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

INFORMATION NEEDED TO LOCATE RECORDS (Furnish as much as possible)

Name used in Service (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Service Number/SSN	Date & Place of Birth
Gallego, Matthew, C.		

MILITARY SERVICE

Branch of Service:

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

Type of Rank:

- ☐ Enlisted
- ☐ Officer
- ☐ Unknown

Service Period (Check all that apply):

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

Date & Place of Death:

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Andrew Burns

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service (CT/NJ/NY) 3rd District		
From: 1924	To: 1924	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	

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

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Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

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MATTHEW C. GALLEGO

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Sent Rec. Sept. 18, 1938.

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MATTHEW C. GALLEGO

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FWO-JHG

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT,

Staten Island, N.Y., April 17, 1936, 19
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, (Thru. 2nd C.S.Dist.) Probationary appointment.

Name, Matthew C. Gallego

Position, Keeper (2A)

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.

Effective, April 20,1936

Legal residence, Mass.

Proposed salary, $1440 p.a.

Proposed range, $1440-1800

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

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

Former position,

Location,

Former salary,

Former range,

Rank on eligible list, 1 Rating, Keeper Percentage, 81.1, Other eligibles considered:

Richard R.I.Knecht---C. William H.Manchester---C.

Previous incumbent, James Cashdollar (Lt.#1621)

Reason, Resigned (Salary $1440 p.a.)

Services terminated, April 17,1936

No employee of District desired transfer to this position. There are no family quarters at this station. Mr.Gallego was employed as 2AK at New London Ledge L.S.,Ct., from 7-2-24 to 10-11-24.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, March 6,1899

Remarks:

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, April 20, 1936

B H Simmons

Secretary, 2nd Civil Service District.

DISTRICT MANAGER

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR 21 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 27, 1936.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego,

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 Fourteen Hundred and Forty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Probationary

Civil Service authority: Manager, Second Civil Service District

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

A. DILLON

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation (unit): Field

Vice: James Cashdollar

Legal residence: Massachusetts

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SUPERINTENDENT LIGHTHOUSES SAINT GEORGE NY

APPOINTMENT MATTHEW C GALLEGO APPROVED

KING

confirmation

2a old orchard sheal 1440

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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 District Date May 4. 1936

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss, or Mrs.~~) Gallegos (Surname) Matthew (Given name) Costa (Middle name)
2. Present address 181 (Number) Ripley (Street) So Somerset (City) Mass (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Mass 5th (State and Congressional District) Bristol (County) So Somerset (City or town)
4. Where born Mass (State or foreign country) Fall River (City or town) When born March 6 1899 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien American Born
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
X			X			X	

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you 5 with me - wife age 34 - Children 3 - ages 6-7-9
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 PA	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
Lighthouse Service	New London Conn.	2ass't Keeper	$96.0.00	July	7	1924	Oct	11	1924

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 None	None
None	Position / Department or office None	None
None.	Position / Department or office None.	None

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

None (Title) — (Location) None (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) (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
X							

Enlisted ____ Discharged ____
Rank ____ Rank ____
Organization ____ Organization ____

Enlisted ____ Discharged ____
Rank ____ Rank ____
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.) Master Electrician

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
For my self	Electrical Work	12 yrs.

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 Mrs Irene Gallego

Relationship Wife Post office address 181 Ripley St. So Somerset Mass

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

Matthew C Gallego

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

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

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old orchard Road

May 6, 1936

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Standard Form No. 17
Approved by the President, March 26, 1926

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REPORT ON PROBATIONARY APPOINTEE

LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 14 8 39 AM '36

This report to be made at expiration of fifth month of service. In cases where the probationary period comprises one year, this report is to be made at the expiration of the tenth month of service.

If service has been unsatisfactory, recommendation for discontinuance under the provisions of paragraph (c) of section 1 of Civil Service Rule VII should be forwarded immediately to the Department. A full statement of reasons should be set forth under "Remarks."

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
(Department)

Third Lighthouse District (Bureau or office)

Staten Island, N. Y., Oct.13,1936 (Place and date)

To Commissioner of Lighthouses:
(Head of department or establishment)

The probationary period of the person named below expires at the close of business on November 5, 1936, 192 .

The conduct and capacity of this employee have been satisfactory during the probationary period, and (he) (~~she~~) is considered qualified for absolute appointment.

Name Matthew C. Gallego

Position Keeper (2-A)

Salary $1440 per annum

Appropriation Salaries, Lighthouse Keepers

Station Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.

Date of entrance on duty May 6,1936

Remarks:

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Forwarded to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner,

Submitted: Chief, Personnel Division

(Signature of immediate superior)
U. T. REED
Superintendent

(Head of bureau or office)

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Form 73

NOMINATION

FWO-JHG

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES MAY 25 8 55 AM '37

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT,

Staten Island, N. Y., May 24,1937 19
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion

Name, Matthew C. Gallego

Position, Keeper (1A)

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.

Effective, June 1,1937 [1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Legal residence, Mass.

Proposed salary, $1500 p.a.

Proposed range, $1500-1870

Appropriation, Salaries,Light-house Keepers

Former position, Keeper (2A)

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.

Former salary, $1440 p.a.

Former range, $1440-1800

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

(LT.#1620)

Previous incumbent and his pay, E.T.Pastorini, Services terminated, May 31,1937

Reason, Transferred (Salary $1500 p.a.)

Members of family in Government service,

Date of birth,

Remarks:

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

J. T. YATES, Supt.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAY 25 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

W.P.HARMAN app

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

WASHINGTON

May 28, 1937.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego,

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 duties).

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,

W. J. GARDNER

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1440 per annum

To: $1500 per annum

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

LIGHTHOUSES
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June 17,1937

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

SUBJECT: Transfer of personnel, effective date.

REFERENCE: Bureau Circular Letter No. 454, dated May 8th, 1934.

1. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of a recent transfer of personnel in the Third Lighthouse District, is as follows:-

Name:	Matthew C. Gallego
Effective Date:	June 14,1937
Former Designation:	Keeper (2A)
Former Station:	Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.
Former Pay:	$1440 p.a.
Present Designation:	Keeper (1A)
Present Station:	Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.
Present Pay:	$1500 p.a.
Date of Department Notice:	May 28,1937

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. W. OCKENFELS,
Asst.Supt.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES - WASHINGTON
June 18, 1937
Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.
For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

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LIGHTHOUSES
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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FWO-JHG

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT.

Staten Island,N.Y. (City) Feb. 2,1938 (Date), 19---

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, Matthew C. Gallego

Position, Keeper (2-A)

Location, Stamford Hbr.Lt.Sta.,Conn.

Effective, March 1,1938 { [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Legal residence, Mass.

Proposed salary, $1440 p.a.

Proposed range, $1440-1800

Appropriation, Salaries,Light-house Keepers

Former position, Keeper (1-A)

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.

Former salary, $1500 p.a.

Former range, $1500-1860

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

(Lt.# 3772)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Maxwell A.Deshon Services terminated, Feb. 28,1938

Reason, Transferred to 1st Dist. (Salary $1440 p.a.)

Members of family in Government service,

Date of birth,

Remarks: Letter from Mr.Gallego requesting this transfer attached hereto.

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

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

F.W.OCKENFELS, Asst.Supt.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

FEB - 3 1938

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

W.P.HARMAN

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

February 12, 1938.

Mr. Matthew C. Callego,

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 and duties).

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. F. CARLOCK

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1500 per annum.

To: $1440 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATION
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

March 8,1938

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

CHANGE IN DESIGNATION, PAY, OR STATUS OF EMPLOYEE

Name Matthew C. Gallego

Nature of action Transfer

Effective Date March 5,1938

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper (1-A)	Keeper (2-A)
Pay	$1500 p.a.	$1440 p.a.
Station	Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.	Stamford Hbr.Lt.Sta.,Ct.

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department letter Dated Feb.12,1938.

J. T. Yates

J. T. YATES
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Form A-32

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

September 21, 1938.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

The Department has accepted, without prejudice, your resignation from the position designated below, effective at the close of business on September 18, 1938.

Bureau ..... Lighthouse Service.

Position ..... Keeper.

Allocation .....

Salary ..... $1440 per annum.

Station ..... Field.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief, Division of Personnel.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 112275

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LIGHTHOUSES

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Form 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT.

Staten Island, N. Y., Sept.16,1938 , 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Matthew C. Gallego Position, Keeper (2A)

Legal residence, Mass. Station, Stamford Harbor Lt.Sta.,Conn.

Salary, $1440 per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended without prejudice effective at the close of Sept.18,1938

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

2nd 1936

Remarks:

J.T.YATES, Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

September 19, 1938

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, recommending acceptance as proposed by the Superintendent.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

WPH
RF

Copy

Sept. 14, 1938

Supt of Lighthouses

Mr. Yates

Dear Sir: -

I have been discharged from hospital and they told me I was bothered with nerves in my legs I do not feel any better so please accept my resignation as I would not be capable enough to keep up with my duties. Thanking you,

Yours very truly

Matthew C. Gallego

MATTHEW C. GALLEGO

MATTHEW C. GALLEGO

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
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GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

July 7,1924

Commissioner of Lighthouses

SUBJECT: Appointment of Matthew L. Yallego as keeper.
REFERENCE: Form 73 dated June 24,1924.

1. Department letter, in duplicate, dated June 30,1924, addressed to Matthew L. Yallego, appointing him to the position of 2nd assistant keeper of New London Ledge Light Station, is returned herewith to the Bureau for correction. This man entered on duty on July 2nd, and the keeper of the station advises that his name is "Matthew C. Gallego", instead of "Matthew L. Yallego" as given in Form 73 forwarded to the Bureau by this office. This mans name on his application and other papers is poorly written which accounts for the fact that his name was incorrectly spelled on the eligible register and the nomination form.

J. T. Yates

Hydro
Radio
Elec. Engr.
Mar. Engr.
Financial
Law and Prop.
Adm Asst.
Dep. Comr.
Comr.

Enclosure

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JUL 9 - 1924
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for amendments.
L.C.R. PUTNAM
Acting Commissioner

See Bureau telegram 7/6/1924 in file of Alfred Auger approving promotion of Yallego

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Matthew C. Gallego (Name) ..... Mass (Legal Residence)

DATE OF BIRTH 3-6-1899 STATUS

DESIGNATION	SERVICE AND GRADE	SALARY	ACTION	BUREAU	STATION—DISTRICT	DATE OF EFFECT
Keeper	—	960	Prob.	L. H.	3rd Dist New London Ledge, Conn.	July 2 1924
		RESIGNED CLOSE OF	Oct. 11, 1924			
Keeper	—	1440	Prob.	L. H.	3rd Dist Old Orchard Shoal	May 6, 1936
"	—	1500	TO 1ST CLASS Keeper	"	" " "	6-14-37
"		1440	Transfer	"	3rd 2nd Stamford Hbr.	3-5-38
Resigned. W. O.P. Close of September 18, 1938						

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Form A-32

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

September 21, 1938.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

The Department has accepted, without prejudice, your resignation from the position designated below, effective at the close of business on September 16, 1938.

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
ENTERED ON JOURNAL
SEP 10 1938
SHEET NO. 38-444
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Bureau ..... Lighthouse Service.

Position ..... Keeper.

Allocation .....

Salary ..... $1440 per annum.

Station ..... Field.

By direction of the Secretary:

CARDED

Respectfully,

SEP 27 1938
[EDWIN] W. GARDNER

Chief, Division of Personnel.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 112275

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LIGHTHOUSES
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Form 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

FWO:HR

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
SEP 21 1938
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT.

Staten Island, N. Y., Sept.16,1938 , 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Matthew C. Gallego Position, Keeper (2A)

Legal residence, Mass. Station, Stamford Harbor Lt.Sta.,Conn.

Salary, $1440 per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended without prejudice effective at the close of Sept.18,1938

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

Remarks:

FEB 9/24/38

J.T.Yates

J.T.YATES, Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

September 19, 1938

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, recommending acceptance as proposed by the Superintendent.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

Sept 14. 1938

Supt of Lighthouses
Yates



Dear Sir:-

I have been discharged from hospital and they told me I was bothered with nerves in my leges I do not feel any better so please accept my resignation as I would not be capable enough to keep up with my duties. thanking you.

Yours very truly
Matthew C Gallego.

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 9 1938
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

February 12, 1938.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER FEB 25 1938

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1500 per annum.

To: $1440 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

CARDED

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

March 9, 1938 Asst. Supt.

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
FILED ON JOURNAL
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 10 1938
WASHINGTON
SHEET NO. 38-118
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

ENTERED ON DUTY March 5, 1938

(Sig.) (Title) Chief of Personnel Division

FEB 22 1938

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 3 8 55 AM '38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 4 1938
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT,

Staten Island, N.Y. (City) Feb. 2, 1938 (Date), 19

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 12 1938
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, Matthew C. Gallego

Position, Keeper (2-A) Request herewith

Location, Stamford Hbr.Lt.Sta., Conn.

Effective, March 1, 1938

Legal residence, Mass.

Proposed salary, $1440 p.a.

Proposed range, $1440-1800

Appropriation, Salaries, Light-house Keepers

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

Former position, Keeper (1-A)

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta., N.Y.

Former salary, $1500 p.a.

Former range, $1500-1860

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

(Lt.#3772)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Maxwell A. Deshon Services terminated, Feb. 28, 1938

Reason, Transferred to 1st Dist. (Salary $1440 p.a.)

Members of family in Government service,

Date of birth,

Remarks: Letter from Mr. Gallego requesting this transfer attached hereto.

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

For and in the absence of ~~the Superintendent~~.

F. W. OCKENFELS, Asst. Supt.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

FEB - 3 1938

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Action O. K'd

Chief Clerk

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 3 8 55 AM '38
SEP 27 1937 RECEIVED

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

THIRD DISTRICT

Old Orchard Shoal Lt.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sept 25, 1937

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Sir:

Subject: Transfer in the event of Vacancies Dist to be considerd.

Greens Ledge.	1st. or 2nd. asst. Keeper.
Latimer Reef.	1st. or 2nd. asst. Keeper.
New London Ledge.	1st. or 2nd. asst. Keeper.
South West Ledge.	1st. or 2nd. asst. Keeper.
Stanford Harbor.	1st. or 2nd. asst. Keeper.
Race Rock.	1st. or 2nd. asst. Keeper.

Respectfully
Matthew C Gallegos

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Ra[illegible] W Retzinger Keeper

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 19 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

June 17,1937

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

SUBJECT: Transfer of personnel, effective date.

REFERENCE: Bureau Circular Letter No. 454, dated May 8th, 1934.

1. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of a recent transfer of personnel in the Third Lighthouse District, is as follows:-

Name:	Matthew C. Gallego
Effective Date:	June 14,1937
Former Designation:	Keeper (2A)
Former Station:	Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.
Former Pay:	$1440 p.a.
Present Designation:	Keeper (1A)
Present Station:	Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.
Present Pay:	$1500 p.a.
Date of Department Notice:	May 28,1937

CARDED

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. W. OCKENFELS,
Asst.Supt.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES - WASHINGTON
June 18, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.
For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

WASHINGTON

May 28, 1937.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego,

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 duties).

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,

[signature] JUN - 7 1937

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1440 per annum

To: $1500 per annum

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field

CARDED

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT.

1937 MAY 25 PM 5

Staten Island, N. Y., May 24, 1937, 19
(City) (Date)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAY 26 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAY 28 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion

Name, Matthew C. Gallego

Position, Keeper (1A)

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.

Effective, June 1,1937

Legal residence, Mass.

Proposed salary, $1500

Proposed range, $1500-1800

Appropriation, Salaries,Light-house Keepers

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

Former position, Keeper (2A)

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.

Former salary, $1440 p.a.

Former range, $1440-1800

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

(LT. #1620)

Previous incumbent and his pay, E.T.Pastorini Services terminated, May 31,1937

Reason, Transferred (Salary $1500 p.a.)

