portland, Oregon, June 20, 1935

Returned to Commissioner of Lighthouses:

With advice that the examination (Guard, field) was taken by Mr. Farrington in Portland, June 11th.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent

E. C. Merrill
Assistant Superintendent

1935 JUN 18 AM 8:15

PORTLAND, OREGON
OF LIGHTHOUSES
SUPERINTENDENT

CAK:A

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
PORTLAND, OREG.

IN REPLYING REFER TO
DATE OF THIS LETTER AND
FILE No.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

AIR MAIL

1935 JUN 20 AM 8 38

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 17TH DISTRICT
PORTLAND, OREG.

June 18, 1935

Commissinner of Lighthouses
Washington, D. C.

1. Reference is made to Form 73, Nomination, dated April 16, 1935, recommending the transfer and decrease in pay of Grady Farrington from the position of second assistant keeper, Tillamook Rock Light Station, at $1560. per annum, to the position of watchman at Seattle Lighthouse Depot at $1260. per annum.

2. In view of the fact that it was necessary that the position of second assistant keeper at Tillamook Rock Light Station be vacated to enable other transfers already approved, it is requested that Mr. Farrington's transfer be made on a temporary basis pending approval of permanent transfer, effective June 1, 1935.

3. A. C. Neer is being transferred from the position of Assistant Keeper, Semiamoo Harbor Light Station, to the position of assistant keeper, Tillamook Rock Light Station, succeeding Farrington. F. W. Dorrance is being transferred to the position of first assistant keeper, Destruction Island Light Station, at $1380. per annum, to the position of assistant keeper Semiamoo Harbor Light Station at $1500. per annum. F. M. Christner is being promoted to the position of first assistant keeper Destruction Island Light Station at $1380 per annum, from the position of second assistant keeper at $1320 per annum, at the same station. Mr. Farrington has been given temporary assignment ashore commensurate with the pay of $1260 per annum, whereas the other individuals transferred are performing their duties in connection with their new ratings and are entitled to the pay of same. In the case of Neer, he has been placed on leave without pay for a period of 15 days, in accordance with Bureau instructions.

4. If this recommendation is approved it is requested that the Bureau advise by telegraph so that payrolls for the close of the month may be prepared accordingly.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent

E. C. Merrill
Assistant Superintendent

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The Civil Service Mgr is arranging an exam to determine Farrington's eligibility for the proposed transfer, and pending the outcome it appears necy to consider him on detail from his regular position, without change in pay, and the ~~xxxxxxxxxxxx~~ same arrangement for the other changes hinging on it.

Rec so advise Supt, bringing out especially that pay remains unchanged during period of "detail"

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acting commissioner of lighthouses

H-M

washington dc june 26 1935

SUPERINTENDENT LIGHTHOUSES PORTLAND OREGON

RELET GRADY FARRINGTONS TRANSFER WATCHMAN STILL PENDING AT COMMISSION HE MAY BE DETAILED AT PRESENT PAY TO PROPOSED DUTIES AWAITING RESULTS EXAMINATION STOP OTHERS CONTINGENT ON HIS TRANSFER MAY BE DETAILED ACCORDINGLY

KING

Via McKay

confirmation

Form A-36

NOT TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

May 1, 1935.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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Sir:

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

Watchman

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Twelve Hundred and Sixty dollars per annum

effective May 1, 1935, or entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Change from Keeper at $1560 per annum.

Civil Service authority: Certificate No. T-4945.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: Henry Jenkins.

Legal residence: Oregon.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1933 11—8687

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Frequent cancellations
Suggest tel. Supt. amending
proposed pay to $1320 and
ascertain if he desires to effect at
that pay, pointing out in telegram
that administrative promotions should
not be rec. in connection with
transfers.

11/14/35 ans

November 8, 1935

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

1. There is transmitted herewith Form 73, nomination, covering the transfer of Grady Farrington from the position of Watchman, Seattle Lighthouse Depot, at $1260. per annum , to the position of Additional Keeper at Large at $1380. per annum.

2. The range of $1320 to $1680 for additional keeper does not include quarters. The lowest pay for second assistant keeper in the district is $1140. per annum; with quarters added, makes the gross pay of $1380. per annum. It appears without question that the additional keeper, who is required in many cases to serve as first assistant and in some cases as acting keeper, should receive pay equivalent to the lowest paid second assistant keeper in the district. It might be stated further that the keeper at a cash pay of $1140. per annum plus quarters at $240. per annum, or a gross of $1380. per annum, receives in addition to that, an allowance of fuel for heating purposes and electricity or kerosene for lighting, as well as cooking and heating stoves, shades for his house and cleaning supplies for cleaning ~~same~~, which the additional keeper does not receive.

E. C. Merrill
Acting Superintendent of Lighthouses

Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington November 14, 1935

Returned to 17th Superintendent. The Bureau proposes to amend ~~in~~ accordance with the rule now in effect, this transfer should be made at the minimum of the proposed range, your attention in this connection being invited to Bureau circular No. 390 dated June 12, 1933. Your attention is also invited to the Bureau's telegram of October 10, regarding the Fulkerson case, that administrative promotions should be taken up at proper promotion periods rather than in connection with transfers. The nomination of Farrington will be submitted to the Department with the proposed pay amended to $1320, if transfer is desired at that salary, and you are requested to advise the Bureau as to this. Meritorious cases may be considered for promotion January 1.

For the Commissioner:

H-M

W. D. HARMAN
Administrative Assistant

CAK:A

NOV 20 AM 9 08

November 20, 1935

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Reference is made to Bureau endorsement of November 14, 1935, on 17th letter of November 8, 1935, relative to the transfer of Grady Farrington from the position of watchman at Seattle Lighthouse Depot at $1260 per annum to the position of additional keeper at large at ~~$1380.~~ per annum.

2. Due to the fact that the Bureau does not approve the transfer at $1380. per annum, and proposes to amend the nomination to pay of $1320. per annum, it is recommended that the transfer be effected at $1320. per annum, with the understanding that necessary recommendation will be made for increase of pay in this case to $1380. per annum, effective January 1, 1935.

3. As pointed out in letter of November 8, 1935, the lowest paid lighthouse keeper in the district is $1140. per annum, cash pay, and $240. per annum quarters, with other allowances, making a total of $1380. per annum as second assistant keeper, whereas the additional keeper in practically all of his assignments in this district serves as first assistant keeper and in some instances as keeper in charge. It is therefore repeated that it appears that the additional keeper should receive as much as a second assistant keeper at the lowest paid station in the district in cash and value of quarters.

E. C. Merrill
Acting Superintendent of Lighthouses

CAK:A

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT.

Portland, Oregon, (City) November 8, 1935. (Date), 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and increase in pay.

Name, Grady Farrington

Position, Additional Keeper at Large.

Location, 17th District at Large

Effective, November 15, 1935

Legal residence, Oregon

Proposed salary, $1380.

Proposed range, $1320- 1680, without quarters

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

[1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty;~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Watchman

Location, Seattle Lighthouse Depot

Former salary, $1260. A

Former range, $1260 - $1620

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

(LT. #427)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Jens O. Pedersen/ Services terminated, November 15, 1935, or as soon thereafter as approved by the Bureau.

Reason, Transfer to Assistant Keeper, Turn Point Light Station, Wash.

Members of family in Government service, None

Remarks: See letter of this date transmitting this nomination. Mr. Farrington was transferred to the position of watchman from the position of second assistant keeper at Tillamook Rock Light Station. Civil Service form 375 is therefore considered not necessary.

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

E. C. Merrill
Acting Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

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NOV 25 1935

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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NOT TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

December 5, 1935.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

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 Thirteen Hundred and Twenty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Change from Watchman at $1260 per annum.

Civil Service authority:

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Eod 3/10/36

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: Jens O. Pedersen.

Legal residence: Oregon.

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CAK:A
Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT,

Portland, Oregon (City), May 15, 1936 (Date), 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and change in designation and pay.

Name, Grady Farrington

Position, Handyman

Location, Lampshop, Portland, Oregon

Effective, May 24th, [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Legal residence, Oregon

Proposed salary, $115. per month

Proposed range, None

Appropriation, General Expenses, Lighthouse Service

Former position, Keeper, Additional

Location, 17th District at large

Former salary, $1320. per annum.

Former range, $1320. to $1560. per annum.

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Luther L.L.Dilley

Reason, Recommended for temporary appointment as junior clerk-typist pending his regular transfer to that position.

Services to be terminated, At the close of May 23rd, or as soon thereafter as approved.

Members of family in Government service,

None.

Remarks: Form 375 is forwarded herewith in triplicate. See Form 73, May 12, 1936, recommending the temporary appointment of Luther L.Dilley as junior clerk-typist, ending with his regular transfer in accordance with nomination on form 73, March 25, 1936.

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

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

May 21, 1936

Superintendent of Lighthouses, Portland, Oregon.

1. Reference is made to your nominations of May 15 for the change in status of the following persons:

From	To
Grady Farrington Keeper, additional $1320 ($1320-1680)	Handyman $115 p.m.
Mars P. Kinyon Keeper, Umpqua River $1380 (1200-1560) Plus quarters $240	Handyman $135 p. m.

2. In the case of Farrington it is noted that the previous incumbent (Dilley) received $4.50 per diem, and in the case of Kinyon that the previous incumbent (Jorgensen) received $5.00 per diem. Information is requested as to the reason for the proposed change from a daily to a monthly pay basis, and also to the difference in pay of the two positions, which appear to have the same requirements. In this connection it is requested that you also furnish the Bureau with a detailed description of the duties of each of these positions. Advise also as to how many such positions there are at present, the pay of each, the number of days worked per week and hours per day, and if some are paid on a per diem and others on a monthly basis, the reasons therefor, and any other information which might be of help to the Bureau in giving consideration to the matter, it being recalled that only a few years ago the Department practically required the reduction in pay of one of these positions from about $4.75 to $4.50 per diem.

3. Form 375 prepared by Farrington is herewith returned for execution, the Commission requiring that statements therein be under oath.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. HARMAN

Administrative Assistant

Encl
H-M

CAK:A

LIGHTHOUSES

1936 JUN 6 AM 11 35

June 4, 1936

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Reference is made to Bureau letter of May 21, 1936, which has reference to transfers of Grady Farrington and Mars P. Kinyon to the positions of Handyman, in accordance with Nomination of May 15th.

2. It has been found that payment of personnel on a monthly basis is more convenient from the standpoint of preparation of payrolls, etc. since the amount paid during each pay period is exactly the same, whereas on a daily or per diem basis the number of days ranges from 11 to 14. In a case of recent retirement of per diem employee it was necessary to go back through all the payrolls to compute the amount of pay of the employee during his last 5 years of service. On a monthly basis, by taking into consideration any leave without pay which would be shown on the service record card, the amount of pay in such a case can be easily computed. The pay of $115. per month was recommended in the case of Farrington on the basis of its being a regular step of $60 of positions of corresponding pay. The next step above would mean more than was previously paid. It is considered further that a new employee in the position would not be entitled to as much as his predecessor who was much more experienced.

3. In the case of Mars P. Kinyon, the $135 per month was arrived at by taking his present pay of $1380. per annum and adding quarters valued at $20. per month, or $240. per annum, making his transfer the same as his previous gross pay. Mr. Kinyon has had long years of service as keeper at different stations in the Lighthouse Service, and his experience not only in the Lighthouse Service, but otherwise has been such as to qualify him very well for the position of Handyman at Seattle Lighthouse Depot. He has the qualifications for promotion to Assistant Keeper if and when authorized at Seattle Lighthouse Depot. On basis of his adaptability for the job he has been recommended. Mr. Kinyon requested that his transfer be effected at $135 per month, which would give him the same gross pay as he previously received. His predecessor received $5.00 per day, which is $1565 per annum, ~~not~~ only $55. less than the $135 per month recommended for Mr. Kinyon, ~~but~~ on account of Mr. Kinyon's long experience it is considered that his pay should be more than that of his predecessor on account of his knowledge of the equipment of the Lighth- Service, gained by experience at different light stations and on

other work of the Service.

4. As to the duties of the position of Handyman, they are quite varied as indicated by the title of the position.

5. At Seattle Lighthouse Depot the present encumbent of the position to which Mr. Kinyon has been recommended for transfer, makes daily trips to the postoffice also steamship wharves and railroad stations as may be necessary for securing mail, freight, etc., driving the depot truck. At the depot the incumbent of this position unpacks incoming shipments which he picks up at different points in his daily trips to down-town Seattle, stores away such supplies as may be necessary for stock or transit shipment as may be applicable, moves stock from shelves, packs same and makes delivery as may be necessary of outgoing shipments to tenders, light stations, etc., keeps the depot truck in operating condition, consisting of washing, greasing, oiling, minor repairs, etc. When not engaged in duties heretofore outlined, assists in the cleaning and upkeep of the premises, assists the machinist in the machine shop, assists in the cleaning and painting of buoys.

6. The present encumbent of the position to which Grady Farrington has been recommended for transfer is engaged in receiving and handling of all incoming shipments, including unpacking and storing of same, also packing all outgoing shipments. This employee drives the truck as may be necessary for picking up shipments at railroad stations, steamer wharves and other points, and similarly handling outgoing shipments. He looks after the maintenance of one passenger coupe, one, 1½ ton truck, 3, ½-ton trucks, consisting of oiling, greasing, changing of tires and making minor repairs. If this employee is not engaged in the work heretofore outlined, he assists the machinist in the machine shop and performs other miscellaneous work which is required for carrying on the work of the Lamp Shop in Portland. This employee also from time to time is sent out for re-lighting electric lights and gas lights.

7. As to the number of positions with the title of Handyman in this district, the Bureau is advised that at Seattle Lighthouse Depot there are 2 such positions, Lamp Shop, Portland, 1, Tongue Point Lighthouse Depot, Astoria, 2. One of the present incumbents at Seattle Lighthouse Depot receives $5.00 per day, H. O. Jorgensen, whom Kinyon has been recommended to replace. The other position of Handyman at Seattle Lighthouse Depot was recently filled by the transfer of Irving R. Petite, from the position of assistant airways keeper at $100. per month. He has been entered on the payroll at $115. per month. The present incumbent of the position of Handyman at the Lamp Shop, Portland, is Luther L. L. Dilly, who receives $4.50 per day. He has been recommended for transfer to the position of clerk in this office at $1440. per annum. Of the two positions of handyman at Tongue Point Lighthouse Depot, one has been

filled temporarily at $4.50 per day. The other is now vacant to be filled in the near future. There are also two positions of laborer at Tongue Point Lighthouse Depot, the pay of each which position is $4.50 per day. Until recently all four positions at Tongue Point Lighthouse Depot were that of laborer, but the Civil Service Manager objected to these laborers performing the more skilled work. In order that two very faithful employees in the position of laborer might be retained, the Manager agreed that the two positions vacant could be filled as Handyman, the other two to remain Laborer.

8. Practically all other positions in the district are on a monthly basis. It therefore appears desirable, as stated above, that any new encumbents in the positions of Handyman and Laborer be appointed on a monthly basis.

9. Form 375 in the case of Farrington has been properly sworn to and is enclosed herewith.

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

June 17, 1936

Secretary of Commerce:

The transfer and change in status of Grady Farrington from keeper at-large in the 17th district to handyman at $115 a month has been proposed by the Superintendent of Lighthouses, Portland, Oregon.

The position of handyman is under the registered system, but the matter is submitted for the action of the Civil Service Commission in connection with the proposed change in status. Civil Service Form 375 executed by Mr. Farrington is also submitted.

If approved, it is proposed to have the Superintendent issue Mr. Farrington a contract of employment in the usual way, that being the practice in connection with the employment of registered personnel (unappointed).

For the Commissioner:

W. P. HARMAN

Administrative Assistant

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Form 375
May 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT, TRANSFER, REINSTATEMENT, OR PROMOTION, ETC.

(NONCOMPETITIVE)

Any false statement in an application, or alteration of a voucher or certificate, or presentation to the Commission of any such paper, is a violation of the law and punishable as such. All answers must be in ink or typewriting. If more space is required, an additional sheet securely fastened to this form may be used. Answers on such sheet should be numbered to correspond to questions.

GIVE DATES AND PERIODS OF TIME REQUIRED IN YEARS AND MONTHS AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE

1. (a) Give your name Grady Farrington, (b) Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes (Yes or No)

2. Give (a) the date of your birth May-15th 1894. (b) the place of your birth Denton Texas.

3. Give in the blanks below a detailed statement of your education, including dates:

(a) Grammar school: Attended from Sept-1901, 1..., to Sept 1909, 1... Highest grade completed 8th

(b) High school: Name and location Randlett High School, Randlett Okla.

Attended from Sept 1909 1..., to May 1911, 1... Highest grade completed 2nd Yr Were you graduated? No

(c) College or university (Give both graduate and undergraduate work)		Dates of attendance (Give month and year)		Semester-hours credit received	Major subject		Degree conferred	Date of degree
Name	Location	From	To		Name	Sem. hrs. in major		

(d) Specify here any specialized courses which you have completed in high school, college, or elsewhere, and indicate the credits received for each course

Chillicothe Business College, Chillicothe Mo, Graduated.
Completed Business Course, Sept 1911 To-Aug-1912.

4. Furnish in the blanks below a complete, comprehensive statement, showing every employment you have had since you first began to work, including your present employment, and accounting for all periods of unemployment.

	Place of employment	Dates of employment (Month and year)	NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER (Give street address and city and State. If unemployed, give own address at that time)	Yearly salary or net earnings	NAME OF POSITION AND DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES
1	City Topeka State Kansas	From Aug 12 To Mch 17	Santa Fe Ry Co Topeka Kansas	80.00	Telegrapher.
2	City Washington State D.C.	From Mch 17 To Oct- 19	U.S.Navy Washington D.C.	80.00	Electrician (Radio). Radio Operator
3	City Topeka State Kans	From Oct 19 To Aug 23	Santa Fe Ry Co Topeka Kansas	150.00	Telegrapher.
4	City Portland State Oregon	From Aug 23 To May 32	Southern Pacific Co Portland Oregon	150.00	Telegrapher.
5	City Castle Rock State Wash	From Sept 32 To Mch 35	6th Air Navigation Oakland Calif	100.00	Airway Keeper.
6	City Seattle State Wash	From Mch 35 To May 36	17th Lighthouse Dist Portland Oregon	105.00	Lighthouse Keeper.
7	City State	From To			
8	City State	From To			
9	City State	From To			

IF MORE SPACE IS REQUIRED, CONTINUE YOUR ENTRIES ON A SEPARATE SHEET ARRANGED AS ABOVE 16—497

Form 375
May 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT, TRANSFER, REINSTATEMENT, OR PROMOTION, ETC.

(NONCOMPETITIVE)

Rating .....

Application No. .....

The applicant will carefully fill ALL blank spaces

Position sought Handyman
(Give exact title of position or examination)

in the 17th Lighthouse District.
(Office in which the position exists)

Present position (if now employed) Lighthouse Keeper. (Title)
Commerce. (Department and bureau or office)

N. B.—Applicant will write plainly full name (if a woman, stating whether Miss or Mrs.) and post-office address in the blanks below. The address here given will be treated as the applicant's post-office address until notification of change is made to the Commission in writing.

Name of Applicant Grady Farrington.

Number and Street 2916 Washington St.

Post Office Milwaukie,

County Clackamas.

State or Territory Oregon

Applicant will not fill the following blanks

Kind of examination .....

Place .....

Date .....

Application ..... *approved* ....., 19.....

By whom ..... *approved* .....

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5. If you have any practical knowledge of a mechanical trade, name the trade or trades, and state the time you have worked at each, and when, where, and under whom, giving places and dates. (If you have served an apprenticeship, so state.)

U.S.Naval Electrical School. Mare Island Calif.

6. If not now employed, state how long you have been unemployed .....

7. If ever in the United States military or naval service, give dates of enlistment and discharge

U S Navy March 14th 1917 To- Oct-10th 1919.

8. (a) Have you ever filed an application with this Commission or its representative for any branch of the United States Government service? Yes.

(b) If so, give information indicated regarding each examination.

Name each position for which examined, or for which application was filed	In what city were you, or are you to be, examined?	Give the date of each examination (Month and year)	Did you pass? (Answer "Yes" or "No")
Airway Keeper	Portland Oregon	Sept 10th 1932	Yes

I, the undersigned, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that the statements made by me in answer to each and all of the foregoing questions are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. SO HELP ME GOD.

If female, prefix "Miss" or "Mrs."

(Signature of Applicant) Grady Farrington
(Sign your first name in full, your middle initial or initials, if you have any, and your surname in full)

THIS APPLICATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF THE JURAT OR OATH IS OMITTED

JURAT OR OATH

[The following oath must be taken before a NOTARY PUBLIC, or other officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes, *before whom the applicant must appear in person.*]

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant, this ..... day of ....., 19....., at city [or town] of .....

county of ....., and State [or Territory or District] of .....

(Signature of officer) .....

(Official title) .....

Form 2453
Dec. 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION SRR:MWT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

July 2, 1936

The Honorable
The Secretary of Commerce
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Referring to your request of June 22, 1936, for approval of the change in status of Grady Farrington to the position of handyman in the Lighthouse Service, 17th Lighthouse District.

you are informed that action is delayed for the reason checked below:

Proof of residence (Form) is required.

Affidavit as to marital status and members of family in the service is required.

Medical certificate is necessary.

Form was returned to applicant for correction.

Certified copy of military or naval discharge is necessary.

Preference is being investigated.

** Examination Form 375 is required.

examination has been ordered.

Strength test is required.

Proof of correct date of birth is necessary (see Form 2473, inclosed).

Fingerprint chart (Form 2390) is necessary.

Appointment Division
July 8, 1936.

Indorsement by is required.

Copy transmitted to the Bureau of Lighthouses.

By direction of the Secretary:

** Form 375, originally submitted, is returned herewith for jurat.

** Inclosure: Form 375.

Dept sent wrong copy to C.S.C. as one was executed. Phoned to have correct one sent 7/11/36 MWT

Faithfully yours,

U. S. Civil Service Commission.

P Chief of Appointment Division.

LIGHTHOUSES
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July 29, 1936.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The Civil Service Commission has by Certificate No. 6-10176, dated July 20, 1936, authorized the change in status of Grady Farrington from Keeper at $1320 per annum to Handyman at $115 a month in the Lighthouse Service.

Inasmuch as Mr. Farrington will be given a contract of employment, the Superintendent should be instructed to report the effective date of his entrance on duty and all subsequent changes in his status on Standard Form 4a.

By direction of the Secretary:

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington July 31, 1936

Forwarded to Superintendent of Lighthouses, Portland, Oregon, for information and compliance with the second paragraph above. For the Bureau's information, please report by indorsement hereon, the date of Mr. Farrington's last day as keeper at $1320 per annum.

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For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

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Office of the Superintendent, 17th Dist.
Portland, Ore., Aug. 5, 1936

Returned to the Commissioner of Lighthouses with advice that Mr. Farrington entered upon duty in his new position of Handyman on Aug. 1, 1936, July 31, 1936, being his last day on duty as additional keeper.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent

C. F. Ganong

C. F. Ganong, Assist. Superintendent

Grady Farrington

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Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington August 10, 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce. Mr. Farrington's last day as keeper was July 31, 1936, he having entered on duty in the unappointive position of handyman the following date, which fact will be reported on Form 4a at the proper time.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

H-M

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

August 11, 1936.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

In view of your appointment as handyman at $115.00 a month in the nonappointed service of the Lighthouse Service, the Department has discontinued without prejudice your services as keeper at $1320 per annum in the Seventeenth District, effective at the close of July 31, 1936.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSES
JAN 21 1937
DIVISION OF

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT.

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Portland, Oregon, January 13, 1937
(City) (Date)

CHIEF CLERK

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and change of designation.

Name, Grady Farrington

Position, Additional Keeper

Location, 17th District at Large

Effective, February 1, 1937

Former position, Handyman

Location, Lamp Shop, Portland

Legal residence, Oregon

Proposed salary, $1380. per A.

Proposed range, $1320. to $1680. per A.

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

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

Former salary, $115. per M.

Former range, None

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Herbert E. Lewis (Lt.#428) $1320. per A. Services terminated, to be At the close of Jan.31, 1937.

Reason, Recommended for transfer to the position of Assistant Keeper, Cape Blanco Light Station.

Members of family in Government service, None.

Remarks: Mr. Farrington has previously served as assistant keeper and additional keeper in the 17th District. He has therefore qualified under the Civil Service for the position of Additional Keeper. Form 375 is therefore considered unnecessary. See form 73 of this date recommending the transfer of Herbert E. Lewis from the position of additional keeper to the position of assistant Keeper, Cape Blanco Light Station.

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

January 18, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. The proposed action does not involve a change in the present pay of Mr. Farrington. Attention is invited to the Superintendent's statement under remarks above with regard to Mr. Farrington's status as keeper.

W. P. HARMAN

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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Form A-30

NOT TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

January 25, 1937.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

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 Thirteen Hundred and Eighty dollars per annum

effective January 25, 1937, or entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Change from Handyman under the registered system at $115 a month.

Civil Service authority: Certificate No. W-2375.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully, WM. J. GARDNER

Chief, Division of Personnel.

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Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: Herbert E. Lewis.

Legal residence: Oregon.

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Form 73
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
Approved Sept. [illegible], 1938

SPECIAL
TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED

NOMINATION

8th LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT New Orleans, La. (City) February 15 (Date), 1939

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended Transfer

Name Grady Farrington Date of birth May 15,1894 Legal residence Oregon

	From—	To—
Position,	Additional Keeper in Lighthouse Service	Keeper in Lighthouse Service
Pay and grade	$1380 p.a. ($1320-$1680)	$1260 p.a. ($1260-$1620)
Station	17th District at Large	New Canal Light Station, La.
Appropriation	Salaries, Lighthouse Keepers	

Effective February 24, 1939 [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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

Vice Englisbee K. Peyton (Lt. #126) / Pay $1260 p.a. Services to be terminated when transferred

Reason To be transferred to Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas

REMARKS:[2] Mr. Farrington was in this office recently and made request for this transfer. Telegram was sent to the Superintendent of the Seventeenth District inquiring whether satisfactory, copy inclosed, and copy of his reply also is inclosed. Family quarters are provided at New Canal Light Station. Telegraphic reply is requested.

Selection regular, ..., 19.....

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Manager, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, WASHINGTON, February 23, 1939, 19

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

W.P. HARMAN
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

[1] Strike out the clause which does not apply.
[2] In case of vessel officer, state license held.

