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Archival Research Room Record Request
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Date: 12/10/2024

REQUESTER INFORMATION

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

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

Name used in Service (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Service Number/SSN	Date & Place of Birth
Gibson, James, J.		1893 NJ

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: 1947 HI

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Kylie

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location) Lighthouse Service (HI)

From:	To:
1935	1942

(Agency & Location) G125

From:	To:

(Agency & Location)

From:	To:

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

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Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number: 2-303963740716

Attendant Signature:

CMRS Search Request Number(s): Submitted to Arc. Search 12/24

Remarks: 24 SBR

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LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS

CHECKED CMRS CASE #: 2-30396374076

Employee Name: GIBSON, JAMES I **DOB:** 1893 NJ

SOUNDEX: G125

Records checked:

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

AND

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

If Negative:

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

If Negative:

CMRS:	Area:	positive	negative
ARCIS:	Area:	positive	negative

Notes: _____

NO.

Gibson James J.
(SURNAME) (FIRST NAME) (SECOND NAME)

DATE OF BIRTH		
MONTH	DAY	YEAR
Mar.	16	1893

SEX m RACE W

RETIREMENT AGE 70

LEGAL VOTING RESIDENCE		
STATE AND CONG. DISTRICT	COUNTY	CITY OR TOWN
Hawaii	Hawaii	Naalehu, Hawaii

MILITARY SERVICE YES X NO

MILITARY PENSION OR WAR RISK COMPENSATION YES NO X

REFERENCE	NATURE OF ACTION	POSITION AND GRADE	SALARY		EFFECTIVE DATE	DEPARTMENT OR ESTABLISHMENT OFFICIAL STATION	TOTAL SERVICE		
			PAY LESS ALLOWANCES	BASIC PAY			MOS.	DAYS	YRS.
	Enlisted	Private			1/29/18	U.S.Army (verified)			
	Discharged	Master Eng., Sr.Gr.			7/10/19	" "			
	Enlisted	Private			10/19/22	" "			
	Discharged	Sergeant.			10/18/25	" "			
	Temp. A.	Foreman		$6 day	6/14/32	Com-LHS-19th Dist. Honolulu	T H		
	Term.	"		6 "	6/30/32	"			
	Temp. A.	Inspector (NIRA) SP-5		150 mo.	2/22/34	U.S.Engr Department, Honolulu T H (ver.)			
	Res.w.o.prej.	"		150 mo.	6/30/34	"		"	
	Prob. A.	2nd Asst Kpr	$1260 pa	1500pa*	7/3/34	Com-LHS-19th Dist Honolulu	TH		
	Trans.	Add'l Kpr	1260 "	1260 pa	12/29/34	"			
	" & Pro.	1st Asst Kpr	1320 "	1560 pa*	4/14/36	"			
	Trans.	Temp. Add'l. Kpr.	1320 "	1560 pa*	6/8/37	"			
	Perm. A.	Keeper	1320 "	1560 " *	7/1/37	"			
	A.Trans.Reor.	Plan II, 5-9-39	1320 "	1560 " *	7/1/39	Treas-C.G., Kalae Lt.Sta., T.H.			
524	Pro.	Keeper (1320-1680)	1380	1620 *	1-16-41	" "			
	A.Trans. E.O.	8929 of 11-1-41.	1380	1620 *	11- 1-41	Navy-CG-Hon-Kalae, T.H.			
	Res. with prej.	Keeper	1380	1620 *	3-15-42	do			

Rescission of duty

* Note: $240 p.a. for quarters included.

EDUCATION: (INDICATE NUMBER OF YEARS)
COMMON SCHOOL 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
HIGH SCHOOL 1 2 3 (4)
COLLEGE 1 2 3 4
DEGREES, IF ANY

SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS Construction Foreman.

5—10659

NO. _____

Gibson	James	J.
(SURNAME)	(FIRST NAME)	(SECOND NAME)

DATE OF BIRTH		
MONTH	DAY	YEAR
Mar.	16	1893
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RETIREMENT AGE 70		

DATE	DESIGNATION	OFFICE

DATE	FISCAL YEAR DEDUCTIONS AND SERVICE CREDIT CONTRIBUTIONS	TONTINE DEDUCTIONS	NET FISCAL YEAR DEDUCTIONS AND SERVICE CREDIT CONTRIBUTIONS	DEPARTMENTS ESTABLISHMENTS WILL NOT USE THIS COLUMN	BALANCE FORWARD	TOTAL CREDITED TO EMPLOYEE	DATE OF ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT 1-29-18 REMARKS
No deductions in L.H.S. Service history certified correct: F.A. Edgecomb Superintendent of Lighthouses.		9/20/39	F.A.Edgecomb.				