Members of family in Government service,

Date of birth,

CARDED

Remarks:

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

J. T. YATES, Supt.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAY 25 1937

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.

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Standard Form No. 17
Approved by the President, March 26, 1926

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REPORT ON PROBATIONARY APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT 15 1936
COMMERCE APPOINTMENT DIVISION

This report to be made at expiration of fifth month of service. In cases where the probationary period comprises one year, this report is to be made at the expiration of the tenth month of service.

If service has been unsatisfactory, recommendation for discontinuance under the provisions of paragraph (c) of section 1 of Civil Service Rule VII should be forwarded immediately to the Department. A full statement of reasons should be set forth under "Remarks."

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
(Department)

Third Lighthouse District (Bureau or office)

Staten Island, N. Y., Oct.13,1936 (Place and date)

To Commissioner of Lighthouses:
(Head of department or establishment)

The probationary period of the person named below expires at the close of business on November 5, 1936, 192 .

The conduct and capacity of this employee have been satisfactory during the probationary period, and (he) (she) is considered qualified for absolute appointment.

Name Matthew C. Gallego

Position Keeper (2-A)

Salary $1440 per annum

Appropriation Salaries, Lighthouse Keepers

Station Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta., N.Y.

Date of entrance on duty May 6,1936

Remarks:

CARDED

OCT 15 1936

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner,

Submitted: R J Grose Chief, Personnel Division

J. T. Wales (Signature of immediate superior)
J. T. WALES
Superintendent

(Head of bureau or office)

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1732

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 OF COMMERCE
MAY 13 1936
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Department or Establishment Lighthouse District Date May 4 1936

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss or Mrs.~~) Gallego (Surname) Matthew (Given name) Costa (Middle name)
2. Present address 181 (Number) Ripley (Street) So Somerset (City) Mass (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Mass 15th Somerset (State and Congressional District) Bristol (County) So Somerset (City or town)
4. Where born Mass (State or foreign country) Fall River (City or town) When born March 6 1899 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien American Born
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	
X			X			X		

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you Wife me wife age -34- Childen 3- ages 6-7-9
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
Lighthouse Service	New London Conn	2 asst Keeper	$960.00 PA	July	1	1924	Oct	11	1924

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 None	None
None	Position / Department or office None	None
None	Position / Department or office None	None

10. Do you now hold any State or municipal office? If so, state below:
None (Title) ✓ (Location) None (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) (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
X							

Enlisted ..... Discharged .....
Rank ..... Rank .....
Organization ..... Organization .....

Enlisted ..... Discharged .....
Rank ..... Rank .....
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.) Master Electrican

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
For my self	Electrical Work	12 yrs

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 Mrs Irene Gallegos

Relationship Wife Post office address 181 Ripley St So Somerset Mass.

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAY 12 1936
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1936 MAY 12 PM 2:02

CHIEF CLERK

OATH OF OFFICE

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes of the United States

Department of Commerce (Department or Establishment) — Third Lighthouse District (Bureau or Office)

I, Matthew C. Gallego (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.

Matthew C. Gallego
(Signature of Appointee)

RECEIVED IN COMPILATION OF PERSONNEL JOURNAL
Date 5/13/36

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of May, A. D. 1936

at Fall River (City or place), Mass. (State)

[SEAL]

Cecilia F. Newton
Notary Public
My com. expires May 8, 1942

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 2d Asst. Keeper, Old Orchard Shoal Lt. Sta.

Date of entrance on duty May 6-1936

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1089

Form A-30

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 27, 1936.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego,

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 Fourteen Hundred and Forty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Probationary

Civil Service authority: Manager, Second Civil Service District

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

BOARDED APR 30 1936

W. A. DELONG

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation (unit): Field

Vice: James Cashdollar

Legal residence: Massachusetts

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Form 78

NOMINATION

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TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS REQUIRED

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APR 22 1936
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE 3rd DISTRICT.
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES,

Staten Island, N.Y., April 21, 1936
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Thru. 2nd C.S.Dist.)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APR 21 1936
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
RECD.

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Matthew C. Gallego

Position, Keeper (2A)

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.

Effective, April 20,1936

CHIEF CLERK

Legal residence, Mass.

Proposed salary, $1440 p.a.

Proposed range, $1440-1800

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

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

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Former position,

Location,

Former salary,

Former range,

Rank on eligible list, 1 Rating, Keeper Percentage, 81.1 , Other eligibles considered:

Richard R.I.Knecht---C. William H.Manchester---C.

Previous incumbent, James Cashdollar (LT.#1621)

Reason, Resigned (Salary $1440 p.a.)

Services terminated, April 17,1936

No employee of District desired transfer to this position. There are no family quarters at this station. Mr.Gallego was employed as 2AK at New London Ledge L.S.,Ct., from 7-2-24 to 10-11-24.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, March 6,1899

Remarks:

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, April 20 , 1936.

B.N.Simmons

Secretary, 2nd Civil Service District.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

Sent 4/22/36

~~DISTRICT MANAGER~~

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR 21 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

THIS IS A CIVIL SERVICE POSITION

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Adm. Asst. to Secy.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN
APR 30 1936
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

C. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

October 16, 1924.

M
r. Matthew C. Gallego,
Through the
Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

October 11, 1924.

Bureau..... Lighthouses.

Station..... New London Ledge Light Station, Conn.

Position..... Keeper.

Salary..... $960 per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED OCT 17 1924 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

OCT 17 1924

EDW. J. GARDNER.
Chief of Appointment Division.

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CARDED

Form 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

FWO-JHG

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT,

Staten Island, N. Y., Oct. 14, 1924, 19

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT 16 1924
APPOINTMENT DIVISION.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Matthew C. Gallego Position, Keeper

Legal residence, Massachusetts Station, New London Ledge Lt.Sta.,Conn

Salary, $960.00 per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of Oct.11,1924

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

Remarks:

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY
ACTION TAKEN
OCT 16 1924
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

J. F. Hayes

10/16/24

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

OCT 15 1924

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N.Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 13 1924
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THIRD DISTRICT

New London Ledge Lt. Station
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Oct 11, 1924

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Superintendent:—

Please except my regsenation at ona as my health at present is not fit for Light House sirvce's.

I Remain
Matthew J Gallego
2 asst.
New London
Ledge Lt. Sta.

Israel H. Southworth,
Keeper

STANDARD FORM No. 6
(Approved by the President March 28, 1924)

CHIEF CLERK LIGHTHOUSES

1924 AUG 23 AM 10 26

PERSONAL HISTORY

(Statement to be prepared by appointee in his own handwriting)

Bureau, division, or office 3rd Light House District

1. Name in full Matthew Foster Gallego

2. Legal (voting) residence ~~Do not vote~~ 15 Dist Mass Bristol Fall River
(State and Congressional District) (County) (City or town)

3. Where born? U. States. Fall River Mass When born? March 6. 1899
(State or foreign country) (City or town) (Date)

4. If foreign, state whether naturalized or alien —

5. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √

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

6. A complete record of your past civil service for the United States Government:

BRANCH OF SERVICE AND PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
			Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
X	√	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

7. 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 — Discharged —
Organization —

Enlisted — Discharged —
Organization —

8. EDUCATION (Circle number of years)

Common school	High school	College	Degrees, if any
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	1 2 3 4	1 2 3 4	

9. State special qualifications —

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10. Name, relationship, and address of person to be notified in case of emergency:

Mary L Gallego 9 Wooley St. Mother
(Name) (Relationship)
Fall River Mass
(Post office address)

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

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

July 7 1924
(Date)

Present address New London Conn.

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LIGHTHOUSES

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

1924 AUG 23 AM 10 26

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK

1924 AUG 23 AM 10 0

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I, Matthew C. Gallego

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

Matthew C. Gallego
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to Matthew C. Gallego (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] Seventh day of July 7, A. D. 1924

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Samuel Prince

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires 1928

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper	$960 p.a.	New London Ledge Light Sta., Conn.
Former [5]		

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

Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 3rd District

Staten Island, N. Y. (Address), Aug. 22-1924 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on July 2, 1924 (Date)

CARDED

J. F. Wells
(Signature, followed by title)
Supt. of Lighthouses, 3rd Dist.

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

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

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

[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, a chief clerk in the office of a superintendent of lighthouses or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of superintendent of lighthouses and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.

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

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

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LIGHTHOUSES

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1924 AUG 21 AM 9 00

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GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

August 20,1924

Commissioner of Lighthouses;

5 CHIEF CLERK
1924 AUG 21 PM 4 36

SUBJECT: Appointments of Keepers.
REFERENCE: Bureau Circular Letter No.465 dated Aug.7,1924.

1. In accordance with Bureau's instructions re appointments of keepers authorized prior to July 1,1924 and in whose case the bonus was considered as part of the compensation offered but who entered on duty subsequent to that date; the following appointments, in duplicate, are returned herewith for amendment, these being the only appointments of that nature in this District:-

Department letter of June 27,1924 appointing Alfred Auger to the position of 2nd Asst.Keeper of Whale Rock L.S.,R.I. with pay at the rate of $720.00 per annum. Mr.Auger entered on duty on July 5,1924. The new base pay of this position is $960.00 per annum.

Department letter of June 30,1924 appointing Matthew C. Gallego to the position of 2nd Asst.Keeper of New London Ledge L.S.,Conn., with pay at the rate of $720.00 per annum. Mr.Gallego entered on duty on July 2,1924. The new base pay of this position is $960.00 per annum.

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CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED AUG 26 1924 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

AUG 26 1924 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

J. Hayes

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
AUG 21 1924

Inclosure

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval

8/22/24

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

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July 7,1924

Commissioner of Lighthouses

CHIEF CLERK
1924 JUL 9 PM 2 28

SUBJECT: Appointment of Matthew L. Yallego as keeper.
REFERENCE: Form 78 dated June 24,1924.

JUL 10 1924

1. Department letter, in duplicate, dated June 30,1924, addressed to Matthew L. Yallego, appointing him to the position of 2nd assistant keeper of New London Ledge Light Station, is returned herewith to the Bureau for correction. This man entered on duty on July 2nd, and the keeper of the station advises that his name is "Matthew C. Gallego", instead of "Matthew L. Yallego" as given in Form 78 forwarded to the Bureau by this office. This mans name on his application and other papers is poorly written which accounts for the fact that his name was incorrectly spelled on the eligible register and the nomination form.

J. L. Yates

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JUL 9 - 1924
Enclosure
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for amendment.
E C Gillette
Acting Commissioner

7/10/24

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 30,1924.

Mr. Matthew L. Vallego,

Through the Commission of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. _____) issued by the Assistant Secretary, Second Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary:

JUL 1 - 1924

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Robert H.Lyons.

Legal Residence: Massachusetts.

Form A-14 (See reverse side.) 11—6980

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Form 73

LIGHTHOUSES FWO-JHG 1924 JUN 26 AM 9 03

TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RECEIVED U. S. CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT JUN 25 1924

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT.

Staten Island, N.Y. (City.) June 24, 1924 (Date.) 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Thr. Sec'y 2nd C. S. Dist.)

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Matthew L. Yallego — Legal residence, Massachusetts

Position, Keeper — Salary, $720.00 p.a.

Location, New London Ledge Lt.Sta., Conn. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective July 1, 1924 — {'t~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, — Former salary,

Location,

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE JUN 27 1924 APPOINTMENT DIVISION.

Rank on eligible list, 2 — Rating, Keeper — Percentage, 83.0 — , Other eligibles considered:
Roy R. Hansen----C. William P. Hogan----C.

Previous incumbent, Robert H. Lyons — Services terminated, May 15, 1924

Reason, promoted

Members of family in Government Service, None

Date of birth, March 6, 1899

Remarks: No employee of District desired transfer to this position. There are no quarters for families of keepers at this station. No.2 on eligible list will accept appointment only at light stations where family quarters are provided.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission. JUN 27 1924, 19

6/27/24

G. O. Parker
Assistant Secretary, Second Civil Service District.

J. T. Yates
Clerk

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 26 1924

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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L. Conway
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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

Oath of office and

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Fwded to Washgtn 5/8/36 [illegible]

Department or Establishment Lighthouse District Date May 4. 1936

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss, or Mrs.~~) Gallego (Surname) Matthew (Given name) Costa (Middle name)
2. Present address 181 (Number) Ripley (Street) So Somerset (City) Mass (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Mass 15th Somerset (State and Congressional District) Bristol (County) So Somerset (City or town)
4. Where born Mass (State or foreign country) Fall River (City or town) When born March 6 1899 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien American Born
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
X			X			X	

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you 5 with my wife age-34-Children 3-ages 6-7-9
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
Lighthouse Service	New London Conn.	2 asst Keeper	$960.00 PA	July	1	1924	Oct	11	1924

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	None	None
None	Position		
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None	Position		
	Department or office	None	None

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

None (Title) — ✓ (Location) — None (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) (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
X							

Enlisted ..... Discharged .....
Rank ..... Rank .....
Organization ..... Organization .....

Enlisted ..... Discharged .....
Rank ..... Rank .....
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.) Master Electrican

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
For My Self.	Electrical Work	12 yrs.

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 Mrs Irene Gallego

Relationship Wife Post office address 181 Ripley St. So Somerset Mass

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

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

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

I acknowledge receipt of a copy of Department Circular No. 253 (second edition), of September 22, 1914, relating to political activity of officeholders, and fully understand its purport.

Matthew L Gallego
(Name.)

2 asst Lighthouse Keeper
(Position.)

(Bureau, Office, or Service.)

Date, May 4, 1936

(This acknowledgment should be forwarded to, and filed in, the bureau or office to which appointee is assigned.)

Original forwd 8/15/27

STANDARD FORM NO. 6
(Approved by the President March 28, 1924)

PERSONAL HISTORY

(Statement to be prepared by appointee in his own handwriting)

Bureau, division, or office 3rd Light House District

1. Name in full Matthew Peter Gallego

2. Legal (voting) residence ~~Do not vote~~ 15 Dist (State and Congressional District) Mass (County) Bristol Fall River (City or town)

3. Where born? In States (State or foreign country) Fall River (City or town) Mass When born? March 6 1899 (Date)

4. If foreign, state whether naturalized or alien —

5. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √

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

6. A complete record of your past civil service for the United States Government:

BRANCH OF SERVICE AND PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
			Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X

7. 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 — Discharged — Organization —

Enlisted — Discharged — Organization —

8.

EDUCATION (Circle number of years)	Common school	High school	College	Degrees, if any
	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8	1 2 3 4	1 2 3 4	

9. State special qualifications —

10. Name, relationship, and address of person to be notified in case of emergency:

Mary L Gallego (Name) 21 Wooley St Fall River Mass (Post office address) Mother (Relationship)

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

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

July 7, 1927 (Date)

Present address New London Conn.

10—1659

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Matthew J Gallego.
(Name.)

2nd. accustent.
(Position.)

Light House Service.
(Bureau, Office, or Service.)

Date, July 7. 1924

(This acknowledgment should be forwarded to, and filed in, the bureau or office to which appointee is assigned.)

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you [illegible]

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		
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None	Position / Department or office None	None

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

None (Title) — — (Location) — None (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) (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:

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X							

Enlisted ..... Discharged .....

Rank ..... Rank .....

Organization ..... Organization .....

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10—1930

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 District Date May 4. 1936

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Gallego (Surname) Matthew (Given name) Costa (Middle name)
2. Present address 181 (Number) Ripley (Street) Somerset (City) Mass (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Mass 15th (State and Congressional District) Somerset Bristol (County) Somerset (City or town)
4. Where born Mass (State or foreign country) Fall River (City or town) When born March 6 1899 (Month Day Year)
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6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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X			X			X	

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Lighthouse Service	New London Conn.	2nd Asst. Keeper	$960.00 PA	July	7	1924	Oct.	14	1924

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Enlisted ____ Discharged ____
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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
For my self	Electrical	12 yrs.