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(Signed) E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

WJB:LEC NIGHT LETTER

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(POSTAL)

Commissioner of Lighthouses Washington

New Orleans La February 13, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Portland Oregon

Grady Farrington additional keeper your district visited this office today learned of existing vacancy at light station requested transfer thereto if meets your approval Stop Vacancy must be filled soon Does this transfer meet your approval If so can Farringtons leave be extended until effective date transfer

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POSTAL TELEGRAPH

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RETEL TRANSFER GRADY FARRINGTON YOUR DISTRICT SATISFACTORY THIS OFFICE PRESENT PAY $1380 RANGE $1320-1680 PER ANNUM WITHOUT QUARTERS LEGAL RESIDENCE OREGON EXTENSION HIS LEAVE AUTHORIZED PENDING APPROVAL TRANSFER

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Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

March 1, 1939.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective upon entrance on duty (change of station).

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1380 per annum.

To: $1260 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES

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SUPERINTENDENT LIGHTHOUSES NEW ORLEANS LOUISIANA

TRANSFER GRADY FARRINGTON APPROVED

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CONFIRMATION

Grady Farrington, Keeper New Canal Light Station $1260

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 5 8 46 AM '39

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
June 2, 1939

CHANGE IN DESIGNATION, PAY, OR STATUS OF EMPLOYEE

Name: Grady Farrington

Nature of action: Transfer

Effective Date: May 14, 1939

	FROM	TO
Position:	Additional Keeper in Lighthouse Service, 17th District	Keeper in Lighthouse Service 8th District
Pay:	$1380 p.a. ($1320-$1680)	$1260 p.a. ($1250-$1620)
Station:	17th District at Large	New Canal Light Station, La.

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department letter of March 1, 1939.

E.C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON June 13, 1939

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

STANDARD FORM NO. 6
(Approved by the President [redacted]/24)
Revised Dec. 5, 1929

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment Coast Guard, Lighthouse Service (New Canal L.S., La. - Keeper) Date Mar-13-1940

1. Name in full (Mr., [redacted]) Farrington, Grady none
(Surname) (Given name) (Middle name)

2. Present address New Canal Light Station New Orleans La.
(Number) (Street) (City) (State)

3. Legal (voting) residence Oregon 2nd Multnomah Portland
(State and Congressional District) (County) (City or town)

4. Where born Texas Denton When born 15-May-1894
(State or foreign country) (City or town) (Month Day Year)

5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien —

6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you None

8. A complete record of your past service for the United States Government other than military or naval:

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
U.S. Lighthouse Service	Portland Oregon	Keeper	1050.00	Sept	10	1932	Still in service		

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

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

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

(Title) No (Location) (Date appointment expires)

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

(Wife, widow, or orphan) No (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted	Mar-14-1917 Discharged	Oct 10-1919	Enlisted ——— Discharged ———
Rank	Elec 3rd Cls "R" Rank	Elec 1 class "R"	Rank ——— Rank ———
Organization	U.S. Navy Organization	U.S. Navy	Organization ——— Organization ———

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

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

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	POSITION AND CHARACTER OF WORK	LENGTH OF SERVICE
Southern Pacific Co	Telegraph Operator	10 Years

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

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

16. In case of emergency, notify Virgil Farrington, Burkburnett Texas

Relationship Brother Post office address Burkburnett Texas.

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

Grady Farrington.
(Name as usually written and which will be used as official signature)

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6 April, 1940

From: Commandant.
To: Commander, New Orleans District.

Subject: New Canal Light Station, Louisiana.

Reference: (a) District letter 29 March, 1940.

1. In view of the uncertain status as to completion of the WPA project at New Canal Light Station, Louisiana, upon which the Coast Guard project of moving the station, changing to unwatched with establishment of certain minor aids was predicated, no allotment will be made to your district for the contemplated purpose at this time.

2. Keep in touch with the matter and advise Headquarters at the end of this calendar year as to the status at that time, or previously should there be a definite change in plans with respect to the PWA project as it affects the work of this Service.

By direction,

L. C. COVELL,
Assistant Commandant.

CAP:HRH

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13 April, 1940

From: Commandant.
To: Commander, New Orleans District.

Subject: Status construction boat haven and breakwaters, entrance New Basin Canal, Lake Pontchartrain, by City of New Orleans, and relocation New Canal Light Station.

Reference: (a) District letter 29 March, 1940.

1. It is noted that the carrying out of the PWA project upon which the contemplated changes at New Canal Light Station were contingent is uncertain. Keep Headquarters advised of any developments and in any case, submit report as to the status of the matter about the end of December, 1940.

2. The appropriations for the fiscal year 1941 included an item for this work, which funds will be applied to another urgent need provided the status of this matter at the end of the calendar year still indicates uncertainty as to final completion or as to the date thereof.

CHAS. A. PAIK,
By direction.

CAP:HRH

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OP-601
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29 August, 1940

From: Commandant.
To: Commander, New Orleans District.

Subject: New Canal Light Station, Lake Pontchartrain, suggested use by Coast Guard Reserve.

Reference: (a) District letter 26 August, 1940.
(b) Headquarters' letter 13 April, 1940 (AC-222-626).
(c) District letter 29 March, 1940.

1. Project 4 of Part IV of the New Orleans District Annual Report for 1939, dated July 8th, was for relocationof the light and fog signal at New Canal Light Station and the establishment of minor lights, including discontinuance of the New Canal Light Station as a keeper station. The project was stated to be necessitated by W.P.A. work sponsored by the City of New Orleans which involved dredging in the way of the present structures, requiring a complete new arrangement of aids.

2. This project was included in the budget for 1941 and the sum of $14,000 has been appropriated. See project SP-14.14, Headquarters' letter (OP-540-0161) of July 18th. New Orleans District letter, reference (c), reported some uncertainty as to carrying out of the W.P.A. project as planned and Headquarters' letter, reference (b), required a report in the matter about January 1, 1941, for information in determining whether or not these funds would be reserved for application to the project as planned or diverted to other urgent needs.

3. In considering the recommendation made in reference (a), Headquarters desires at this time the report above referred to as to the present status of the canal project, which is to be submitted accordingly. Action on reference (a) will be deferred pending receipt and consideration ofthis report.

By direction,

L. C. COVELL,
Assistant Commandant.

CAP:HRH

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24 September, 1940.

From: Commandant.
To: Commander, New Orleans District.

Subject: New Canal Light Station, Lake Pontchartrain, Louisiana; suggested use by Coast Guard Reserve.

Reference: (a) New Orleans District letter, 17 September, 1940 (056-601-701).
(b) New Orleans District letter, 26 July, 1940 (601-626).

1. As reference (a) indicates that plans for the relocation of the New Canal Lighthouse, etc., have been eliminated from the Yacht Harbor project, the recommendation to moor the CG-49 at the New Canal Lighthouse, place the operation of the lighthouse in charge of the CG-49, transfer the present keeper to temporary duty at the New Orleans Repair Station until arrangements can be made for his permanent assignment to a light station elsewhere, and to make facilities in the lighthouse dwelling available for the Coast Guard Reserve, is approved.

2. The matter of authorizing the installation of a telephone at the lighthouse dwelling and the construction of a camel fender alongside the bulkhead will be the subject of a separate communication.

By direction,

L. C. COVELL,
Assistant Commandant.

Copy to: C. G. Reserve
Civil Engineering
C. & R.
Finance
Permanent Board
Personnel

Keeper receiving cash in lieu of qtrs. since 10/25/40.

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Form 9626
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
Sept. 1930

U. S. COAST GUARD

OFFICIAL DISPATCH

TRANSMIT

DATE 18 OCTOBER 1940

FROM COMMANDANT
COAST GUARD HEADQUARTERS

TO (FOR ACTION) COMMANDER NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

UNLESS DESIGNATED OTHERWISE TRANSMIT THIS DISPATCH AS NITE.

TO (FOR INFORMATION)

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ADVISE LAST DATE ON WHICH GRADY FARRINGTON OCCUPIED FAMILY QUARTERS NEW CANAL LIGHTSTATION

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

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FORM 9619
TREASURY DEPT.

U. S. COAST GUARD

ACTION: COMDT

FROM: COMORLDIST

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Commandant	Operations
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Const. & Repair	Permanent Board
Finance	Personnel
Inspector	Procurement
Intelligence	Public Relations
Law	Radio Engineering

TEXT

YOUR 191606 IT IS ~~EXPECTED~~ EXPECTED GRADY FARRINGTON WILL

RELINQUISH FAMILY QUARTERS NEW CANAL LIGHT STATION 24TH OCTOBER

REF:191606/ADVISE LAST DATE ON WHICH GRADY FARRINGTON OCCUPIED FAMILY QUARTERS NEW CANAL LIGHTSTATION.

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV: 6-46

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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TO:

Name:

From: Farrington, Grady
U. S. Coast Guard

Date Prepared
28 October, 1940

Bureau No:
126

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

Change in status - increase in grade and salary

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	Keeper
Grade	Field (Range $1260-1620)	Field (Range $1500-1860)
Salary	$1260 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.	$1500 p.a. (No quarters)
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters		
Post of Duty	New Orleans, La.	New Orleans, La.
Appropriation	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.	New Canal Lt. Stn., La.
Allotment	Civilian Employees, C.G.	Civilian Employees, C.G.
Field or Deptl.	Field	Field

EFFECTIVE
Remarks:
25 October, 1940

Increase in cash pay in lieu of quarters previously occupied effective on the date above indicated.

Justification:

This does not involve a change in position or gross compensation.

APPROPRIATION

DATE OF BIRTH

LEGAL RESIDENCE

SEX RACE

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY VICE
Himself

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT?
Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH

N. R. STILES,
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard,
Assistant Personnel Officer.

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OCT 29 1940

Treasury Department
Form 73
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO:

Date Prepared 25 October, 1940

Name: Farrington, Grady

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No: 126

Change in status - increase in grade and salary

	FROM	TO
Position Grade Salary	Keeper Field (Range $1260-1620) $1260 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.	Keeper Field (Range $1500-1860) $1500 p.a. (No quarters)
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters Post of Duty Appropriation Allotment Field or Deptl.	New Orleans, La. New Canal Lt. Sta., La. Civilian Employees, C.G. Field	New Orleans, La. New Canal Lt. Sta., La. Civilian Employees, C.G. Field

EFFECTIVE
Remarks: 25 October, 1940

Increase in cash pay in lieu of quarters previously occupied effective on the date above indicated.

Justification:

This does not involve a change in position or gross compensation.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-15-1894

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Oregon

SEX: M RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE: Himself

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH

10-25-40

BUREAU OR DIVISION PERSONNEL FILES

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ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

U. S. COAST GUARD
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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

NEW ORLEANS, LA.
26 November, 1940

REPORT OF EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGE IN POSITION OR PAY STATUS OF CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Commandant.

Name: Grady Farrington

Nature of ~~Action~~: Change in status - increase in grade and salary

Effective date of change: 25 October, 1940

	FROM	TO
Position:	Keeper	Keeper
Pay:	$1260 p.a.	$1500 p.a.
Salary Range:	$1260-1620	$1500-1860
Valuation of Quarters:	$240 p.a.	No quarters
Station:	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department approval dated 25 October, 1940

T. Y. AWALT,
By direction

Ans rec'd

ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

NEW ORLEANS, LA.
10 January, 1941.

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D JAN 13 1941

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To: Commandant.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady, Additional Keeper; separation from duty at New Canal Light Station, Louisiana.

Reference: (a) Headquarters' letter 27 September, 1940 (OP-601-701-056).
(b) Form 2249, dated 25 October, 1940.

1. In accordance with reference (a), subject man was detached from duty as Keeper of New Canal Light Station, Louisiana, on 25 October, 1940, and was temporarily assigned to duty at the New Orleans Base, pending permanent transfer to another station.

2. Subsequently, two vacancies occurred, one in the position of Assistant Keeper at Brazos Santiago Light Station, Texas, with pay at the rate of $1440. per annum, with no quarters, and the other in the position of Second Assistant Keeper at Pascagoula River Entrance Light Station, Mississippi, with pay at the rate of $1560. per annum, with no quarters. Farrington was given his choice of the two positions, and, after deliberating for about four weeks, he called at this office on 9 January, 1941. In answer to the question as to what his decision was, he, in the presence of the Personnel Officer and the Assistant Personnel Officer, bluntly stated that he would not accept either position, and furthermore, that he would not consider any transfer out of New Orleans, giving as his reason the fact that his physical condition would not permit him to perform the arduous duties of boating and beacon climbing. He also stated that he was prepared to contest any action this office decided to take in the matter. He then complained that he was suffering from an attack of appendicitis, and was given an application for examination and medical treatment at the New Orleans Marine Hospital. He has only ten years and eleven months Government service, and is, therefore, not eligible for physical disability retirement under the Lighthouse Retirement Act.

3. Headquarters' attention is invited to the fact that during his duty in this District, beginning 14 May, 1939, Farrington has held the most desirable position in the District; and every possible consideration has been shown him since he was notified of his transfer from the New Canal Light Station, at which time he raised considerable disturbance, because he could not find a suitable place to live, without exceeding the cost of his rental allowance.

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U. S. COAST GUARD

RE.D JAN 13 1941

75 - New Orleans District 1/10/41.
Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady, Additional Keeper; separation from duty at New Canal Light Station, Louisiana.

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4. Because of Farrington's attitude, the matter is referred to Headquarters for a decision as to the appropriate action to be taken in his case.

F. J. BIRKETT,
Acting.

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25 January, 1941.

From: Commandant.
To: Commander, New Orleans District.

Subject: Proposed transfer of Keeper Grady Farrington from New Canal Light Station, Louisiana.

Reference: (a) Your letter dated January 10 (75).
(b) Headquarters' letter dated 27 September, 1940 (OP-601-701-056).

1. From reference (a) it is noted that the subject employee was detailed from his regular position at New Canal Light Station to the New Orleans Base pending his transfer to another station, this having been necessary because his services would no longer be required at the New Canal Light Station for the reason stated in reference (b).

2. During the period of his detail to the New Orleans Base, Mr. Farrington continued technically to be the incumbent of his regular position at New Canal Light Station, and no change in his total or gross pay was involved in connection with his detail. It is further noted that two other vacancies of keeper have occurred, that he has declined to accept transfer to either of these positions, and that in this connection he has indicated that his physical condition would not permit him to do certain arduous duties. Not having the required years of service, consideration cannot be given to his retirement on account of disability.

3. Under the circumstances it will be necessary for Mr. Farrington to accept some other position or be furloughed without pay pe pending the occurrence of some suitable vacancy. Your office should give due consideration to Mr. Farrington in this connection, but if he persists in declining such reasonable offers as may be made to him, it will be necessary to furlough him without pay as indicated above. His furlough would be for a period not exceeding one year, and in the event he was not reassigned to duty prior to the expiration of the year his separation from the service would be effected.

4. In the light of these conditions, your office should submit further recommendations on form 73 at the proper time.

By direction,

MAILED
JAN 27 1941
NAVY DEPT.

C. H. JONES,
Chief Personnel Officer.

Treasury Department
Form 73
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~
Approved Sept. 1[illegible]38

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D FEB 10 1941

NOMINATION

U. S. Coast Guard
New Orleans District
~~XXXXXXX LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT~~ New Orleans, La. (City) 7 February (Date), 19 41
Commandant
~~COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:~~ Chg in status-past of duty - decrease in cash (but not gross) salary

Action recommended Transfer

Name Grady Farrington Date of birth May 15, 1894 Legal residence Oregon

	From—	To—
Position,	Keeper	Keeper
Pay and grade	$1500 p.a.($1500-1860) (No quarters)	$1260 p.a.($1140-1500) ($240 p.a. quarters)
Station	New Canal Lt.Sta., La.	Brazos River Lt.Sta., Texas
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, Coast Guard	Civilian Employees, Coast Guard

Effective 1 March, 1941 [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty,~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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

Vice Willie D. Cooper #175 Pay $1200 p.a. Services to be terminated close Feb.28,1941

Reason To be promoted.

REMARKS: [2] Subject employee has veteran (military) preference under the civil service Rules and Regulations. This transfer is not for the convenience of the employee; it is a permanent change of station from New Orleans, La., to Velasco, Texas, and it is recommended that payment of travel expenses and transportation of household effects ~~between~~ these points be authorized.

Selection regular, ... , 19.....

Manager, Civil Service District.

F. J. BIRKETT, Acting ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, WASHINGTON, , 19

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

[1] Strike out the clause which does not apply.
[2] In case of vessel officer, state license held.

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO:

Date Prepared March 3, 1941

Name: Farrington, Grady

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No: 175

Change in status and post of duty - decrease in cash (but not gross) salary

	FROM	TO
Position Grade Salary	Keeper Field (Range $1500-1860) $1500 p.a. No Qtrs.	Keeper Field (Range $1140-1500) $1260 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters Post of Duty Appropriation Allotment Field or Deptl.	New Orleans, La. New Canal Lt. Sta., La. Civilian Employees, C.G. Field	New Orleans, La. Brazos River Lt.Sta., Texas. Civilian Employees, C.G. Field

EFFECTIVE E.O.D.

Remarks: Travel from New Orleans, La., to Brazos River Lt.Sta.,Texas, necessary in interest of Government, not for convenience of employee, is authorized, with per diem of $3.50 in lieu of subsistence, chargeable to symbol No.29. Travel by privately owned automobile at the rate of 4¢ a mile, if more economical and advantageous to the United States than travel by commercial carrier, authorized. If travel is by privately owned automobile, a statement certifying that such travel is more economical and advantageous than travel by commercial carrier must be attached to the voucher. Expense of transportation of household effects is authorized in accordance with Personnel Bulletin #5-41 within funds available.

Justification:

The New Canal Light Station will be maintained by enlisted personnel stationed at that point and the position of Keeper will be discontinued. Therefore, Mr. Farrington is being transferred without change in gross compensation to the Brazos River station.

Approved: March 3, 1941
(Signed) Herbert E. Gaston
Acting Secretary of the Treasury

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-15-1894

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Oregon

SEX	RACE
M	W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY	VICE
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*Willis D. Cooper (Pro.)

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act 6-20-19

DATE OF OATH

3-3-41

BUREAU OR DIVISION PERSONNEL FILES

MAR 13 1941

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U. S. COAST GUARD
MAR 20 1941

18 March, 1941.

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To: FARRINGTON, Grady - Civilian Keeper, New Orleans, La.

Subject: Orders; transfer; travel.

Reference: (a) Treasury Department Form No. 2249, approved 3-3-41.

Inclosure: (1) Transportation Request No. T-236,703.
(2) Transportation Request No. T-236,704.

1. In accordance with reference (a), you are hereby detached from further duty at the New Canal Light Station, Louisiana, and are directed to proceed to Brazos River Light Station, Texas, and report to the Commanding Officer, Freeport Station, for assignment to duty at that light station as assistant keeper.

2. This order constitutes a permanent change of station for you from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Freeport, Texas.

3. The travel herein authorized is chargeable to Headquarters' Symbol No. 29. Inclosures (1) and (2), covering your transportation and pullman accommodations from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Houston, Texas, are handed you herewith. Travel from Houston, Texas, to Freeport, Texas via privately owned automobile is hereby authorized in accordance with reference (a), at the rate of 4¢ per mile, providing this means of transportation is more economical and advantageous to the Government. Otherwise, you will be reimbursed for this travel from Houston, Texas to Freeport, Texas, at the same rates as would be the cost by common carrier.

4. The public interests require this travel. In lieu of actual expenses for traveling, a per diem allowance of $3.50 is authorized while performing travel under this order.

J. L. AHERN.

F. J. BIRKETT,
By direction.

Copy to:
Headquarters.
Freeport Station.
Pay Officer.

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22 March, 1941.

REPORT OF EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGE IN POSITION
OR PAY STATUS OF CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Commandant.

Name: Grady Farrington

Nature of Action: Transfer

Effective date of change: 21 March, 1941

	FROM	TO
Position:	Keeper	Keeper (Asst.)
Pay:	$1500 p.a.	$1260 p.a.
Salary Range:	$1500-1860	$1140-1500
Valuation of Quarters:	No quarters	$240 per annum quarters
Station:	New Canal Lt.Sta., La.	Brazos River Lt.Sta.,Texas

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department Notice (Form 2249) dated 3 March, 1941, approved by the Acting Secretary of the Treasury 3 March, 1941.

J. L. AHERN

HEADQUARTERS U.S. COAST GUARD - WASHINGTON
Referred to the Director of Personnel for
information.
MAR 26 1941
By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

R. J. GROSS,
Chief, Civilian Personnel

MAR 27 1941

Form 2522
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
Revised March 1938

U. S. COAST GUARD (16)
REC'D SEP 2 1941

FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK

FARRINGTON, Grady. (Name, surname first) Civilian Keeper. (Service number) BRAZOS RIVER LIGHT STATION. (Rank or rating) ____ (Unit)

FINAL MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

~~REGULAR~~
~~SPECIAL~~
~~TEMPORARY~~
(Enlistment status)

Place FREEPORT, TEXAS., Date Aug. 18, 19 41

To: FREEPORT LIFEBOAT STATION.
(Coast Guard unit)

FREEPORT, TEXAS.
(Address)

The above-named patient was discharged from {*inpatient / *outpatient} treatment as shown below:

DIAGNOSIS (By nomenclature name and number)	DIAGNOSIS NUMBER	PERIOD OF TREATMENT FOR EACH CONDITION	
		FROM	TO
laceration right forearm (small)		Aug. 18	Aug. 18.

He {*is / *~~is not~~} fit for duty. REMARKS (Recommendations as to sick leave, further treatment, etc.):

no loss time

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MEDICAL SECTION

CONDUCT REPORT:

Did the patient cooperate in his treatment? {*Yes. / *~~No.~~} Absent without permission? {*~~Yes.~~ / *No.} Guilty of insubordination? {*~~Yes.~~ / *No.}

NO ABSENCE. FREEPORT LIFEBOAT STATION.

Jorgen A. Pedersen
JORGEN A. PEDERSEN. CBM, ACT, (pro). Commanding.

A . A. U. S. Public Health Service.

NOTICE OF MEDICAL TRANSFER

____, who has been under {*inpatient / *outpatient}
(Patient's name, service number, rank or rating, and unit)
treatment at ____ {*office / *hospital} at ____ for ____ since ____, 19 , has been
(Diagnosis)
transferred this date ____, 19 , to the U. S. Marine Hospital at ____ for further treatment.

____ U. S. Public Health Service.

*Strike out words not applicable.

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U. S. COAST GUARD (16)

FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK

REC'D SEP 2 1941

Grady. Civilian Keeper. Brazos River light station.
(Name, surname first) (Service number) (Rank or rating) (Unit)

APPLICATION TO THE U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE FOR RELIEF FOR THE PERSONNEL OF THE U. S. COAST GUARD

REGULAR
SPECIAL
TEMPORARY
(Enlistment status)

Place Freeport, Texas., Date 18 August, 1941., 19

To: Dr. Geo D.Reeves. A.A.U.S.P.H.S.

Freeport, Texas.

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT U.S. COAST GUARD NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

AUG 29 11 25 AM '41

SIR: You are requested to examine the above-named {*officer / *enlisted man} of the U. S. Coast Guard, attached to the above-named unit, and furnish him such treatment as may be required. It is requested that the RETURN MEDICAL CERTIFICATE be returned to Jorgen A. Pedersen.

Grady Farrington. Keeper.
(Signature of patient)

Jorgen A. Pedersen.
Commanding.
FREEPORT L.B.Station. *U. S. Coast Guard.*

RETURN MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

Place FREEPORT, TEXAS., Date 18 August, 1941.

I CERTIFY that I have examined the above-named person and find him suffering from

Laceration right forearm.
(Give diagnosis by number and name according to official nomenclature)

My professional opinion in the case is expressed below for the information of the Coast Guard administrative officers. Incident of service? {*Yes. / *~~No.~~} Fit for duty? {*Yes. / *~~No.~~} Absent from duty on account of the effects of a disease, as distinguished from injury, directly attributable to and immediately following his own intemperate use of alcoholic liquor or habit-forming drug? {*~~Yes.~~ / *No.} Absent from duty on account of the direct effects of a venereal disease due to his own misconduct? {*~~Yes.~~ / *No.} If "yes," did the initial symptoms appear less or more than one year ago? {*Less. / *More.} Treatment will require approximately 1 days absence from duty. He was admitted to {*~~in~~patient / *outpatient} treatment ~~at~~ Freeport, Texas. {*~~hospital~~ / *office} on Aug. 18, 19 41

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D SEP 3 1941 BY
MEDICAL SECTION

A.A.U.S.PH. *U. S. Public Health Service.*

*Having been informed that I am suffering from Laceration right forearm
(Diagnosis)
and that in the opinion of the medical officer, this disease is the result of my own misconduct, I (*do not) desire to submit a statement. (Attach statement if made.)

(Patient's signature)

WITNESS:

(Signature of medical officer)

U. S. Public Health Service.

*Strike out words not applicable.

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TO: THE HONORABLE, THE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY.

The following changes in compensation, involving 328 keepers and a total salary increase of $19680.are recommended to become effective 1 April, 1942.

The promotions herein are in accordance with the established practice of many years past and will not result in a deficit. Such personnel are not covered by Public Law No. 200, approved 1 August, 1941. These promotions are chargeable to the appropriation "17-2021208 Civilian Employees, Coast Guard (Navy), 1942."