RETIREMENT RECORD CARD—CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION FORM 2806—FEB., 1931 5—10659 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1934

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C. S. C. Dept. Cir. No. 293
Appr. Nov. 28, 1941

U. S. COAST GUARD (28)
REC'D MAY 6 1942

CHANGES IN CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

NAVY, U. S. COAST GUARD
(Department or establishment)

9. Report No.

1. Name GIBSON, James J.

10. Civil Service or other legal authority
Unclassified

2. Nature of action - Termination

3. Effective date 31 March, 1942.

	FROM—	TO—
4. Position	Temporary Laborer	
5. Grade and salary	$4.36 per diem	
6. Bureau or other unit	Navy Dept. U. S. Coast Guard	
7. Headquarters	Honolulu, T.H.	
8. Departmental or field	Field.	

11. Appropriation
General Expenses Coast Guard(Navy)

12. Date of birth
16 March, 1903

U.S.Civil Service Commission
Attention: Service Record Division
VIA: Commandant, U.S.Coast Guard
Washington, D.C.

R.A.CARROLL
Personnel Officer
By direction

13. Signature or other authentication

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U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16—25426-1

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9. Report No.

1. Name GIBSON, James J.

10. Civil Service or other legal authority

Unclassified

2. Nature of action Temporary Appointment.

3. Effective date 3/16/42

	FROM—	TO—
4. Position		Temp. Laborer
5. Grade and salary		$4.96 per diem
6. Bureau or other unit		Navy Dept. U.S.Coast Guard
7. Headquarters		Honolulu, T.H.
8. Departmental or field		Field

11. Appropriation

General Expenses Coast Guard(Navy)

12. Date of birth

16 March,1893

U.S.Civil Service Commission
Attention: Service Record Division
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NAVY, U.S.COAST GUARD
(Department or establishment)

9. Report No.

1. Name CRAWFORD, George E.

10. Civil Service or other legal authority
Unclassified

2. Nature of action Removed for cause(delinquency)

3. Effective date 19 March,1942

	FROM—	TO—
4. Position	Temporary laborer	
5. Grade and salary	$4.00 per diem	
6. Bureau or other unit	Navy Department U.S.Coast Guard	
7. Headquarters	Honolulu,T.H.	
8. Departmental or field	Field	

11. Appropriation
General Expenses Coast Guard(Navy)

12. Date of birth
21 October, 1923

U.S.Civil Service Commission
Attention: Service Record Division
VIA: Commandant,U.S.Coast Guard
Washington,D.C.

R.A.CARROLL
Personnel Officer
By direction.

13. Signature or other authentication

REPORT TO U. S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16—25426-1

CG-CP-75

9 July, 1942

From: Commandant.
To: District Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District, Honolulu.

Subject: Standard Form No. 50 to replace Form 4a.

Reference: (a) Headquarters' circular letter, dated 6 May, 1942.

1. Headquarters has received Civil Service Form No. 3750 prepared by your office in connection with the discharge and employment of certain Lamplighters and temporary laborers in January and February, 1942, and has received copies of Form No. 50 showing removal of James J. Gibson and Gregorio Rivera and others from the positions of temporary laborer in March 1942.

2. Your attention is invited to reference (a), particularly paragraph 5 thereof, to the effect that Form No. 50 was to be used uniformly by all field offices for short time employments such as those referred to above, beginning 1 June, 1942. Therefore, your office should report all changes on Form 4a for months prior to June 1942; this means that any employments or separations of this character made on 31 May, 1942 or prior, are to be recorded on Form 4a. It is requested that you prepare Form 4a accordingly if this has not already been done.

N. R. STILES,
By direction.

Form 2626
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
Sept. 1930

U. S. COAST GUARD

OFFICIAL DISPATCH

TRANSMIT

75

DATE 2 APRIL, 1942

FROM COMMANDANT
COAST GUARD HEADQUARTERS

TO (FOR ACTION)
DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER 14TH NAVAL DISTRICT
HONOLULU

UNLESS DESIGNATED OTHERWISE TRANSMIT THIS DISPATCH AS NITE.