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 Mrs Irene Gallego

Relationship Wife Post office address 181 Ripley St. So Somerset Mass.

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

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

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PERSONNEL FILE

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHT-HOUSES
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TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

Resigned
8/18-38

THIRD DISTRICT

Stamford Harbor Lt. Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Aug 1, 1938

Superintendent of Lighthouses. Matthew C Gallego

Dear Sir:-

In the event of a vacancy would like to be considered.
Subject Transfer.

	Keeper.	1st asst.	2nd asst.
XXX Greens Ledge.			
XXX Latimer Reef.	"	"	"
XXX New London Ledge.	"	"	"
XXX ~~Orient Point.~~ X	"	"	"
XXX Penfield Reef.	"	"	"
XXX Race Rock.	"	"	"
XXX Romer Shoal.	"	"	"
XXX South West Ledge.	"	"	"
XXX West Bank.	"	"	"

Thanking you very much.

I Remain.
Yours very truly.
Matthew C Gallego.
2 asst Stamford Harbor Lt Sta

M. L. Sowle
Keeper.

X Removed on his verbal request
8-12-38

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Race Rock.	"	"	"
Romer Shoal.	"	"	"
South West Ledge.	"	"	"
West Bank.	"	"	"

Thanking you very much.

I Remain.
Yours very truly.
Matthew C. Gallegos.
2nd asst. Stamford Harbor Lt. Sta.

M. L. Sowle
Keeper

Matthew C. Gallego

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PERSONNEL FILE

Sept.14,1938

Supt. of Lighthouses,
Mr. Yates.

Dear Sir:

I have been discharged from hospital and they told me I was bothered with nerves in my legs. I do not feel any better so please accept my resignation as I would not be capable enough to keep up with my duties.

Thanking you.

Yours very truly,

/s/ Matthew C. Gallego

Gallego, ZAK, Stamford Hbr.

Annual.

Jan 1, 1938	=	2 day	8 hrs 0 mm.
acc to 9/14	=	18 "	8 " 16 "
		20 "	16 " 16 "
Deduct 9/c 62 ab.	=	4 -	8
		16 -	8 - 16 "
Granted		15 -	15 " 0 "
Due		0 "	17 " 16

9-23
Paid to aug 17

Sick

Jan 1, 1938	=	24 day	19 hr 0 mm.
acc to 9/14	=	10 "	14 " 12 "
		35 "	9 " 12
Deduct a/c 62 day ab	=	2 "	12 " 0
		32 "	21 " 12
Due		32	
8/18-9/18 =		~~4~~ "	~~21~~ " ~~12~~ "

ok

Accepting, off close 9/18 dr

FWO:HR

Sept.17,1938

Matthew C. Gallego,
P. O. Box 1536,
Fall River, Mass.

SUBJECT: Resignation.

REFERENCE: Your letter September 14, 1938.

Your letter dated September 14, 1938, resigning your position as 2nd asst.keeper of Stamford Harbor Light Station, has been received and forwarded to Washington, with recommendation that same be accepted, effective at the close of September 18, 1938.

J. T. YATES,
Superintendent.

By:
W. J. LAWTON,
Chief Clerk.

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Copy forwarded for his information to the Keeper of Stamford Harbor Light Station.

J. T. YATES,
Superintendent.

By:
W. J. LAWTON,
Chief Clerk.

Applic. for sick leave encl. for period 8/18 to 9/18 incl.

Form 93

FWO:HR 10/3/38

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT.

Staten Island, N. Y., Sept.16,1938, 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Matthew C. Gallego Position, Keeper (2A)

Legal residence, Mass. Station, Stamford Harbor Lt.Sta.,Conn.

Salary, $1440 per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended without prejudice effective at the close of Sept.18,1938

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

Remarks:

J.T.YATES, Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce,

11—4623

Form A-32

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

September 21, 1938.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

The Department has accepted, without prejudice, your resignation from the position designated below, effective at the close of business on September 18, 1938.

Bureau ..... Lighthouse Service.

Position ..... Keeper.

Allocation .....

Salary ..... $1440 per annum.

Station ..... Field.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

[EDW.] J. GARDNER

Chief, Division of Personnel.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 112275

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COPY-PS

Aug. 16, 1938
Fall River, Mass.

Supt.
Mr.Yates:
Sir: Will not be able to report for work on Aug. 18, 1938
I am on leave.
I have been to Public Heal th Doctor in Fall River,Mass.,
and he has referred me to Marine Hospital at Chelsea,Mass.,
for hospitalization.

(Sgd) Matthew C. Gallego
2nd Asst.Keeper
Stamford Harbor Lt.Sta.,
Stamford, Conn.

Ab. 8/18-31/38-(13)- Days
Went on leave 8/12/38-?
See Gavigan for date-Gallego went on leave. Resigned 9/8/38

TC has accrued leave sufficient to pay
to aug 17- [illegible] 6.83
Pay & Trans aug 17
JHG

about trifles. He was afterwards interviewed by the Chief Clerk in regard to his complaints.

JHG

Apparently under halucenations as he stated he was under the impression that someone was putting poison in his food or drinks as sometimes his legs and arms would become weak. Told him sent thru for him to do want to see a doctor. Also told him to obey orders and get along until he could get transfered. He said McClintock was hard to get along with & the keeper was giving him to [illegible] not create trouble. The way things were going he was under the impression that possibly his work was not exactly satisfactory.

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~~Lewis~~
~~Littlefield~~
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Aug.12,1938

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Matthew C. Gallego, 2AK, Stamford Hbr. Lt.Sta.called at office and wanted to see the 1st Asst.Supt. in regard to conditions at the station. Mr.Ockenfels not being available, I talked to him in an effort to find out just what his complaints were. Upon listening to him for sometime I came to the conclusion that the man took a great interest in his work, and was a trifle overly conscientious, and on account of being of a nervous disposition, things annoyed him that would at other times not be noticed. He stated his health was much better than it had been, but that he still had trouble with his legs, and from what I could gather, all that amounted to was a nervous twitching of his legs or muscles. His greatest complaint seemed to be that the keeper would tell him to do a thing a certain way, but that when the 1AK was in charge he insisted on his doing it a different way. This applied particularly to the starting of the fog signal engines. He said he never had any trouble with the keeper, all his trouble being with the 1AK. One of the things he complained of was that there would be matches on his floor, which he stated he never threw there, and that the 1AK accused him of being untidy. I asked him who put the burnt matches there, and he stated he didn't know, but that it was not him. He was just starting on his monthly leave, and I told him to go back to his station when leave was up, and to make every effort to get along with the 1AK, which he stated he would do. He made a neat appearance, and looked like a steady, well meaning man, but one who was apt to worry about trifles. He was afterwards interviewed by the Chief Clerk in regard to his complaints.

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Mexico — 8/16/38

Cher Monsieur

et Ami

Votre aimable
lettre du 8 courant
me parvient
aujourd'hui
seulement
et je m'empresse
de vous dire
que je serai
très heureux
de vous
recevoir
à déjeuner
le Mardi 23
courant à 13 h.
Je compte
sur votre
présence
et vous
prie de
croire,
Cher Monsieur
et Ami,
à mes
sentiments
les plus
cordiaux

(COPY:HR)

MEMORANDUM

Aug. 12, 1938.

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W. J. LAWTON

FWO:HR

Office, Supt. of Lighthouses, 3rd District,
Staten Island, N. Y., August 16, 1938.

Copy forwarded to Lamb and Litchfield for information. When at this station, observe conditions carefully and question keeper as to services of both assistant keepers, to see if there is cause for the 2nd asst.keeper's complaints, and report results.

J. T. YATES,
Superintendent.

By W.J.LAWTON, Chief Clerk.

Gallego did not return to station but entered Marine Hosp at Chelsea
Received about 9/18/38 Chelsea

GALLEGO

May 9- 1938.

P.O. Box 16 36.

Fall River Mass

RECEIVED
MAY 10 1938
SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N.Y.

Mr. Yates. Supt.

Dear Sir,

I am writing you in reference to my husband. Mr Gallego 2nd Assis. of the Stamford Harbor Lighthouse he came of leave on the 3d of May was due back the 9th but had a severe cold he tried to doctor it and was unable to cure it so I had called physician Sunday and he informed me that it was pneumonia so I am sorry to inform you that he was unable to go back to work. I would be more than thankful to you if you would be kind enough to hold his position as he his our main support I at the present time

not feeling very well and have 3 children to support. Awaiting an early reply and thanking you very much.

I remain

Yours truly,

Mrs. M. C. Gallego.

P.O. Box 1536

Fall River Mass.

PERSONNEL FILE

FWO-JHG

May 10,1938

Mrs. Matthew C. Gallego,
P. O. Box 1536,
Fall River, Mass.

SUBJECT: Illness of M.C.Gallego, 2AK, Stamford Harbor Lt.Sta.
REFERENCE: Your letter May 9,1938.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter dated May 9,1938, relative to illness of your husband, Matthew C. Gallego, 2AK of Stamford Harbor Light Station. In due time kindly advise this office as to when it is probable Mr.Gallego will be able to return to duty.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

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May 10,1938.

1. Copy forwarded for his information to the keeper of Stamford Harbor Light Sta. Mrs. Gallego advised this office her husband is ill with pneumonia.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
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TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

THIRD DISTRICT

Stamford Harbor Light Station
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

May 11, 1938

Supt. of Lighthouses.
3rd. District
Staten Island. N. Y.

Subject: Leave.

Sir;

The second assist. Mr. Gallego went on leave starting May 3, 1938. To-day I received a letter from his wife saying he was ill and under the Doctors care. She said in the letter he has Pneumonia. Inclosed is letter sent to me by Mrs Gallego.

Martin L. Sowle.
Keeper.

May 9 - 38.



Mr. Martin Soules:

Dear Sir:

I am writing You to inform You that my husband came home Tuesday with a heavy cold and tried to doctor it himself. Sunday he became very ill so I called physician in and he found he was down with pneumonia. I have already informed main office. So will You be kind enough to hold all his belongings until You hear from me at a later date. I am enclosing Key to bureau draw. I would not want him to loose his work as he is our main support and I myself am troubled with my heart. I will send You

money that he owes 1st assis. $2.36 as I have not yet received his check. I am at home now and expecting to go in city now if money is there will ship it to you. Thanking you in advance.

Yours truly
Mrs. M. C. Gallegr.
P.O. Box 1536
Fall River Mass.

1st Cast
per

May 24, 1938.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.
Mr. Yates.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAY 1938
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TOMPKINSVILLE

Dear Sir.

Answering your letter dated May 10 concerning Mr. M. C. Gallego 2 A. K. of Stamford Harbor Light Stat I am informing you that he is no on the road to ~~recovering~~ recovery a will be able to resume his duties June 15. Thanking you very much for your Kindness.

I remain
Yours truly.
Mrs. M. C. Gallego.
P. O. Box 1536
Fall River
Mass.

FWO-JHG

Martin L. Sowle, Keeper,
Stamford Harbor Light Station,
Stamford, Conn.

May 25,1938

SUBJECT: Absence of 2AK M.C.Gallego.

1. This office has been advised by the wife of M.C.Gallego, 2AK of Stamford Harbor Light Station, that he is on the road to recovery, and expects to be able to resume his duties June 15th.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. H. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHT HOUSES
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Superintendent of Light Houses
Mr. Jos. Yates.

Dear Sir:—

Mrs Gallego wrote you May 24. 1938 informing you that I would be able to resume my duties June 15 1938 as 2nd asst at Stamford Harbor Light Sta. and I have to this date recived no reply as when I should assume my duties. Would you be kind enough to let me know with your permission if I am to return the 15th of June 1938 or the date that you want me to return. Thanking you very much fo your kindness.

I Remain.
Yours truly
Mr. Matthew C. Gallego
Po Box 1536
Fall River
Mass.

FWO-JHG

June 8,1938

Matthew C. Gallego,
P. O. Box 1536,
Fall River, Mass.

SUBJECT: Return to duty.
REFERENCE: Your letter,undated,received to-day.

1. In reply to your letter, undated, received to-day relative to your return to duty as 2nd Assistant Keeper of Stamford Harbor Lt. Sta.; as you have advised this office your absence from duty was on account of illness, this office is unable to set any particular date on which you are to return to duty. You are, however, expected to return to duty as soon as the condition of your health will permit. Advise this office by return mail of the date on which you expect to return to duty.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

June 9. 1938
P.O. Box 1536.
Fall River, Mass.



Superintendent of Light Houses:—
Mr. Jos. Yates.

Dear Sir:-

Received your letter dated June 8. 1938 today relative to my return to duty. My health is perfect. So I am informing you that I will ~~[illegible]~~ return to duty June 15 1938.

Much oblige and thanking you again

I Remain
Yours truly
Matthew A Gallego.
2nd asst Keeper of
Stamford Harbor Lt Sta.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N.Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 17 1938
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THIRD DISTRICT

Stanford Harbor Lt. Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

July, 1938

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Sir:

Subject Wages:-

Have not recived wages for the Month of May 1st to May 3rd 1938 allso have not recived wages for the Month of June from June 15th to the 30th of June 1938 Kindly answer this to address Matthew C Gallego Po Box 1536 Fall River, Mass. thanking you.

I Remain.
Yours truly.
Matthew C Gallego 2nd asst.
Stanford Harbor Lt. Sta.

M. L. Sowle.
Keeper

Copy RL

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

Third District
Stamford Harbor Light Station
June 23, 1938

Supt of Lighthouses
3rd District
Staten Island, N. Y.

Sir:

Would like to get permission to go to the Marine Hospital to see what is wrong with me. I do not feel good, am very weak and can not sleep well at night. Would like to know about how I will have to go about it, that is, to get into the hospital for observation.

Respectfully,

2nd asst. Keeper,
Matthew C. Gallego.

M. L. Sowle,
Keeper

Copy RL

FWO JHG

June 24, 1938

Matthew C. Gallego, 2AK,
Thru the Keeper,
Stamford Harbor Lt. Sta.,
Stamford, Conn.

SUBJECT: Medical treatment.
REFERENCE: Your letter June 23, 1938.

1. As you are entitled to free medical treatment by the U. S. Public Health Service, in order to be admitted to a Marine Hospital of that service, it will be necessary for the keeper of the station to execute and give to you Form 207, properly filled out. This form should be presented by you to the Marine Hospital to which you apply for treatment.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. LAWTON
Chief Clerk

5/1 – 2/24 actually worked

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3.33 ant that could
have been pd

Left on leave 3d and back 9th

On 5/9 rec'd word that he was
sick and unable to return
to work

On 6/9 office inf'd that he
would return to work on
6/15th

No approved leave for absence
5/3 – 6/14

after 6/15 letter rec'd re returning
to hospital

No definite info re time worked
manner pd to duty or
after 6/15 when roll was prepared

7/18

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July 27, 1938

Subject: Reason -Payment of Salary -June 15-30-1938
not made Matthew C. Gallego-2nd Asst. Keeper
Stamford Harbor Lt. Sta.-Stamford, Conn.

As follows:-

No.1 - No letter from Keeper being received, reporting Mr. Gallego actually returned to duty on 6/15/38
Mr. Gallego on 6/9/38 in letter stated I will return 6/15/38 -Anything could have happened between 9th & 15th as is noted below in letters 6/23 & 24th

No.2 - Could not hold up payroll for receipt of Form 65-Lt. Station-Monthly report for Month of June 1938 to ascertain whether or not Mr. Gallego returned to duty 6/15/38.- C.C. ruling is payrolls are not to be held up.

No.3 - Letter from Mr. Gallego 6/23/38-asking permission to go to Marine Hospital

No.4 - Reply-letter from this office which practically (indirectly) grants Mr. Gallego permission to go to hospital providing-Quote-The Keeper execute and give you Form 207 properly filled out. This should presented by you to Marine Hospital to which you apply for treatment".