T. O. Robertson

T. O. ROBERTSON, Chief,
Civilian Personnel Section.

Name	Range	Present Salary	Proposed Salary	E.R.	Amt.	Date and Last Promotion	Location
			BOSTON				
Carr, Earl E.	$1440-1800	$1560	$1620	Ex	$60	7-1-38	Block I.
Hallett, Osborne E.	1200-1560	1200	1260	VG	EOD	9-4-37	Boston L.St.
Talbot, Ernest V.	1260-1620	1380	1440	VG	60	6-16-39	Browns Hd.
Seavey, George W.	1440-1800	1500	1560	G	60	6-16-39	Cape Ann
Dawes, William F.	1140-1500	1260	1320	G	60	6-16-39	C.Elizabeth
Coleman, Eugene L.	1380-1740	1500	1560	Ex	60	6-16-39	C.Neddick
Dubois, Joseph H.	1380-1740	1440	1500	G	60	6-16-39	Cape Poge
Powell, Nelson H.	1320-1680	1380	1440	VG	60	3-1-39	Conimicut
Morrison, Myrick R.	1260-1620	1260	1320	VG	120	12-16-30	Curtis I.
Grue, Simeon A.	1380-1740	1440	1500	Ex	60	6-16-39	Guttyhunk
Mathie, Ernest H.	1560-1920	1560	1620	G	60	7-28-37	Egg Rock
Grieder, Frank A.	1380-1740	1440	1500	G	60	6-16-39	Gay Head
Hill, Arthur G.	1380-1740	1380	1440	G	60	3-1-38	Goose Rock
Kilton, Harold L.	1560-1920	1560	1620	VG	240	3-1-38	Goose Rock
Davis, Phillip A.	1260-1620	1260	1320	VG	60	4-3-37	Gr. Duck I.
Freeman, James H.	1500-1860	1500	1560	G	60	6-30-39	Gr. Duck I.
Mann, Darrell L.	1320-1680	1320	1380	G	60	3-1-39	Gr. Duck I.
Cheney, Hoyt W.	1560-1920	1560	1620	G	60	7-1-40	Halfway Rock
Osgood, Albert F.	1500-1860	1500	1560	G	180	7-1-40	Halfway Rock
Strout, Arthur S.	1740-2100	1800	1860	VG	60	6-16-39	Halfway Rock
Cheney, Jasper L.	1260-1620	1320	1380	G	60	6-16-39	Libby I.
Day, Henley C.	1200-1560	1200	1260	G	EOD	6-13-30	Manna I.
Haskins, Archford V.	1440-1800	1440	1500	VG	120	9-1-37	Nantucket
Vidler, Fred S.	1320-1680	1320	1380	VG	60	11-16-38	Nauset B.
Dobbins, Harry B.	1380-1740	1680	1740	Ex	60	3-1-39	Newburyport
Scharff, John M.	1320-1680	1440	1500	Ex	60	3-1-39	Nobska Pt.
Foss, Morris J.	1260-1620	1260	1320	VG	60	6-30-39	Petit Manan
York, Javan D.	1440-1800	1440	1500	Ex	180	1-5-38	Race Pt.
Stockbridge, Benjamin	1320-1680	1380	1440	Ex	60	6-16-39	Ram I.
Clark, Wm. A., Jr.	1620-1980	1620	1680	VG	60	7-1-40	Ram I.Ledge

(Continued on page 2)

Name	Range	Present Salary	Proposed Salary	E.R.	Amt.	Date and Last Promotion	Location
			NEW ORLEANS				
Farrington, Grady	$1140-1500	$1260	$1320	G	5-14-39	120	Brazos Riv.
Malone, Eli A.	1320-1680	1380	1440	G	10-1-37	60	Calcasieu R.
Sorenson, Blicker B.	1260-1620	1260	1320	VG	5-16-39	60	C.San Blas
May, Ira D.	1680-2040	1740	1800	VG	6-16-39	60	Chandeleur
Williams, Samuel	1440-1800	1440	1500	G	7-14-31	EOD	Chandeleur
Staniel, Frank L.	1320-1680	1560	1620	VG	3-1-39	60	Cubits Gap
Anderson, George W.	1620-1980	1800	1860	VG	6-16-39	60	Galveston H.
Simmons, Joseph P.	1380-1740	1560	1620	VG	10-1-37	60	Galveston H.
Colombel, Carol A.	1260-1620	1260	1320	G	3-4-39	EOD	Head of Pass
Barr, Arthur B.	1440-1800	1440	1500	G	3-18-38	EOD	Matagorda
Heinroth, Wm. H.	1380-1740	1560	1620	VG	7-3-30	60	Matagorda
Kohn, Carl W.	1500-1860	1500	1560	G	4-18-39	60	Mobile Chan.
Davidson, Wm. H.	1500-1860	1680	1740	VG	6-16-39	60	Oyster Bayou
Guidry, Leo L.	1680-2040	1920	1980	VG	6-16-39	60	Oyster Bayou
Kiff, Godfrey C.	1440-1800	1620	1680	VG	6-16-39	60	Oyster Bayou
Hatten, James M.	1260-1620	1260	1320	G	1-1-31	60	Pensacola
Wright, Lewis L.	1200-1560	1200	1260	VG	11-1-37	360	Pensacola
Duay, Peter	1560-1920	1620	1680	G	7-1-28	120	Pt.Au Fer Rf.
Price, Lee O.	1380-1740	1440	1500	G	7-1-28	120	Pt.Au Fer Rf.
Champagne, John E.	1380-1740	1380	1440	VG	7-1-40	60	Sabine Pass
Goodson, James F.	1620-1980	1620	1680	Ex	1-16-38	120	Sabine Pass
Hasselborg, Horace R.	1320-1680	1320	1380	VG	7-15-40	EOD	Sabine Pass
Sasnett, Burian F.	1440-1800	1440	1500	G	6-16-39	60	Sand I.
Wiselogel, Ralph C.	1800-2160	1800	1860	VG	1-10-39	120	St.And.Bay
Brooks, Alex H.	1380-1740	1380	1440	VG	9-1-37	60	Ship I. and Gulf Port
Anderson, James O.	1740-2100	1740	1800	VG	4-18-39	60	S.Pass Jetty Lts.&Fog Sig.
Jones, William A.	1140-1500	1140	1200	G	7-9-37	EOD	S.Pass Range
Buhse, Henry C.	1860-2220	1980	2040	VG	6-16-39	60	SouthwestPass East Jetty
Folse, August T.	1620-1980	1620	1680	VG	4-18-39	60	SouthwestPass East Jetty
Johnson, Albert	1560-1920	1620	1680	VG	6-16-39	60	SouthwestPass Lt.&Fog Sig.
Hingle, Felix, Jr.	1380-1740	1380	1440	VG	7-1-38	60	SouthwestPass Lt.&Fog Sig.
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Meyer, Werner	1440-1800	1440	1500	VG	7-1-40	180	Ashtabula
Ray, Eugene A.	1440-1800	1440	1500	VG	9-16-37	180	Ashtabula
Matson, Vern J.	1380-1740	1380	1440	G	7-1-40	120	BigBay Pt.
Jones, Charles R.	1740-2100	1740	1800	Ex	7-1-40	120	Detour Reef

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FROM: DCGO 8TH NAV DIST

ACTION: COMMANDANT

INFORM:

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YOUR Ø32134 KEEPER GRADY FARRINGTON WAS GRANTED ALL EARNED ANNUAL LEAVE PRIOR TO CLOSE AUG 4TH X AT CLOSE 31 JULY HE HAD BEEN GRANTED 5 DAYS 3 HOURS ADVANCED SICK LEAVE

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ADDRESS REPLY TO:
DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER
EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA., AND REFER TO FILE No. 75

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

New Orleans, La.
22 August, 1942

OFFICE OF
DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER
EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.
To : Commandant.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady, Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station.

Inclosure:
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that the subject employee should be considered as permanently disabled for useful and efficient service. By inclosure (F), Keeper Farrington was advised of the doctor's report, and, under the circumstances, he was requested to submit his resignation effective at the close of 31 July, 1942, and vacate his quarters on that date. He was unable to locate a place of residence until 4 August, and, on that date, he vacated his quarters and left the reservation. He failed to submit his resignation, as requested, and by inclosure (G) the Commanding Officer of Freeport Station was directed to ascertain and advise the reason for noncompliance. By inclosure (H), the Commanding Officer advised that Farrington, when departing from Brazos River Light Station, stated that he had no intention of resigning. He also advised that Farrington is now employed by the Santa Fe Railroad in Fort Worth, Texas.

3. Although subject employee failed to submit his resignation, as requested, it is recommended that he be separated from the Service without prejudice at the close of 31 July, 1942, because of the fact that he was physically unable to continue on duty, and did not leave of his own accord. It is also recommended that his position, Assistant Keeper at Brazos River Light Station, with pay at the rate of $1320 per annum, appropriation Civilian Employees, Coast Guard, be abolished as of 31 July, 1942.

J. F. FARLEY

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 12-41

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO:

Date Prepared 4 August, 1942

Name: Farrington, Grady

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.: 175

Discharge, without prejudice

Effective: close b August, 1942

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	
Grade		
Salary	Field (Range $1140-1500) $1320 p.a. plus $240 p.a.cstra.	
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	
Headquarters	New Orleans, La.	
Post of Duty	Brazos River Lt.Sta., Texas	
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, U. S.	
Allotment		
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CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-13-1894

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Oregon

SEX: M

NATURE OF POSITION

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VICE VACANCY | VICE

HAS C. S. COMM. ALLOWED VETERAN'S PREFERENCE?

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH

Remarks:

Due to a report of the Public Health Service, Galveston, Texas, dated 24 June, 1942, that you had been a patient in the hospital from April 1, to June 2, 1942, and were considered to be permanently disabled for useful and efficient service, and due also to the fact that you have not had sufficient service (15 years) to meet the requirements for retirement on account of disability under the Act of March 4, 1925, the Navy Department upon recommendation of the Commandant of the Coast Guard, has terminated your service in the manner and on the date above indicated.

Justification:

Mr. Farrington's employment in the former Lighthouse Service and the Coast Guard dates from September 8, 1932 and that service combined with his enlistment in the Navy during World War I gives him a total service of a little over 12 years. There is inclosed a copy of the letter referred to under Remarks above, from the Public Health Service in which it is indicated that Mr. Farrington is suffering from chronic arthritis and since it gives the opinion that he is disabled for useful and efficient service, there is no alternative but to recommend his separation.

CHARLES PIOZET

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY: 8-4-42

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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

FREEPORT LIFEBOAT STATION
EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT

Freeport, Texas
19 August, 1942.

From: Commanding Officer, Freeport Lifeboat Station.
To: District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady; Assistant Keeper of Brazos River Light Station.

Reference: (a) District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District, Dispatch No. 181644, August, 1942.
(b) District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District, Letter dated 25 July, 1942, Addressed to Keeper Farrington.

1. Keeper Farrington departed Brazos River Light Station, (1300) 4 August, 1942. He stated that he had no intentions of resigning.

2. Farrington is now employed by the Sante Fe Railroad, Ft. Worth, Texas. His address is as set forth below.

Grady Farrington,
c/o Chief Dispatcher,
Sante Fe Railroad,
Ft. Worth, Texas.

/s/ Lloyd C. Hawes.
LLOYD C. HAWES

Form No. 265
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD
Revised February 1941

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TEXT

IN LETTER 25 JULY TO ASST KEEPER FARRINGTON HE WAS REQUESTED TO SUBMIT RESIGNATION EFFECTIVE CLOSE 31 JULY X WRITTEN RESIGNATION NOT YET RECEIVED X ADVISE REASON FOR NONCOMPLIANCE

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50 E.S.F. R.L.C. M.C.G. T.Y.A. F.J.B.

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(F)

25 July, 1942

From: **District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.**
To: **Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station.**

Via: Commanding Officer, Freeport Station.
Commanding Officer, Brazos River Light Station.

Subject: Duty status.

Reference: (a) Letter from U. S. Public Health Service, Galveston, Texas, dated 24 June, 1942.

Inclosure: (A) Copy of reference (a)

1. It has been reported to this office by the Commanding Officer of the Freeport Lifeboat Station and Brazos River Light Station that, since you have returned to the station from sick leave, you have refused to perform any work in accordance with instructions from the doctor, and that you consider you are on annual leave since the expiration of your sick leave on 2 June, 1942. The Commanding Officer of Brazos River Light Station also advised that you made the statement that you are "through with lighthouse keeping."

2. As you were advised in a letter dated 15 April, 1942, you are not entitled to retirement because of physical disability due to the fact that you have not had the required fifteen years service. It will be noted from inclosure (A) that the Public Health Service doctor is of the opinion that you should be considered as permanently disabled for useful and efficient service.

3. If, as the Commanding Officer stated, you have performed no duty since your return to the station on 2 June, 1942, you will be charged with annual leave for the period June 2 through July 11, 1942. You will be given advance sick leave to carry you in a pay status until the close of 31 July, 1942.

4. It appears necessary, under the circumstances, to request your resignation, effective at the close of 31 July, 1942. You will state therein that physical disability is your reason for resigning.

On that date, you will vacate your quaters, which are now needed to take care of the overflow of military personnel at Freeport Station, and the position of Assistant Keeper at the light station will be abolished as of that date. You will submit your resignation as instructed without delay.

5. As soon as possible, advise this office of your address in order that your check for July may be sent to proper destination.

T. Y. AWALT,
By direction.

COPY

(E)

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
GALVESTON, TEXAS

June 24, 1942

Commander F. J. Birkett
United States Coast Guard
New Orleans, Louisiana

Re: Grady Farrington

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your request of June 22, 1942, the following information is submitted in the case of the above-named man, who was a patient in this hospital from April 1, 1942, to June 2, 1942. The diagnoses in this case were as follows:

Arthritis, chronic, rheumatoid
Obesity
Deafness, partial, left ear
Perforation, small, left tympanum

This man is suffering from a chronic arthritis of probably several years' duration. The arthritic symptoms were made worse by the exposure to cold and duties such as climbing ladders. Also the obesity was a factor which increased his disability. He was given extensive physiotherapy treatments in the hospital, and also his weight was reduced by twenty-five pounds. However, it is the opinion of the Ward Surgeon who had charge of his case that this man will not be able to carry out duties which he described as necessary at the Light House Station. Since he had been treated once before for the same condition and had a recurrence as soon as he returned to duty, it is our opinion that this man should be considered as permanently disabled for useful and efficient service.

Respectfully

(Signed) A. T. Morrison
A. T. Morrison, Surgeon
Medical Officer in Temporary Charge

ATM:JE

B-C 75 COPY (D)

22 June, 1942

Medical Officer in Charge,
U. S. Marine Hospital,
Galveston, Texas

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the case of Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station, Velasco, Texas, who was under treatment at the Marine Hospital, Galveston, Texas, from April 1, 1942, to June 2, 1942.

Mr. Farrington returned to the station on June 2, 1942, and the Commanding Officer of his unit has advised that he, Farrington, stated that the doctor at the Marine Hospital ordered him not to do any work after his return to his post of duty as he was unable to do any more work.

The above employee has not had sufficient service to entitle him to retirement on account of physical disability under the Lighthouse Retirement Act, and, if his condition is such as to prevent him from performing duty of any kind, his services would, necessarily, have to be discontinued.

Will you please advise whether or not the statement made by Mr. Farrington is correct, giving complete diagnosis of his case, and whether or not he is considered to be permanently disabled for useful and efficient service.

By direction of Captain J. F. Farley, District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.

Very truly yours,

F. J. BIRKETT,
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard

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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Velasco, Texas
16, June, 1942

From: Brazos River Light Station.
To: District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District.
Via: Commanding Officer, Freeport Lifeboat Station.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady, Assistant Keeper.

1. It is requested that the status of the subject man be clarified.

2. He returned to the Station from Galveston Marine Hospital on 2 June, 1942, after an absence of 62, Days and stated that the Doctors there ordered him not to do any work after his return, as he was unable to do any more work.

3. Leave form was duly submitted covering his absence of 61 days 22 hours, but he still assumes that he is on sick leave.

(s) W. D. Cooper
W. D. Cooper

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75 1st Indorsement. FREEPORT LIFEBOAT STATION.
Freeport, Texas
16 June, 1942.

1. It is indicated that Farrington Should be investigated.

2. Subject named man is of no value to this unit. The Light Has been Discontinued for the duration, and a Civilion keeper is no longer needed. It is Therefore requested that Farrington be Transferred from the Brazos River Light Station. If Farrington is Transferred it will provide much needed Living Quarters for Military Personnel Now Attached to the Light Station.

(s) Lloyd C. Hawes
Lloyd C. Hawes

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15 April, 1942

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.
To: Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Lt. Sta.,
c/o U.S. Marine Hospital, Galveston, Texas

Subject: Retirement, disability.

Reference: (a) Your letter 13 April, 1942

1. Replying to reference (a), you are advised that, in order to be eligible for disability retirement, an employee coming under the Lighthouse Retirement Act must have had fifteen years' service.

2. A check of your record of service, including your Naval service, gives you to the close of April, 1942, 12 years, 2 months and 24 days.

W. J. BRAUN, JR.,
By direction.

COPY

(A)

U. S. Marine Hospital
Galveston, Texas
April 13, 1942

From: Grady Farrington, Asst. Lighthouse Keeper
To: Dist. Comdr. U. S. Coast Guard, New Orleans, La.

It is requested that I be retired from Lighthouse Service in line of duty with disability as per my Hospital record in the above named hospital.

Please contact my Doctor here and advise receipt of this letter

(s) Grady Farrington

CG-CP-75.

20 October, 1942.

From: Commandant.
To: District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District, New Orleans.

Subject: Grady Farrington, Keeper, discharge; discontinuance of position.

Reference: (a) Your letter dated 22 August, 1942 (75).

Inclosure: (A) Form 2249 notice of discharge.

1. Pursuant to recommendation in reference (a) the discharge of Mr. Farrington has been approved by the Navy Department and notice thereof is contained inthe inclosure.

2. Since Mr. Farrington continued to occupy the quarters until 4 August, 1942, his separation has been made effective at the close of that date rather than at the close of 31 July as recommended. Since your office had granted him advance sick leave on account of his physical condition to the close of 31 July no reason is seen why he should not be allowed such leave up to the date that he vacated the quarters, on which date his separation has been made effective.

3. As recommended also in reference (a) the position of assistant keeper at Brazos River Light Station in the salary range of $1140-1500, which was occupied by Mr. Farrington, has been discontinued coincident with his separation from the service.

N. R. STILES,
By direction.

Morgan # Room 3012 3-2
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New Orleans, La.
22 August, 1942

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J. F. FARLEY

CG-C-75

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28 December, 1942

United States Dept of Commerce,
Lighthouse Service,
Washington, D. C.

Mr. A. D. Mims, Vice President and General Manager,
Southern Pacific Lines,
Houston, Texas.

Sir:

In compliance with request contained in your form letter dated 21 December, 1942, there is furnished below a statement of the employment of Mr. Grady Farrington in the Coast Guard and the former Lighthouse Service:

Nature of Action	Position	Salary	Date	Location
Employed	Laborer, temp.	$ 4.00 D	9- 6-32	ANF, 17th Dist., at large
Discontinued	do	4.00	2-28-33	do
Prob. Appt.	Asst. Airways Kpr.	1200 A	3- 1-33	Com-LHS-Castle Rock, Wash.
Trans.	do	1200	7- 1-33	Com-Aero., do
S. Trans.	do	1200	3-15-35	do do
A. Trans.	Keeper	1560	3-16-35	Com-LHS-Tillamook Rk., Ore.
Trans.	Watchman	1260	7- 1-35	do Seattle Depot
Trans.	Addl. Keeper	1320	3-10-36	do At large
Tr., chg. desig.	Handyman	115 M	8- 1-36	do Lamp Shop
do	Addl. Keeper	1500 A	5-14-39	do New Canal LS, La.
Trans.	do	1500	7- 1-39	Treas-CG- do
Trans.	Keeper	1500	3-21-41	do Brazos Rv. LS, Tex.
Trans.	do	1500	11- 1-41	Navy-CG- do
Pro.	do	1560	4- 1-42	do do
Disch. w.o. prej. (physically unable to continue on duty)		1560	8- 4-42	do do

Very truly yours,

Inclosure: Stamped envelope.

H. L. MORGAN, Acting Chief,
Civilian Personnel Section.

Stewart Room 3012 3-2

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SOUTHERN PACIFIC LINES IN TEXAS AND LOUISIANA
TEXAS AND NEW ORLEANS RAILROAD COMPANY
VERIFICATION OF PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT

File 95608

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United States Dept of Commerce,
Lighthouse Service,
Washington, D. C.

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The person whose signature appears below claims service with you as shown. Please give us his complete record as per his authorization, including any service he may have omitted.

Yours truly,

A L Mims
Vice President and General Manager.

I have made application to the TEXAS AND NEW ORLEANS RAILROAD COMPANY for employment and am required to furnish said Company satisfactory reference and record of my service with former employers.

I was in your employ as indicated below and I hereby authorize your officers or employes to furnish the said TEXAS AND NEW ORLEANS RAILROAD COMPANY a complete history of my said employment, together with any information they may have concerning my personal character, habits, ability, and particularly the cause of my leaving your employ. I have endeavored to show all of the time spent by me in your employ, but in case your records show additional employment you are hereby authorized and requested to likewise furnish a complete history thereof.

In consideration of your action in complying with this request, I hereby release the

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and its officers, agents and employes from any and all liability for damages of whatsoever kind or nature which may at any time result to me, on account of compliance with the above request or any attempt to comply with same, whether such damage be due to negligence or error on the part of the said

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or any of its said officers, agents or employes, or due to any other cause whatsoever.

From		To		Nature of Position	Division or Location Where Employed	Name and Title of Officer Under Whom Employed
Month	Year	Month	Year			
Mar	1935	Aug	1942	Lighthouse Keeper	Tillamook, Ore.	

Personal Description: Date born 5-15-1894 Where born Denton, Texas

Height 5 ft. 8½ in. Weight 219 lbs. Color of eyes Blue Color of hair Brown Complexion Fair

Witness [signature] Signature Grady Farrington
(Sign name in full in ink)

(PCP-6)
CG-75

28 February, 1945

To: DCGO, 8ND

Subj: Farrington, Grady, former Keeper

It is requested that the information or forms indicated in the items checked below be furnished Headquarters promptly, with the return of the attached papers, if any.

(1) Give date of entrance on duty, of transfer, or of resignation.
(2) Furnish personal history sheet in duplicate.
(3) Furnish certified statement of unappointed service in duplicate.
(4) Furnish oath of office in duplicate.
(5) Furnish Civil Service Form 375 in triplicate.
(6) Furnish standard Form 13 in quadruplicate (abstract of official record).
(7) Furnish documentary evidence of date of birth as prescribed in Civil Service Form 2473, attached.
(8) Furnish one copy of certified Form 2806.
(9) Forward promptly address to which retirement pay checks are to be mailed.
(10) Have the inclosed form signed and returned.
(11) Furnish Form 3464a, Personnel Information Sheet.
(12) Furnish Form 2390, 1769, 2413, and 14.
(13) In the event retirement deductions were not made from the pay include the aggregate basic salary by fiscal years.
(14) Advise whether all accrued and accumulated annual leave granted before effective date of separation of employee.
(15) Furnish standard Form 62 in triplicate.

XX Form 2806 for subject employee is returned for completion of fiscal side. It is requested that aggregate basic salary by fiscal years, including the period 6 September, 1932 to 28 February, 1933, be furnished. In the event your office does not have the figures available for the service performed in the Seattle District, it is requested that the 2806 be forwarded to that District, advising them to return the Form 2806 to HQ upon completion.

U. S. COAST GUARD
MAIL SECTION (1)
MAILED FEB 28 1945

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CARL E. HERRICK
By direction

Incl.

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return to 3-2

Form 439
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS

File No. 819

Name F A R R I N G T O N, Mr. GRADY

BORN: May 15, 1894

Service COAST GUARD (L.H.S.)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—16322

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

PAGE: 10342

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date March 3, 1941

Name: Farrington, Grady

From: U. S. Coast Guard (BUREAU OR DIVISION) Bureau No: 175

Nature of Recommendation

Change in status and post of duty - decrease in cash (but not gross) salary

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	Keeper
Grade	Field (Range $1500-1860)	Field (Range $1140-1500)
Salary	$1500 p.a. No Qtrs.	$1260 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters	New Orleans, La.	New Orleans, La.
Post of Duty	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.	Brazos River Lt. Sta., Texas.
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C.G.	Civilian Employees, C.G.
Allotment		
Field or Deptl.	Field	Field

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-15-1894

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Oregon

SEX: M RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE: *

EFFECTIVE E.O.D.

Remarks: Travel from New Orleans, La., to Brazos River Lt. Sta., Texas, necessary in interest of Government, not for convenience of employee, is authorized, with per diem of $3.50 in lieu of subsistence, chargeable to symbol No. 29. Travel by privately owned automobile at the rate of 4¢ a mile, if more economical and advantageous to the United States than travel by commercial carrier, authorized. If travel is by privately owned automobile, a statement certifying that such travel is more economical and advantageous than travel by commercial carrier must be attached to the voucher. Expense of transportation of household effects is authorized in accordance with Personnel Bulletin #5-41 within funds available.

*Willie D. Cooper (Pro.)

Justification:

The New Canal Light Station will be maintained by enlisted personnel stationed at that point and the position of Keeper will be discontinued. Therefore, Mr. Farrington is being transferred without change in gross compensation to the Brazos River station.

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

DATE OF BIRTH [illegible] MAR 21 1941

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

N. R. STILES,
Commander, U.S.Coast Guard,
Assistant Personnel Officer.
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL. TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY

3-24-41

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ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

NEW ORLEANS, LA.
22 March, 1941.

U. S. COAST GUARD
RE. D MAR 24 1941

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

REPORT OF EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGE IN POSITION OR PAY STATUS OF CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE

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From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Commandant.

Name: Grady Farrington

1941 MAR 27 AM 11 11

Nature of Action: Transfer

Effective date of change: 21 March, 1941

	FROM	TO
Position:	Keeper	Keeper (Asst.)
Pay:	$1500 p.a.	$1260 p.a.
Salary Range:	$1500-1860	$1140-1500
Valuation of Quarters:	No quarters	$240 per annum quarters
Station:	New Canal Lt.Sta., La.	Brazos River Lt.Sta., Texas

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department Notice (Form 2249) dated 3 March, 1941, approved by the Acting Secretary of the Treasury 3 March, 1941.

J. L. Ahern
J. L. AHERN

HEADQUARTERS - U.S COAST GUARD - WASHINGTON
MAR 26 1941

Submitted to the Director of Personnel for information,

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

R. J. Gross
R. J. GROSS,
Chief, Civilian Personnel

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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date 25 October, 1940

Name: Farrington, Grady

From: U. S. Coast Guard (BUREAU OR DIVISION) Bureau No: 126

Nature of Recommendation

Change in status - increase in grade and salary

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	Keeper
Grade	Field (Range $1260-1620)	Field (Range $1500-1860)
Salary	$1260 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.	$1500 p.a. (No quarters)
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters	New Orleans, La.	New Orleans, La.
Post of Duty	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C.G.	Civilian Employees, C.G.
Allotment		
Field or Deptl.	Field	Field

EFFECTIVE 25 October, 1940

Remarks:

Increase in cash pay in lieu of quarters previously occupied effective on the date above indicated.

Justification:

This does not involve a change in position or gross compensation.

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

N. R. STILES,
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard,
Assistant Personnel Officer.
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-15-1894

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Oregon

SEX: M | RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE: Himself

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

DATE OF OATH

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL. TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY: 10-30-40

INTERLEAVED-PATD.-MANIFOLD

APPLICANT OR EMPLOYEE MUST FILL THE FOLLOWING

Name (in full) Grady Farrington Sex Male

Present address New Orleans La Date of birth May 15-1894

Give below all places of residence during the past FIVE years

From-- (Month and year)	To-- Month and year)	Number and Street	City and State
Oct 1934	Mch-1935	U.S. Airway Station	Castle Rock Wash
Mch-1935	Apr-1939	309 Custom House	Portland Oregon
Apr-1939	Oct-1939	New Canal Light Station Route 5-Box-260	New Orleans La

Give, in your own handwriting, the information requested below

Have you ever been arrested for any reason whatsoever? No
If so, give details in space provided below. (Yes or no)

Date of Arrest	Age	Charge	Court and Location	Judge	Disposition
None	—	None	None	None	None

NO ADDITIONAL RECORD FOUND AT T. B. T. J.