TO (FOR INFORMATION)

	CODE
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	ACKNOWLEDGE
	PRIORITY
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	ACKNOWLEDGE
	PRIORITY
	ROUTINE

MAIL TO

TELEPHONE TO

MESSENGER TO

OUTGOING HEADING

032018

TEXT

YOUR 312310 IN ACCORDANCE YOUR LETTER 27 FEBRUARY JAMES J GIBSON'S RESIGNATION WAS MADE EFFECTIVE 15 MARCH AND CANNOT BE CHANGED X SEE DECISIONS OF COMPTROLLER GENERAL NUMBER 10 PAGE 11 AND NUMBER 16 PAGE 955 PROHIBITING CHANGING OF THE DATE OF RESIGNATION WHEN IT IS ONCE FIXED.

REFERENCE ACCEPTANCE RESIGNATION JAMES J GIBSON EFFECTIVE 15 MARCH RECEIVED THIS DATE X HAS BEEN EMPLOYED TO DATE AND PAID ACCORDINGLY X RESIGNATION MADE EFFECTIVE 31 MARCH X REQUEST YOUR RECORDS BE CORRECTED ACCORDINGLY

N.R.S.
PERSONNEL
INITIALS OF "RELEASING" OFFICER.

OPERATOR'S RECORD TOD 032018 DN79ER

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

E.C.O.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—15417

FORM 9619
TREASURY DEPT.

U. S. COAST GUARD

HEADING: DN 63 Z QUAO 312310 Ø QUAH D GR 33

FROM: DCGO 14TH ND

ACTION: COMDT CG

INFORM:

ACCEPTANCE RESIGNATION JAMES J GIBSON EFFECTIVE 15 MARCH RECEIVED THIS DATE X HAS BEEN ~~ZMZ~~ EMPLOYED TO DATE AND PAID ACCORDINGLY X RESIGNATION MADE EFFECTIVE 31 MARCH X REQUEST ~~XØØ~~ YOUR RECORDS BE CORRECTED ~~XØØØXX~~/ ACCORDINGLY

	Asst. Comdt.		Law
	Aviation Eng.		Marine Engineering
	CG Reserve		Maritime Service
	Civil Engineer		Material
	Civilian Personnel		Medical
	Commandant		Merchant Ship
	Communications		Operations
	Const. & Repair		Permanent Board
	Finance		Personnel
	Group Training		Procurement
	Inspector		Public Relations
	Intelligence		Radio Engineering

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OPERATOR'S RECORD AND DATE

OFFICIAL INITIALS

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 1-41

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO:

Date Prepared 6 March, 1942

Name: Gibson, James J.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.: 224

Resignation, with prejudice.

	FROM	TO
Position Grade Salary	Keeper Field (Range $1320-1680) $1380 per annum, plus $240 p.a. quarters.	
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	
Headquarters Post of Duty Appropriation Allotment	Honolulu, Hawaii Kalae Light Station Civilian Employees,,CHawaii	

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

EFFECTIVE close 15 March, 1942.

Remarks:

In view of the fact that you have tendered your resignation due to the admitted truth of the charges preferred against you of desertion of duty, the Navy Department, upon the recommendation of the Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard, has accepted your resignation in the manner indicated.

Justification: Mr. Gibson was charged with desertion of duty having been absent without leave on 14, 18, 20 and 21 January; 24 to 26; 27 to 29; 30 to 31 January; and 2 to 5 and 21 and 22 February, 1942. On 26 February he stated he was guilty as charged and on 27 February submitted his resignation.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 3-16-1892

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Hawaii

SEX: M RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

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

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Yes Lighthouse Act of

DATE OF OATH

CHARLES PIOZET

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY

3-13-42

BUREAU OR DIVISION PERSONNEL FILES

MAR 14 1942

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NAVY
XXXXXXXX DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
HONOLULU, HAWAII

XXXXXXXXXXXX
HONOLULU DISTRICT

27 February 1942.

From: James J. Gibson, Keeper, Kalae Light Station.
To: Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District.

Subject: Resignation as Keeper, U. S. Coast Guard.