No.5 - Spoke to Mr. Gavigan 6/30/38, as is usually done, before closing out Keepers payroll for further definate information re: Mr. Gallego, informed none received, best considered to stop pay.

No.6- With the foregoing in mind and the general office ruling which is that when in doubt about en employees time and in order to avoid any overpayment, confusion in records, delay of payment due and not to hold up payrolls, Mr. Gallego's salary payment was withheld, especially as considerable time was involved both in May and June on account of being confined to hospital.

No.7- It seems that considerble trouble was being experienced in an effort to have leave properly submitted by Mr. Gallego for time absent, which is also partly responsible or partially to blame for delay in payment of salary due and not having achieved full payment of salary due at a much earlier date.

P.S.-It has been the custom in the past that when letters are received from employees regarding salary due and when leave etc., is involved, such correspondence is turned over to Mr. Gavigan and he in turn takes it up with Mr. Ockenfels, the case is investigated and V.C. given instructions as to payment. Mr. Gallego's letter was turned over to Mr. Gavigan by me and he laid it on Mr. Ockenfel's desk in his absence and then I came into jurisdiction of C.C. for questioning.

P. Schrumpf
P. Schrumpf
Clerk

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

PERSONNEL FILE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 23 1938
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THIRD DISTRICT

Stamford Harbor Lt. Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 23, 1938

Supt of Lighthouses.
3rd District
Staten Island N.Y.
Sir:

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Respectfully
2 asst Keeper Matthew C. Gallego

M. L. Sowle.
Keeper

FWO-JHG

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J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

Gallego, Matthew C

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

March 28-31, 1938, 19 No. A.A.Mc Lintock, Personnel File.

To:

From: A.A.McLintock, 1AK, Stamford Hbr.Lt.Sta.

Above with 2nd AK Matthew C. Gallego went aboard the Barge M.T.Farrell, which caught fire while anchored east of station and helped the captain to fight the fire. Both commended for action taken.

Form 73

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PERSONNEL FILE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FWO-JHG

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT.

Staten Island, N.Y. (City) Feb. 2, 1938 (Date), 19....

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer — Legal residence, Mass.

Name, Matthew C. Gallego — Proposed salary, $1440 p.a.

Position, Keeper (2-A) — Proposed range, $1440-1800

Location, Stamford Hbr.Lt.Sta., Conn. — Appropriation, Salaries, Light-house Keepers

Effective, March 1, 1938 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper (1-A) — Former salary, $1500 p.a.

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta., N.Y. — Former range, $1500-1860

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Maxwell A. Deshon — Services terminated, Feb. 28, 1938

Reason, Transferred to 1st Dist. (Salary $1440 p.a.)

Members of family in Government service,

Date of birth,

Remarks: Letter from Mr. Gallego requesting this transfer attached hereto.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, 2/3/38, 19.....

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

V C 2/3/38
T C

Secretary, Civil Service District.

F.W. OCKENFELS, Asst. Supt.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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FWO-JHG

Feb. 8,1938

Matthew C. Gallego, 1AK,
Thru. the Keeper,
Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,
P.O.Box 260, Midland Beach,S.I.

SUBJECT: Transfer.
REFERENCE: Your letter Sept.25,1937.

1. Referring to your letter dated Sept.25, 1937 requesting transfer, in the event of a vacancy, to the position of 2nd Assistant Keeper of Stamford Harbor Light Station; you are advised you have been nominated for appointment to this position, and in accordance therewith you are directed to hold yourself in readiness to report for duty in said position as soon as definite orders are sent you. If appointed to this position it is expected your transfer will be effective about March 1st. Acknowledge receipt of this letter.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 12 1938
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TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

For

THIRD DISTRICT

Old Orchard Shoal Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Feb 10, 1938

To the Supyuntendent.—
Subject Transfer to Stanford Harbor Sta.
Thru Keeper.

In answer to your letter of Feb 8th 1938 I am thankfull for this appointment as Second Asst. Keeper at Stanford Harbor Sta. and will keep myself in Readeness for your instruction.

Respectfully
Matthew C Gallego

Respectfully
Ralph H Kerrigan
Keeper

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

February 12, 1938.

Mr. Matthew C. Cellego,

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 and duties).

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: $1500 per annum.

To: $1440 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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Confirmation of message telephoned to Message Center, Governors Island, New York, for transmittal to

TO GOVT USLHS
LIGHTHOUSE COMMISSIONER
WASHINGTON, D.C.

February 24th, 1938.
(Date)

Have transfers of Keepers Gallego, Dube, O'Toole, Green, Scherpenberg, Westcott, and appointments of Bottone, Thomas and Lee, been approved.

YATES

Received

Time telephoned 11:05 a.m.

By whom telephoned A H D
(initials)

J. T. YATES,
Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Staten Island, N.Y.

Initials of party receiving message R H

Scherpenberg, Westcott, and appointments of Bottone,

Thomas and Lee, been approved.

YATES

JHG

Radio Message to:-

Lighthouse Commissioner

Washington D C

Feb. 24,1938

Have transfers of Keepers Gallego, Dube, O'Toole, Green, Scherpenberg, Westcott, and appointments of Bottone, Thomas and Lee,been approved.

YATES

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

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CLASS OF SERVICE

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NEWCOMB CARLTON, CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD
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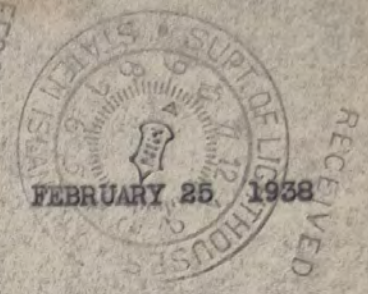
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WESTERN UNION GIFT ORDERS SOLVE THE PERPLEXING QUESTION OF WHAT TO GIVE

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES

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for



WASHINGTON D C FEBRUARY 25 1938

SUPERINTENDENT LIGHTHOUSES ST GEORGE NEW YORK

RERAD THOMAS GALLEO GREEN OTOOLE DUBE LEE WESTCOT AND SCHERPENBERG APPROVED BOTTONE NOT YET APPROVED

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CONFIRMATION

Via RCA

WJL-JHG

Matthew C. Gallego, 1AK,
Thru. the Keeper,
Old Orchard Shoal Lt·Sta.,
P. O. Box 260,
Midland Beach, S.I., N. Y.

Feb. 26,1938

SUBJECT: Transfer to Stamford Hbr.Lt.Sta.
REFERENCE: Letter from this office Feb. 8,1938.

1. You are advised you have been selected for the position of 2d Asst.Keeper of Stamford Harbor Light Station, and in accordance therewith you are directed to report for duty in that position on March 1st,1938. Transportation charges will be at your own expense. Show this letter to the keeper of the station, which will be his authority for assigning you to duty. The name and address of the Keeper is Albert C. Brennecke, Stamford, Conn. Acknowledge receipt of this letter.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

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1. Copy forwarded for his information to the Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta. Report to this office promptly by letter of the date on which Mr.Gallego leaves Old Orchard Shoal Lt'Sta.

J. T. YATES,
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

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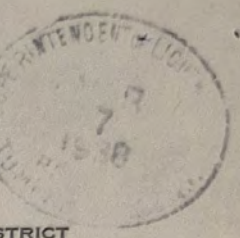
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J. T. YATES
Chief Clerk

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



THIRD DISTRICT

Old Orchard Shoals Lt
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 4, 1938

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Subject Transfer to Stamford Hbr Lt Sta

Matthew C Gallegolah took leave from Old Orchard Shoals Lt March 4/38 to report to Stamford Hbr Lt Sta. at 10 a.m.

Had not got letter from Office till March 4/38 as we could not get in on account of rough Water.

Ralph W Kepinger
Keeper

P. O. Box 260
Midland Beach
S. I. N. Y.

Last day at Old Orchard 3/4/38

Water RS 3/8/38

FWO-JHG

Ralph W. Rexinger, Keeper. March 5,1938
Old Orchard Shoal Light Station,
P. O. Box 260,
Midland Beach, S.I., N. Y.

SUBJECT: Transfer of M.C.Gallego,1AK, to Stamford Hbr.Lt.Sta.
REFERENCE: Letter from this office Feb. 26,1938.

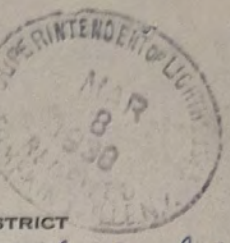
1. Referring to endorsement of this office forwarding copy of letter of Feb.26th to M.C.Gallego, 1AK, directing him to report for duty at Stamford Hbr. Lt.Sta. on March 1st, and directing you to report to this office promptly by letter the date on which Mr. Gallego left Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.; you are directed to advise this office, without fail, by return mail as to whether or not he has as yet left the station, and if not, the reason he has not left. If he has left the station, state on what date he left. If he left the station on March 1st, submit explanation as to why you did not advise this office promptly to that effect.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



THIRD DISTRICT

Per

Stamford Hbr. Lt. Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 5, 1938

Superintendent Of Lighthouses,
Staten Island, N. Y.

Sir:-

Mr. Gallegs 2nd Asst. Keeper arrived at Station Saturday noon March 5-1938

Respectfully
A. C. Brinnecke
Keeper.

E O D at Stamford Harbor 3-5-38

noted CS 3/8/38

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

March 8,1938

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

CHANGE IN DESIGNATION, PAY, OR STATUS OF EMPLOYEE

Name Matthew C. Gallego

Nature of action Transfer

Effective Date March 5,1938

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper (1-A)	Keeper (2-A)
Pay	$1500 p.a.	$1440 p.a.
Station	Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.	Stamford Hbr.Lt.Sta.,Ct.

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department letter Dated Feb.12,1938.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent of Lighthouses

M. C. Gallego

1st Asst.Supt.

Jan. 24,1938

Expected vacancy in position of 2AK, Stamford Hbr.Lt.Sta., vice Deshon to be transferred to 1st Dist.

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Applicants for transfer to 2AK, Stamford Hbr:

R. H. Green, 2AK, Latimer Reef, entered service in present position on 7-12-35

Already Selected for Gallego SC

M. C. Gallego, 1AK, Old Orchard, entered service as 2AK of Old Orchard on 5-7-36

OK Dale

FEB -2 1938

E. Scherpenberg, 1AK, Little Gull, entered service as 2AK of Little Gull 6-19-37

M.F.Westcott, 2AK, Little Gull, entered service in present position on Oct.4,1937. (Still in probation.)

JHG

Promote Duke 2d asst to 1st asst Old Orchard

FEB -2 1938

New man 2d " "

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
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STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
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2-8-38

To B Transferred to Stamford Harbor Lt Sta 3/1/38

PERSONNEL FILE

THIRD DISTRICT

Old Orchard Shoal Lt.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sept 25, 1937

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

M C Gallego

Sir:

Subject: Transfer in the event of Vacancies I wish to be considerd.

+ +	Green's Ledge.	1 st. or 2 nd. asst. Keeper.
+ +	Latimer Reef.	1 st. or 2 nd. asst. Keeper.
+ +	New London Ledge.	1 st. or 2 nd. asst. Keeper.
+ +	South West Ledge.	1 st. or 2 nd. asst. Keeper.
+ +	Stanford Harbor.	1 st. or 2 nd. asst. Keeper.
+ +	Race Rock.	1 st. or 2 nd. asst. Keeper.

Respectfully
Matthew J Gallego

Respectfully Forwarded.

Ralph W Reping Keeper

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PERSONNEL FILE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT,

Staten Island, N. Y. (City) May 24,1937 (Date), 19---

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion

Name, Matthew C. Gallego

Position, Keeper (1A)

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.

Effective, June 1,1937

Legal residence, Mass.

Proposed salary, $1500 p.a.

Proposed range, $1500-1870

Appropriation, Salaries,Light-house Keepers

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

Former position, Keeper (2A)

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.T.

Former salary, $1440 p.a.

Former range, $1440-1800

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, E.T.Pastorini Services terminated, May 31,1937

Reason, Transferred (Salary $1500 p.a.)

Members of family in Government service,

Date of birth,

Remarks:

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

VC JC

Secretary, Civil Service District.

J. T. YATES, Supt.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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FWO-JHG

Matthew C. Gallego, 2AK,
Thru. the Keeper,
Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,
P.O.Box 260, Midland Beach S.I.

June 8,1937

SUBJECT: Promotion.

1. Transmitted herewith is Department letter dated May 28,1937 promoting you from 2AK to 1AK of Old Orchard Shoal Light Station, and in accordance therewith you are directed to enter on duty in said position on June 14,1937.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

May 28, 1937.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego,

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 duties).

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,

[signature] L. GARDNER

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1440 per annum

To: $1500 per annum

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field

ADDRESS:
THE MANAGER
SECOND U.S. CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT
FEDERAL BUILDING, CHRISTOPHER ST.
NEW YORK, N.Y.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

SECOND UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT

COMPRISING NEW YORK STATE AND THE COUNTIES OF BERGEN, ESSEX, HUDSON, MIDDLESEX, MONMOUTH, MORRIS, PASSAIC, SUSSEX, AND UNION IN NEW JERSEY

OFFICE OF THE MANAGER, NEW YORK, N.Y.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
FILE GCV
AND DATE OF THIS LETTER

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 15 1937
RECEIVED
TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

June 14, 1937.

Secretary,
Board U. S. Civil Service Examiners,
Third Lighthouse District,
Tompkinsville,S.I., N.Y.

PERSONNEL FILE

My dear Mr. Lawton:

The Civil Service Commission at Washington, D. C. requested that the examination papers for Matthew Costa Gallege be checked, due to the fact that the Department of Commerce reports his name as Matthew C. Gallego.

The records of this office indicate that he competed in the Keeper examination and attained a rating of 81.1%, the register for which was established February 21, 1931.

Very truly yours,

B. H. Clemmons,
District Manager.

FWO-JHG

June 15,1937

The Manager,
2nd Civil Service District,
641 Washington Street,
New York, N. Y.

Sir:-

SUBJECT: Matthew C. Gallego, spelling of name.
REFERENCE: Your letter June 14,1937 - File GCV.

1. In reply to your letter of June 14, 1937, you are advised that on all of our records this man's surname is spelled Gallego, as shown by application filed in this office in 1930 and which is forwarded herewith with request same be returned after it has served its purpose.

Respectfully

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

ADDRESS:
THE MANAGER
SECOND U.S. CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT
FEDERAL BUILDING, CHRISTOPHER ST.
NEW YORK, N.Y.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
FILE GCV
AND DATE OF THIS LETTER

SECOND UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT

COMPRISING NEW YORK STATE AND THE COUNTIES OF BERGEN, ESSEX, HUDSON, MIDDLESEX, MONMOUTH, MORRIS, PASSAIC, SUSSEX, AND UNION IN NEW JERSEY

OFFICE OF THE MANAGER, NEW YORK, N.Y.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 23 1937
RECEIVED
TOMPKINSVILLE N.Y.

June 22, 1937.

Secretary,
Board U. S. Civil Service Examiners,
Third Lighthouse District,
Tompkinsville, S.I., N.Y.

My dear Mr. Lawton:

There is returned herewith the application of Matthew C. Gallego which you forwarded with your letter of June 15, 1937.

Your promptness in forwarding the application is very much appreciated.

Very truly yours,

B. H. Clemmons,
District Manager.

Encl.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

PERSONNEL FILE

GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

June 17,1937

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

SUBJECT: Transfer of personnel, effective date.

REFERENCE: Bureau Circular Letter No. 454, dated May 8th, 1934.

1. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of a recent transfer of personnel in the Third Lighthouse District, is as follows:-

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Name:	Matthew C. Gallego
Effective Date:	June 14,1937
Former Designation:	Keeper (2A)
Former Station:	Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.
Former Pay:	$1440 p.a.
Present Designation:	Keeper (1A)
Present Station:	Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.
Present Pay:	$1500 p.a.
Date of Department Notice:	May 28,1937

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. W. OCKENFELS,
Asst.Supt.