Have you ever been fingerprinted? Yes Where? Portland Oregon

When? Sept-10-1932 If for the Civil Service, what position? Airways Keeper

I hereby swear (or affirm) that the above statements are complete and accurate in every detail.

U. S. COAST GUARD

Grady Farrington
Customary payroll signature of employee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of October 1939

Loledel M. Hebert
Notary Public

My commission expires at death.

July 1, 1939. Lighthouse District No. Eighth

consolidated with New Orleans Coast Guard District,

Headquarters New Orleans, La.

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

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

File received - FEB 91940

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Grady Farrington (Name) — Oregon (Legal Residence)

DATE OF BIRTH 5-15-1894

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SERVICE AND GRADE	SALARY	ACTION	BUREAU	STATION—DISTRICT	DATE OF EFFECT
Ast. Aing Kpr.	—	1200	Prob.	L.H.	Castle Rock, Wash.	3-1-33
		JULY 1, 1933 - Transfer to AERONAUTICS BRANCH				
SERVICES DISCONTINUED			on date preceding transfer to Lighthouses			
Keeper	—	1560	Transfer Air	L.H.	Tillamook Rock LS 17th Dist	March 16, 1935
Watchman	—	1260	Transfer + chge desig	"	Seattle L.H. Depot	7-1-35
Keeper	—	1320	"	"	At Large 17th Dist	3-10-36
SERVICES DISCONTINUED			Close of July 31, 1936 WOP (B Reg. system)			
Keeper	—	1380	From non-appt.	L. H.	At large 17th	3-1-37
"	—	1260	Transfer	"	8th dist. New Canal L. S.	5-14-39

LIGHTHOUSES
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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
June 2, 1939

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 14 1939
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

CHANGE IN DESIGNATION, PAY, OR STATUS OF EMPLOYEE

Name: Grady Farrington

Nature of action: Transfer

Effective Date: May 14, 1939

	FROM	TO
Position:	Additional Keeper in Lighthouse Service, 17th District	Keeper in Lighthouse Service 8th District
Pay:	$1380 p.a. ($1320-$1680)	$1260 p.a. ($1260-$1620)
Station:	17th District at Large	New Canal Light Station, La.

CARDED

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department letter of March 1, 1939.

E.C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON June 13, 1939

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
ENTERED ON JOURNAL
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SHEET NO. 39-95
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

March 1, 1939.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective upon entrance on duty (change of station).

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. H. GARDNER MAR -4 1939

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1380 per annum.

To: $1260 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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Form 73
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
Approved Sept. 1, 1938

SPECIAL

NOMINATION

TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 24 1939
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

8th LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT New Orleans, La. (City) February 15, 1939 (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended Transfer at reduced salary

Name Grady Farrington Date of birth May 15, 1894 Legal residence Oregon

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 1 1939
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

	From—	To—
Position,	~~Additional~~ Keeper in ~~Lighthouse~~ Service	Keeper in ~~Lighthouse~~ Service
Pay and grade	$1380 p.a. ($1320-$1680)	$1260 p.a. ($1260-$1620)
Station	17th District at Large	New Canal Light Station, La.
Appropriation	Salaries, Lighthouse Keepers	

Effective February 24, 1939 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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

Vice Englisbee K. Peyton (Lt. #126) Pay $1260 p.a. Services to be terminated when transferred

Reason To be transferred to Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas

REMARKS: [2] Mr. Farrington was in this office recently and made request for this transfer. Telegram was sent to the Superintendent of the Seventeenth District inquiring whether satisfactory, copy inclosed, and copy of his reply also is inclosed. Family quarters are provided at New Canal Light Station. Telegraphic reply is requested.

Selection regular, ..., 19.....

Manager, Civil Service District.

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, WASHINGTON, February 23, 1939, 19

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Action O. K.
Chief Clerk

W. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

[1] Strike out the clause which does not apply.
[2] In case of vessel officer, state license held.

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COPY

(Signed) [redacted]. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

B:LEC NIGHT LETTER

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(POSTAL)

Commissioner of Lighthouses Washington

New Orleans La February 13, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Portland Oregon

Grady Farrington additional keeper your district visited this office today learned of existing vacancy at light station requested transfer thereto if meets your approval Stop Vacancy must be filled soon Does this transfer meet your approval If so can Farringtons leave be extended until effective date transfer

MERRILL

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POSTAL TELEGRAPH

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RETEL TRANSFER GRADY FARRINGTON YOUR DISTRICT SATISFACTORY THIS OFFICE PRESENT PAY $1380 RANGE $1320-1680 PER ANNUM WITHOUT QUARTERS LEGAL RESIDENCE OREGON EXTENSION HIS LEAVE AUTHORIZED PENDING APPROVAL TRANSFER

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Standard Form No. 8
(Approved by the President, May 22, 1925)

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 16 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

OATH OF OFFICE

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes of the United States

Department of Commerce
(Department or Establishment)

17th Lighthouse District
(Bureau or Office)

I, Grady Farrington, do
(Name in full, printed or typed)
solemnly swear (or affirm) 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.

Grady Farrington
(Signature of Appointee)

CARDED

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of March, A. D. 1937

at Portland, Oregon
(City or place) (State)

[SEAL]

ENTERED ON COMPLETION OF PERSONNEL JOURNAL
Date 3/31/37

Chief Clerk

NOTE.—If the oath is taken before a Notary Public the date of expiration of his commission should be shown.

Position to which appointed (Additional) Keeper, Lighthouse Service

Date of entrance on duty March 1, 1937

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1930 10—1689

Form A-30

NOT TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
~~APPOINTMENT DIVISION~~
WASHINGTON

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL January 25, 1937.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

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 Thirteen Hundred and Eighty dollars per annum

effective January 25, 1937, or entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Change from Handyman under the registered system at $115 a month.

Civil Service authority: Certificate No. W-2375.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

[illegible] GARDNER

Chief, Division of Personnel.
~~Chief of Appointment Division~~.

CARDED

MAR - 5 1937

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Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: Herbert E. Lewis.

Legal residence: Oregon.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11-8057

Form 2005
February 1936

CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZING CHANGE IN STATUS

No. W-2375

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION SRR:MBW

Washington, D. C., February 19, 1937.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 24 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

To the Secretary of Commerce
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Referring to your request of February 10, 1937, the CHANGE IN STATUS of Grady Farrington (Name)

FROM Handyman, $115 per month (Position, grade, and salary)

in the classified service of the Lighthouse Service, Field,

TO Keeper, $1380 per annum (Position, grade, and salary) in the classified service of the Lighthouse Service, Field,

is hereby authorized · Effective January 25, 1937.

Action must be taken upon the authority contained in this certificate and report made to the Commission within thirty days.

Very respectfully,

L. A. Moyer

L. A. Moyer,
Chief Examiner.

Examination

Average

NOTE.—The certificate as issued is subject to the provisions of the act making appropriations for the department, bureau, or establishment.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

February 10, 1937.

The Civil Service Commission:

Authority is requested for the change in status of Grady Farrington from handyman at $115 a month, under the registered system, to keeper at $1380 per annum in the Lighthouse Service, effective January 25 or entrance on duty.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER FEB 10 1937

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Chief, Division of Personnel.

CAK:A

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT.

Portland, Oregon, January 13, 1937
(City) (Date)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE LIGHTHOUSES JAN 21 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE JAN 25 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and change of designation.

Name, Grady Farrington

Position, (Additional) Keeper

Location, 17th District at Large

Effective, February 1, 1937

Legal residence, Oregon

Proposed salary, $1380. per A.

Proposed range, $1320. to $1680. per A.

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

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

Former position, Handyman - (Non-Appt. position)

Location, Lamp Shop, Portland

Former salary, $115. per M. ($1380 pa)

Former range, None

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Herbert E. Lewis (Lt.#428) $1320. per A.

Services to be terminated, At the close of Jan.31, 1937.

Reason, Recommended for transfer to the position of Assistant Keeper, Cape Blanco Light Station.

Members of family in Government service, None.

Remarks: Mr. Farrington has previously served as assistant keeper and additional keeper in the 17th District. He has therefore qualified under the Civil Service for the position of Additional Keeper. Form 375 is therefore considered unnecessary. See form 73 of this date recommending the transfer of Herbert E. Lewis from the position of additional keeper to the position of assistant Keeper, Cape Blanco Light Station.

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

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

January 18, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. The proposed action does not involve a change in the present pay of Mr. Farrington. Attention is invited to the Superintendent's statement under remarks above with regard to Mr. Farrington's status as keeper.

Action O. K.

Chief Clerk

W. P. Karman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

August 11, 1936.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

In view of your appointment as handyman at $115.00 a month in the nonappointed service of the Lighthouse Service, the Department has discontinued without prejudice your services as keeper at $1320 per annum in the Seventeenth District, effective at the close of July 31, 1936.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

[illegible] GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1936 AUG 10 PM 3:39
CHIEF CLERK

July 29, 1936.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The Civil Service Commission has by Certificate No. U-10176, dated July 20, 1936, authorized the change in status of Grady Farrington from Keeper at $1320 per annum to Handyman at $115 a month in the Lighthouse Service.

Inasmuch as Mr. Farrington will be given a contract of employment, the Superintendent should be instructed to report the effective date of his entrance on duty and all subsequent changes in his status on Standard Form 4a.

By direction of the Secretary:

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington August 10, 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce. Mr. Farrington's last day as keeper was July 31, 1936, he having entered on duty in the unappointive position of handyman the following date, which fact will be reported on Form 4a at the proper time.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

H-M

July 29, 1936.

The Civil Service Commission:

Receipt is acknowledged of Certificate No. U-10176 dated July 20, 1936, authorizing the change in status of Grady Farrington from Keeper at $1320 per annum in the Lighthouse Service to the position of Handyman at $115 a month.

Inasmuch as Mr. Farrington will be given a contract of employment instead of a regular appointment, the effective date of his entrance on duty and changes in his status will be reported to the Commission on Standard Form 4a.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

JUL 29 1936

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Form 2005
February 1936

CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZING CHANGE IN STATUS

No. U-10176

SRR:JEH

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

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CHIEF CLERK
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL 22 1936
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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Washington, D. C., July 20, 1936.

To the Secretary of Commerce
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Referring to your request of June 22, 1936, the CHANGE IN STATUS of Grady Farrington (Name) FROM Keeper, $1320 per annum (Position, grade, and salary) in the classified service of the Lighthouse Service, Seventeenth Lighthouse District TO Handyman, $115 per month (Position, grade, and salary) in the classified service of the Lighthouse Service, Field is hereby authorized he having been rated eligible on Form 375.

Action must be taken upon the authority contained in this certificate and report made to the Commission within thirty days.

Very respectfully,

L. A. Moyer

L. A. Moyer,
Chief Examiner.

Examination

Average

NOTE.—The certificate as issued is subject to the provisions of the act making appropriations for the department, bureau, or establishment.

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IN REPLYING ADDRESS
COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 18 1936
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1936 JUN 17 PM 2 21
CHIEF CLERK

June 17, 1936

Secretary of Commerce:

The transfer and change in status of Grady Farrington from keeper at-large in the 17th district to handyman at $115 a month has been proposed by the Superintendent of Lighthouses, Portland, Oregon.

The position of handyman is under the registered system, but the matter is submitted for the action of the Civil Service Commission in connection with the proposed change in status. Civil Service Form 375 executed by Mr. Farrington is also submitted.

If approved, it is proposed to have the Superintendent issue Mr. Farrington a contract of employment in the usual way, that being the practice in connection with the employment of registered personnel (unappointed).

For the Commissioner:

W P Harman
Administrative Assistant

Encl
H-M

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

July 13, 1936.

The Civil Service Commission:

In accordance with the Bureau's request of July 2, herewith is Form 375 in the case of Grady Farrington which has been properly completed.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

[illegible] M. GARDNER JUL 15 1936

Chief of Appointment Division.

Enclosure
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RETURN TO SERVICE RECORD & RETIREMENT DIVISION - TRANSFER UNIT

Form 375
May 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

U.S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
JUN 24 1936

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT, TRANSFER, REINSTATEMENT, OR PROMOTION, ETC.

(NONCOMPETITIVE)

Any false statement in an application, or alteration of a voucher or certificate, or presentation to the Commission of any such paper, is a violation of the law and punishable as such. All answers must be in ink or typewriting. If more space is required, an additional sheet securely fastened to this form may be used. Answers on such sheet should be numbered to correspond to questions.

GIVE DATES AND PERIODS OF TIME REQUIRED IN YEARS AND MONTHS AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE

1. (a) Give your name Grady Farrington (b) Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes (Yes or No)

2. Give (a) the date of your birth May-15th 1894. (b) the place of your birth Denton Texas.

3. Give in the blanks below a detailed statement of your education, including dates:

(a) Grammar school: Attended from Sept 1901, 1..., to Sept 1909, 1... Highest grade completed 8th

(b) High school: Name and location Randlett High School- Randlett, Okla

Attended from Sept 1909, 1..., to May 1911 Highest grade completed 2nd Yr Were you graduated? No

(c) College or university (Give both graduate and undergraduate work)		Dates of attendance (Give month and year)		Semester-hours credit received	Major subject		Degree conferred	Date of degree
Name	Location	From	To		Name	Sem. hrs. in major		

(d) Specify here any specialized courses which you have completed in high school, college, or elsewhere, and indicate the credits received for each course

Chillicothe Business College, Chillicothe Mo. Graduated
Completed Business Course, Sept 1911 To-Aug 1912.

4. Furnish in the blanks below a complete, comprehensive statement, showing every employment you have had since you first began to work, including your present employment, and accounting for all periods of unemployment.

	Place of employment	Dates of employment (Month and year)	NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER (Give street address and city and State. If unemployed, give own address at that time)	Yearly salary or net earnings	NAME OF POSITION AND DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES
1	City Topeka State Kansas	From Aug 1912 To Mch 1917	Santa Fe Ry Co Topeka Kansas	80.00	Telegrapher.
2	City Washington State D C	From Mch 1917 To Oct 1919	U.S.Navy Washington D.C.	80.00	Electrician (Radio). Radio Operator.
3	City Topeka State Kansas	From Oct 1919 To Aug 1923	Santa Fe Ry Co Topeka Kansas	150.00	Telegrapher.
4	City Portland State Oregon	From Aug 1923 To May 1932	Southern Pacific Co Portland Oregon	150.00	Telegrapher.
5	City Castle Rock State Wash	From Sept 1932 To Mch 1935	6th Air Navigation Oakland Calif	100.00	Airway Keeper.
6	City Seattle State Wash	From Mch 1935 To May 1936	17th Lighthouse Dist Portland Oregon	110 ~~105.00~~	Lighthouse Keeper.
7	City State	From ... 19... To ... 19...			
8	City State	From ... 19... To ... 19...			
9	City State	From ... 19... To ... 19...			

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IF MORE SPACE IS REQUIRED, CONTINUE YOUR ENTRIES ON A SEPARATE SHEET ARRANGED AS ABOVE 16—497

Form 375
May 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT, TRANSFER, REINSTATEMENT, OR PROMOTION, ETC.

(NONCOMPETITIVE)

Rating ~~[redacted]~~

Application No. [redacted]

The applicant will carefully fill ALL blank spaces

Position sought Handyman
(Give exact title of position or examination)

in the 17th Lighthouse Dist,
(Office in which the position exists)

Present position (if now employed) Lighthouse Keeper
(Title)
Commerce
(Department and bureau or office)

N. B.—Applicant will write plainly full name (if a woman, stating whether Miss or Mrs.) and post-office address in the blanks below. The address here given will be treated as the applicant's post-office address until notification of change is made to the Commission in writing.

Name of Applicant Grady Farrington.

Number and Street 2916 Washington St.

Post Office Milwaukie,

County Clackamas

State or Territory Oregon.

Applicant will not fill the following blanks

Kind of examination

Place

Date

Application ..... *approved* ....., 19....

By whom ..... *approved*

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5. If you have any practical knowledge of a mechanical trade, name the trade or trades, and state the time you have worked at each, and when, where, and under whom, giving places and dates. (If you have served an apprenticeship, so state.)

U.S.Naval Electrical School, Mare Island Calif. Completed.

6. If not now employed, state how long you have been unemployed

7. If ever in the United States military or naval service, give dates of enlistment and discharge

U.S.Navy March 14th 1917 To-Oct 10th-1919.

8. (*a*) Have you ever filed an application with this Commission or its representative for any branch of the United States Government service? Yes

(*b*) If so, give information indicated regarding each examination.	Name each position for which examined, or for which application was filed	In what city were you, or are you to be, examined?	Give the date of each examination (Month and year)	Did you pass? (Answer "Yes" or "No")
	Airway Keeper	Portland Oregon	Sept 10th 1932	Yes

I, the undersigned, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that the statements made by me in answer to each and all of the foregoing questions are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. SO HELP ME GOD.

If female, prefix "Miss" or "Mrs."

(*Signature of Applicant*) Grady Farrington
(Sign your first name in full, your middle initial or initials, if you have any, and your surname in full)

THIS APPLICATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF THE JURAT OR OATH IS OMITTED

JURAT OR OATH

[The following oath must be taken before a NOTARY PUBLIC, or other officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes, *before whom the applicant must appear in person.*]

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant, this ..... day of ....., 19....., at city [or town] of .....

county of ....., and State [or Territory or District] of .....

(*Signature of officer*) .....

(*Official title*) .....

Form 2453
Dec. 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION SRR:MWT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

July 2, 1936

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL - 6 1936
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

The Honorable
The Secretary of Commerce
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Referring to your **request of June 22, 1936,** for approval of the **change in status** of **Grady Farrington** to the position of **handyman** in the **Lighthouse Service, 17th Lighthouse District.** you are informed that action is delayed for the reason checked below:

Proof of residence (Form) is required.

Affidavit as to marital status and members of family in the service is required.

Medical certificate is necessary.

Form was returned to applicant for correction.

Certified copy of military or naval discharge is necessary.

Preference is being investigated.

** Examination Form **375 is** required.

examination has been ordered.

Strength test is required.

Proof of correct date of birth is necessary (see Form 2473, inclosed).

Fingerprint chart (Form 2390) is necessary.

Appointment Division
July 8, 1936.

Indorsement by is required.

Copy transmitted to the Bureau of Lighthouses.

By direction of the Secretary:

** **Form 375, originally submitted, is returned herewith for jurat.**

** **Inclosure: Form 375.**

JUL - 6 1936

o-r-o 16—481

U. S. Civil Service Commission.

P Chief of Appointment Division.

June 22, 1936.

The Civil Service Commission:

Authority is requested for the change in status of Grady Farrington from keeper at $1320 per annum in the 17th Lighthouse District to the position of handyman at $115 a month in the Lighthouse Service, effective upon entrance on duty.

Form 375, executed by Mr. Farrington, is herewith for the Commission's consideration.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

JUN 22 1936

Chief of Appointment Division.

Enclosure
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Standard Form No. 8
(Approved by the President, May 22, 1925)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 20 1936
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

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OATH OF OFFICE

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes of the United States

Department of Commerce
(Department or Establishment)

17th Lighthouse District
(Bureau or Office)

I, Grady Farrington (Name in full, printed or typed), do solemnly swear (or affirm) 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.

Grady Farrington
(Signature of Appointee)

SHIPPED ON COMPLE... PERSONNEL JOURNAL ... 3/31/36

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of December, A. D. 1935

at Portland, Oregon
(City or place) (State)

per letter auth. to adm. oath dated 5/10/35 in Robert E. Randle's file. 3/24/36 ER.

[SEAL]

R E Randle
R. E. RANDLE
Chief Clerk,
17th Lighthouse District

NOTE.—If the oath is taken before a Notary Public the date of expiration of his commission should be shown.

CARDED

Position to which appointed (Additional) Keeper, Lighthouse Service

Date of entrance on duty March 10,1936.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1930 10—1689

Forwarded to Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D.C.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT
17TH LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT
PORTLAND 2 OREGON

E. C. MERRILL
SUPT. 17TH LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT

Form A-30

NOT TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

December 5, 1935.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

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 Thirteen Hundred and Twenty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Change from Watchman at $1260 per annum.

Civil Service authority:

Classification allocation:

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
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SHEET NO. 4930
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

WM. J. GARDNER
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Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: Jens O. Pedersen.

Legal residence: Oregon.

CARDED

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1935

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE 1935 NOV 28 AM 10:05

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT

Portland, Oregon (City), November 8, 1935. (Date), 19

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE NOV 30 1935 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE DEC - 5 1935 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Action recommended, Transfer and increase in pay.

Name, Grady Farrington

Position, (Additional) Keeper at Large.

Location, 17th District at Large

Effective, November 15, 1935

Legal residence, Oregon

Proposed salary, $1380.

Proposed range, $1320- 1680, without quarters

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

[1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Watchman

Location, Seattle Lighthouse Depot

Former salary, $1260. A

Former range, $1260 - $1620

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

$1,380 (Lt. #427)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Jens O. Pedersen / Services terminated, November 15, 1935, or as soon thereafter as approved by the Bureau.

Reason, Transfer to Assistant Keeper, Turn Point Light Station, Wash.

Members of family in Government service, None

Remarks: See letter of this date transmitting this nomination. Mr. Farrington was transferred to the position of watchman from the position of second assistant keeper at Tillamook Rock Light Station. Civil Service form 375 is therefore considered not necessary.

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

E. C. Merrill
Acting Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

11/26/35

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NOV 25 1935

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

THIS IS A CIVIL SERVICE POSITION

Action O. K.

Adm Asst. to Secy

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Standard Form No. 8
(Approved by the President, May 22, 1925)

Depot

U. S. LIGHTHOUSE DEPOT
JUL 12 1935
SEATTLE, WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL 26 1935
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OATH OF OFFICE

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes of the United States

COMMERCE
(Department or Establishment)

17th Lighthouse District
(Bureau or Office)

I, GRADY FARRINGTON, do
(Name in full, printed or typed)
solemnly swear (or affirm) 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.

Grady Farrington
(Signature of Appointee)

CARDED

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 13th day of July, A. D. 1935

at Seattle, Washington.
(City or place) (State)

[SEAL]

ENTERED ON COMPLETION OF PERSONNEL JOURNAL
Date 8-31-35

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Master R.M.S.

NOTE.—If the oath is taken before a Notary Public the date of expiration of his commission should be shown.

Position to which appointed Watchman, Seattle Lighthouse Depot

Date of entrance on duty July 1 1935.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1933 10-1080

Forwarded to:
Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Office of the Superintendent, 17th Dist.
Portland, Oregon, July 17, 1935

R. R. Tinkham, Superintendent of Lighthouses

Form A-30

NOT TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

May 1, 1935.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Watchman

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Twelve Hundred and Sixty dollars per annum

effective May 1, 1935, or entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Change from Keeper at $1560 per annum.

Civil Service authority: Certificate No. T-4945.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

WM. J. GARDNER JUL -2 1935

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Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: Henry Jenkins.

Legal residence: Oregon.

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JUL 13 1935
SHEET NO. 4796
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form 2005
February 1934

CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZING CHANGE IN STATUS

No. T-4945

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

SRR:MEJ

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL - 1 1935
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Washington, D. C., June 29, 1935

To the Secretary of Commerce
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Referring to your request of May 7, 1935 the CHANGE IN STATUS

of Grady Farrington
(Name)

FROM Keeper, $1560 per annum,
(Position, grade, and salary)

in the classified service of the Lighthouse Service, Field,

TO Watchman, $1260 per annum,
(Position, grade, and salary)

in the classified service of the Lighthouse Service, Field,

is hereby authorized he having attained an eligible rating on the appropriate examination. Effective May 1, 1935.

Action must be taken upon the authority contained in this certificate and report made to the Commission within thirty days.

Very respectfully,

L. A. Moyer,

Chief Examiner.

Examination Guard, Field

Average 81.65

NOTE.—The certificate as issued is subject to the provisions of the act making appropriations for the department, bureau, or establishment.

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Form 2453
Dec. 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION SRR:MW
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 12, 1935.

The Honorable
The Secretary of Commerce
Washington, D. C.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 13 1935
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Sir:

Referring to your **request of May 7, 1935,** for approval of the **change in status** of **Grady Farrington** to the position of **Watchman** in the **Lighthouse Service, Field,** you are informed that action is delayed for the reason checked below:

Proof of residence (Form) is required.

Affidavit as to marital status and members of family in the service is required.

Medical certificate is necessary.

Form was returned to applicant for correction.

Certified copy of military or naval discharge is necessary.

Preference is being investigated.

Examination Form required.

** **Guard, field** examination has been ordered.

Strength test is required.

Proof of correct date of birth is necessary (see Form 2473, inclosed).

Fingerprint chart (Form 2390) is necessary.

Indorsement by is required.

** **Instructions were mailed to the Manager at Seattle, Washington on June 11, 1935.**

June 13, 1935.
Copy transmitted to the Bureau of Lighthouses.

EDW. J. GARDNER JUN 13 1935
Chief of Appointment Division.

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Form 2453
Dec. 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION SRR:MW
WASHINGTON, D. C.

May 24, 1935.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAY 27 1935
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

The Honorable
The Secretary of Commerce
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Referring to your request of May 7, 1935, for approval of the change in status of Grady Farrington to the position of Watchman in the Lighthouse Service, Field,

you are informed that action is delayed for the reason checked below:

Proof of residence (Form) is required.

Affidavit as to marital status and members of family in the service is required.

Medical certificate is necessary.

Form was returned to applicant for correction.

Certified copy of military or naval discharge is necessary.

Preference is being investigated.

Examination Form required.

** Guard, field examination has been ordered.

Strength test is required.

Proof of correct date of birth is necessary (see Form 2473, inclosed).

Fingerprint chart (Form 2390) is necessary.

Indorsement by is required.

** Instructions were mailed to the Secretary at Kelso, Washington on May 23, 1935.

May 28, 1935.

Copy transmitted to the Bureau of Lighthouses. MAY 28 1935

By direction of the Secretary: EDW. J. GARDNER
U. S. Civil Service Commission.

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B Chief of Appointment Division.

May 7, 1935.

The Civil Service Commission:

Authority is requested for the change in status of Grady Farrington from keeper at $1560 per annum to watchman at $1260 per annum in the Lighthouse Service, effective May 1, or entrance on duty.

Form 375 executed by Mr. Farrington is herewith for the Commission's consideration.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

MAY - 8 1935

Chief of Appointment Division.

Enclosure
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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT.

Portland, Oregon, April 16, 1935
(City) (Date)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE APR 25 1935 APPOINTMENT DIVISION 19

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE APR 24 PM 1 1935

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAY 1 1935 CHIEF CLERK

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and decrease in pay.