1. In view of the charges preferred against me, I wish to resign as Keeper, U. S. Coast Guard, to be effective at the convenience of the Coast Guard.

James J. Gibson

James J. Gibson.

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VIA AIR MAIL
NAVY
~~TREASURY~~ DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
HONOLULU, HAWAII

HONOLULU DISTRICT

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26 February 1942

From: Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District.
To: Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard.

Subject: James J. Gibson, Keeper, Kalae Light Station; charges preferred against.

References:
(a) Report of Asst. Dist. Intelligence Officer, 14th Nav.Dist., Hilo Branch, Hilo, Hawaii letter dated 10 Feb. 1942.
(b) Sen. C.G.Off. 14th Nav.Dist. ltr. 23 Feb. 1942 (75) to James J. Gibson.
(c) C.O. CGC-WALNUT CONF. dispatch 23 Feb. 1942.
(d) Ltr. James J.Gibson to Sen.C.G.Off.14th Nav.Dist. 26 Feb. 1942.

Inclosures:
(A) Copy of reference (a).
(B) Copy of reference (b).
(C) Copy of reference (c).
(D) Copy of reference (d).

1. The subject named man was first appointed a Keeper in the Lighthouse Service on 3 July 1934. He has been assigned to duty as Keeper, Kalae Light Station, Hawaii, since 8 June 1937.

2. In view of the report contained in reference (a), orders were issued to the subject named man to appear before the Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District, in answer to the charges noted in reference (b). In addition to the charges contained in reference (b), the Commanding Officer of the CGC-WALNUT ascertained from log of Post #1, Company G, Hawaii National Guard, that the subject named man had also been absent from his post of duty, without leave from proper authority, from 0845 Feb. 17 to 1550 Feb. 18, and from 1815 Feb. 21 to 1545 Feb.22. When this man was questioned he denied the charges until confronted with additional evidence whereupon he admitted his guilt in reference (d).

3. It is apparent that Gibson is not worthy of the trust bestowed upon him as the keeper of an important light station, and that in view of the state of war which now exists, a strong possibility exists that he cannot be trusted in view of his association with civilians of Japanese extraction.

4. It is recommended that James J. Gibson be dismissed from service in the United States Coast Guard.

G. T. FINLAY.

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NAVY
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XXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

23 February, 1942.

Office

From: Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District.
To : GIBSON, James J., Keeper, Cape Kalae Light Station, Hawaii, T. H.

Subject: Desertion from duty.

Reference:
(a) Regulations for the U.S. Lighthouse Service, 1927; Article 435(b) - 439.
(b) Instructions to Employees of the U.S. Lighthouse Service, 1927, Articles 2, 5, 91 and 131.
(c) Assistant District Intelligence Officer, Fourteenth Naval District, Hilo Branch, Hilo, Hawaii letter, dated 10 February, 1942 (A85(58).
(d) Confidential despatch, 23 February, 1942, Commanding Officer, CGCWALNUT.

1. Reference (c) indicates that you were absent without leave from your regular post of duty on 14, 15 January; 20 and 21 January; 24 to 26 January; 27 to 29 January; 30 to 31 January; 3 to 5 February and 21 and 22 February, 1942.

2. In accordance with reference (a), you are hereby charged with Desertion of Duty.

3. Comply with Article 91 of reference (b). If you desire to make no statement, submit a written communication to that effect.

G. B. GELLY,
Chief of Staff.

Subject: GIBSON, James J. - Keeper, Kalae Lighthouse, P. O. Naalehu, Hawaii.

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January 27th and 28th and on other dates. It is noted on the above log that the subject is shown as being absent from the reservation on those dates, also on the night of January 24th when Lieut. Rickard was trying to contact him.

9. No verification was received from the Army or other sources as to Subject having given soldiers wine for painting the buildings for him or that he had Japanese to turn on the lights for him while absent from the reservation.

10. The writer has seen and talked with the Subject on several occasions and considers him to be no better or worse than the other keepers on this island insofar as morals are concerned. The grounds and buildings appear to be in good condition and Subject has complained of having nothing to do since December 7th and of having no arms with which to protect himself or offer any resistance in case of an attempted landing in his section.

GRADY AVANT
Lieutenant U.S.N.R.

FROM: D.I.O. - 14 N.D.
TO: FBI MED FIO USCG
1. Forwarded for information
2. This office is taking no further action.