FWO-JHG

Ralph W. Rexinger, Keeper,
Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,
P. O. Box 260,
Midland Beach, S. I., N. Y.

Oct. 2,1936

SUBJECT: Probation of M.C.Gallego, 2AK.

1. The probationary period of employment of Matthew C. Gallego, 2nd Asst.Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta. will expire on November 5,1936. Advise this office by return mail if his services have been satisfactory, and whether or not, in your opinion, he is a suitable and competent man to receive a permanent appointment in his present position. If you do not consider him competent, state fully in what respects he is incompetent.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OCT 13 1926 RECEIVED SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

THIRD DISTRICT

Superintendent of Lighthouses Old Orchard Shoal Lt
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Oct 9, 1926

Subject Probation of W. C. Gallego 2 ab

In my opinion
W. C. Gallego is a suitable and competent man
to receive a permanent appointment

Ralph W Reisinger
Keeper
Old Orchard Shoal
Lt
P. O. Box 260
Midland Beach
S. I. N. Y.

Standard Form No. 17
Approved by the President, March 26, 1926

FWO-JHG

REPORT ON PROBATIONARY APPOINTEE

This report to be made at expiration of fifth month of service. In cases where the probationary period comprises one year, this report is to be made at the expiration of the tenth month of service.

If service has been unsatisfactory, recommendation for discontinuance under the provisions of paragraph (c) of section 1 of Civil Service Rule VII should be forwarded immediately to the Department. A full statement of reasons should be set forth under "Remarks."

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
(Department)

Third Lighthouse District
(Bureau or office)

Staten Island, N. Y., Oct.13,1936
(Place and date)

To Commissioner of Lighthouses:
(Head of department or establishment)

The probationary period of the person named below expires at the close of business on November 5, 1936, 192 .

The conduct and capacity of this employee have ---- been satisfactory during the probationary period, and (he) (~~she~~) is ---- considered qualified for absolute appointment.

Name Matthew C. Gallego

Position Keeper (2-A)

Salary $1440 per annum

Appropriation Salaries, Lighthouse Keepers

Station Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y.

Date of entrance on duty May 6,1936

Remarks:

Submitted:

(Signature of immediate superior)
J. T. YATES
Superintendent

(Head of bureau or office)

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



N 6/3/36

THIRD DISTRICT

PERSONNEL FILE Old Orchard Shoal
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 1, 1936

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Gent. Sir—

Subject to Pay Check

Would you kindly please fotward my check to P.O. Box 1536 Fall River Mass. thanking you.

I Remain
Yours truly
Matthew F Gallego

Forwarded
Ralph H Higgins
Keeper

WJL-PS

June 3, 1936

M. C. Gallego,
Thru Keeper,
Old Orchard Light Sta.,
P.O.Box 260,
Midland Beach, S.I.,N.Y.

Subject: Pay Check

Reference: Letter June 1, 1936.

Advise this office with reference to forwarding of pay check to P.O.Box 1536 Fall River, Mass, for salary due Month of May, 1936, only, or whether desired for future mailing of checks.

J.T.Yates,
Superintendent

By: W.J. Lawton
Chief Clerk.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
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Supt of Lighthouses

(19) 6/16/36

THIRD DISTRICT

Old Orchard Light Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 10, 1936

Sir:

Subject: to pay check.

Kindly please forward check to the same address. P. O. Box 1536 for the future.
Fall River Mass.
Matthew C Gallego.

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Yours truly
M C Gallego.

Ralph W. Reinge
Keeper

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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PERSONNEL FILE

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GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

May 9,1936

Ralph W. Rexinger, Keeper
Old Orchard Shoal Light Station
Staten Is.,N.Y.

1. Furnish the information called for below in regard to Assistant Keeper Matthew C. Gallego and return this sheet to this office.

2. Be careful to see that the information given is accurate.

Born in (Country or State) Fall River Mass.
Age 37 Thirty Seven
Height 5 feet 6½ inches
Weight 129 pounds
Color of Hair Black
Color of eyes Brown
Distinguishing marks None

J. T. YATES
Superintendent.

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1. Returned to Superintendent, the information required having been inserted above

Ralph W. Rexinger
Keeper

Form
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

FWO-JHG

Office of Superintendent
Third Lighthouse District
Staten Island, N. Y.

Matthew C. Gallego, 2AK,
Thru. the Keeper,
Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.

May 21,1936

1. Enclosed is Form 206 "Record of Physical Examination of Light Keeper or Assistant Light Keeper", addressed to the U.S. Public Health Service, requesting that you be given a physical examination, for the purpose of determining whether or not you are entitled to medical relief without charge at hospitals and other stations of the Public Health Service, pursuant to the Act of Congress, approved August 28,1916. A copy of the provision contained in said Act is quoted in District Circular Letter No. 187, dated May 21,1917.

2. You are directed to arrange to take the required physical examination at the earliest practicable date.

3. After you have been given a physical examination by the medical officer designated on attached Form 206, said Form 206 will be returned to you by the medical officer. You will then send it to this office so that it may be recorded, after which it will be returned to you. The original copy of Form 206 will then be your property, and you are directed to preserve it and keep it in your possession for future reference.

4. The Assistant Keeper is to sign Form 206 where marked "A" and the Keeper to sign where marked "B".

J. T. YATES

Superintendent

Form 206
(Ed. 11-22-28)

FILE NO. 8

RECORD OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION OF LIGHT KEEPER OR ASSISTANT LIGHT KEEPER

IN CONNECTION WITH MEDICAL RELIEF BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

FWO-JHG

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT,

PLACE, Staten Island, N. Y.

DATE, May 21,1936, 19

To the MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,
U. S. Public Health Service,
Marine Hospital No.21,
Stapleton, N. Y.

SIR:

Please examine Matthew C. Gallego, 2AK, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.

nativity, Mass.; age, ~~37~~; height, 5 feet, ~~6~~ 6½ inches;

weight, 129 pounds; color of hair, ~~Black~~; color of eyes, brown

distinguishing marks, None.

as to eyesight, hearing, and physical condition.

When the examination has been completed the findings should be recorded on this blank and the blank returned to the applicant.

Respectfully, J.T.YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton
Chief Clerk
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

A

(Signature of applicant:) /s/ Matthew C. Gallego

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

B

Witnessed by Keeper, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE, U. S. Marine Hospital, Stapleton, N. Y.

DATE, July 1,1936, 19

To SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES.

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

~~He is disqualified for the reasons shown on page 2.~~

/s/ Edward R. Bennett

A.A. *Surgeon, U. S. Public Health Service.*

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

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REPORT OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE, Stapleton, N. Y.

DATE, July 1,1936, 19

Name of applicant, Matthew C. Gallego

Eyes: Color, Brown; exophthalmus, None

chronic inflammation, none; other abnormality, none

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

other conditions, normal

Eyesight:

Vision of right eye, without glasses, 20/20; with glasses, Not worn

Vision of left eye, without glasses, 20/20; with glasses, do

Is applicant partially or wholly color-blind? No

If color-blind, state which color he confuses

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

Ears:

Abnormalities, None; shape, Normal

Position, normal; condition of drums normal

Evidence of mastoid disease, No

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

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

Distance whispered speech can be heard: Right ear, 20 feet; left ear, 20 feet.

Lungs: Normal

Heart: Normal B P 134/86

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

Slight relaxation of right internal inguinal ring - no hernia.

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Reasons for certification of disqualification: _____

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PLACE FOR SEAL OF THE U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE.

(Signature of applicant:) /s/ Matthew C. Gallego

(To be signed in the presence of the medical examiner.)

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FWO-JHG

Matthew C. Gallego, 2AK,
Thru. the Keeper,
Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,
P. O. Box 260
Midland Beach, S.I., N. Y.

July 3,1936

SUBJECT: Record of Physical Examination.
REFERENCE: Form 206, dated May 21,1936.

1. Form 206, record of your physical examination, is returned herewith, a copy of same having been made for the files of this office.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

PERSONNEL FILE

RECEIVED JUL 23 1936 SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES STATEN ISLAND, N. Y. THIRD DISTRICT

Old Orchard Shoals Sta
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

July 22, 1936

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Subject 2nd asst Keeper Matthew C Gallego

Reported to me at 3 PM
this day that he has a Sore Throat and
that he wish to go to a Physician for
Treatment,
I am sending Matthew C Gallego in by the
first boat I can get to pick him up
to take ashore & Report to Office for Paper
to admit him for treatment by a Physician.

Ralph W Pettingell Keeper.

P.S. Edward Pastorini #4 1 asst Keeper
14 Thorpe St
Fairfield
Conn
Is on leave at the above address.

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

FWO-JHG

Office of the Superintendent of Lighthouses, 3rd District.

Staten Island, N. Y., July 23,1936
(Place)

July 23,1936, 19

To the Medical Officer in Charge,

U. S. Public Health Service,
Marine Hospital No.21,
Stapleton, N. Y.

Sir:

It is requested that an examination be made of Matthew C. Gallego
(Name and title of person to be examined)
in the U. S. Lighthouse Service, attached to Old Orchard Shoal, and, if in need of medical
(Name of vessel or station) Lt.Sta.
treatment and entitled to same as a beneficiary of the Public Health Service, to furnish him with such medical treatment as the case may require. The signature and description of the applicant appear below.

Signature of employee to be examined .....

Title 2nd Asst.Keeper

Nativity Mass. Age 37 years. Height 5 feet 6½ inches.

Color of eyes brown Color of hair black

Distinguishing marks None

*Date of original appointment in the Lighthouse Service .....

†Date of certificate by the Public Health Service that person named passed physical examination,

July 1,1936, 19

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Layton,
(Title of officer signing request)
Chief Clerk

*Fill in only if person to be examined is a light keeper or assistant light keeper.

†Fill in only in case of light keeper or assistant light keeper when the date of original appointment in the Lighthouse Service is subsequent to August 27, 1916.

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FWO-JHG

Ralph W. Rexinger, Keeper,
Old Orchard Shoal Light Station,
P. O. Box 216,
Midland Beach, S.I., N. Y.

July 23,1936

SUBJECT: M.C.Gallego,2AK, illness.
REFERENCE: Your letter dated July 22,1936.

1. As you are the Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta., it was your duty to supply Mr.Gallego with Form 207, in accordance with Paragraph 2 of Instructions on the back of Form 207. A supply of Form 207 should be kept on the station for such purposes and assistant keepers, who are entitled to free treatment, supplied with same by you, instead of sending the men to this office.

2. It further appears from conversation with Assistant Keeper Gallego that any throat trouble he may have is slight and that he did not go ashore at his request but at your solicitation or request. Under the circumstances there appears to be no justification for your action in sending Assistant Keeper Gallego ashore particularly at a time when the 1st Asst.Keeper is apparently ashore leaving but one man to operate the station, which necessarily raises question as to your judgment and ability to manage station affairs in such a manner that the station will be operated in a proper and reliable manner. In this connection it is to be noted that Mr.Gallego underwent physical examination on July 1st or approximately three weeks ago, at which time he met all requirements as to physical ability.

3. Mr.Gallego has been furnished with the necessary request for medical treatment, and has been instructed to go to the Marine Hospital for whatever treatment may be necessary, and to return to his station at the earliest possible moment.

4. Three keepers are employed at Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,and it is expected that there will be two keepers on the station at all times, except possibly in a case of actual emergency, and you will see that this requitement is adhered to in the future.

J.T.YATES,
Supt.

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

Is any member of your family living under the same roof with you, in the service of the United States? _____

If so, state relationship M C Gallego

Where is such member of family employed? _____

Form 2

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

3rd DIST.,

6, 1936 19

PERSONNEL FILE

SIR: Yo Asst. Keeper

of Old Orchard Shoal Lt. Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)

Total Compensation: $ 1440.00 per annum.

Quarters and Fuel: Quarters are provided for the 3 keepers at this station, but not for families of keepers. Family quarters can probably be rented on Staten Island.
(State whether or not quarters and fuel are provided by the Government for the families of keepers at this station, or if quarters can be rented by appointee in the vicinity.)

Furniture: Necessary furniture will be supplied by the Government.
(State articles of furniture to be furnished by the Government.)

Promotion: Appointees will be considered for promotion to higher positions as vacancies occur.

Shore Liberty: Not exceeding 72 days per annum may be granted to employees at this station.

This is a letter of inquiry and not an offer of the position, as other eligibles are also being considered for the same position, any one of whom may be selected, although all may indicate willingness to accept this position.

No furniture or quarters for families are provided, except as stated above. Any additional articles of furniture required, and necessary provisions, must be provided by employees.

Read carefully the Instructions to Eligibles on the other side before returning this letter.

You will, therefore, please advise this office in this connection by answering the questions below and returning this communication at the earliest date practicable.

Respectfully,

J. T. YATES

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? _____

If selected, I can report for duty in _____ days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? _____

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? _____

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

_____

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." _____ If yes, state how many _____; and fill in the following blanks.

Returned letter to

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
On C Gallego	A			
R. R. Knecht	D			
W. H. Manchester	7 R	Position Department or office		
Nich. Needham	A	Position		
P C Trsette	A	Department or office		
J B Dupre	A			
J Laposky	A			
P. H Karson	A			

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

_____

_____

(Signature) _____

Date _____ (Post-office address) _____

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PERSONNEL FILE

LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

201
T OF COMMERCE
HOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

JHG

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936 19

SIR: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of 2d Asst.Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Lt. Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)

Total Compensation: $ 1440.00 per annum.

Quarters and Fuel: Quarters are provided for the 3 keepers at this station, but not for families of keepers. Family quarters can probably be rented on Staten Island.
(State whether or not quarters and fuel are provided by the Government for the families of keepers at this station, or if quarters can be rented by appointee in the vicinity.)

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You will, therefore, please advise this office in this connection by answering the questions below and returning this communication at the earliest date practicable.

Respectfully,

J. T. YATES

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you?.....

If selected, I can report for duty in.....days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time?.....

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered?.....

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

.....

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No."..... If yes, state how many .....; and fill in the following blanks.

Similar letter to Oct 4/13

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
On C Gallego	D			
R. R. Knecht	D	Position..... Department or office.....		
W. H. Manchester	7 R			
Nich. Needham	A	Position..... Department or office.....		
P C Trsette	A			
J B Dupre	A			
J Laposky	A			
P. H Larson	A			

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

.....

.....

(Signature).....

Date.....

(Post-office address).....

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FWO-JHG

April 6,1936

The Manager,
2nd Civil Service District,
641 Washington St.,
New York, N. Y.

SUBJECT: Eligible Register, Keeper and Assistant Keepers - extension of.
REFERENCE: Letters from this office of Oct.18,1935 and Feb.13,1936, and your letter of Oct.22,'35.

1. Referring to letter from this office dated Feb.13,1936 requesting authority for extending the present eligible register of Keepers and Assistant Keepers which expired on Feb.20,1936; you are advised there is at present a vacancy in the position of Assistant Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Light Station,N.Y., which it is important be filled with the least possible delay, and information is requested as to whether this vacancy may be filled by selection from the eligible register referred to.

Respectfully,

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

ADDRESS:
THE MANAGER
SECOND U.S. CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT
FEDERAL BUILDING, CHRISTOPHER ST.
NEW YORK, N.Y.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

SECOND UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT

COMPRISING NEW YORK STATE AND THE COUNTIES OF BERGEN, ESSEX, HUDSON, MIDDLESEX, MONMOUTH, MORRIS, PASSAIC, SUSSEX, AND UNION IN NEW JERSEY

OFFICE OF THE MANAGER, NEW YORK, N.Y.

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
FILE GCV
AND DATE OF THIS LETTER

APR 8 1936 RECEIVED

April 7, 1936.

Superintendent,
Third Lighthouse District,
Tompkinsville, S.I., N.Y.