Name, GRADY FARRINGTON

Position, Watchman

Location, Seattle Lighthouse Depot

Effective, May 1, 1935

Legal residence, Oregon

Proposed salary, $1440.

Proposed range, $1260-$1620.

Appropriation, Salaries, Lighthouse Service

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

Former position, Keeper, Second Assistant. Tillamook Rock Light Station

Location,

Former salary, $1560

Former range, $1560-1920

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

(Lt.#3656)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Henry Jenkins / $1440 per annum.

Reason, Transferred to the position of additional keeper.

Services to be terminated, May 1st or as soon after as approved.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 15, 1894.

Remarks: This transfer is agreeable to Mr. Farrington and is not in violation of Sec. 2 of Civil Service Rule 1 relative to political or religious opinions or affiliations. Form 73, recommending the transfer of Henry Jenkins, Watchman, to the position of additional keeper was forwarded April 15, 1935.

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

R. R. Tinkham
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

April 24, 1935

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, the proposed change being agreeable to the nominee. Prior to his present employment as keeper in this Service, Mr. Farrington served in the Bureau of Air Commerce as assistant airways keeper, and Civil Service Form 375 showing that and previous experience is herewith.

THIS IS A CIVIL SERVICE POSITION
Action O. K.

ACTION INITIATED
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W P Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Form 375
Sept., 1932

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

LIGHTHOUSES

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT, TRANSFER, REINSTATEMENT, OR PROMOTION, ETC.

(NONCOMPETITIVE)

1934 NOV 21 AM 11:24

Any false statement in an application, or alteration of a voucher or certificate, or presentation to the Commission of any such paper, is a violation of the law and punishable as such. All answers must be in ink or typewriting. If more space is required, an additional sheet securely fastened to this form may be used. Answers on such sheet should be numbered to correspond to questions.

GIVE DATES AND PERIODS OF TIME REQUIRED IN YEARS AND MONTHS AS ACCURATELY AS POSSIBLE

1. (a) Give your name Grady Farrington (b) Are you a citizen of the United States? Yes (Yes or No)

2. Give (a) the date of your birth May 15, 1894 (b) the place of your birth Denton, Texas

3. Give in the blanks below a detailed statement of your education, including dates:

(a) Grammar school: Attended from Sept., 1901 to Sept., 1909 Highest grade completed 8th

(b) High school: Name and location Randlett, Randlett, Okla.

Attended from Sept., 1909 to May, 911 Highest grade completed 2nd Were you graduated? No

(c) College or university (Give both graduate and undergraduate work)		Dates of attendance (Give month and year)		Semester-hours credit received	Major subject		Degree conferred	Date of degree
Name	Location	From	To		Name	Sem. hrs. in major		

(d) Specify here any specialized courses which you have completed in high school, college, or elsewhere, and indicate the credits received for each course

Chillicothe Business College, Chillicothe, Mo. Completed
U. S. Navy Radio School, Mare Island, Calif. Completed.

4. Furnish in the blanks below a complete, comprehensive statement, showing every employment you have had since you first began to work, including your present employment, and accounting for all periods of unemployment.

	Place of employment (City / State)	Dates of employment (Month and year) From / To	NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER (Give street address and city and State. If unemployed, give own address at that time)	Yearly salary or net earnings	NATURE OF YOUR DUTIES
1	Portland / Oregon	Oct. 1 25 / Oct. 1 26	Mr. E. L. King, Supt. Portland, Oregon Sou. Pacific Co.	1800.	Telegraph operator
2	Portland / Oregon	Oct. 1 26 / Oct. 1 27	do	1800.	do
3	Portland / Oregon	Oct. 1 27 / Oct. 1 28	do	1800.	do
4	Portland / Oregon	Oct. 1 28 / Oct. 1 29	do	1800.	do
5	Portland / Oregon	Oct. 1 29 / Oct. 1 30	do	1800.	do
6	Portland / Oregon	Oct. 1 30 / Oct. 1 31	do	1800.	do
7	Portland / Oregon	Oct. 1 31 / Oct. 1 32	do	1800.	do
8	Castle Rock / Wash.	Oct. 1 32 / Oct. 1 33	Dept. of Commerce, Oakland, Calif.	1200.	Airways Keeper
9	Castle Rock / Wash.	Oct. 1 33 / Oct. 31 34	do	1200.	do

IF MORE SPACE IS REQUIRED, CONTINUE YOUR ENTRIES ON A SEPARATE SHEET ARRANGED AS ABOVE

16—497

Form 375
Sept., 1932

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT, TRANSFER, REINSTATEMENT, OR PROMOTION, ETC.

(NONCOMPETITIVE)

Rating .....

Application No. .....

The applicant will carefully fill ALL blank spaces

Position sought Lighthouse Keeper
(Give exact title of position or examination)

in the 17th Lighthouse Dist.
(Office in which the position exists)

Present position (if now employed) { Airway Keeper (Title) / Dept. of Commerce (Department and bureau or office) }

N. B.—Applicant will write plainly full name (if a woman, stating whether Miss or Mrs.) and post-office address in the blanks below. The address here given will be treated as the applicant's post-office address until notification of changes is made to the Commission in writing.

Name of Applicant } Grady Tarrington

Number and Street Airway Station

Post Office Castle Rock, Wash.

County Cowlitz

State or Territory Wash.

Applicant will not fill the following blanks

Kind of examination .....

Place .....

Date .....

Application ..... approved ....., 19....

By whom ..... approved .....

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5. If you have any practical knowledge of a mechanical trade, name the trade or trades, and state the time you have worked at each, and when, where, and under whom, giving places and dates. (If you have served an apprenticeship, so state.)

6. If not now employed, state how long you have been unemployed .....

7. If ever in the United States military or naval service, give dates of enlistment and discharge .....

U. S. Navy March 14, 1917, to Oct. 10, 1919.

8. (a) Have you ever filed an application with this Commission or its representative for any branch of the United States Government service? Yes

	Name each position for which examined, or for which application was filed	In what city were you, or are you to be, examined?	Give the date of each examination (Month and year)	Did you pass? (Answer "Yes" or "No")
(b) If so, give information indicated regarding each examination.	Airway Keeper	Portland, Oregon	Sept. 10, 1932	Yes

I, the undersigned, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that the statements made by me in answer to each and all of the foregoing questions are full and true to the best of my knowledge and belief. SO HELP ME GOD.

If female, prefix "Miss" or "Mrs."

(*Signature of Applicant*) Grady Tarrington
(Sign your first name in full, your middle initial or initials, if you have any, and your surname in full)

THIS APPLICATION WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IF THE JURAT OR OATH IS OMITTED

JURAT OR OATH

[The following oath must be taken before a NOTARY PUBLIC, or other officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes, *before whom the applicant must appear in person.*]

Suscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named applicant, this 15th day of November, 19 31, at city [or town] of Portland, county of Multnomah, and State [or Territory or District] of Oregon.

(*Signature of officer*) .....

(*Official title*) Chief Clerk

Examiners, 17th Lighthouse District

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

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment Lighthouse Service Date April 18-1935

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Farrington (Surname) Grady (Given name) (NONE) (Middle name)
2. Present address Tillamook Rock Light Station (PO) Astoria (City) Oregon (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Oregon (State and Congressional District) Third (County) Multnomah Portland (City or town)
4. Where born Texas (State or foreign country) Denton (City or town) When born May 15-1894 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien —
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you Three-Wife-37-Dtr 9-Son 7
8. A complete record of your past service for the United States Government other than military or naval:

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
Dept Commerce 6th air navigation Dist	Castle Rock Wash	asst airway keeper	1200 Annum	Mch	1	1933	Mch	15	1935

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

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

CARDED

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

(Title) NONE (Location) (Date appointment expires)

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

(Wife, widow, or orphan) No (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted Mch-14-1917	Discharged Oct 10-1919	Enlisted	Discharged
Rank Elec 3rd-Radio	Rank Elec 1st "Radio"	Rank	Rank
Organization Navy	Organization NAVY	Organization	Organization

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

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

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	POSITION AND CHARACTER OF WORK	LENGTH OF SERVICE
Mr E L King Supt Southern Pacific Co Union Station Portland Oregon	Telegraph operator	10 years

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

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

16. In case of emergency, notify Mrs Grady Farrington

Relationship Wife Post office address 1731 North Jarrett St Portland Oregon

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

Grady Farrington

(Name as usually written and which will be used as official signature)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1936 10—1930

1936 APR-20- AM 8:31

SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
PORTLAND, OREGON

Standard Form No. 8
(Approved by the President, May 22, 1925)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1935 MAY - 1 - AM 10:11

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OATH OF OFFICE

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes of the United States

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
(Department or Establishment)

Office of the Superintendent
17th Lighthouse District
(Bureau or Office)

I, GRADY FARRINGTON, do
(Name in full, printed or typed)
solemnly swear (or affirm) 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.

ENTERED ON DUPLICATION OF PERSONNEL JOURNAL
Date 5/31/35

Grady Farrington
(Signature of Appointee)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 17 day of April, A. D. 1935

at Tillamook Lt Station, Oregon
(City or place) (State)

[SEAL]

H. J. Jensen
Master L-H S

Master Jens H. Jensen

NOTE.—If the oath is taken before a Notary Public the date of expiration of his commission should be shown.

CARDED

Position to which appointed Keeper, Second Assistant

Date of entrance on duty March 16, 1935.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1930 10—1689

NO. _____

DATE OF BIRTH		
MONTH	DAY	YEAR
May	15	1894
SEX M	RACE W	
RETIREMENT AGE 65		

DATE	DESIGNATION	OFFICE

Farrington (SURNAME) Grady (FIRST NAME) (none) (SECOND NAME)

DATE	FISCAL YEAR DEDUCTIONS AND SERVICE CREDIT CONTRIBUTIONS	TONTINE DEDUCTIONS	NET FISCAL YEAR DEDUCTIONS AND SERVICE CREDIT CONTRIBUTIONS	DEPARTMENTS ESTABLISHMENTS WILL NOT USE THIS COLUMN	BALANCE FORWARD	TOTAL CREDITED TO EMPLOYEE	DATE OF ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT March 1, 1933. REMARKS
1933	$14.00 ✓	$4.00	$10.00			$10.00	Ded. began 3-1-33
1934	42.00 ✓	12.00	30.00		$10.00	40.00	
3-15-35	29.75 ✓	8.00	21.75		40.00	61.75 ✓	
Annual leave accrued & unused from 1934, none. 1935; 3 das. 4½ hrs., sick none, LWOP none.							
Ded. and ser. hist. cert. correct: RR				F. A. DELONG		Acting Chief, Appointment Division.	

MAR 28 1935

To 3-31-35.

RETIREMENT RECORD CARD—CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION FORM 2806—FEB., 1931 16—183 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1931

NO._____

Farrington Grady (none)
(SURNAME) (FIRST NAME) (SECOND NAME)

DATE OF BIRTH		
MONTH	DAY	YEAR
May	15	1894

SEX M RACE W

RETIREMENT AGE 65

LEGAL VOTING RESIDENCE		
STATE AND CONG. DISTRICT	COUNTY	CITY OR TOWN
Oregon	Multnomah	Portland

MILITARY SERVICE _____ YES X NO _____

MILITARY PENSION OR WAR RISK COMPENSATION Vet.Ad.beneficiary YES X NO _____

REFERENCE	NATURE OF ACTION	POSITION AND GRADE	SALARY		EFFECTIVE DATE	DEPARTMENT OR ESTABLISHMENT OFFICIAL STATION	TOTAL SERVICE		
			PAY LESS ALLOWANCES	BASIC PAY			MOS.	DAYS	YRS.
	Enlisted				3-14-17	U. S. Navy (not verified)			
	Disch.				10-10-19	"			
	Prob.Appt.	Asst.Airweys Kpr.(1200-1500)		$1200	3-1-33	Com-LHS-Castle Rock,Wash.(vice-R.T.Daly)			
	Transf.	" "		1200	7-1-33	Com-Aero-6th Dist-Castle Rock,Wash.			
	S.Transf.	" "		1200	3-15-35	"			

EDUCATION: COMMON SCHOOL HIGH SCHOOL COLLEGE DEGREES, IF ANY _____

(INDICATE NUMBER OF YEARS) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 1 2 3 4 1 2 3 4

SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS Completed business college --1 yr.

16—183

Form A-30

NOT TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 9, 1935.

Mr. Grady Ferrington,

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 Fifteen Hundred and Sixty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Change from Assistant Airways Keeper at $1200 per annum in the field service of the Bureau of Air Commerce.

Civil Service authority: Certificate No. T-134.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

CARDED JAN 17 1935

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: Henry Jenkins.

Legal residence: Oregon.

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ENTERED ON JOURNAL
JAN 26 1935
SHEET NO. 4678
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 1929

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January 9, 1935.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Director of Air Commerce.

Sir:

In view of your transfer to the position of keeper at $1560 per annum in the Lighthouse Service the Department has discontinued your services as assistant airways keeper at $1200 per annum in the field service of the Bureau of Air Commerce, effective at the close of business on the date immediately preceding that on which you enter on duty in your new position.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER JAN 17 1935

Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
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JAN 26 1935
SHEET NO. 4678
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form 2005
February 1934

CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZING CHANGE IN STATUS

No. T-134

SRR:DGL

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JAN 11 1935
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Washington, D. C., January 9, 1935.

To the Secretary of Commerce
Washington, D. C.

Sir:

Referring to your request of January 4, 1935, the CHANGE IN STATUS of Grady Farrington (Name) FROM Assistant Airways Keeper, $1200 per annum, (Position, grade, and salary) in the classified service of the Department of Commerce, Bureau of Air Commerce, Oakland, California, TO Keeper, $1560 per annum, (Position, grade, and salary) in the classified service of the Department of Commerce, Lighthouse Service, Field, is hereby authorized.

Action must be taken upon the authority contained in this certificate and report made to the Commission within thirty days.

Very respectfully,

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY
ACTION TAKEN
JAN 16 1935
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

L. A. Moyer

Examination

Average

L. A. Moyer, Chief Examiner.

NOTE.—The certificate as issued is subject to the provisions of the act making appropriations for the department, bureau, or establishment.

6—7083 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1934

January 4, 1935.

The Civil Service Commission:

Authority is requested for the change in status of Grady Farrington from assistant airways keeper at $1200 per annum in the field service of the Bureau of Air Commerce to keeper at $1560 per annum in the Lighthouse Service, effective upon entrance on duty.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully, EDW. J. GARDNER

JAN -5 1935

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Chief of Appointment Division.

IN REPLY REFER TO

REF. NO.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF AIR COMMERCE
WASHINGTON

December 27, 1934.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DEC 28 1934
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Memorandum for Chief Clerk, Commerce.

In response to your letter of December 18, we have no objection to the transfer of Assistant Airways Keeper Grady Farrington to the Lighthouse Service.

Donald Bartlett

Chief, Administrative Division.

December 18, 1934.

Director of Air Commerce:

The Department is in receipt of a request from the Bureau of Lighthouses for the transfer of Grady Farrington, assistant airways keeper at $1200 per annum in the field service of your Bureau, to the position of keeper at $1560 per annum in the Lighthouse Service.

Before taking action on this recommendation information is requested whether there is any objection to the proposed transfer.

(SIGNED) E. W. LIBBEY
Chief Clerk.

DEC 20 1934

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE NOV 20 1934 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

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LIGHTHOUSES 1934 OCT 31 PM 3:53

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT.

Portland, Oregon (City), October 23 (Date), 19 34

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE NOV 27 1934 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and promotion — Legal residence, ~~Washington~~ Oregon

Name, Grady Farrington — Proposed salary, $1560.00 per annum Plus quarters $60.00 per annum

Position, Keeper (2d Asst.), Lighthouse Service. — Proposed range, $1560-1920

Location, Tillamook Rock Light Station, Oreg. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses, 1935

Effective, November 1, 1934 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty,~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Asst. Keeper, Airways — Former salary, $1200.00 per annum

Location, Castle Rock Weather Reporting Station, Wash. — Former range, $1200-1500

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

(Lt.#411)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Henry Jenkins / $1560.00 per annum — Services terminated, October 31, 1934

Reason, Recommended for transfer to Watchman, Seattle Lighthouse Depot.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 15, 1894

Remarks: This transfer is agreeable to the Acting Superintendent, 6th Airways District.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NOT NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JAN 15 1935

Journal 107 Pos. 3682 auth 12-8-34

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

12/18 B.

R. R. TINKHAM
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

THIS IS A CIVIL SERVICE POSITION

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

November 19, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, attention being invited to the Superintendent's remarks above to the effect that the transfer is agreeable to the district office of the Air Commerce Bureau where the nominee is now employed.

Request for Presidential authority required in connection with filling this vacancy is contained in the accompanying schedule of replacements.

Action O. K.

Kerlin
Adm Asst. to Secy

ACTION INITIATED 1/4/35 B.

W. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 13 1933
PORTLAND, OREGON
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 25 1933
DIVISION

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

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment Commerce Date Mch 1- 1933

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss, or Mrs.~~) Farrington (Surname) Grady (Given name) (None) (Middle name)
2. Present address 1731 (Number) North (Street) Jarrett St. (City) Portland (State) Oregon
3. Legal (voting) residence Oregon (State and Congressional District) 03 Multnomah (County) Portland (City or town)
4. Where born Texas (State or foreign country) Denton (City or town) When born May 15-1894 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien —
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you 3-Wife 36- Kathryn 6- Evan 5
8. A complete record of your past service for the United States Government other than military or naval:

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
		None							

9. Are any members of your family, who are domiciled with you, in the U. S. Government service? If so, state below: None

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

CARDED

10. Do you now hold any State or municipal office? If so, state below:
None
(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)
11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?
Nor
(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)
12. Military and naval record. If any, check (√) to indicate branch and other information, and give dates of enlistment and discharge:

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

Enlisted Mch-14-1917 Discharged Oct 10- 1919	Enlisted ____ Discharged ____
Rank Radio opr Rank Radio op	Rank ____ Rank ____
Organization U S Navy Organization U S Navy	Organization ____ Organization ____

[OVER]

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

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

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	POSITION AND CHARACTER OF WORK	LENGTH OF SERVICE
Sou pac Ry Co	Telegraph Operator Telegraph	10 Years

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

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

16. In case of emergency, notify Mrs Vivian Farrington

Relationship Wife Post office address 1731 North Jarrett St Portland Oregon

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

Grady Farrington

(Name as usually written and which will be used as official signature)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1936 10—1930

Standard Form No. 8
(Approved by the President, May 22, 1925)

LIGHTHOUSE
1933 MAR -21- AM 9:04
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1933 MAR -24- PM 3:51
MAR 23 1933
APPOINTMENT
DIVISION OF LIGHTHOUSES
CHIEF CLERK
MAR 16 1933
PORTLAND, OREGON
SUPERINTENDENT
LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 16 1933
PORTLAND.
OREGON

OATH OF OFFICE

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes of the United States

Commerce
(Department or Establishment)

17th Lighthouse District
(Bureau or Office)

I, Grady Farrington, do
(Name in full, printed or typed)

solemnly swear (or affirm) 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.

ENTERED ON COMPLETION
OF PERSONNEL JOURNAL
APR 12 1933
Date APR 12 1933

Grady Farrington
(Signature of Appointee)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of March, A. D. 19

at Castle Rock, Wash
(City or place) (State)

[SEAL]

J. A. Dean
Postmaster

NOTE.—If the oath is taken before a Notary Public the date of expiration of his commission should be shown.

CARDED

Position to which appointed Assistant Airways Keeper, Castle Rock Weather Reporting Station

Date of entrance on duty March 1, 1933

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1689

Form A-30

NOT TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

February 20, 1933.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Assistant Airways Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of One Thousand Two Hundred dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Probationary.

Civil Service authority: Manager, Eleventh Civil Service District.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

WM. J. GARDNER, FEB 24 1933

Chief of Appointment Division.

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

Appropriation (unit): Air Commerce.

Vice: Robert T. Daly.

Legal Residence: Oregon.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
ENTERED ON JOURNAL
FEB 25 1933
SHEET NO. 42440
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

CARDED

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Form 73 Can

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT

4 Incs.

Portland, Oregon (City), January 24 (Date), 1933

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment — Legal residence, Oregon

Name, Grady Farrington — Proposed salary, $1200.00 P. A.

Position, Assistant Airways Keeper — Proposed range, $1200-1500

Location, Castle Rock Weather Reporting Station, Wash. — Appropriation, Air Navigation Facilities

Effective, February 1, 1933 [1 ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, New appointee — Former salary,

Location, — Former range,

Airways Keeper

Rank on eligible list, 1 — Rating, / — Percentage, 87.DP, Other eligibles considered:
Adelbert C. Valentine C
Delbert B. Murphy C

(Lt.#3052)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Robert T. Daly / 1200 Pa — Services terminated, Jan. 24, 1933

Reinstated -1/19/33.

Reason, Recommended for transfer to Assistant Keeper, Northdalles Weather Reporting Station, Wash. not received

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 15, 1894

Remarks: See Form 73 of January 19, 1933, regarding transfer of Robert T. Daly to Northdalles. There are inclosed herewith fingerprint chart, medical examination, Declaration of appointee and Justification. Telegraphic reply is requested.

Selection regular, ~~subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission,~~ JAN 26 1933, 19

SEATTLE, WASH.

J. C. Lackore
Secretary, 11 Civil Service District.

R. R. TINKHAM
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

February 3, 1933

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, justification being separately submitted.

Action O. K.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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AERONAUTICS BRANCH
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 1933
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
1933 FEB 8 AM 10:15
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 10 1933
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U.S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
AUG 5 11 38 AM '42

Velasco, Texas.
4 August, 1942.

From: Brazos River Light Station.
To : District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady.,Ex Assistant Keeper.

Reference: Your letter dated 25 July, 1942. (75) Par. 2.

1. The subject man left the reservation at 1 P. M., this date.

W. D. Cooper

W. D. Cooper, B. M. 1c (Pro)

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U.S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
AUG 1 2 18 PM '42

Velasco, Texas.
31 July, 1942.

From: Brazos River Light Station.
To : District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady., Assistant Keeper.

Reference: (a) Yourletter to subject man, 25 July, 1942, #75.
(b) Your letter to Commanding Officer, Brazos River Light Station., 25 July, 1942., #75.

1. The subject man has advised me that he can not vacate his quarters before Tuesday, August 4, 1942., and that in the mean-time his address will be Velasco, Texas.

W. D. Cooper.

25 July, 1942

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.
To : Commanding Officer, Brazos River Light Station.

Via : Commanding Officer, Freeport Station.

Subject: Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper.

Reference: (a) Letter to Assistant Keeper Farrington, dated 25 July, 1924 (75).

Inclosure: (A) Copy of reference (a).

1. It will be noted from inclosure (A) that Keeper Farrington has been requested to submit his resignation effective at the close of 31 July, 1942, and that the position of assistant keeper at Brazos River Light Station will be abolished as of that date, after which the quarters may be used for housing military personnel.

2. Advise this office the time and date Farrington leaves the reservation.

T. Y. AWALT,
By direction

REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO NO. _____

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

(Personal)

Velasco, Texas.
10 July, 1942.

Mr W. J. Braun, Jr.,
New Orleans, La.

My Dear Mr Braun;

On 16 June, 1942 I wrote a letter, Via the Commanding Officer, Freeport Lifeboat Station, in reference To Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper at the Brazos River Light Station, regarding his refusal to do any work or to assume any of the duties of his position, and as yet I have recieved no instructions as to what action to take in this case.

He still insists that H e is on "Annual" leave since his sick leave expired on 2 June, 1942., and is unable to perform the duties of his position, and further, he is through Lighthouse Keeping.

I am making this a personal letter to you, as I dont know what further action to take, and am hoping that you will advise me., I believe that an official investigation should be made.

Hoping to hear from you soon in regards to this, I am.

W. D. Cooper.
Brazos River Light Station.

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10 July, 1942.

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.
To : Commanding Officer, Brazos River Light Station.

Via : Commanding Officer, FREEPORT LIFEBOAT STATION.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady, Assistant Keeper.

Reference: (a) Your letter dated 16 June, 1942 (75), forwarded by Indorsement of Commanding Officer, Freeport Lifeboat Station of same date.

1. There is no vacancy for which Keeper Farrington can be considered at the present time. As you were previously advised he cannot be retired on account of physical disability because of the fact that he does not have the required 15 years service, lacking approximately 2-1/2 years. In view of the length of his service and the fact that Brazos River Light has been discontinued for the duration, which evidently lessens the station work and reduces the amount of climbing heretofore required, he will be retained in his present position until such time as a suitable vacancy occurs to which he could be transferred.

M. C. GRACE,
By direction.

mcb

Sick leave accumulated to 1 January 1942 .....71- 8/24
" " accrued to 30 May, 1942..... 6- 6/24
" " total " " " "..... 77-14/24
" " used " " " "..... 85- 5/24
" " balance " " " "..... 9/24

84 29
~~85~~ - 5
77-14
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Annual leave accum. to 1 January, 1942.....32-20/24
" " accrued " 30 May, 1942.....10-20/24
" " total " " " "..... 43-16/24
" " used " " " "..... 9- 0
3 4-16/24

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Form 79

~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~
EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Brazos River Lt Sta, April 1, 1942
(Station) (Vessel)

Dist Coast Guard officer
~~SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES~~, _____ DISTRICT:

(a) I respectfully request that I be granted _____ days of liberty or leave, from _____ to _____, inclusive, 19____ I have had 32-7/24 das. Sick / 9 " Annual days liberty or leave to date during this calendar year.

(b) I respectfully request that my absence of 62 days, from April 1 - to June 2, inclusive, 1942, during which period I certify, on honor, that I was incapacitated for duty by reason of illness, be charged to sick leave.

(See reverse side for physician's certificate and sick-leave affidavit)

Name and address of the substitute light keeper recommended:

None, —
(Name) (P. O. address)

If leave is granted, my address during absence will be as follows, and any change will be reported to the officer in charge:

USP Marine Hospital, Galveston, Texas
(Street or R. D. route) (City) (State)

Forwarded. Approval recommended.
Proposed substitute is considered satisfactory and competent.

Grady Farrington
(Applicant's signature)

W D Cooper B.M. 1c (Pro) asst Keeper
(Officer in charge) (Title)

LEC

AUTHORITY

Dist. C. G. Officer
OFFICE OF ~~SUPERINTENDENT~~, 8th Naval DISTRICT, 10 June, 1942

The above application for sick leave is approved for 62 days, from 1 April to 2 June, inclusive, 1942

Substitute need not be furnished during this absence at rate of $_____
(Insert "must" or "need not")

(Submit time check.)

W. J. BRAUN, JR.,
By direction

ACTUAL ABSENCE

Absence begun: At 11 a M. April 1, 1942
(State nearest hour)

Returned to duty: At 9 a M. June 2, 1942
(State nearest hour)

Grady Farrington
(Applicant)

Certified correct and forwarded.