R. W. BREED
By direction.

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VIA AIR MAIL

Form 93

Notice of Resignation

Navy Department
United States Coast Guard

Honolulu, T. H.
27 February 1942.

Commandant,
U. S. Coast Guard,
Washington, D. C.

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

NAME	James J. Gibson	POSITION	Keeper
LEGAL RESIDENCE	Hawaii	STATION	Kalae Light Station
		SALARY	$1380 per annum

The acceptance of this resignation, with prejudice, is recommended effective at the close of 15 March 1942.

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

REMARKS:

See Senior C.G.Off. 14th Nav.Dist. letter dated 26 Feb. 1942 (75).

Reply by dispatch requested.

G. B. GELLY,
Chief of Staff.

COPY COPY

23 FEBRUARY 1942

CONFIDENTIAL

FROM: WALNUT

TO : SCGO 14TH NAVDIST

230230 1600 HST 2276

KEEPER KALAE STATION ABSENT FROM STATION SINCE EIGHTEEN HUNDRED FIVE YESTERDAY STAURDAY IN STATION TRUCK UNOFFICIALLY REPORTED ON A PICNIC WITH TWO FEMALES SEVERAL PREVIOUS ATTEMPTS TO CONTACT KEEPER UNSUCCESSFULL

C/C

TP 16
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H.M.A.
DK1G / 230230

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FOURTEENTH NAVAL DISTRICT
Branch Intelligence Office
Federal Building
Hilo, Hawaii, T. H.

A8-5 (58) GA/jbd

10 February, 1942.

CONFIDENTIAL

MEMORANDUM FOR: District Intelligence Officer

Subject: GIBSON, James J. - Keeper, Kalae Lighthouse, P. O. Naalehu, Hawaii.

Reference: (a) DIO card #189, same subject.

1. Subject is frequently referred to as a "Jap lover" by the caucasians around Naalehu. This is because he associates with Japanese, is frequently seen taking Japanese girls for rides, and before the war permitted Japanese to fish from the cliffs around the lighthouse. There are only a few caucasians in that section and the only congenial female companions the Subject can find are Japanese or Kanakas. Subject has told the writer that he is afraid to associate with the Kanakas as the second time you take one of them out they expect you to marry them.

2. Prior to and since December 7th Subject has furnished this office with information relative to Japanese which shows that he is not a "Jap lover" to the extent of being pro-Japanese. On December 7th Subject was in Hilo on leave, immediately reported to this office, and offered the services of himself and his personal car. On three or four occasions during his leave which expired about January 10th, Subject appeared at this office and offerred his assistance.

3. Between August 15th and December 7th the writer called at Kalae Lighthouse three or four times. On each visit Subject was on the reservation, alone and the house and grounds were neat and clean.

4. Lieutenant J. S. Rickard Jr., USA, who is in charge at Morse Field states that his detachment was placed on an alert at 2115 on January 24th and he tried to phone Subject but could not get an answer, then he went to the residence on the lighthouse reservation and could not arouse anyone by pounding on the door.

5. On February 4th the writer arrived at the reservation at 1730 but Subject was not there and did not return till 0700 February 5th. Subject was asked where he had spent the night and stated that he was having dinner at the Naalehu School the previous evening, it had gotten dark before he realized it was so late, and he had spent the night at the Shirokawa Hotel at Waohina, 15 miles from the lighthouse, as he did not want to drive after dark. Subject also stated, in answer

U. S. COAST GUARD
RECEIVED MAR 17 1941

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
United States Coast Guard

Date 3 March 1941

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

From: Commander, Honolulu District.
To: Commandant.

Name James J. Gibson

Nature of Action Promotion

Effective date of change 16 Jan. 1941

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	Keeper
Pay	$1320 p.a.	$1380 p.a.
Salary Range	$1320-$1680 p.a.	$1320 - $1680 p.a.
Valuation of Quarters	$240 p.a.	$240 p.a.
Station	Kalae Light Station.	Kalae Light Station.

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department approval dated (perforated in Form 2249) 1-16-41.

Signature E. D. Jones
E.D.JONES.