My dear Mr. Yates:

Reference is made to your letter dated April 6, 1936, in which you request authority to make probational appointment to the position of Assistant Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Light Station, N. Y. from the Keeper and Assistant Keeper register which was established February 21, 1931.

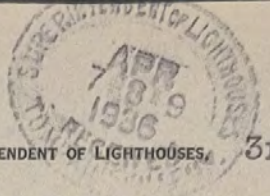
With respect to the above you are authorized to make probational appointment from the register referred to in order to prevent temporary appointment.

Very truly yours,

H. W. Rempe,
Acting District Manager.

Form 201
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LETTER TO ELIGIBLES



OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

FWO-JHG

Nicholas Needham Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936

SIR: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of 2nd Asst.Keeper
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
of Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.

Is any member of your family living under the same roof with you, in the service of the United States? No

If so, state relationship

There is such member of family employed?

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granted to employees at this station.

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No furniture or quarters for families are provided, except as stated above. Any additional articles of furniture required, and necessary provisions, must be provided by employees.

Read carefully the Instructions to Eligibles on the other side before returning this letter.

You will, therefore, please advise this office in this connection by answering the questions below and returning this communication at the earliest date practicable.

Respectfully,

J. T. YATES

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes

If selected, I can report for duty in 5 days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." Yes If yes, state how many 1; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
Ralph S. Logan	New Bedford, Mass.,	Position Mate Department or office Commerce	Brother in law	Married
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

(Signature) Nicholas Needham

Date April 7, 1936 (Post-office address) New Bedford, Mass.,

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Form 201
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

APR 8 1936

FWO-JHG

Nicholas Needham

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936

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(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
of Old Orchard Shoal Lt. Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.

Total Compensation: $ 1440.00 per annum

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Respectfully,

J. T. YATES

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes

If selected, I can report for duty in 5 days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." Yes If yes, state how many 1; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
Ralph L. Logan	New Bedford, Mass.	Position Mate Department or office Commerce	Brother in law	Married
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

(Signature) Nicholas Needham

Date April 7, 1936

(Post-office address) New Bedford Mass.,

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LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

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Jas Laposky

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936 19

SIR: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of 2d Asst. Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Lt. Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)

Is any member of your family living under the same roof with you, in the service of the United States? no

If so, state relationship None

There is such member of family employed? None

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J. T. YATES

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Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes.

If selected, I can report for duty in 24 hr. days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes.

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

Any Time Any Date

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." no If yes, state how many ----------; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

(Signature) Joseph Laposky

Date April 7, 1936

(Post-office address) 32 Bryant St Bpt Conn

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LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

Joseph Laposky

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936 19

Sir: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of 2d Asst. Keeper
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
Old Orchard Shoal Lt. Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.

Total Compensation: $ 1440.00 per annum.

Quarters and Fuel: Quarters are provided for the 3 keepers at this station, but not for families of keepers. Family quarters can probably be rented on Staten Island.
(State whether or not quarters and fuel are provided by the Government for the families of keepers at this station, or if quarters can be rented by appointee in the vicinity.)

Furniture: Necessary furniture will be supplied by the Government.
(State articles of furniture to be furnished by the Government.)

Promotion: Appointees will be considered for promotion to higher positions as vacancies occur.

Shore Liberty: Not exceeding 72 days per annum may be granted to employees at this station.

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M C Gallego

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936, 19

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(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
of Old Orchard Shoal Lt. Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.

$1140.00 per annum

Is any member of your family living under the same roof with you, in the service of the United States? No

If so, state relationship None

There is such member of family employed? None

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If selected, I can report for duty in 2 days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

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Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." No If yes, state how many None; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
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(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

I am willing to accept it

Date April 7. 1936

(Signature) Matthew J Gallego

(Post-office address) P.O. Box 1536
Fall River Mass.

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

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M C Gallego

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936, 19

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(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
of Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.

Total Compensation: $ 1440.00 per annum

Quarters and Fuel: Quarters are provided for the 3 keepers at this station, but not for families of keepers. Family quarters can probably be rented on Staten Island.
(State whether or not quarters and fuel are provided by the Government for the families of keepers at this station, or if quarters can be rented by appointee in the vicinity.)

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Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? yes

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Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." No If yes, state how many None; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
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Date April 7 1936

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936 19

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(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
of Old Orchard Shoal Lt. Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.

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Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes

If selected, I can report for duty in Two days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

No. Ot about July 7 '36

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." Yes If yes, state how many One; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
G. F. Gaskin	515 Whipple Fall River Mass	Position Machinist Department or office Ordinance	Uncle	Married
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

(Signature) John B. Dupre

Date April 7 '36. (Post-office address) 196 Division St Fall River Mass.

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936 19

J. B. Dupre

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(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
Chard Shoal Lt. Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.

Compensation: $ 1440.00 per annum.

Quarters and Fuel: Quarters are provided for the 3 keepers at this station, but not for families of keepers. Family quarters can probably be rented on Staten Island.
(Whether or not quarters and fuel are provided by the Government for the families of keepers at this station, or if quarters can be rented by appointee in the vicinity.)

Furniture: Necessary furniture will be supplied by the Government.
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Promotion: Appointees will be considered for promotion to higher positions as vacancies occur.

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Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

Yes. At about July 7 '36

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." Yes If yes, state how many One; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
G. F. Goslin	515 Kilsyth Fall River Mass	Position Machinist Department or office Ordinance	Uncle	Married
		Position Department or office		

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Date April 7 "36. (Post-office address) 196 Division St. Fall River Mass.

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P. C. Fesette

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936

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(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
of Old Orchard Shoal Lt. Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.

Is any member of your family living under the same roof with you, in the service of the United States? No

If so, state relationship _____

There is such member of family employed? _____

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Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes

If selected, I can report for duty in 7 days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." No If yes, state how many ____; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

(Signature) Charlie E. Fesette

Date 4/6/36

(Post-office address) 147 Cornelia St
Plattsburg, N.Y.

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P. C. Fesette

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936 19

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(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

FWO-JHG

P. N. Larson

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936[19]

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(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
of Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.

Is any member of your family living under the same roof with you, in the service of the United States? NO

If so, state relationship ———

There is such member of family employed? ———

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Respectfully,

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The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes

If selected, I can report for duty in 1 days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." NO If yes, state how many ———; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

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(Signature) Paul N. Larson

Date April 8, 1936

(Post-office address) Waterbury, R.F.D.#1

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

FWO-JHG

P. H. Larson

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936[19]

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(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
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Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
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(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

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(Signature) Paul H Larson

Date April 8, 1936

(Post-office address) Waterbury, R.F.D. #1

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Richard R. Knecht

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936, 19

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(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
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Respectfully,

J. T. YATES

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Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? No

If selected, I can report for duty in ..... days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." No If yes, state how many .....; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

I am to be Initiated in the Junior Order United American Mechanics (Franklin Council #16 some time this month

(Signature) Richard R. Knecht

Date April 10/1936

(Post-office address) 73 Emerson Ave Brooklyn N.Y.

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Form 201
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

JHG

Staten Island, N.Y., April 6, 1936, 19

Richard R. Knecht

SIR: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of 2d Asst. Keeper
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
Old Orchard Shoal Lt. Sta., located off shore in New York Lower Bay.

Total Compensation: $ 1440.00 per annum

Quarters and Fuel: Quarters are provided for the 3 keepers at this station, but not for families of keepers. Family quarters can probably be rented on Staten Island.
(State whether or not quarters and fuel are provided by the Government for the families of keepers at this station, or if quarters can be rented by appointee in the vicinity.)

Furniture: Necessary furniture will be supplied by the Government.
(State articles of furniture to be furnished by the Government.)

Promotion: Appointees will be considered for promotion to higher positions as vacancies occur.

Shore Liberty: Not exceeding 72 days per annum may be granted to employees at this station.

This is a letter of inquiry and not an offer of the position, as other eligibles are also being considered for the same position, any one of whom may be selected, although all may indicate willingness to accept this position.

No furniture or quarters for families are provided, except as stated above. Any additional articles of furniture required, and necessary provisions, must be provided by employees.

Read carefully the Instructions to Eligibles on the other side before returning this letter.

You will, therefore, please advise this office in this connection by answering the questions below and returning this communication at the earliest date practicable.

Respectfully, J. T. YATES

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? No

If selected, I can report for duty in ____ days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." No If yes, state how many ____; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

I am to be Initiated in the Junior Order United American Mechanics (Franklin Lodge #1) some time this month

(Signature) Richard R. J. Knecht

Date April 10/1936

(Post-office address) 73 Reserole Ave Brooklyn N.Y.

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FWO-JHG

April 13,1936

Matthew C. Gallego,
P. O. Box 1536,
Fall River, Mass.

SUBJECT: Position of 2AK, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.
REFERENCE: Letter from this office Apl.6th and your letter Apl.7th.

1. Referring to your letter of April 7,1936 stating you were willing to accept the position of 2nd Asst.Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.; you are advised you have been selected for this position, but before it will be possible to nominate you for same, it will be necessary for you to undergo a physical examination and to be fingerprinted. There is accordingly attached herewith a letter authorizing you to report for medical examination to the U. S. Public Health Service, also a letter address - ed to the Postmaster at Fall River re your fingerprinting. Kindly give these matters your prompt attention. You are also requested to execute and return to this office promptly the attached Form 124b - Declaration of Appointee - and Affidavit re marital status.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

FWO-JHG

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

M-102

TM

April 13,1936

Postmaster,
Fall River, Mass.

SUBJECT: Letter of Introduction and Authority for Fingerprinting.

1. This will introduce Mr. Matthew C. Gallego, P.O.Box 1536, Fall River, Mass.-- -

who is a candidate for appointment to a position in the Third Lighthouse District and who is reporting to you for fingerprinting. It is requested that you take his fingerprints and return them to this office by mail at your earliest convenience.

2. For purposes of identification it is requested that you instruct the applicant to sign his name in your presence in the blank space provided below, and return this letter to this office with the fingerprinting.

J. T. Yates
Superintendent.

By: WJLawt
W. J. Lawton
Chief Clerk.

Candidate's Signature. Matthew C. Gallego.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

FWO-JHG

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

M-102

TM

April 12,1936

Postmaster,

Fall River, Mass.

SUBJECT: Letter of Introduction and Authority for Fingerprinting.

1. This will introduce Mr. Matthew C. Gallego, P.O.Box 1536, Fall River, Mass.-- who is a candidate for appointment to a position in the Third Lighthouse District and who is reporting to you for fingerprinting. It is requested that you take his fingerprints and return them to this office by mail at your earliest convenience.

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J. T. Yates
Superintendent.

By:
W. J. Lawton
Chief Clerk.

Candidate's Signature. Matthew C. Gallego

FWO-JHG

M-102

TM

April 13,1936

Postmaster,

Fall River, Mass.

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J. T. Yates
Superintendent.

By:
W. J. Lawton
Chief Clerk.

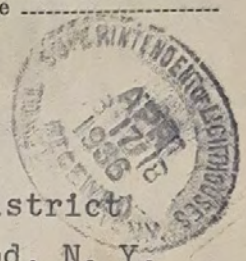
Candidate's Signature.....

Form 2877
April 1934

FWO-JHG

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
---------- CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MANAGER

Cert. No. ----------
Register ----------
Average ----------



AUTHORITY FOR PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Third Lighthouse District
Matthew C. Gallego, Staten Island, N. Y.
(Place)
P.O.Box 1536 April 13,1936
(Date)
Fall River, Mass.

Dear Sir (or Madam):

Your name is being considered for appointment as the result of your eligibility on the register named above, subject to your meeting the physical requirements.

You are requested to report for a physical examination on April 14,15 or 16th, 1936 between the hours of 9 A.M. and 4.30 P.M. at the U. S. Public Health Service Station, 130 Bock St., Fall River, Mass.

This letter must be presented as authority for your physical examination.

Such examination is necessary before confirmation of appointment, even in a case where a medical certificate has been submitted with the application. **You are cautioned not to resign any position you hold, until further notified.**

Very respectfully,

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By (District Manager) Lawton,
Chief Clerk

By ----------
(Nominating Officer or Local Board Member)

(Address)

Note to Medical Examiner.—This letter of authorization, with Form 2413, properly filled out, should be returned to the district manager except when the letter is signed by a nominating officer or local board member, in which case these forms should be sent to that officer or board. **Neither this letter nor the medical certificate should be returned to the applicant.**

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1934 16—554

Form 2877
April 1934

FWO-JHG

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
---------- CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT MANAGER

Cert. No. ----------
Register ----------
Average ----------

AUTHORITY FOR PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Third Lighthouse District
Staten Island, N. Y.
(Place)

Matthew C. Gallego,

P.O.Box 1536
Fall River, Mass.

April 13,1936
(Date)

DEAR SIR (OR MADAM):

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J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By (District Manager) W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

By ----------
(Nominating Officer or Local Board Member)

(Address)

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U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1934 16—554

AFFIDAVIT AS TO MARITAL STATUS OF APPLICANTS AND AS TO MEMBERS OF FAMILY IN THE GOVERNMENT SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

NOTE. - No applicant will be considered for certification or appointment until this affidavit has been duly executed and returned to the Civil Service Commission or its district office concerned.

Section 213 of the so-called Economy Act of June 30, 1932, provides that "In the appointment of persons in the classified civil service, preference 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

Any false statement in this affidavit, which is under oath, or alteration of a certificate, or presentation to the Commission of a paper containing such false statement or alteration, is a violation of law and punishable as such. Answer all questions below fully and with the utmost care.

1. Name of affiant....Matthew Luis Gallego.....
2. At what address now living?..181 Ryley St.....
3. Are you now married?..Yes.. 4. Is your husband (or wife) now in the service of the United States Government or the District of Columbia?...No.....
5. If so employed, give
   (a) Name of husband (or wife).....←.....
   (b) Service in which employed.....←.....
   (c) Position and location.....←.....
   (d) Permanent or temporary.....←.....
6. If married, are you living with your wife (or husband)?...Yes.....
7. If living separate and apart, give ←
   (a) Cause of separation.....←..... (b) Date..←.....
   (Divorce, legal separation, etc.)
   (c) Address of husband or wife.....←.....
8. Are any members of your family or relatives (either blood or by marriage) in the Government service Whatsoever?....No.....
9. If answer is "Yes," give name, address, relationship, and department, in each case: ←
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.....
10. Will you promptly inform this Commission, before accepting employment in the Government service, of any change occurring in your marital status or affecting members of your family in the service, after the date of this affidavit?..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.

(Signature of affiant) Matthew L Gallego.

Subscribed and duly sworn to before me according to law by the above-named affiant this 15th day of April., 1936, at city (or town) of Taunton Mass. county of ...Bristol...., and State (or Territory of District) of Massachusetts

(Signature of Officer) Cecilia F. Newton

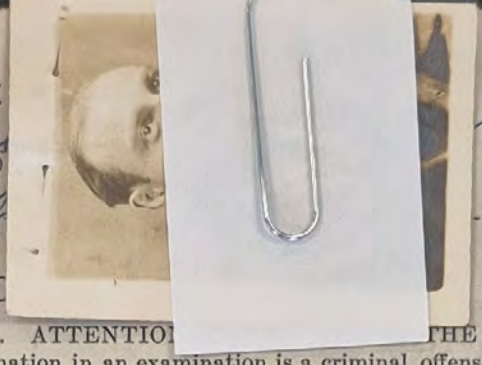
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(OFFICIAL IMPRESSION SEAL) My com. expires May 8, 1942

Form 124b—Field
(Jan. 1930)

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE

Department of Comm... ...ice
(Branch of service or Department)



DECLARATION OF APPO...

This form must be executed by the appointee before he enters on duty. ATTENTIO... ...THE PROVISIONS OF LAW AS QUOTED ON ATTACHED FORM. False personation in an examination is a criminal offense, and will be prosecuted accordingly. Appointee will retain attached form.