W D Cooper, B.M. 1c (Pro)
(Immediate superior)

FINAL APPROVED RECORD

Period of absence: 61-22/24 days.

Charged: Annual _____ days.

Sick 52-22/24 days.

(Accum. 39-1/24 das. / Accrued - 1942 - 13 - 21/24 das.)

L. W. O. P. _____ days.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—882

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Two copies of this form shall be prepared by the employee desiring the absence and both copies forwarded to the district office through the officer in charge, who shall ascertain before recommending approval that the statement as to the amount of shore liberty or leave already taken is correct.

2. If a substitute is not required at a station, the applicant shall write the words, "Substitute not required" in the second line of the third paragraph of this form.

3. The district office shall indicate under the authority the action taken, return the original request to the applicant, and retain the carbon copy in a separate temporary file. After the applicant has returned to duty, he shall fill out the actual absence report on the original copy and hand it to the officer in charge, who shall certify to the correctness of the same and forward it to the district office. On the receipt of the original at the district office the final approved record shall be inserted in both copies, and the carbon copy forwarded to the station for record and file.

4. If the actual absence is in excess of the authority, an application to cover such additional absence must be made immediately, giving reason therefor.

5. The Superintendent's approval should be received, when practicable, before the leave period begins.

6. If the officer in charge cannot recommend approval, he shall forward promptly copies of the application without signing the certificate, and attach a letter to the superintendent stating the reason for his action.

7. For the purpose of granting leave to keepers one day shall be considered as 24 hours, and no such absense of less than 2 hours or 1/12 day shall be charged or recorded as leave.

8. Compensatory leave pertains only to certain light stations.

9. Furnish a doctor's certificate (c) when sick leave exceeds 3 days, counting Sundays and holidays when they occur within the period of sick leave.

10. Applications for sick leave must be submitted for the consideration of the approving officer within 2 days after the applicant's return to duty. If the period of absence is 3 days or less, and the application is not accompanied by a certificate of an attending physician, it must be supported by an affidavit certifying that the absence was due to illness, that the employee was unable to perform official duties, and giving specific reasons for not having a physician in attendance. If the period of absence is in excess of 3 days, a physician's certificate will be required, except that where unusual circumstances are present the department may waive the certificate on the recommendation of the head of the bureau. Applications may be sworn to before officers and employees of the department authorized by law to administer oaths without payment of notarial fees.

11. Additional regulations pertaining to all classes of leave are covered by district circulars.

12. All employees and officers in charge must keep accurate leave records so as to avoid frequent requests on district office for such records.

(c) I, the undersigned, a duly authorized practitioner of medicine, do hereby certify that Grady Farrington was under my professional care from April 1, 1942 to June 2, 1942, inclusive, and during that period was wholly incapacitated for official duty. This certificate is given with the full knowledge of the fact that it will be used as the basis for executive action.

June 5, 1942
(Date)

A.T. Morrison
(Name of physician)
A.T. Morrison, Surgeon
US Marine Hospital, Galveston, Tex.
(Street and city address)

SICK-LEAVE AFFIDAVIT

I, _____, solemnly swear that my absence from duty _____
(Insert dates)
_____, 19____, was caused by personal illness which rendered me unable to perform my official duties, and that during said illness no physician was in attendance for the following reason:

_____

_____
(Signature of employee)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me by the above-named employee this _____ day of _____, 19____

_____
(Signature)

[SEAL]

_____
(Official title)

11-682

ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U.S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
JUN 5 1 47 PM '42
DIST. COMDR. REPLY INTELL.
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4 June, 1942.

From: Brazos River Light Station.
To : District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady., Assistant Keeper.

Reference: (a) Brazos River Light Station letter 75, 1 June, 1942.

1. The subject man returned to the Station at 09:00, 2 June, 1942., but has not made application for leave covering absence from 1 April, 1942, 11:00, as he is awaiting Doctors affidavit covering time confined in Marine Hospital, at Galveston, Texas.

W. D. Cooper.

4 June, 1942

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.
To : Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station, c/o U. S. Marine Hospital, Galveston, Texas

Subject: Leave; sick and annual.

1. According to the records of this office, all of the allowable sick leave to your credit (to May 31), to within five hours, terminated midnight May 23, and all of your allowable annual leave (to May 31), to within 2 days and 16 hours, will be terminated at the close of June in order not to carry you in a "without pay" status; therefore if you have not returned to duty by the end of June, your July pay will be withheld until your leave status is further determined.

W. J. BRAUN, JR.,
By direction

Copy to:
Commanding Officer, Freeport Station.
Commanding Officer, Brazos River Light Station
Via: Commanding Officer, Freeport Station

Grady Farrington

Sick Leave

Accumulated to close Dec. 1941	71d	8h	0m
Accrued Jan–May, 1942	6	6	
	77	14	0
Used during Feb–May, 1942	32	7	
	45	7	0

Annual Leave

Accumulated to close Dec. 1941	32d	20h	0m
Used during March 1942	9		
	23	20h	0m
Accrued Jan–May 1942	10	20	
	34	16	0

Farrington

Sick Leave

apr 1 - 4	—	3	16
6 — 11		6	
13 - 18		6	
20 - 25		6	
27 — 30		3	

24 — 16

may 1 — 2		2	
4 — 9		6	
11 — 16		6	
18 - 23 (midnight)		6	
		131	
1	45	—	
	44	16	

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51 - 16

5 7

45 9

Lady Harrington
Annual Leave

May	25 –	29 –	√	
"		31	1	6d 0h 0m

June	1 –	6	6	
	8	13	6	
	15	20	6	
	22	27	6	
	29	30	2	26
				32

34 – 16
32
2 – 16 –

Grady Farrington

Sick Leave accumulated
to close of Dec 1941 71 d 8 h
accrued to close
apr. 1942 5 " "
76 24

Used during 1942 (Feb) 32 - 7
43 - 17

Used apr 1 -
may 26 - 40
3 - 19

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ann. leave accumulated
to close of Dec. 1941 - 32 da 24 h
accrued to close
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41 - 1 2
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32 - 12

O/K to pay for may

ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Velasco, Texas.
1 June, 1942.

From: Brazos River Light Station.
To : District Coast Guard Officer, 8th. Naval District.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady., Civillian Employee.

1. This is to report the absence of the above Civillian Employee since 1 April, 1942., at which time he was sent to the Marine Hospital at Galveston, Texas., for treatment.

W. D. Cooper.

Form 207
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~

(SEE INSTRUCTIONS AND REGULATIONS ON BACK)

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

Office of the ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~ District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District.

New Orleans, La.
(Place)

April 8, 1942

TO THE MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE,

Galveston, Texas

SIR:

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

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

or—

2. ~~A lightkeeper or~~ an assistant lightkeeper on duty at Brazos River Light Station, Tex.
(Name of station)

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

Signature of employee to be examined _____

Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station, Tex.

Nativity American Age 47 years. Height 5 feet 8 inches.

Color of eyes hazel Color of hair brown

Distinguishing marks Right index finger amputated at first joint.

*Date of original appointment in the Lighthouse Service 9-6-32

†Date of certificate by the Public Health Service that person named passed physical examination, March 1, 1933

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W. B. HARBESON, PIEUT., U.S.C.G.R.
Personnel Officer
(Title of officer signing request)

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

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

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NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U.S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
APR 7 1 58 PM '42
COMDR. REPLY
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OPERAT. REPORT
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RESERVE P & T
PERSONNEL ORDNANCE
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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Velasco, Texas.
3 April, 1942.

From: Brazos River Light Station.
To : District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady, Civilian Lighthouse Keeper, transfer.

1. Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper at this Station was transferred to the U.S.Marine Hospital at Galveston, Texas., for treatment on April 1st, 1942.

W. D. Cooper.

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12 May, 1942

Medical Officer in Charge,
U. S. Marine Hospital,
Galveston, Texas

Dear Sir:

Advice is requested as to the present physical condition of the following employees of this Service; the probable date of their discharge from the hospital, or whether they already have been discharged:

Carter, Edward W., First Assistant Keeper,
Aransas Pass Light Station
Farrington, Grady, Assistant Keeper,
Brazos River Light Station.

Thanking you for your attention to this matter.

By direction of Captain J. L. AHERN, District Coast Guard Officer, 8th Naval District.

Very truly yours,

F. J. BIRKETT,
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard

COPY

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
GALVESTON, TEXAS

May 16, 1942

District Coast Guard Officer
Eighth Naval District
New Orleans, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of May 12, 1942, requesting information concerning the present physical condition of Edward W. Carter, First Assistant Keeper, Aransas Pass Light Station and Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station.

We wish to advise you that Mr. Carter is suffering with chronic arthritis and obesity. He also has a relatively low basal metabolic rate. The treatment of these disabilities consists of a reduction in weight and also medication and physiotherapy for the arthritic condition. It is believed that this man will be fit for duty in approximately three weeks but he will need to continue dietary and other measures of treatment indefinitely.

Mr. Farrington is suffering from mild rheumatoid arthritis and also obesity. He has made considerable improvement in the hospital and has lost a sufficient amount of weight but it is not certain at the present time that he will be fit for active duty in the near future. It is possible that he will be discharged from the hospital with a recommendation that he seek employment at some occupation other than that of Lighthouse Keeper.

Respectfully,

(Signed) O. E. Denney
O. E. Denney, Senior Surgeon
Medical Officer in Charge

ATW:L

(pcp)

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6 March, 1945

To: DCGO, 13th Naval District, Seattle, Washington (Civilian Personnel)

Subj: Farrington, Grady, former keeper

1. Forwarded is HQ form letter dated 28 February, 1945, requesting aggregate basic salary, by fiscal years, for subject person. Information as to the salary earned in this district has been inserted on the form with space provided for the insertion of the salary he earned while he was employed in your district.

2. This office is unable to comply with the request for the aggregate basic salary for the period 6 September, 1932, to 28 February, 1933, while he was in the employ of the ANF, 17th District at Large, and if you have this information, it is requested that it, too, be inserted on the Form 2806, and that it be returned to HQ, as directed in the indorsement.

V. F. TYDLACKA,
By direction

Incl. 1 - HQ Ltr. 2-28-45
2 - Form 2806 -
Grady Farrington

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
WASHINGTON

Address Reply To
THE COMMANDANT (PCP-6)
Refer to File CG-75

28 February, 1945

To: DCGO, 8ND

Subj: Farrington, Grady, former Keeper

It is requested that the information on forms indicated in the items checked below be furnished Headquarters promptly, with the return of the attached papers, if any.

(1) Give date of entrance on duty, or transfer, or of resignation.
(2) Furnish personal history sheet in duplicate.
(3) Furnish qualified statement of unappointed service in duplicate.
(4) Furnish oath of office in duplicate.
(5) Furnish Civil Service Form 375 in triplicate.
(6) Furnish standard Form 13 in quadruplicate (abstract of official record).
(7) Furnish documentary evidence of date of birth as prescribed in Civil Service Form 2473, attached.
(8) Furnish one copy of certified Form 2806.
(9) Forward promptly address to which retirement pay checks are to be mailed.
(10) Have the inclosed form signed and returned.
(11) Furnish Form 3464a, Personnel Information Sheet.
(12) Furnish Form 2390, 1769, 2413, and 14.
(13) In the event retirement deductions were not made from the pay include the aggregate basic salary by fiscal years.
(14) Advise whether all accrued and accumulated annual leave granted before effective date of separation of employee.
(15) Furnish standard Form 62 in triplicate
XX Form 2806 for subject employee is returned for completion of fiscal side. It is requested that aggregate basic salary by fiscal years, including the period 6 September, 1932 to 28 February, 1933, be furnished. In the event your office does not have the figures available for the service performed in the Seattle District, it is requested that the 2806 be forwarded to that District, advising them to return the Form 2806 to HQ upon completion.

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Carl E. Herrick
CARL E. HERRICK
By direction

Incl.

Grady Farrington

Aggregate basic salary by fiscal years:

F.Y.	Salary	Tontine	F.Y.	Salary	Tontine	F.Y.	Salary	Tontine
1933			1935			1939	164.50	2.00
			1936			1940	1260.00	12.00
			1937			1941	1357.33	12.00
			1938			1942	1275.00	12.00
			1939			1943	124.66	1.00

STATEMENT OF PREVIOUS MILITARY SERVICE.

FARRINGTON, GRADY (NAME - Print)	Electrician, 1/c (Radio) (GRADE)	U.S.S. OREGON AND OTHERS UNIT AND DISTRICT TO WHICH ATTACHED

I HAVE HAD PREVIOUS MILITARY SERVICE UNDER THE UNITED STATES AS FOLLOWS:

BRANCH OF SERVICE*	SERVICE NUMBER	ORIGINALLY ENLISTED		LAST DISCHARGED	
		DATE	PLACE	DATE	PLACE
ARMY					
NAVY		3-14-1917	San Pedro, Cal.	10-10-1919	Mare Island, Cal.
MARINE CORPS					
COAST GUARD					
COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY					

* IF ANY OF ABOVE SERVICE WAS COMMISSIONED OR WARRANT SO INDICATE.

Grady Farrington
(SIGNATURE)

Not verified

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO:

Date Prepared March 3, 1941

Name: Farrington, Grady

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No: 175

Change in status and post of duty - decrease in cash (but not gross) salary

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	Keeper
Grade	Field (Range $1500-1860)	Field (Range $1140-1500)
Salary	$1500 p.a. No Qtrs.	$1260 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters	New Orleans, La.	New Orleans, La.
Post of Duty	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.	Brazos River Lt.Sta., Texas.
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C.G.	Civilian Employees, C.G.
Allotment		
Field or Deptl.	Field	Field

EFFECTIVE E.O.D.

Remarks: Travel from New Orleans, La., to Brazos River Lt.Sta.,Texas, necessary in interest of Government, not for convenience of employee, is authorized, with per diem of $3.50 in lieu of subsistence, chargeable to symbol No.29. Travel by privately owned automobile at the rate of 4¢ a mile, if more economical and advantageous to the United States than travel by commercial carrier, authorized. If travel is by privately owned automobile, a statement certifying that such travel is more economical and advantageous than travel by commercial carrier must be attached to the voucher. Expense of transportation of household effects is authorized in accordance with Personnel Bulletin #3-41 within funds available.

Justification:

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION

Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH

5-15-1894

LEGAL RESIDENCE

Oregon

SEX	RACE
M	W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY	VICE
	*

*Willie D. Cooper (Pro.)

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT?

Lighthouse Act 6-20-18

DATE OF OATH

Approved: March 3, 1941
(Signed) Herbert E. Gaston
Acting Secretary of the Treasury

ORIGINAL SENT FARRINGTON
3-18-41.

Recorded

3-3-41

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

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22 March, 1941.

REPORT OF EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGE IN POSITION
OR PAY STATUS OF CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Commandant.

Name: Grady Farrington

Nature of Action: Transfer

Effective date of change: 21 March, 1941

	FROM	TO
Position:	Keeper	Keeper (Asst.)
Pay:	$1500 p.a.	$1260 p.a.
Salary Range:	$1500-1860	$1140-1500
Valuation of Quarters:	No quarters	$240 per annum quarters
Station:	New Canal Lt.Sta., La.	Brazos River Lt.Sta., Texas

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department Notice (Form 2249) dated 3 March, 1941, approved by the Acting Secretary of the Treasury 3 March, 1941.

J. L. AHERN

Form 2654
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
July 1935

U. S. COAST GUARD

OFFICIAL DISPATCH

UNIT

DATE

INCOMING HEADING 21 MAR 1941

NOQ V NOY NR9 T Z NRNC 211805 QUAG GR15

TEXT

GRADY FARRINGTON ASSISTANT KEEPER BRAZOS RIVER LIGHT STATION ARRIVED AND REPORTED FOR DUTY 1100 TODAY

TOR NOY 1908 RB FS NR9 T Z

TOD ENTER 1913 NR39 BD TO PD

OPERATOR'S RECORD

TOR —

CPY/PERSNL 65 DDH FJB

(IF RELAYED, SERVICE ON REVERSE) INITIALS OF "ACTION" OFFICER

FROM

FREEPORT LB STA

TO (FOR ACTION)

COMORLDIST

TO (FOR INFORMATION)

	ACKNOWLEDGE
	PRIORITY
	ROUTINE
	NITE
	ACKNOWLEDGE
	PRIORITY
	ROUTINE
	NITE

"ACTION" OFFICER INITIAL AND RETURN ORIGINAL TO RADIOROOM, RETAINING COPY

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—7370

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

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

FARRINGTON	Grady	-	Civilian	Keeper (Lighthouse) Brazos River Lt. Sta., Tex.
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT	New Orleans, La.	22 March, 1941
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

Effective 21 March, 1941, transferred to the position of Keeper (asst.) Brazos River Light Station, Texas, with pay at the rate of $1260 per annum, plus $240 per annum, quarters. (Range $1140-1500). Vice Willie D. Cooper, promoted. Appro: Civilian Employees, C.G.

Former position: Keeper, New Canal Light Station, La., with pay at the rate of $1500 per annum, no quarters. ($1500-1860). Appro: Civilian Employees, C.G.

Dept. notice (Form 2249)
AUTHORITY: 3 January, 1941

D. D. [illegible] (Commanding)
Personnel Officer,
New Orleans District
(Title)

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LAW	PERSONNEL RECORDS		
	STATISTICS	CORRESPONDENCE	RECORDS

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 0 10935

Form No. 2599
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
(Revised 1937)

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

FARRINGTON	Grady	-	Civilian	Keeper (Lighthouse) Brazos River Lt. Sta., Tex.
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

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AUTHORITY: Dept. notice (Form 2249) 3 January, 1941

D. D. [illegible], LT., U.S.C.G.
Personnel Officer,
New Orleans District
(Title)

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

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

FARRINGTON, Grady. Assistant Keeper, Brazos River -Light Station.
(Surname) (First name) (Middle initial) (Service No.) (Rank or rating)

Freeport Lifeboat Station. Freeport, Texas. 21 March, 1941.
(Unit) (Place) (Date)

At 1100, 21 March, 1941, reported for duty as assistant keeper Brazos River Light Station.

AUTHORITY: Commander, New Orleans District letter 18 March, 1941 (75).

Jorgen A. Pedersen.
Jorgen A. Pedersen.
(Commanding)

B.M.1c.
(Title)

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LAW	PERSONNEL RECORDS		
	STATISTICS	CORRESPONDENCE	RECORDS

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 0 10935

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N.O. Dist

18 March, 1941.

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To: FARRINGTON, Grady - Civilian Keeper, New Orleans, La.

Subject: Orders; transfer; travel.

Reference: (a) Treasury Department Form No. 2249, approved 3-3-41.

Inclosure: (1) Transportation Request No. T-236,703.
(2) Transportation Request No. T-236,704.

1. In accordance with reference (a), you are hereby detached from further duty at the New Canal Light Station, Louisiana, and are directed to proceed to Brazos River Light Station, Texas, and report to the Commanding Officer, Freeport Station, for assignment to duty at that light station as assistant keeper.

2. This order constitutes a permanent change of station for you from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Freeport, Texas.

3. The travel herein authorized is chargeable to Headquarters' Symbol No. 29. Inclosures (1) and (2), covering your transportation and pullman accommodations from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Houston, Texas, are handed you herewith. Travel from Houston, Texas, to Freeport, Texas via privately owned automobile is hereby authorized in accordance with reference (a), at the rate of 4¢ per mile, providing this means of transportation is more economical and advantageous to the Government. Otherwise, you will be reimbursed for this travel from Houston, Texas to Freeport, Texas, at the same rates as would be the cost by common carrier.

4. The public interests require this travel. In lieu of actual expenses for traveling, a per diem allowance of $3.50 is authorized while performing travel under this order.

J. L. AHERN.

F. J. BIRKETT,
By direction.

Copy to:
Headquarters.
Freeport Station.
Pay Officer.

Headquarters Travel

Treasury Department
Form 73
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~
Approved Sept. 1, 1938

U. S. Coast Guard
New Orleans District
~~LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT~~

NOMINATION

New Orleans, La. (City) 7 February (Date), 19 41

Commandant
~~COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:~~

Action recommended Transfer

Name Grady Farrington Date of birth May 15, 1894 Legal residence Oregon

	From—	To—
Position,	Keeper	Keeper
Pay and grade	$1500 p.a.($1500-1560) (No quarters)	$1260 p.a.($1140-1500) ($240 p.a. quarters)
Station	New Canal Lt.Sta., La.	Brazos River Lt.Sta., Texas
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, Coast Guard	Civilian Employees, Coast Guard

Effective 1 March, 1941 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty,~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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

Vice Willie D. Cooper Pay $1200 p.a. Services to be terminated close Feb.28,1941

Reason To be promoted.

REMARKS:[2] Subject employee has veteran (military) preference under the civil service Rules and Regulations. This transfer is not for the convenience of the employee; it is a permanent change of station from New Orleans, La., to Velasco, Texas, and it is recommended that payment of travel expenses and transportation of household effects between these points be authorized.

Selection regular, ..., 19.....

Manager, Civil Service District.

P. J. BISSETT, Acting ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, WASHINGTON, , 19

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

[1] Strike out the clause which does not apply.
[2] In case of vessel officer, state license held.

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New Orleans La,
Feby 4 - 1941

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U.S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
FEB 6 8 47 AM '41
DIST. COMDR. / CH. OF STAFF / OPERAT. / MAINT. / RESERVE / PERSONNEL / COMMUN. / REPORT / RETURN TO / INTELL. / P & S / FINANCE

Commander, New Orleans District
New Orleans, La

Reference Number 75.
Your letter February 1, 1941
Subject transfer.
Wish to advise that I will
accept position of Asst Keeper,
Brazos River Light Station,
Velasco, Texas.

It is my understanding that
the department will furnish
my transportation and that
my H.H.Gds will be
transported free.

Grady Farrington

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B-C

1 February, 1941

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : FARRINGTON, Grady, Keeper, New Canal Light Station,
927½ St. Maurice Avenue, New Orleans, La.

Subject: Transfer

1. You have verbally declined to accept transfer to the positions of Assistant Keeper at Brazos Santiago Light Station, Texas, and Second Assistant Keeper at Pascagoula River Entrance Light Station, Miss. You are now offered transfer to any of the following positions:

(a) Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station, Velasco, Texas, with pay at the rate of $1140 per annum, in the range $1140-1500, and family quarters valued at $240 per annum, making the gross compensation $1380 per annum. This is a two-keeper station with separate dwellings for family quarters. In addition to the main light there is one minor electric light located at the end of the West Jetty. The leave allowance at this station is 26 days annual.

(b) Third Assistant Keeper, Southwest Pass East Jetty Lights and Fog Signal Station, Burrwood, La., with pay at the rate of $1560 per annum in the range $1560-1920, and bachelor quarters valued at $60 per annum, making the gross compensation $1620 per annum. This is a four-keeper station, without family quarters, consisting of a radiobeacon and diaphone at the main station and eight minor lights, two of which have fog signals - one an electric siren and the other a CO_2 operated fog bell. The leave allowance at this station is 72 days per annum - 26 days annual, 46 days compensatory.

(c) Assistant Keeper, Mobile Channel Lights, headquarters at Mobile Repair Station, Ala., with pay at the rate of $1500 per annum, no range, No family or bachelor quarters. There are two keepers at this station, who are charged with the maintenance and operation of thirty-three minor lights in Mobile Channel and Bay. These lights are serviced by boat, requiring a round trip of 75 miles. The leave allowance is 26 days annual.

2. You will advise this office without any delay whether or not you will accept transfer to any of the above positions.

J. L. AHERN

T. Y. AWALT,
By direction

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U.S. COAST GUARD
LOUISIANA
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HEADQUARTERS

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

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

WASHINGTON 25 January, 1941.

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From: Commandant.
To: Commander, New Orleans District.

Subject: Proposed transfer of Keeper Grady Farrington from New Canal Light Station, Louisiana.

Reference: (a) Your letter dated January 10 (75).
(b) Headquarters' letter dated 27 September, 1940 (OP-601-701-056).

1. From reference (a) it is noted that the subject employee was detailed from his regular position at New Canal Light Station to the New Orleans Base pending his transfer to another station, this having been necessary because his services would no longer be required at the New Canal Light Station for the reason stated in reference (b).

2. During the period of his detail to the New Orleans Base, Mr. Farrington continued technically to be the incumbent of his regular position at New Canal Light Station, and no change in his total or gross pay was involved in connection with his detail. It is further noted that two other vacancies of keeper have occurred, that he has declined to accept transfer to either of these positions, and that in this connection he has indicated that his physical condition would not permit him to do certain arduous duties. Not having the required years of service, consideration cannot be given to his retirement on account of disability.

3. Under the circumstances it will be necessary for Mr. Farrington to accept some other position or be furloughed without pay pending the occurrence of some suitable vacancy. Your office should give due consideration to Mr. Farrington in this connection, but if he persists in declining such reasonable offers as may be made to him, it will be necessary to furlough him without pay as indicated above. His furlough would be for a period not exceeding one year, and in the event he was not reassigned to duty prior to the expiration of the year his separation from the service would be effected.

4. In the light of these conditions, your office should submit further recommendations on form 73 at the proper time.

By direction,

C. H. JONES,
Chief Personnel Officer.

75 - New Orleans District 1/10/41.
Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady, Additional Keeper; separation from duty at New Canal Light Station, Louisiana.

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4. Because of Farrington's attitude, the matter is referred to Headquarters for a decision as to the appropriate action to be taken in his case.

F. J. BIRKETT,
Acting.

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Please return to personnel

10 January, 1941.

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To: Commandant.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady, Additional Keeper; separation from duty at New Canal Light Station, Louisiana.

Reference: (a) Headquarters' letter 27 September, 1940 (OP-601-701-056).
(b) Form 2249, dated 25 October, 1940.

1. In accordance with reference (a), subject man was detached from duty as Keeper of New Canal Light Station, Louisiana, on 25 October, 1940, and was temporarily assigned to duty at the New Orleans Base, pending permanent transfer to another station.

2. Subsequently, two vacancies occurred, one in the position of Assistant Keeper at Brazos Santiago Light Station, Texas, with pay at the rate of $1440. per annum, with no quarters, and the other in the position of Second Assistant Keeper at Pascagoula River Entrance Light Station, Mississippi, with pay at the rate of $1560. per annum, with no quarters. Farrington was given his choice of the two positions, and, after deliberating for about four weeks, he called at this office on 9 January, 1941. In answer to the question as to what his decision was, he, in the presence of the Personnel Officer and the Assistant Personnel Officer, bluntly stated that he would not accept either position, and furthermore, that he would not consider any transfer out of New Orleans, giving as his reason the fact that his physical condition would not permit him to perform the arduous duties of boating and beacon climbing. He also stated that he was prepared to contest any action this office decided to take in the matter. He then complained that he was suffering from an attack of appendicitis, and was given an application for examination and medical treatment at the New Orleans Marine Hospital. He has only ten years and eleven months Government service, and is, therefore, not eligible for physical disability retirement under the Lighthouse Retirement Act.