1. State place of birth Fall River Mass Exact date of birth March 6 1899 (Month, day, and year)
2. What examination did you take? Examination for 2nd Asst Lighthouse Keeper
3. To what position have you been offered appointment or actually appointed? 2nd Asst Keeper Old Orchard Shoal Station
4. Are any members of your family or relatives (either blood or by marriage) in the U. S. Government service? Answer "yes" or "no" no If so, fill in the following blanks. (See Sec. I of attached form.) If additional space is necessary use back of this sheet.

Name	Post office address (Give street No., if any)	Position and department or office in which employed	Relationship	Married or single
None	None	Position Department or office	None	
		Position Department or office		
		Position Department or office		

5. Were any of the above-named persons appointed to the Government service after you made your application for examination? no If so, give the name of each such person and state whether he is living in the same house with you:
6. What is your present address (give street and number, city, and State)? 181 Ripley St So Somerset Mass
7. Are you now holding any position or office under the United States or under any State, county, or municipality? no
   If so, state position and salary: none
8. Have you been discharged for cause or have you resigned any position under compulsion since filing your application for examination? no
9. Have you been arrested, fined, or convicted of any offense since filing your application for examination? no
10. Have you paid or offered or promised to pay any money or any other thing of value to any person, firm, or corporation for the use of influence to procure your appointment? no
11. Will you inform yourself of and observe the provisions of the civil service law and rules and Executive orders concerning political activity, political coercion, political assessments, use of influence to secure promotion, etc., as quoted on the attached form? yes

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

Matthew J Gallego
(Signature)

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

If the answer to question 4 includes two or more names, and is not IDENTICAL in every respect with answer to similar question in the application, this form must be submitted for approval before appointment is made.

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

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

This is to be signed by an officer of the department or bureau to which the appointee belongs, not by a notary public, and does not need to be sworn to.

.....
(Signature)

.....
(Official title)

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(This paper should be returned to the District Secretary when completed)

Form 124b—Field
(Jan. 1939)

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Department of Commerce Lighthouse Service
(Branch of service or Department)

So Somerset Mass
(Name of city) (State)

DECLARATION OF APPOINTEE

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2. What examination did you take? Examination for 2nd Asst Lighthouse Keepers
3. To what position have you been offered appointment or actually appointed? 2 Asst Keeper Old Orchard Shoal Station
4. Are any members of your family or relatives (either blood or by marriage) in the U. S. Government service? Answer "yes" or "no" No If so, fill in the following blanks. (See Sec. I of attached form.) If additional space is necessary use back of this sheet.

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(Signature)

.....
(Official title)

6—2099

(This paper should be returned to the District Secretary when completed)

Form 2413
June, 1929

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION UNDER EXECUTIVE ORDER, JUNE 18, 1923

(APPLICANT MUST FILL IN DOTTED LINES BELOW TO HEAVY LINE)

Matthew C. Gallegar
(Name)

P O Box 1536 - Fall River Mass
(Post office address)

Male
(Sex)

March 6 - 1899
(Date of birth)

What examination did you take? Fog Lighthouse

In what Department and Bureau are you to be employed? Lighthouse Service

In what City or Town are you to be employed? Old Orchard Shoal Lt Sta Me

Rolled print, right forefinger

(Use fingerprint indelible pad)

(PHYSICIAN SHOULD FILL IN THE FOLLOWING)

65 1/2 inches. * ____ pounds. 129 pounds.
(Height, without shoes) (Weight, in clothing) (Weight, without clothing)

Males, without clothing; females, clothed but without wrap or hat.

Items checked (√) were examined and found normal. Deviations from normal are noted. (See instructions on back of sheet)

1. Eyes: For distance; with glasses if worn: Right 20/— Left 20/— Without glasses: Right 20/20 Left 20/20
(For near vision see over)
Evidence of disease or injury: Right None Left None
Color vision Normal Method of testing color vision Japanese Charts

2. Ears: (Consider denominators indicated here as normal. Record as numerators the actual distance heard.) Ordinary conversation ____ Right ear—20/20 ft. Left ear—20/20 ft.

3. Nose: Normal

4. Mouth: Normal

5. Throat: Normal

6. Thyroid (especially in women): Normal

7. Heart: Normal — If organic heart disease is present, is it fully compensated? None

8. Lungs: Right Normal Left Normal — If history of tuberculosis, has it been arrested for one year? None

9. Inguinal rings (men only): Right Normal Left Normal — Is truss worn? None
(Any hernia should be noted, inguinal, ventral, femoral, etc.)

10. Varicose veins: None
(If "Yes" state location and degree)

11. Flat foot: None
(If "Yes," state extent of impairment of function)

12. Deformities, atrophies, and other abnormalities, diseases, or defects not included above: None

13. Scars of serious injury or disease: None

14. Nervous system: Normal

15. Urinalysis (see over): None done Venereal disease: None present

16. Has applicant ever received pension, compensation, or training because of disability received while in military or naval service? No If "Yes," describe disability and state whether present now: —

17. Considering your findings in this examination, as well as the history and the **duties** of the position of 2d Asst Keep (Fill in kind) Old Orchard Shoal Lt Sta, what is the ability of the applicant to perform the duties? Normal ability
(Name of position sought)

USPHS Service Sta
130 Bodge St Fall River Mass
(Place of examination)

April 16 - 1926
(Date of examination)

The examining physician must be in the Federal service

(S) Edward Lester Merritt
(Name of examining physician)

A Surgeon USPHS
(Title, and branch of medical service)

*For males, to be taken only upon special written request of the official ordering examination.

This report is to be returned to the official of the U. S. Civil Service Commission requesting the examination.

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FWO-JHG

The Manager,
2nd Civil Service District,
641 Washington St.,
New York, N. Y.

April 17,1936

Sir:-

SUBJECT: Nomination, M.C.Gallego, 2AK, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.
REFERENCE: Letter from this office Apl.17,1936.

1. Referring to nomination forwarded to you to-day recommending the probationary appointment of Matthew C. Gallego as 2AK of Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.; the following papers in connection with the nomination of Mr.Gallego are attached hereto:-

Form 2413 - Certificate of Medical Exam.
" 2890 - Fingerprint Chart.

Respectfully,

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

FWO-JHC

April 17,1936

Matthew C. Gallego,
P. O. Box 1536,
Fall River, Mass.

SUBJECT: Position of 2AK, Old Orchard Shoal L.S.
REFERENCE: Letter from this office Apl.13,1936.

1. You are advised you have to-day been nominated for appointment to the position of 2nd Asst.Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta., and in accordance therewith you are directed to hold yourself in readiness to report for duty in that position as soon as definite orders are sent you. Should you be appointed to this position your services will probably be required the latter part of this month. Acknowledge receipt of this letter.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

Form A-30

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 27, 1936.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego,

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 Fourteen Hundred and Forty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Probationary

Civil Service authority: Manager, Second Civil Service District

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

[illegible] YOUNG

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation (unit): Field

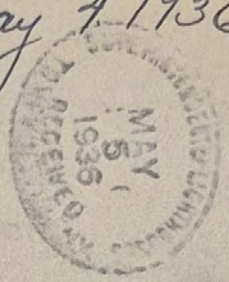
Vice: James Cashdollar

Legal residence: Massachusetts

U S GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1932 11—6657

Department of Commerce.
Lighthouse Service.
Office of Superintendent 3rd District.
Staten Island N.Y.

May 4 1936



Mr. Yates
Dear Sir.

Have recived your letter and papers dated May 2. 1936 I am leaving Fall River Mass Tuesday night will arrive at State Island Wednesday by boat. I have written to Mr. Ralph W. Reisinger as I have been advised.

Thanking you.
I Remain
Yours truly
Matthew C Gallego
Po Box 1536.
Fall River Mass.

Per

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



THIRD DISTRICT

Old Orchard Shoals 9 ft Sta
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

May 7, 1936

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Subject Position of 2 ark

Mr. Matthew C Gallego 2 ark Key
reported for duty May 6/36 at 4:30 p.m.

Ralph W Ranger Keeper
Old Orchard Shoals
9 ft Sta
P.O. Box 260 Midland Beach
S.I. N.Y.

EOD May 6-1936

Noted 5/8/36

Form 73

NOMINATION

FWO-JHO

TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT,

Staten Island, N.Y., April 17, 1936, 19....
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, (Thru 2nd C.S.Dist.) Probationary appointment. Legal residence, Mass.

Name, Matthew C. Gallego Proposed salary, $1440 p.a.

Position, Keeper (2A) Proposed range, $1440-1800

Location, Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y. Appropriation, Salaries,Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective, April 20,1936 {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Former salary,

Location, Former range,

Rank on eligible list, 1 Rating, Keeper Percentage, 81.1, Other eligibles considered:

Richard R.I.Knecht---C. William H.Manchester---C.

Previous incumbent, James Cashdollar Services terminated, April 17,1936

Reason, Resigned (Salary $1440 p.a.) No employee of District desired transfer to this position. There are no family quarters at this station. Mr.Gallego was employed as 2AK at New London Ledge L.S.,Ct., from 7-2-24 to 10-11-24.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, March 6,1899

Remarks:

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

VC

TC

Secretary, Civil Service District.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

11—2314

Per

Superintendent of Lighthouses.
Staten Island.
N.Y.

April 18. 1936
P.O. 1536
Fall River Mass



M. J. T. Yates.

Dear Sir.

In reference to letter from you dated April 17. 1936 I will keep in readiness till I recive definite orders from you.

I Remain.
Yours truly.
Matthew L Gallego.
P.O. Box 1536
Fall River. Mass.

ADDRESS:
THE MANAGER
SECOND U.S. CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT
FEDERAL BUILDING, CHRISTOPHER ST.
NEW YORK, N.Y.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
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SECOND UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT

COMPRISING NEW YORK STATE AND THE COUNTIES OF BERGEN, ESSEX, HUDSON, MIDDLESEX, MONMOUTH, MORRIS, PASSAIC, SUSSEX, AND UNION IN NEW JERSEY

OFFICE OF THE MANAGER, NEW YORK, N.Y.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
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April 20, 1936.

Superintendent,
Third Lighthouse District,
Tompkinsville, S.I., N.Y.

My dear Mr. Yates:

Receipt is acknowledged of nomination in favor of the probational appointment of Matthew C. Gallego as Keeper, Second Assistant for duty at Old Orchard Shoal Light Station, N. Y. effective April 20, 1936.

The nomination referred to above has been approved and forwarded to your department in Washington under today's date.

There is returned herewith medical certificate in the case of Mr. Gallego which should be attached to his application on file in your office.

Very truly yours,

B. H. Clemmons,
District Manager.

Encl.

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

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FWO-JHG

Matthew C. Gallego,
P. O. Box 1536,
Fall River, Mass.

May 2,1936

SUBJECT: Position of 2AK, Old Orchard Shoal L.S.
REFERENCE: Letter from this office April 17,1936.

1. You are advised you have been appointed to the position of 2d Asst.Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Light Station, and in accordance therewith you are directed to report for duty in that position at the earliest practicable date after receipt of this letter. Transportation charges will be at your own expense. Show this letter to the Keeper of the station, which will be his authority for assigning you to duty. The name and address of the Keeper is Ralph W. Rexinger, P.O.Box 206, Midland Beach, Staten Island,N.Y. It is suggested you write direct to the Keeper and advise him of the date on which you will be at Midland Beach, so he may meet you with the station boat. Execute and return to this office the attached Oath of Office and other papers. Acknowledge receipt of this letter and state on what date you will report for duty.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

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1. Copy forwarded for his information to the Keeper of Old Orchard Shoal Lt.Sta. Advise this office promptly by letter of the date on which Mr.Gallego reports for duty. You are directed to be on the lookout for Mr.Gallego so as to transport him to the station when he arrives at Midland Beach.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

commissioner of lighthouses

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washington dc

SUPERINTENDENT LIGHTHOUSES SAINT GEORGE NY

APPOINTMENT MATTHEW C GALLEGO APPROVED

KING

confirmation

2a old orchard sheal 1440

NO. /

SELECTION NO.

[X] DECLARATION
[X] MEDICAL CERTIFICATE
[X] FINGERPRINTS

RETIREMENT AGE		
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PREFERENCE STATUS (CHECK)				
NONE X	PREF. 5 POINT	DISABILITY	WIFE	WIDOW

CIVIL SERVICE STATUS (CHECK)

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Gallego Matthew Costa
(SURNAME) (FIRST NAME) (SECOND NAME)

Examination Keeper or Asst.Keeper
Ent. Reg. 2-21-31

81.1 (RATING)

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Mass. (STATE) Bristol (COUNTY)

APPORTIONMENT NO.
Sent 5-11-36

Fall River, Mass. (PLACE OF BIRTH)

5-6-1899 (DATE)

RACE: W X C. INDIAN OTHER

Education: C. S. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 H. S. 1 2 3 4 Col. 1 2 3 4 Degrees

Special Qualifications

MILITARY SERVICE (CHECK)

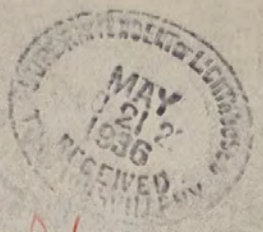
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Enlisted Discharged

EFFECTIVE DATE	ACTION	POSITION—GRADE	SALARY P.A.	DEPT. AND BUREAU OR SERVICE	OFFICIAL STATION
5-6-36	Appointment	2nd Asst.Keeper	1440	3rd LH Dist.	Old Orchard Shoal Light Station, N.Y.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
3rd Lighthouse District
Staten Island, N. Y.



Date 5-9-36

Jn C Gallego
2 a K
Old Orchard Bluff

Furnish the information called for below, and return this form to this office promptly.

J. T. YATES,
Superintendent.

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Have you ever served as an enlisted man in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps or Coast Guard? No (Yes or No)

(If you have so served, supply the following information)

Date of Birth March 6, 1899

Color White

Date of Enlistment —

Date of Discharge —

Serial Number —

Rank and Organization —

Married or Single Married

Number of Minor Children Three #3

Have you ever applied for compensation, disability allowance, or retirement pay? No

Give Claim Number, if known None

Signature Matthew L. Gallego

Station or Vessel None

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(75)

(12)

July 7,1924

Commissioner of Lighthouses

SUBJECT: Appointment of Matthew L. Yallego as keeper.
REFERENCE: Form 73 dated June 24,1924.

1. Department letter, in duplicate, dated June 30,1924, addressed to Matthew L. Yallego, appointing him to the position of 2nd assistant keeper of New London Ledge Light Station, is returned herewith to the Bureau for correction. This man entered on duty on July 2nd, and the keeper of the station advises that his name is "Matthew C. Gallege", instead of "Matthew L. Yallego" as given in Form 73 forwarded to the Bureau by this office. This mans name on his application and other papers is poorly written which accounts for the fact that the name was incorrectly spelled on the eligible register and the nomination form.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 6 1924
THIRD DISTRICT

Per

New London Ledge Lt. Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

July 2, 1924

Superintendent

Matthew E. Gallego reported for duty July 2nd. as 2nd Asst. Keeper.

The name is (Matthew E. Gallego)
Not Matthew L. Gallego.

I am enclosing his name as he writes it.

Israel H. Southworth,
Keeper.

EOD June 2-1924

Noted 9/9/24

Per

#91 Woolley Street.
Fall River, Mass., July 1st, 1924.

Mr. J.T. Yates.
Superintendent.
Staten Island.N.Y.



Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of the 30th, ultimo, relative my appointement I shall report for duty to day at New London To Mr. Southward which means the second of july,hoping this will meet with your approval,I remain,

Yours very truly,

Matthew C Gallego

FWO-JHG

Matthew L. Yallego,
91 Wooley Street,
Fall River, Massachusetts

June 30,1924

SUBJECT: Position of 2nd Asst.Keeper, New London Ledge Lt.Sta.
REFERENCE: Letter from this office dated June 24,1924.

1. Referring to letter from this office dated June 24,1924 stating you had been selected for the position of 2nd Asst.Keeper of New London Ledge Light Station; you are advised you have been appointed to this position, and in accordance therewith are directed to report for duty at that station at the earliest possible date after receipt of this letter. Transportation charges will be at your own expense. Show this letter to the keeper, which will be his authority for assigning you to duty. The name and address of the Keeper is Israel H. Southworth, New London, Conn.

2. Please acknowledge receipt of this letter and state on what date you will report for duty.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

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1. Copy forwarded for his information, to the keeper of New London Ledge Lt.Sta. Report to this office promptly by letter the date on which Yallego reports for duty.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

T TO BE ACCEPTED AS AUTHORITY FOR INVESTIGATION OPERATIONS UNLESS ACCOMPANIED BY OFFICIAL CREDENTIALS

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 30,1924.

Mr. Matthew C. Gallego;

Through the Commission of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES 1924 JUL 8 AM 9 03

Sir:

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

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. _____) issued by the Assistant Secretary, Second Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Robert H.Lyons.

Legal Residence: Massachusetts.

(See reverse side.)

FORM A-14

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Form 1204

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WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

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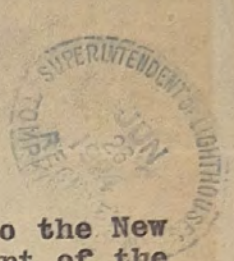
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6-28-24

#91 Woolley Street.

Fall River, Mass., June 25th, 192.

Mr. J.T.Yates.
Superintendent Of Lighthouses.
Staten Island.N.Y.



Dear Sir:-

Your letter of the 24th,ultimo,relative my appointment to the New London Lt. Stn,received and this is to acknowlegde receipt of the same and that I am ready to start to work at your notice, thanking you for this favor, and awaiting your early reply,I remain,

Yours very truly,

Matthew C Gallop.

Form 73 -

NOMINATION

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TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT,

Staten Island, N.Y. (City.) June 24, 1924 (Date.) 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Thr. Sec'y 2nd C. S. Dist.)

Action recommended, probationary appointment.

Name, Matthew C. Vallego

Legal residence, Massachusetts

Position, Keeper

Salary, ~~$720.00~~ Geo. p.a.

Location, New London Ledge Lt.Sta., Conn.

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective July 1, 1924 { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position,

Former salary,

Location,

Rank on eligible list, 2 Rating, Keeper Percentage, 83.0, Other eligibles considered:

Roy R. Hansen----C. William P. Hogan----C.

Previous incumbent, Robert H. Lyons Services terminated, May 15, 1924

Reason, promoted

Members of family in Government Service, None

Date of birth, March 6, 1899

Remarks: No employee of District desired transfer to this position. There are no quarters for families of keepers at this station. No.2 on eligible list will accept appointment only at light stations where family quarters are provided.

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

J. T. Yates

Secretary, *Civil Service District.*

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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FWO-JHG

Matthew L. Vallego,
91 Wooly Street,
Fall River, Mass.

June 24,1924

SUBJECT: Position of 2nd Asst.Keeper, New London Ledge L.S.
REFERENCE: Your letter, without date, received June 19th.

1. Referring to your letter, without date, received at this office June 19th, stating you were willing to accept the position of 2nd Asst.Keeper of New London Ledge Lt. Sta.; you are advised you have to-day been nominated for appointment to this position, and in accordance therewith are directed to hold yourself in readiness to report for duty as soon as definite orders are sent you. Should you be appointed to this position, your services will probably be required about July 1,1924.

2. Please acknowledge receipt of this letter.

J. T. YATES

Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT.

Staten Island, N.Y. June 24, 1924 19
(City.) (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
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Action recommended, probationary appointment.

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Legal residence, Massachusetts

Position, Keeper

Salary, $720.00 p.a.

Location, New London Ledge Lt.Sta., Conn.

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

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Previous incumbent, Robert H. Lyons Services terminated, May 15, 1924

Reason, promoted

Members of family in Government Service, None

Date of birth, March 6, 1899

Remarks: No employee of District desired transfer to this position. There are no quarters for families of keepers at this station. No.2 on eligible list will accept appointment only at light stations where family quarters are provided.

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

J. T. Yates

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Form 201
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

JHG

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES 3rd DIST.

It is important that this letter be answered promptly

M. L. Gallegos

Staten Island, N. Y., June 16, 1924

SIR: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of 2nd Asst.Keeper
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)

of New London Ledge Light Station, located off shore in New London Harbor, Conn.

Total Compensation: $ 882.00 per annum (which includes: Salary, $ 780.00 per annum; bonus, $ per annum; and subsistence, 45 cents per day.)

Longevity Pay: In addition to the above keepers receive $ 60.00 per annum, after 5 years of continuous service, as longevity pay.

Quarters and Fuel: Quarters are provided for the three keepers at this station, but not for families of keepers. Family quarters can probably be rented in New London, Conn.
(State whether or not quarters are provided by the Government for the families of keepers at this station, or if quarters can be rented by appointee in the vicinity.)

Furniture: Necessary furniture will be supplied by the Government.
(State articles of furniture to be furnished by the Government.)

Promotion: Appointees will be considered for promotion to higher positions as vacancies occur.

Shore Liberty: Not exceeding 96 days per annum may be granted to employees at this station.

This is a letter of inquiry and not an offer of the position, as other eligibles are also being considered for the same position, any one of whom may be selected, although all may indicate willingness to accept this position.

No furniture or quarters for families are provided, except as stated above. Any additional articles of furniture required, and necessary provisions, must be provided by employees.

Read carefully the Instructions to Eligibles on the other side before returning this letter.

You will, therefore, please advise this office in this connection by answering the questions below and returning this communication at the earliest date practicable.

Respectfully,

J. T. YATES

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes.

If selected, I can report for duty in June 30 days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time?

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered?

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." If yes, state how many ; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

(Signature) Matthew L. Gallegos

Date

(Post-office address)

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

M. C. Gallego

It is important that this letter be answered promptly

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

Staten Island, N. Y., May 9, 1918. 19

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SIR: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of 2d Asst. Keeper
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
of New London Ledge Lt. Sta., located off shore in New London Harbor, Conn.

Total Compensation: $1132.00 per annum (which includes: Salary, $720.00 per annum; bonus, $240.00 per annum; and subsistence, 45 cents per day.)

Longevity Pay: In addition to the above keepers receive $ 60.00 per annum, after 5 years of continuous service, as longevity pay.

Quarters and Fuel: Quarters are provided for the 3 keepers at this station but not for families of keepers. Family quarters can probably be rented in New London.
(State whether or not quarters and fuel are provided by the Government for the families of keepers at this station, or if quarters can be rented by appointee in the vicinity.)

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You will, therefore, please advise this office in this connection by answering the questions below and returning this communication at the earliest date practicable.

Respectfully,

J. T. YATES

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you?.....

If selected, I can report for duty in.....days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time?.....

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered?.....

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

.....

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No."..... If yes, state how many .....; and fill in the following blanks.

Assistant's letter to

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
E O Bingham		Ordered A		
Wm McMullen		Position		
H D Lowell		Department or office		
T. H. Smith		Position		
G. H Slaine		Department or office		
E B Hobbs				
R. O. Wheeler				

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

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(Signature).....

Date.....

(Post-office address).....

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Form 201
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

Matthew C. Gallego

Staten Island, N. Y., Mar. 16, 1936 19

SIR: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of Asst. Keeper
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
of Falkner Island Lt. Sta. located off shore in Guilford Harbor, Conn.

[illegible] If so, how many? Three

[illegible]

Is any member of your family living under the same roof with you, in the service of the United States? No

If so, state relationship None

There is such member of family employed? None

[illegible] nity of this station, man having children

[illegible] though all may indicate willingness to accept this position.

No furniture or quarters for families are provided, except as stated above. Any additional articles of furniture required, and necessary provisions, must be provided by employees.

Read carefully the Instructions to Eligibles on the other side before returning this letter.

You will, therefore, please advise this office in this connection by answering the questions below and returning this communication at the earliest date practicable.

Respectfully,

J. T. YATES

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes

If selected, I can report for duty in 2 days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

any time

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." No If yes, state how many None; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
		Position Department or office		

(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

I have know reasons

(Signature) Matthew C. Gallego

Date 3.20.36

(Post-office address) Box 1536
Fall River Mass

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LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

FORM 201
DEPT. OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

M. C. Gallego

Staten Island, N. Y., Mar. 16, 1936 19

SIR: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of Asst. Keeper
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
of Falkner Island Lt. Sta. located off shore in Guil[illegible]

Have you any children? Yes ....If so, how many? Three ...

What are their ages? ....6-7-9.....

There are no school facilities in the vicinity of this station, therefore this station is not suitable for a man having children who are, or shortly will be, of school age.

[illegible] for the same position, any one of whom may be selected, although all may indicate willingness to accept this position.

No furniture or quarters for families are provided, except as stated above. Any additional articles of furniture required, and necessary provisions, must be provided by employees.

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Respectfully,

J. T. YATES

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes

If selected, I can report for duty in 2 days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

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		Position Department or office		
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(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

I have know reasons

(Signature) Matthew C. Gallego

Date 3.20.36

(Post-office address) Box 1536
Fall River Mass

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DEPT. OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DIST.,

M. Gallego

Staten Island, N. Y., Mar.16,1936 19

Sir: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of Asst.Keeper
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)

Falkner Island Lt.Sta.,located off shore in Guilford Harbor,Conn.

Total Compensation: $ 1320.00 per annum.

Quarters and Fuel: Family quarters are provided for the two keepers at this station.
(State whether or not quarters and fuel are provided by the Government for the families of keepers at this station, or if quarters can be rented by appointee in the vicinity.)

Furniture: Keepers must provide their own furniture except kitchen range.
(State articles of furniture to be furnished by the Government.)

Promotion: Appointees will be considered for promotion to higher positions as vacancies occur.

Shore Liberty: Not exceeding 48 days per annum may be granted to employees at this station.

This is a letter of inquiry and not an offer of the position, as other eligibles are also being considered for the same position, any one of whom may be selected, although all may indicate willingness to accept this position.

No furniture or quarters for families are provided, except as stated above. Any additional articles of furniture required, and necessary provisions, must be provided by employees.

Read carefully the Instructions to Eligibles on the other side before returning this letter.

You will, therefore, please advise this office in this connection by answering the questions below and returning this communication at the earliest date practicable.

Respectfully,

J. T. YATES

The following questions should be filled in by applicant:

Are you willing to accept this position if it is offered you? Yes

If selected, I can report for duty in 2 days from to-day.

Do you wish your name restored to the register at this time? Yes

Are you willing to accept the next appointment offered? Yes

Do you wish your name restored to the register at some future time? If so, give date.

any time

Are any members of your family, or relatives (either blood or by marriage), in the service of the United States Government? Answer "Yes" or "No." No If yes, state how many none; and fill in the following blanks.

Name.	Post-office address.	Where employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position Department or office		
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(If you have more than two relatives in the Government service, give same information as to them on a separate sheet of paper.)

If not willing to accept this position, state your reasons below:

I have know reasons

(Signature) Matthew C. Gallego

Date 3.20.36

(Post-office address) Box 1536
Fall River Mass

11—749

3.20.36

Department of Commerce.
Lighthouse ~~Service~~.
3rd District
Mr. Yates:-

Matthew C Gallego
Go Box # 1566
Post Office
Fall River, Mass.

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Gentleman.-

I want to inform you that the district I live in being in the suburb of the City mail is not delivered daily to my destination so kindly please send all mail to above address thanking you.

I Remain
Yours very truly
Matthew C Gallego

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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LIGHTHOUSES

October 16, 1924.

1924 OCT 18 AM 10 11

M
r. Matthew C. Gallego,
Through the
Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

October 11, 1924.

Bureau..... Lighthouses.

Station..... New London Ledge Light Station, Conn.

Position..... Keeper.

Salary..... $960 per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER.

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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Form 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT,

Staten Island, N. Y., Oct. 14, 1924, 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Matthew C. Gallego Position, Keeper

Legal residence, Massachusetts Station, New London Ledge Lt.Sta.,Conn.

Salary, $960.00 per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of Oct.11,1924

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

Remarks:

J. T. Yates

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Yes 10/14/24

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FWO-JHG

Matthew C. Gallego, 2nd Asst.Keeper, Oct. 14,1924
Through the Keeper,
New London Ledge Light Station,
New London, Connecticut

SUBJECT: Resignation.
REFERENCE: Your letter Oct.11,1924.

1. Your letter dated Oct.11,1924 resigning your position as 2nd Asst.Keeper of New London Ledge Lt.Sta., has been received and forwarded to Washington, with recommendation that same be accepted, effective at the close of October 11,1924.

J. T. YATES

Superintendent

By: W. J. Lawton,
Chief Clerk

Form 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

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J. T. Yates

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. 10/21/24

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VC Put memo on service card — "Resigned without notice"

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New London Ledge Lt. Station,

Oct. 11, 1924

Superintendent

Please accept my resignation at once as my health at present is not fit for Light House services.

I Remain,

Matthew C. Gallego,

2nd Asst., New London Ledge L.S.

(Sgd.) Israel H. Southworth,

Keeper.

Form 206

FILE No. 8

EXAMINATION OF LIGHT KEEPER OR ASSISTANT LIGHT KEEPER

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N.Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
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THIRD DISTRICT

1st

New London Ledge Lt. Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

October 11, 1924.

Superintendent

2nd Asst. Matthew E. Gallego is leaving this Sta. to day with out notice.

Israel H. Southworth
Keeper

Form 206 [redacted] FILE No. 8

RECORD OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION OF LIGHT KEEPER OR ASSISTANT LIGHT KEEPER

IN CONNECTION WITH MEDICAL RELIEF BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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FWO-JHG

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 3rd DISTRICT,

PLACE, Staten Island, N. Y.

DATE, July 11, 1924, 19

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

New London, Conn.

SIR:

Please examine Matthew C. Gallego, 2nd Asst. Keeper, New London Ledge Lt. Sta.

nativity, United States; age, 25; height, 5 feet, 6 inches;

weight, 128 pounds; color of hair, Black; color of eyes, Brown

distinguishing marks, None

as to eyesight, hearing, and physical condition.

When the examination has been completed the findings should be recorded on this blank and the blank returned to the applicant.

Respectfully,

J. T. Yates

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

A

(Signature of applicant:)

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

B

Witnessed by Keeper, New London Ledge L.S.

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE,

DATE, , 19

To SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES.

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

He is disqualified for the reasons shown on page 3.

Surgeon, U. S. Public Health Service.

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

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
STATEN ISLAND, N.Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, STATEN ISLAND, N.Y.

Matthew C. Gallego, 2nd Asst.Keeper,
Through the Keeper,
New London Ledge Lt.Sta.

July 11,1924

Enclosed is Form 206 "Record of Physical Examination of Light Keeper or Assistant Light Keeper", addressed to the United States Public Health Service, requesting that you be given a physical examination, for the purpose of determining whether or not you are entitled to medical relief without charge at hospitals and other stations of the Public Health Service, pursuant to the Act of Congress, approved August 28, 1916. A copy of the provision contained in said Act is quoted in District Circular Letter No. 187, dated May 21, 1917.

Under the terms thereof it will be necessary for you to submit to said examination and be found physically qualified before you will be entitled to the benefits provided for by the Act of August 28, 1916. As said benefits will be solely to your personal advantage it is to your interest to give this matter attention at the earliest opportunity.

After you have been given a physical examination by the medical officer designated on attached Form No. 206, said Form No. 206 will be returned to you by the medical officer. You will then send it to this office so that it may be recorded, after which it will be returned to you. The original copy of Form No. 206 will then be your property, and you are directed to preserve it and keep it in your posession for future reference.

J. T. YATES

P.S. - Assistant Keeper to sign Form No. 206 where marked "A" - Keeper to sign Form No. 206 where marked "B".