3. Headquarters' attention is invited to the fact that during his duty in this District, beginning 14 May, 1939, Farrington has held the most desirable position in the District; and every possible consideration has been shown him since he was notified of his transfer from the New Canal Light Station, at which time he raised considerable disturbance, because he could not find a suitable place to live, without exceeding the cost of his rental allowance.

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9 October, 1940

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Keeper, New Canal Light Station.

Subject: New Canal Light Station, Lake Pontchartrain, La., use of by Coast Guard Reserve.

1. Plans for the re-location of the New Canal Lighthouse, etc., have been eliminated from the Yacht Harbor project, and it has been decided to place the operation of the lighthouse in charge of the CG 49, which will be moored at the New Canal Lighthouse. The facilities in the lighthouse dwelling will soon be made available for use by the Coast Guard Reserve.

2. Your official station will continue to be the New Canal Light Station until a suitable vacancy occurs and you are transferred to another station. But, in the meantime, you will be temporarily assigned to the New Orleans Repair Station on the Industrial Canal at North Robertson Street, and cash adjustment will be made in your pay to compensate for the loss of family quarters.

3. Advise this office how much time you will require to locate a new place of abode and move your personal belongings from the lighthouse. Upon receipt of this information, you will be given definite orders in connection with transferring the care of the station and the government property thereat to the Commanding Officer of the CG 49.

By direction:

T. Y. AWALT,
Personnel Officer

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18 March, 1941

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Commanding Officer, Freeport Station.

Subject: Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station.

1. Grady Farrington, formerly Keeper of New Canal Light Station, New Orleans, La., is being transferred to the position of Assistant Keeper at Brazos River Light Station, and it is requested that the date of his entrance on duty at that station be reported promptly to this office.

J. L. AHERN

W. J. BRAUN, JR.,
By direction

75-531

18 March, 1941.

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To: FARRINGTON, Grady - Civilian Keeper, New Orleans, La.

Subject: Orders; transfer; travel.

Reference: (a) Treasury Department Form No. 2249, approved 3-3-41.

Inclosure: (1) Transportation Request No. T-236,703.
(2) Transportation Request No. T-236,704.

1. In accordance with reference (a), you are hereby detached from further duty at the New Canal Light Station, Louisiana, and are directed to proceed to Brazos River Light Station, Texas, and report to the Commanding Officer, Freeport Station, for assignment to duty at that light station as assistant keeper.

2. This order constitutes a permanent change of station for you from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Freeport, Texas.

3. The travel herein authorized is chargeable to Headquarters' Symbol No. 29. Inclosures (1) and (2), covering your transportation and pullman accommodations from New Orleans, Louisiana, to Houston, Texas, are handed you herewith. Travel from Houston, Texas, to Freeport, Texas via privately owned automobile is hereby authorized in accordance with reference (a), at the rate of 4¢ per mile, providing this means of transportation is more economical and advantageous to the Government. Otherwise, you will be reimbursed for this travel from Houston, Texas to Freeport, Texas, at the same rates as would be the cost by common carrier.

4. The public interests require this travel. In lieu of actual expenses for traveling, a per diem allowance of $3.50 is authorized while performing travel under this order.

J. L. AHERN.

F. J. BIRKETT,
By direction.

Copy to:
Headquarters.
Freeport Station.
Pay Officer.

HEADQUARTERS' TRAVEL

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO:

Date Prepared 25 October, 1940

Name: Farrington, Grady

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No: 126

Change in status - increase in grade and salary

	FROM	TO
Position		
Grade	Keeper	Keeper
Salary	Field (Range $1260-1620) $1260 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.	Field (Range $1500-1860) $1500 p.a. (No quarters)
Bureau or Div.		
Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters		
Post of Duty	New Orleans, La.	New Orleans, La.
Appropriation	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.
Allotment	Civilian Employees, C.G.	Civilian Employees, C.G.
Field or Deptl.	Field	Field

EFFECTIVE
Remarks: 25 October, 1940

Increase in cash pay in lieu of quarters previously occupied effective on the date above indicated.

Justification:

This does not involve a change in position or gross compensation.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-15-1894

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Oregon

SEX: M | RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE: Himself

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH

Awarded

10-25-40

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

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26 November, 1940

REPORT OF EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGE IN POSITION
OR PAY STATUS OF CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Commandant.

Name: Grady Farrington
Change in status -
Nature of Action: increase in grade and salary

Effective date of change: 25 October, 1940

	FROM	TO
Position:	Keeper	Keeper
Pay:	$1260 p.a.	$1500 p.a.
Salary Range:	$1260-1620	$1500-1860
Valuation of Quarters:	$240 p.a.	No quarters
Station:	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.	New Canal Lt. Sta., La.

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department approval dated 25 October, 1940

T. Y. AWALT,
By direction

Form No. 2599
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
(Revised 1937)

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

FARRINGTON	Grady	- -	Civilian	Lighthouse Keeper
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT	New Orleans, Louisiana	26 November, 1940
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

Change in status - increase in grade and salary - From Keeper at $1260 p.a. plus $240 p.a., quarters to Keeper at $1500 p.a. (No quarters). Effective date of change in pay 25 October, 1940.

Subject man was formerly at New Canal Light Station, La., now on temporary duty at New Orleans Repair Station, pending transfer .

AUTHORITY: Department notice 10-25-40

T. Y. AWALT, Lt. Comdr.
Personnel Officer,
New Orleans District
(Title)

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	Statistics	Correspondence	Records

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13 November, 1940.

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To: Farrington, Grady, Light House Keeper
(via Keeper, New Orleans Repair Station).

Subject: Change in status - increase in grade and salary.

1. There is enclosed for your files Personnel Notification Form 2249, bearing department approval 25 October, 1940, advising you of change in your pay from $1260 per annum (range $1260-1620) to $1500 per annum (range $1500-1860). This increase is to compensate you for quarters previously occupied at New Canal Light Station, Louisiana. It will be effective beginning 25 October, 1940.

By direction,

W. J. BRAUN, Jr.,
Ass't. Personnel Officer.

Copy to
Keeper, N. O. Repair Station

Braun erection
sheet for entrance
in pay period
Nov 1st 1940

Treasury Department
Form 73
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
~~LIGHTHOUSES SERVICE~~
Approved Sept. 1, 1938
U. S. Coast Guard
New Orleans District
~~LIGHTHOUSES DISTRICT~~
Commandant
~~COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES~~

NOMINATION

New Orleans, La. (City), 9 October (Date), 1940

Action recommended Adjustment in pay

Name Grady Farrington Date of birth May 16,1894 Legal residence Oregon

	From—	To—
Position,	Light Station Keeper	Light Station Keeper
Pay and grade	$1260 p.a.(1260-1620) (Incl.$240 p.a. for quarters)	$1500 p.a. ($1500-1860) (No quarters)
Station	New Canal Light Station, La.	New Canal Light Station, La.
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C.G.	Civilian Employees, C.G.

Effective October 16, 1940 [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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

Vice Himself Pay - - - - - Services not to be terminated

Reason

REMARKS:[2] This nomination is submitted in accordance with Headquarters' letter 27 September, 1940 (OP-601-701-036). Mr. Farrington will be temporarily assigned to the New Orleans Repair Station, without quarters, pending his transfer to another station.

Selection regular, ..., 19.....

Manager, Civil Service District.

T. J. BIRKETT
Acting
~~SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES~~
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, WASHINGTON, , 19

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

[1] Strike out the clause which does not apply.
[2] In case of vessel officer, state license held.

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Form 2654
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
July 1935

U. S. COAST GUARD

OFFICIAL DISPATCH

UNIT DATE 19 OCT 1940

INCOMING HEADING

WOQ V NMH NR6 Z QUAH 191606 QUAG GR13

TEXT

ADVISE LAST DATE ON WHICH ~~KRAE~~ GRADY FARRINGTON OCCUPIED FAMILY QUARTERS NEW CANAL LIGHTSTATION

TOR NMH 1613 NR6 RH FS

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OPERATOR'S RECORD

TOR —

CY/PERSONNEL 48 TYA SAO FJB

(IF RELAYED, SEE NOTATION REVERSE) INITIALS OF "ACTION" OFFICER

FROM

COMMANDANT.

TO (FOR ACTION)

COMORLDIST

TO (FOR INFORMATION)

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NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U.S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
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ADDRESS THE COMMANDANT, U. S. COAST GUARD
AND REFER TO No. OP-601
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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

WASHINGTON

27 September, 1940.

From: Commandant.
To : Commander, New Orleans District.

Subject: New Canal Light Station, Lake Pontchartrain, Louisiana; suggested use by Coast Guard Reserve.

Reference: (a) New Orleans District letter, 17 September, 1940 (056-601-701).
(b) New Orleans District letter, 26 July, 1940 (601-626).

1. As reference (a) indicates that plans for the relocation of the New Canal Lighthouse, etc., have been eliminated from the Yacht Harbor project, the recommendation to moor the CG-49 at the New Canal Lighthouse, place the operation of the lighthouse in charge of the CG-49, transfer the present keeper temporarily to duty at the New Orleans Repair Station until arrangements can be made for his permanent assignment to a light station elsewhere, and to make facilities in the lighthouse dwelling available for the Coast Guard Reserve, is approved.

2. The matter of authorizing the installation of a telephone at the lighthouse dwelling and the construction of a camel fender alongside the bulkhead will be the subject of a separate communication.

3. Submit Nomination Form 73 for the adjustment in the pay of the keeper concerned in consideration of the fact that in addition to his present cash pay, he is provided with a dwelling at the station having a valuation of $240 per annum, and that during the period of his detail to the New Orleans Repair Station, he will be deprived of the use of the dwelling.

4. This employee's official station will continue to be the New Canal Light Station until he is transferred to another station, the assignment to the New Orleans Repair Station being merely a temporary detail of short duration during which his pay will be the same as previously except for the cash adjustment in connection with the valuation of the dwelling.

By direction,

L. C. COVELL,
Assistant Commandant.

Copy to: C. G. Reserve.
Civil Engineering.
C. & R.
Finance.
Permanent Board.
Personnel.
Communications.

Suggest consideration be given to transferring the keeper to Gulf. dist. as asst. keeper, that bars is very short handed and Farmington's experience & training should be of considerable assistance to the latter-Caretaker in charge.

Form 79

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Brazos River Lt Sta, Feby 2, 1942
(Station) (Vessel)

Senior Coast Guard officer
~~SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES~~, 8 DISTRICT:

(a) I respectfully request that I be granted _____ days of liberty or leave, from _____ to _____, inclusive, 19____ I have had _____ days liberty or leave to date during this calendar year.

(b) I respectfully request that my absence of 37- 7 hrs days, from Feby 2 to March 11, inclusive, 1942, during which period I certify, on honor, that I was incapacitated for duty by reason of illness, be charged to sick leave.

(See reverse side for physician's certificate and sick-leave affidavit)

Name and address of the substitute light keeper recommended:

None, _____
(Name) (P. O. address)

If leave is granted, my address during absence will be as follows, and any change will be reported to the officer in charge:

U S Marine Hospital, Galveston, Texas
(Street or R. D. route) (City) (State)

Forwarded. Approval recommended.
Proposed substitute is considered satisfactory and competent.

Grady Farrington
(Applicant's signature)

_____
(Officer in charge)

Asst Keeper
(Title)

AUTHORITY

Office of District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District
~~OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, DISTRICT~~, 19 March, 1942

The above application for sick leave is approved for 32-7/24 days, from 2 February to 11 March, inclusive, 19~~42~~.

Substitute need not be furnished during this absence at rate of $- - - -
(Insert "must" or "need not")

(Submit time check.)

W B Harbeson
W. B. HARBESON,
Personnel Officer.

ACTUAL ABSENCE

Absence begun: At 10 A. M. Feb 2, 1942
(State nearest hour)

Returned to duty: At 5 P. M. March, 1942
(State nearest hour)

Grady Farrington
(Applicant)

Certified correct and forwarded.

_____
(Immediate superior)

FINAL APPROVED RECORD

Period of absence: 37-7/24 days.

Charged: Annual - days.

Sick 32-7/24 days.

L. W. O. P. - days.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—882

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Two copies of this form shall be prepared by the employee desiring the absence and both copies forwarded to the district office through the officer in charge, who shall ascertain before recommending approval that the statement as to the amount of shore liberty or leave already taken is correct.

2. If a substitute is not required at a station, the applicant shall write the words, "Substitute not required" in the second line of the third paragraph of this form.

3. The district office shall indicate under the authority the action taken, return the original request to the applicant, and retain the carbon copy in a separate temporary file. After the applicant has returned to duty, he shall fill out the actual absence report on the original copy and hand it to the officer in charge, who shall certify to the correctness of the same and forward it to the district office. On the receipt of the original at the district office the final approved record shall be inserted in both copies, and the carbon copy forwarded to the station for record and file.

4. If the actual absence is in excess of the authority, an application to cover such additional absence must be made immediately, giving reason therefor.

5. The Superintendent's approval should be received, when practicable, before the leave period begins.

6. If the officer in charge cannot recommend approval, he shall forward promptly copies of the application without signing the certificate, and attach a letter to the superintendent stating the reason for his action.

7. For the purpose of granting leave to keepers one day shall be considered as 24 hours, and no such absense of less than 2 hours or ½ day shall be charged or recorded as leave.

8. Compensatory leave pertains only to certain light stations.

9. Furnish a doctor's certificate (*c*) when sick leave exceeds 3 days, counting Sundays and holidays when they occur within the period of sick leave.

10. Applications for sick leave must be submitted for the consideration of the approving officer within 2 days after the applicant's return to duty. If the period of absence is 3 days or less, and the application is not accompanied by a certificate of an attending physician, it must be supported by an affidavit certifying that the absence was due to illness, that the employee was unable to perform official duties, and giving specific reasons for not having a physician in attendance. If the period of absence is in excess of 3 days, a physician's certificate will be required, except that where unusual circumstances are present the department may waive the certificate on the recommendation of the head of the bureau. Applications may be sworn to before officers and employees of the department authorized by law to administer oaths without payment of notarial fees.

11. Additional regulations pertaining to all classes of leave are covered by district circulars.

12. All employees and officers in charge must keep accurate leave records so as to avoid frequent requests on district office for such records.

(*c*) I, the undersigned, a duly authorized practitioner of medicine, do hereby certify that Grady Farrington was under my professional care from Feb.2, 1942 to March 11, 1942, inclusive, and during that period was wholly incapacitated for official duty. This certificate is given with the full knowledge of the fact that it will be used as the basis for executive action.

March 18, 1942
(Date)

(Name of physician)
A.T.Morrison, Surgeon, USPHS
US Marine Hospital, Galveston, Tex.
(Street and city address)

SICK-LEAVE AFFIDAVIT

I, _____, solemnly swear that my absence from duty _____
(Insert dates)
_____, 19____, was caused by personal illness which rendered me unable to perform my official duties, and that during said illness no physician was in attendance for the following reason:

_____

_____
(Signature of employee)

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me by the above-named employee this _____ day of _____, 19____

_____
(Signature)

[SEAL]

_____
(Official title)

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13 March, 1942

Medical Officer in Charge,
U. S. Marine Hospital,
Galveston, Texas

Dear Sir:

Certificate of attending physicion was not obtained by Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper at Brazos River Light Station, to cover the period of his illness, and it is requested, therefore, that this certificate be inserted and signed under (c) on the reverse of the inclosed forms, and that both copies be returned to this office with as little delay as is possible. Addressed envelope inclosed for your convenience.

Very truly yours,

W. B. HARBESON, Lieut., U.S.C.G.(R)
Personnel Officer

Grady Farrington Asst Keeper.
Brazos Reef Light Station

Record of Sick Leave

absence began: at 10 am Feb. 2 1942
Returned to Duty: at 5 P.M. Mar 11 1942

Total absence: 37 7/24

Less 5 Sundays = 32 7/24

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Previously posted to cards.

ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
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Freeport, Texas.
9 March, 1942.

Freeport Lifeboat Station.
Eighth Naval District.

From: Commanding Officer, Freeport Lifeboat Station.
To: Senior Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady, Civilian keeper; BRAZOS RIVER LIGHT; Hospitalisation, U. S. Marine Hospital.

Reference: (a) Senior Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District letter 6 March, 1942, (75).

1. In compliance with reference (a) Grady Farrington, civilian keeper at the BRAZOS RIVER LIGHTH STATION, is still in the U. S. Marine hospital at Galveston, Texas.

Jorgen A. Pedersen.
JORGEN A. PEDERSEN.

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6 March, 1942

From: Senior Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.
To : Commanding Officer, FREEPORT STATION.

Subject: Conduct of personnel at Brazos River Light Station.

Reference: (a) Your letter 16 February, 1942 (75).
(b) Letter dated 16 February, 1942, addressed to this office by W. D Cooper, Commanding Officer, Brazos River Light Station (which should have been forwarded through you).

1. Reference (b) advised that Grady Farrington was transferred to the U. S. Marine Hospital at Galveston, Texas, for treatment on 2 February, 1942. No report has since been received relative to his return to duty. Advise whether or not he is still in the hospital. If he has returned to duty, he will submit formal application to cover his sick leave, together with doctor's certificate.

2. In reply to reference (a) (4th paragraph), you are advised that there is no vacancy at the present time to which Assistant Keeper Farrington could be transferred. You will closely observe the conduct of both the Commanding Officer and the Assistant Keeper at Brazos River Light Station, and submit a supplemental report on or about 15th April, stating whether or not conditions at the station have improved.

W. B. HARBESON,
By direction

Form 207
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~

(SEE INSTRUCTIONS AND REGULATIONS ON BACK)

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

Sr. Coast Guard Officer
Office of the ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~ 8th Naval District.

New Orleans, La.
(Place)

20 February, 19 42

TO THE MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE,

Galveston, Texas

SIR:

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

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

or—

2. ~~A lightkeeper or~~ an assistant lightkeeper on duty at Brazos River Light Station, Tex.
(Name of station)

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

Signature of employee to be examined _____

Assistant Keeper, Brazos River Light Station, Texas

Nativity American Age 47 years. Height 5 feet 8 inches.

Color of eyes hazel Color of hair brown

Distinguishing marks Right index finger amputated at first joint

*Date of original appointment in the Lighthouse Service 9-6-32

†Date of certificate by the Public Health Service that person named passed physical examination, March 1, 1933, 19____

D. D. HESLER, LIEUT., U.S. COAST GUARD
Personnel Officer
By direction

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

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

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NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
FEB 25 AM '42
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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Velasco, Texas.
February 16, 1942.

From: Brazos River Light Station.
To : Personnel Officer.
Via : Senior Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.

Subject: FARRINGTON, Grady., Assistant Keeper.

1. Grady Farrington, Assistant Keeper at this Station was transferred to the U.S.Marine Hospital at Galveston, Texas, for treatment on 2 February, 1942.

W. D. Cooper.

STANDARD FORM 127
APRIL 1952
PRESCRIBED BY GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION REG. 3-IV-302.

REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL PERSONNEL FOLDER
(SEPARATED EMPLOYEE)

1. DATE OF REQUEST

Submit in duplicate to the Federal Records Center, St. Louis, Mo.

SECTION I—TO BE COMPLETED BY REQUESTING OFFICE

MAR 22 7 29 AM '62
FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER

General Services Administration
Records Management Service, Region 6
Federal Records Center
111 Winnebago Street
St. Louis 18, Mo.

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2. NAME (*Last, first, middle*)	3. NAME UNDER WHICH FORMERLY EMPLOYED FEDERALLY (*If other than item 2*)	4. DATE OF BIRTH
FARRINGTON, Grady NMN		5-15-94

5. FORMER FEDERAL EMPLOYING OFFICE (*Agency, bureau or equivalent, address, and dates of employment*)
U. S. Coast Guard from 3-1-33 to 8-4-42 New Orleans, Louisiana

(*If formerly employed by agencies in addition to above, list under item 7*)

6. PERSONNEL FOLDER ACTION (*Check appropriate box*)

- [ ] a. CURRENTLY EMPLOYED. REQUEST TRANSMISSION OF FOLDER COVERING PREVIOUS FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT FOR PERMANENT RETENTION
- [X] b. REQUEST TRANSMISSION OF FOLDER FOR TEMPORARY USE
- [ ] c. CONSOLIDATE ATTACHED PAPERS WITH OFFICIAL PERSONNEL FOLDER PREVIOUSLY FORWARDED

7. REMARKS

SECTION II—FOR USE BY FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER, ST. LOUIS, MO.

8.
- [ ] a. CONSOLIDATE ATTACHED PAPERS WITH FOLDER PREVIOUSLY FORWARDED
- [X] b. FOLDER ENCLOSED Loan
- [ ] c. FOLDER NOT LOCATED
- [ ] d. FLAGGED, FOLDER TO BE FORWARDED WHEN LOCATED
- [ ] e. FOLDER PREVIOUSLY REQUESTED IS ENCLOSED
- [ ] f. FOLDER FORWARDED ON A LOAN BASIS IN LIEU OF INFORMATION REQUESTED. IF EMPLOYEE IS REHIRED, FOLDER SHOULD BE RETAINED BY YOUR AGENCY

9. REMARKS

3/26/62-a2

NOTE.—Original will be used as charge-out by Federal Records Center. Duplicate will be returned as transmittal sheet when appropriate.

TO: Chief, Civilian Personnel Division
ADDRESS: U. S. Coast Guard Headquarters
1300 "E" Street, N. W.
Washington 25, D. C.
ATTN: ATTN: Mrs. Rountree

Requesting agency will type name and address of office submitting request in address box. To be used to mail folder or reply.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE : 1960 O - 559288

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SEARCH REPORT

	Nee Name
Birth	

Date of Request	Date 148 Sent	Follow Up Sent
2-27		

SEARCHER'S ACTION

Searcher:	Section:	Date:	Route To:

Codes Searched:

Names Searched:

Record Groups:

Remarks:

Racks Searched
Staging Searched

Route To:
- Verifier Searcher
- Section 1
- Section 2
- Microfilm Unit
- CSC
- FBI
- For Search In:

VERIFIER-SEARCHER'S ACTION

Verifier-Searcher: CB.	Section: I	Date: 3-26-62

Searches Made:

F652 Grady A-Z
" G.
Farrington, Grady
" G.

Army SRD Files

Loc SRD Complete

RECOMMENDED ACTION

Please check Treasury for any additional records.

also need SRD

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 12-41

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION REPORT NO.

PERSONNEL ACTION: F652 4430 Date Prepared 4 August, 1942

Name: Farrington, Grady

From: U. S. Coast Guard Bureau No.: 175

Discharge, without prejudice

Effective: close 4 August, 1942

	FROM	TO
Position Grade Salary	Keeper Field (Range $1140-1500) $1320 p.a. plus $240 p.a.qtrs.	
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	
Headquarters Post of Duty Appropriation Allotment	New Orleans, La. Brazos River Lt.Sta., Texas Civilian Employees, C. G.	

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks: Due to a report of the Public Health Service, Galveston, Texas, dated 24 June, 1942, that you had been a patient in the hospital from April 1, to June 2, 1942, and were considered to be permanently disabled for useful and efficient service, and due also to the fact that you have not had sufficient service (15 years) to meet the requirements for retirement on account of disability under the Act of March 4, 1925, the Navy Department upon recommendation of the Commandant of the Coast Guard, has terminated your service in the manner and on the date above indicated.

Justification: Mr. Farrington's employment in the former Lighthouse Service and the Coast Guard dates from September 6, 1932 and that service combined with his enlistment in the Navy during World War I gives him a total service of a little over 12 years. There is inclosed a copy of the letter referred to under Remarks above, from the Public Health Service in which it is indicated that Mr. Farrington is suffering from chronic arthritis and since it gives the opinion that he is disabled for useful and efficient service, there is no alternative but to recommend his separation.

CHARLES PIOZET

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-15-1894

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Oregon

SEX: M

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

HAS C. S. COMM. ALLOWED VETERAN'S PREFERENCE?

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Yes

Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH 6-20-15

TREASURY DEPARTMENT—
REPORT TO U. S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY
8-4-42

No. 33271

SELECTION NO.

X DECLARATION
X MEDICAL CERTIFICATE
X FINGERPRINTS

RETIREMENT AGE			PREFERENCE STATUS (CHECK)				
62	65	70	NONE	PREF. 5 POINT	DISABILITY X	WIFE	WIDOW

CIVIL SERVICE STATUS (CHECK)

M X	F.	CLASSIFIED X	UNCLASSIFIED			
			SCHED. A	SCHED B.	BY STATUTE	PRESIDENTIAL

Farrington, Grady
(SURNAME) (FIRST NAME) (SECOND NAME)

Examination Asst.Airways Keeper (Reopened)

Ent. Reg. 8-16-33 — 87. (RATING) — Oregon (STATE) — Multnomah (COUNTY)

LEGAL RESIDENCE — APPORTIONMENT NO.

Texas (PLACE OF BIRTH) — 5-15-94 (DATE)

RACE: WH. X | C. | INDIAN | OTHER

Education: C. S. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 H. S. 1 X 3 4 Col. 1 2 3 4 Degrees

Special Qualifications

MILITARY SERVICE (CHECK)

ARMY	NAVY X	MARINE CORPS	COAST GUARD

Enlisted 3-14-17 Discharged 10-10-19

EFFECTIVE DATE	ACTION	POSITION—GRADE	SALARY	DEPT. AND BUREAU OR SERVICE	OFFICIAL STATION
1-24-33	Sel.	Asst.Airways Keeper	1200	Commerce, Lighthouse Service.	Castlerock, Wash.
3-1-33	Prob.Appt.	" " " Counted	$1200	" "	17th Dist.(4240)
JULY 1, 1933 - Transfer to AERONAUTICS BRANCH (T-134)					Oakland, Calif. (4342)
3-16-35	Chg.Des. (T-4945)	Keeper	$1560	"	"17th LH Dist. Field (4678) 1-1-35 Ch. in Status Reper 5-10-35
7-1-35	Chg.Des.	Watchman Counted	$1260	" "	(4796)
(Guard, Field,	exam - 81.65% - in 1935,	Sel.		373006	)
3-10-36	Chg.Status	Keeper	$1320		(4930) 7/26/36 Ch. Status Rep.
7-31-36	Disc. w.o.prej.(Trans.to nonapptd.service)				(5157)

Cert. 1141, 11th Dist. EEG.

Form 2838—May 1931 (C. S. C.)

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EFFECTIVE DATE	ACTION	POSITION—GRADE	SALARY	DEPT. AND BUREAU OR SERVICE	OFFICIAL STATION
8-1-36	(U-10176) Chg. Status & Trans.	07/80-00 4-00 Handyman Cancelled	(1380) $115 p.mo.	Commerce 0707 Lighthouse	17th LH Dist. Field (114)
	03 (Form 375 rated eligible 7-17-36. Sel. #373006)				2/12/37 Chg Stat Reg
See Form 2800					

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SELECTION NO.

☐ DECLARATION
☐ MEDICAL CERTIFICATE
☐ FINGERPRINTS

LEGAL RESIDENCE (STATE) (COUNTY)

APPORTIONMENT NO.

NAME (SURNAME)	(FIRST NAME)	(MIDDLE NAME)	DATE OF BIRTH MONTH	DAY	YEAR	SEX—RACE	CIV. SERV. STATUS	PREF.	MIL. SERV.
FARRINGTON	GRADY	35	05	15	94	1	1	1	2

Announcement No.

Date District

(EXAMINATION)

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

PLACE OF BIRTH

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

CIVIL SERVICE STATUS
CLASSIFIED
1 ☐ Classified
UNCLASSIFIED
2 ☐ Under labor reg.
3 ☐ Sched. A
4 ☐ Sched. B
5 ☐ By statute
6 ☐ Presidential
7 ☐ Ex. order
8 ☐ Outside lab. reg.

SEX AND RACE

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

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

MILITARY SERVICE
1 ☐ Army
2 ☐ Navy
3 ☐ Marine Corps
4 ☐ Coast Guard
(ENLISTED) (DISCHARGED)

Nature of Action Code

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

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

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

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

Salary Basis Code
Salary rates for 3, 4, 5, and 8 are expressed in cents and mills (.000); for 2, 6, 7, and 9, in cents (.00); for 1 and 0, in dollars only.
1 Per annum
2 Per month
3 Per day
4 Per hour
5 Piece-work
6 Per week
7 Fee basis
8 Per day W. A. E.
9 Part time
0 Per annum W. A. E.

	NAME	NATURE OF ACTION: DATE OF— MONTH	DAY	YEAR	ACTION CODE	CIV. SERV. STAT.	AUTHORITY: DIST.	REFERENCE	POSITION CODE: MAIN	SUB	ALLOCATION: SERV.	GRADE	SALARY: RATE	BASIS	AGENCY: DEPT.	BUR.	OFFICIAL STATION: STATE	CITY	JOURNAL SHEET NUMBER
1	FARRING	3	1	37	34			W2375	20840				13801		10	500			5343
2	FARRING	5	14	39	40				20840				1260	1	10	5	16	825	95
3		Reorg. Plan II, May 9, 1939																	
		7 1	39	Trans. Treasury, U. S. Coast Guard															
4		10	25	40	Chg. Stat.				Keeper				$1500 p.a.		Treas., U.S. Coast Guard, New Orleans, La.				59786
5		3	21	41	Trans.				Keeper				$1260.	pa.	Treas., Coast Guard, New Orleans, La. (Duty at Brazos River Lt. Stat., Tex.)				
6																			
7																			
8																			
9																			
10																			
11																			

Form 2800—June 1937 (C. S. C.)

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Form 79

~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~
EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Brazos River Lt Sta, Mch 12, 1942
(Station) (Vessel)

Senior Coast Guard officer ~~SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES~~, 8 DISTRICT:

(a) I respectfully request that I be granted 10 days of liberty or leave, from March 16 to March 26, inclusive, 1942 I have had No days liberty or leave to date during this calendar year.

(b) I respectfully request that my absence of _____ days, from _____

to _____, inclusive, 19____, during which period I certify, on honor, that I was incapacitated for duty by reason of illness, be charged to sick leave.

(See reverse side for physician's certificate and sick-leave affidavit)

Name and address of the substitute light keeper recommended:

None (Name), — (P. O. address)

If leave is granted, my address during absence will be as follows, and any change will be reported to the officer in charge:

Brazos River Lt Sta (Street or R. D. route), Velasco (City), Texas (State)

Forwarded. Approval recommended.
Proposed substitute is considered satisfactory and competent.

Jorgen A. Pedersen
JORGEN A. PEDERSEN. CBM, (a).
(Officer in charge)

Grady Farrington
(Applicant's signature)

assist Keeper
(Title)

LEC

AUTHORITY

Sr. Coast Guard Officer
OFFICE OF ~~SUPERINTENDENT~~ 8th Naval DISTRICT, 13 March, 1942

The above application for leave is approved for 10 days, from March 16

to March 26, inclusive, 1942

Substitute need not be furnished during this absence at rate of $_____
(Insert "must" or "need not")

(Submit time check.)

W B Harbeson
W. B. HARBESON,
By direction

ACTUAL ABSENCE

Absence begun: At 8 a M. Mch 16, 1942
(State nearest hour)

Returned to duty: At 8 a M Mch 26 1942
(State nearest hour)

Grady Farrington
(Applicant)

Certified correct and forwarded.

W Cooper CWK (Pro)
(Immediate superior)

FINAL APPROVED RECORD

Period of absence: 10 10 days.

Charged: Annual (Acc.) 9 days.

Sick _____ days.

L. W. O. P _____ days.

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Form 79

~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
U. S. Coast Guard
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~
8th ~~Naval~~ District.

APPLICATION FOR LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Senior Coast Guard Officer,
Eighth Naval District.
~~SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, xxxxxxxxxx DISTRICT:~~

Brazos River Lt Sta (Station) Nov 10 (Vessel), 1941

(a) I respectfully request that I be granted Five days of liberty or leave, from Nov-11 to Nov 15, inclusive, 1941. I have had ~~xxx~~ 21 days Ann. days liberty or leave to date during this calendar year. 7-16/24 Ann. Sick.

(b) I respectfully request that my absence of _____ days, from _____ to _____, inclusive, 19____, during which period I certify, on honor, that I was incapacitated for duty by reason of illness, be charged to sick leave.

(See reverse side for physician's certificate and sick-leave affidavit)

Name and address of the substitute light keeper recommended:

None (Name), _____ (P. O. address)

If leave is granted, my address during absence will be as follows, and any change will be reported to the officer in charge:

C/o J K Moore Jr (Street or R. D. route), Texas City (City), Texas (State)

Forwarded. Approval recommended.
Proposed substitute is considered satisfactory and competent.

G Farrington (Applicant's signature)

for Jorgen A. Pedersen. (Officer in charge)

Asst Keeper (Title)

AUTHORITY

OFFICE OF SENIOR COAST GUARD OFFICER, EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT.
~~OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT xxxxxxxxxx DISTRICT~~, 12 November, 1941

The above application for leave is approved for 5 days, from 11 November to 15 November, inclusive, 1941.

Substitute need not (Insert "must" or "need not") be furnished during this absence at rate of $ - - - -

(Submit time check.)

D D Hesler
D. D. HESLER, Lieutenant, U.S.C.G.,
Personnel Officer

ACTUAL ABSENCE

Absence begun: At 8 A.M. Nov 11, 1941 (State nearest hour)

Returned to duty: At 8 A.M. Nov 16, 1941 (State nearest hour)

G Farrington (Applicant)

Certified correct and forwarded.

W B Cooper (Immediate superior)

FINAL APPROVED RECORD

Period of absence: 5 days.

Charged: Annual (Acc.) 4 days.

Sick _____ days.

L. W. O. P. _____ days.

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Form No. 2655
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
Revised February 1941

U. S. COAST GUARD

OFFICIAL DISPATCH

TRANSMIT

DATE 8 NOV 1941 UNIT

FROM
SCGO 8TH

TO (FOR ACTION)

FREEPORT STA

TO (FOR INFORMATION)

	PLAIN
	ENCRYPT
	URGENT
	PRIORITY
	ROUTINE
	DEFERRED
	MAILGRAM
	ACKNOWLEDGE
	URGENT
	PRIORITY
	ROUTINE
	DEFERRED
	MAILGRAM
	ACKNOWLEDGE

MAIL TO

TELEPHONE TO

MESSENGER TO

OUTGOING HEADING

L Z QUAG 081537 NRNC GR6

TEXT

YOUR 081410 APPROVED STATION FURNISH RELIEF

TOD STA NR8 1538 WT TO WO

32

JWB DDH FJB

INITIALS OF "RELEASING" OFFICER

OPERATOR'S RECORD

TIME RELEASED

18—30710

Form 2634
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
July 1935

U. S. COAST GUARD

OFFICIAL DISPATCH

8 NOV 1941

UNIT DATE

INCOMING HEADING

NOQ V NOY NR9 T Z NRNC 081410 QUAG GR23

TEXT

GRADY FARRINGTON CIVILIAN KEEPER BRAZOS RIVER LIGHT STATION REQUEST FIVE DAYS LEAVE OF ABSENCE COMMENCING 11 NOVEMBER 1941 DUE TO ILLNESS OF WIFE

TOR NOY 1451 NC FU NR9 T Z

TOD CENTER1514 NR17 CG T O WT

Approved 8 Nov. 1941

OPERATOR'S RECORD 28 DDH FJB

TOR —

(IF RELAYED, SERVICE ON REVERSE) INITIALS OF "ACTION" OFFICER

FROM

FREEPORT STA

TO (FOR ACTION)

SCGO 8TH

	ACKNOWLEDGE
	PRIORITY
	ROUTINE
	NITE

TO (FOR INFORMATION)

	ACKNOWLEDGE
	PRIORITY
	ROUTINE
	NITE

"ACTION" OFFICER INITIAL AND RETURN ORIGINAL TO RADIOROOM, RETAINING COPY

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—7370

Form 207
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

(SEE INSTRUCTIONS AND REGULATIONS ON BACK)

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

Office of the ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~ Commander, New Orleans District, ~~District.~~

New Orleans, Louisiana,
(Place)

January 9, 19 41.

TO THE MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE,

New Orleans, La.

SIR:

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

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

or—

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

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

Signature of employee to be examined _____

Nativity American Age 46 years. Height 5 feet 8 inches.

Color of eyes hazel Color of hair brown

Distinguishing marks Right index finger amputated at first joint.

*Date of original appointment in the Lighthouse Service _____

†Date of certificate by the Public Health Service that person named passed physical examination, March 1, 1933., 19____

Personnel Officer.
(Official title of requester)
New Orleans District.

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

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

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

EIGHTH DISTRICT

New Canal Lt Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Oct 20-, 1934 0

Commander, New Orleans Dist,
U.S. Coast Guard,
New Orleans, La.

Keeper transfer (75)

Attended to

This is to advise that I will move from New Canal Lt Station Oct 24th but would like to make property transfer Oct 23 to be ready to move Oct 24th.

Attended to

Attached is request for 8 days leave that I may go to Marine Hospital for eye treatment when relieved this station.

Pay & Supply

Account paying rent in advance. If I could recive my pay on 1st and 15th would be appreciated, and therefore enabling me to pay my rent more promptly.

Grady Farrington
Keeper

Treasury Department
Form 207
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
~~Lighthouse Service~~
U. S. Coast Guard

(SEE INSTRUCTIONS AND REGULATIONS ON BACK)

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

Office of the Commander ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~, N.O. District.

New Orleans, La.
(Place)

22 October, 1940, 19____

TO THE MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE,

New Orleans, La.

SIR:

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

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

or—

2. A lightkeeper ~~or an assistant lightkeeper~~ on duty at New Canal Light Station (West End) New Orleans, La.
(Name of station)

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

Signature of employee to be examined _____

Keeper, New Canal Light Station

Nativity American Age 46 years. Height _____ feet _____ inches.

Color of eyes _____ Color of hair _____

Distinguishing marks _____

*Date of original appointment in the Lighthouse Service Sept.6,1932

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

By direction:

T. Y. AWALT, Lt.Comdr.,U.S.C.G.
(Title of officer signing request)
Personnel Officer

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

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

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U. S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
AUG 13 8 26 AM '40
DIST. COMDR. REPLY INTELL.
CH. OF STAFF RECOM. P & S
OPERAT. REPORT ORDNANCE
MAINT. EIGHTH DISTRICT
RESERVE RETURN
PERS. INFO
CONTRACT

New Canal Lt Sta
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Aug 10, 1940

Commander, New Orleans District,
U.S. Coast Guard,
New Orleans, La

I am this date married to
Mrs Inez Rovirosa, of New Orleans.

Grady Farrington
Keeper

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

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment: Coast Guard, Lighthouse Service (New Canal L.S., La.- Keeper)

Date: March-13-1940

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss or Mrs.~~): Farrington (Surname) Grady (Given name) None (Middle name)
2. Present address: New Canal Light Station (Number, Street) New Orleans La (City, State)
3. Legal (voting) residence: Oregon 2nd Multnomah Portland (State and Congressional District, County, City or town)
4. Where born: Texas (State or foreign country) Denton (City or town) When born: May-15-1894 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien: ?
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

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

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
U.S. Lighthouse Service	Rutland Oregon	Keeper	105.00	Sept	10	1932	Still in service		

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

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

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

(Title) No (Location) (Date appointment expires)

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

(Wife, widow, or orphan) No (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted: Mch-14-1917 Discharged: Oct-10-1919	Enlisted: Discharged:
Rank: Elec 3rd Class "R" Rank: Elec 1st Class "R"	Rank: Rank:
Organization: U S Navy Organization: U S Navy	Organization: Organization:

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

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

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	POSITION AND CHARACTER OF WORK	LENGTH OF SERVICE
Southern Pacific Co	Telegraph Operator	10 years

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

Common school	High school	College	(Name of college, degrees, and dates conferred)
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16. In case of emergency, notify Virgil Farrington

Relationship Brother Post office address Burkburnett Texas.

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

Grady Farrington

(Name as usually written and which will be used as official signature)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1930

LEC

May 20, 1939

Grady Farrington, Keeper,
New Canal Light Station
Box 260, R.F.D. 5
New Orleans, La.

1. A position of Additional Keeper at Large, with headquarters at the Lighthouse Depot, Galveston, Texas, has been authorized for this district, and you are requested to advise whether you wish to be considered for it. The pay will be ar the rate of $1320 per annum in the range $1320-$1680.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

Assistant Superintendent

GG

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
PORTLAND, OREG.

IN REPLYING REFER TO
DATE OF THIS LETTER AND
FILE No. 2976

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 19 1939
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 17TH DISTRICT
PORTLAND, OREG.

June 14, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
220 Custom House, 423 Canal St.,
New Orleans, La.

Referring to your letter of May 13, 1939, and previous correspondence regarding the transfer of Grady Farrington to your district, you are advised Mr. Farrington was paid by this office to the close of May 13, 1939, on Vo. 20-84632 (16238) paid May 31, 1939, by G. F. Allen, Chief Disbursing Officer, Symbol 108-120.

Form 2806 and Form 79 showing leave taken this year are herewith.

Mr. Farrington has been granted to the close of April 23, 1939, 8 days 4 hours compensatory leave, and 61 days annual, leaving 20-4/24 days annual leave which may be granted to the close of December 31, 1939. He has had no sick leave this calendar year and 44 days sick leave were carried forward at the beginning of the calendar year 1939.

F. C. HINGSBURG,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

7C

Incl.

May 12, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Portland
Oregon

1. Referring to the transfer of Grady Farrington, who was an additional lighthouse keeper in your district, to this district, you are advised that this transfer will become effective beginning May 14, when he will be taken up on the rolls of this office,

2. There is inclosed his application for leave, showing the date and hour it began, together with a letter from Mr. Farrington dated March 28, 1939, stating his understanding of the amount of leave which had accumulated in his case. The application for leave is forwarded with the request that it be completed to show when his leave terminated, and that one of the completed copies, together with a report of his leave, be forwarded to this office. It is requested that his service record card also be forwarded.

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Burkburnett, Texas
March 28, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
New Orleans, La.

Dear Sir:

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Attached is my application for leave of absence for your information.

(Signed) Grady Farrington

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR - 9 1939
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

March 1, 1939.

Mr. Grady Farrington,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective upon entrance on duty (change of station).

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER
MAR - 4 1939

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1380 per annum.

To: $1260 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9061

Good May 14

LEC

June 2, 1939

CHANGE IN DESIGNATION, PAY, OR STATUS OF EMPLOYEE

Name: Grady Farrington

Nature of action: Transfer

Effective Date: May 14, 1939

	FROM	TO
Position:	Additional Keeper in Lighthouse Service, 17th District	Keeper in Lighthouse Service 8th District
Pay:	$1380 p.a. ($1320-$1680)	$1260 p.a. ($1260-$1620)
Station:	17th District at Large	New Canal Light Station, La.

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department letter of March 1, 1939.

E.C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Form 73
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
Approved Sept. 1, 1938

NOMINATION

SPECIAL
TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED

6th LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT New Orleans, La. (City) February 15 (Date), 1939

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended Transfer

Name Grady Farrington Date of birth May 15,1894 Legal residence Oregon

	From—	To—
Position,	Additional Keeper in Lighthouse Service	Keeper in Lighthouse Service
Pay and grade	$1380 p.a. ($1320-$1560)	$1260 p.a. ($1260-$1560)
Station	17th District at Large	New Canal Light Station, La.
Appropriation	Salaries, Lighthouse Keepers	

Effective February 24, 1939 [1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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

Vice Englisbee K. Peyton Pay $1260 p.a. Services to be terminated when transferred

Reason To be transferred to Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas

REMARKS: [2] Mr. Farrington was in this office recently and made request for this transfer. Telegram was sent to the Superintendent of the Seventeenth District inquiring whether satisfactory, copy inclosed, and copy of his reply also is inclosed. Family quarters are provided at New Canal Light Station. Telegraphic reply is requested.

Selection regular, ..., 19.....

H. G. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Manager, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, WASHINGTON, , 19

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

[1] Strike out the clause which does not apply.
[2] In case of vessel officer, state license held.

11—2314

IN REPLYING ADDRESS
COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

DEPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAY - 8 1939
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

May 4, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
New Orleans, Louisiana

The Bureau is in receipt of your letter of April 26, in regard to the case of Fred G. Bowles, assistant keeper at Houston Channel Lights whose transfer to Galveston Harbor was approved by the Department's letter of December 27, 1938, the transfer to Galveston, however, not having been carried into effect because of the application of Mr. Bowles for transfer to the Customs Service.

Your proposal that your office be authorized to request Mr. Bowles resignation from the Lighthouse Service because his case is holding up other transfers is noted. However, it has been the practice with this Service in such cases to continue employees on duty until their services are finally requested by the other agency. The Bureau has taken the matter up informally with the Bureau of Customs in the Treasury Department and has been advised that Mr. Bowles' transfer to that Service has been in the hands of the Civil Service Commission for some time; that is, it is understood that the Commission has the case for character investigation and that such cases require a great deal of time to complete. It does not appear that either Mr. Bowles or the Customs Service is at fault in the delay and that the matter is taking the regular course required. Therefore, the Bureau is not disposed to bring any pressure on Mr. Bowles in the matter and it is suggested that if your office desires to carry the other transfers contingent on his into effect that since you have approval of the Department for the transfer of Bowles to Galveston Harbor ~~that~~ you carry that transfer into effect and proceed with the others in the same manner.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman
Administrative Assistant

HLM/hjm

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
WJB:LEC

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
April 26, 1939

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

With reference to the nomination dated February 15, 1938, covering the transfer of Grady Farrington from the position of Additional Keeper at Large in the Seventeenth District to that of Keeper of New Canal Light Station, La., this district, the Bureau is advised that, in accordance with its indorsement of April 15, 1939, on Form 84 from this office, dated April 10, 1939, arrangements have been made with the Seventeenth District for the detail of Mr. Farrington to this district, pending his entrance on duty under his new appointment, for a period not to exceed thirty days from April 13.

The unusual delay in the transfer of Fred G. Bowles, Assistant Keeper of Houston Channel Lights, Texas, to the Customs Service has placed this office in a very embarrassing position. The Assistant Collector of Customs at Galveston, Texas, recommended to the Commissioner of Customs on January 17, 1939, the transfer of Mr. Bowles to that Department. This transfer is still pending, and, as a result, several transfers within this Service, hinging upon Mr. Bowles' separation, are being held up. Therefore, it is recommended that this office request Mr. Bowles' resignation from the Lighthouse Service without awaiting any further action by the Customs Department on his transfer to that Service in order that the transfers being held up in this Service can be effected.

(Signed) E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

WJB:LEC

April 25, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Seventeenth District
Portland, Oregon

In accordance with your telegram of April 22, 1939, you are advised that Grady Farrington, Additional Keeper in your district, has been detailed to duty in this district, effective April 24, 1939. As soon as the effective date of Mr. Farrington's transfer to this district, under his new appointment, is known, you will be promptly advised.

It is requested that this office be furnished with the complete personnel record of Mr. Farrington, together with a complete record of his leave.

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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For and in the absence of the Supt.

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Chief Clerk.

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Serial Service.
Supt. of Lighthouses, New Orleans, La.

New Orleans, La., April 22, 1939.

Grady Farrington
Burkburnett Texas (Care Virgil Farrington)

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SUPERINTENDENT LIGHTHOUSES

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Chief Clerk.

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Serial Service.
Supt. of Lighthouses, New Orleans, La.

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MERRILL
LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT

4:45 P.M.

(Signed) E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Ligh thouses

WJB LBC NIGHT LETTER

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(POSTAL)

Commissioner of Lighthouses Washington
(Serial Service)

New Orleans La April 21 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Portland Oregon

No reply received telegram eighteenth Stop Farringtons transfer this district approved but cannot yet be effected due delay beyond control this office Stop Request expedite reply stating whether or not he may be detailed duty this district as suggested by Bureau pending actual entrance on duty under new appointment Stop What is his present leave status

MERRILL
SUPERINTENDENT

(Signed) E. C. Merrill

Superintendent of Lighthouses

WJB:LEC DAY LETTER

XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX (POSTAL)

Commissioner of Lighthouses Washington
(Serial Service)

New Orleans La April 18 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Portland Oregon

Due to delay beyond control transfer Keeper Farrington this district not yet effected Bureau advises he may be detailed duty this district if agreeable Seventeenth District Farfington still on leave Wire if you agree detail him this district at expense Seventeenth in order avoid possible leave without pay

MERRILL

LIGHTHOUSES

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Form 84

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES APR 18 1939 NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Place New Orleans, La.

Date April 10, 1939

Commissioner of Lighthouses, Washington, D.C.,

or

~~Superintendent of lighthouses.~~

Subject: Endorsement of this office to Bureau on letter dated March 24, 1939, to Commissioner of Customs, Washington, D.C., in regard to the transfer of Fred G. Bowles to that Service, and particularly in regard to the approval of temporary assignment of Keeper Farrington to the position of Third Assistant Keeper at Galveston Harbor Lights and Fog Signal Station pending action on Bureau (_____*) dated Mr. Bowles.

Your (_____*) dated _____

No. _____ report has been received from your office

on the above subject. Please advise as to status.

For the ~~Commissioner~~ Superintendent,

A. A. Braun Jr.

Chief Clerk.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON April 15, 1939

C.C. Tabulsmith 17th D. accepted + advise Farrington

Returned to Superintendent of Lighthouses, New Orleans, Louisiana, with advice that Farrington may be detailed as proposed if that is agreeable to the Seventeenth Superintendent, the detail necessarily being from Farrington's present position in the Seventeenth District because his transfer to your district has not yet been put into effect.

For the Commissioner:

C. J. Ludwig, Jr., Chief Clerk.

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GRADY FARRINGTON..

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TRANSFER GRADY FARRINGTON APPROVED

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CONFIRMATION

Grady Farrington, Keeper New Canal Light Station $1260

cc

E. C. MERRILL
Superintendent of Lighthouses

WJB:LEC

NIGHT LETTER

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(POSTAL)

Commissioner of Lighthouses Washington
(Serial Service)

New Orleans La February 13, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Portland Oregon

Grady Farrington additional keeper your district visited this office today learned of existing vacancy at light station requested transfer thereto if meets your approval Stop Vacancy must be filled soon Does this transfer meet your approval If so can Farringtons leave be extended until effective date transfer

MERRILL

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SUPT OF LIGHTHOUSES

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E. C. MERRILL
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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Seventeenth District

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SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 18 1939
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

NITE MESSAGE

Portland, Oregon

Feb. 14, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
New Orleans, La.

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Certified Official; F.C. HINGSBURG,

Superintendent of Lighthouses

E. C. MERRILL
Superintendent of Lighthouses

WJB:LEC

(WESTERN UNION)

Supt.of Lighthouses N.O., La.
(Serial Service)

New Orleans La February 17, 1939

Grady Farrington
Care Virgil Farrington
Burkburnett Texas

Your transfer this district approved also extension leave
Remain Burkburnett until directed proceed New Orleans

E. C. MERRILL
Superintendent

The Superintendent of the Seventeenth District has approved your request for transfer to this district, and has also approved extension of your leave. Nomination is being forwarded, but, as directed in telegram, you will await definite instructions before leaving Burkburnett for New Orleans.

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 23 1939
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Burkburnett Texas
Feby - 19 - 1939

Superintendent Lighthouses
Custom House.
New Orleans La.

Your telegram in regard to my transfer received.
Wish to advise that my mother will accompany me to New Orleans to live with me on the station at New Canal.

Grady Farrington

C.C.
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CC
Any reply to Dist. Insp. in Pass Christian matter

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 31 1939
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Burkburnett Texas
March 28- 1939

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New Orleans La.

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Attached is My application for leave of absence for your information.

Grady Garrington

LEC

March 24, 1939

Grady Farrington
Care Virgil Farrington
Burkburnett, Texas

1. Replying to your letter of March 10, 1939, you are advised that there has been unavoidable delay in effecting your transfer to this district due to the that the employee who was to vacate the position of assistant keeper at Houston Channel Lights is being transferred to the Customs Service. News is awaited each day of his separation from the Lighthouse Service. It is regrettable that this unforeseen circumstance has arisen.

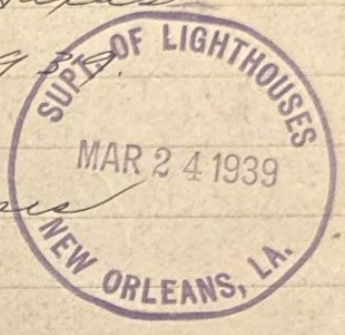
2. Your letter of appointment has been received, but the position of Keeper of New Canal Light Station is not yet vacated. The present incumbent will be transferred to Galveston Jetty Light Station to replace the Keeper who is to be transferred to Houston Channel Lights.

3. Advise how much longer you may remain on the leave which you have accumulated and accrued in the Seventeenth District.

4. The matter of the transfer of the assistant Keeper of Houston Lights to the Customs Service is being followed up with request for prompt action, and you will be duly advised when action is taken.

E. C. Morrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Burkburnett Texas
March 10- 1939.



Superintendent Lighthouses
New Orleans La.

Can You Now advise about what date I will be Called for duty at New Orleans.

Grady Farrington

C.C.
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