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(This space for use of Headquarters)

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PAGE:

TO:

Date Prepared January 10, 1941

Name: Gibson, James J.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No: 624

Promotion

	FROM	TO
Position		Keeper
Grade		
Salary	Field (Range $1320-1680) $1320 p.a.,plus $240 p.a.(trs.	Field (Range $1320-1680) $1380 p.a.,plus $240 p.a.(trs.
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions		U.S.Coast Guard
Headquarters		Honolulu,Hawaii.
Post of Duty		Palau Light Station,T.H.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees,C.G.
Allotment		
Field or Deptl.		Field

EFFECTIVE *Remarks:* January 16, 1941.

Justification:

No increase in pay since April 14, 1936.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION

Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH

LEGAL RESIDENCE

Hawaii

SEX | RACE

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT?

Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH

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

BUREAU SUSPENSE AND FILE COPY

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STANDARD FORM NO. 6
(Approved by the Presi[illegible] 3/28/24)
Revised Dec. 5, [illegible]

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment Treasury Dept U.S. Coast Guard U.S. Lighthouse Ser Date Sept 25/39

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Gibson (Surname) James (Given name) Joseph (Middle name)
2. Present address 60 Lau Lau St (Number, Street) Honolulu (City) Hawaii (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Hawaii (State and Congressional District) Hawaii (County) Waiohinue (City or town)
4. Where born New Jersey (State or foreign country) Jersey City (City or town) When born Mar 16-1893 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien No
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you None
8. A complete record of your past service for the United States Government other than military or naval:

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
Dept Commerce U.S. Lighthouse Ser	Honolulu	Foreman Labor	6.00 Per Da	June	14	1932	June	30	1932
War Dept U.S. Eng	Honolulu	Inspector	150.00 Per Mo	Feb	22	1934	June	30	1934
Dept Commerce U.S. Lighthouse	Honolulu	Asst Keeper	1260.00 1320 Per Ann	July	3	1934	To Date		

9. Are any members of your family, who are domiciled with you, in the U. S. Government service? If so, state below: No

NAME	POSITION AND DEPARTMENT OR OFFICE IN WHICH EMPLOYED	RELATIONSHIP
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	

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

(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)

11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service? No

(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted Jan 29-1918 Discharged July 10-1919 Enlisted Oct 19-1922 Discharged Oct 18-25-1925

Rank Private Rank Master Eng 1st Gr Rank Private Rank Sergeant

Organization 701 Eng Organization 701 Eng Organization 3rd Eng Organization 3rd Eng

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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.) No

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
Boys Industrial School	Parole Officer	3 years
	Waialae Oahu Hawaii	
Atty Generals Office	Clerk Honolulu	1 year

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 William J Gibson

Relationship Brother Post office address 35 Newman Ave. Bayonne N J

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

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

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Copy of this form not sent to the Dept.

August 19, 1937

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu, Hawaii

The Bureau is in receipt of your Form 73a in the case of James J. Gibson showing his transfer from Molokai Light Station to Kalae Light Station without change in pay effective July 1.

As Mr. Gibson had previously been transferred to a temporary additional position at Kalae Light Station and the effective date reported as June 8 in your letter of July 15, it appears that your Form 73a is not entirely correct, and the Bureau has amended it to show Mr. Gibson's transfer from a temporary additional position at Kalae to the regular position, vice Frank Williams, effective July 1.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

hlm/sce

July 27, 1937

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu, Hawaii

With reference to your letter of July 15 reporting the transfer of James J. Gibson to the temporary additional new position at Kalae Light Station effective June 8, it is requested that your office submit Form 73a in duplicate showing the transfer of Mr. Gibson to the permanent position vice Frank Williams, effective as of July 1.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

hlm/see

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 26 2 16 PM '37

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

RW.

July 15, 1937.

7/27/37 wrote 19th
7/27/37 Sent to Dept

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. With reference to Bureau radiogram dated May 25, 1937, approving transfer of James J. Gibson from First Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, to Keeper, Kalae Light Station, without increase in pay, and transfer of John Enos, Jr., from Second Assistant Keeper, Makapuu Point Light & Radiobeacon Station, to Keeper, Pauwela Point Light Station, without increase in pay, the Bureau is advised that the effective dates of transfer are -

John Enos, Jr. - June 28, 1937 73a separately submitted (BL)

Jas. J. Gibson - June 8, 1937

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON July 27, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information, attention being invited to Department letter of June 5 authorizing this temporary position at Kalae Light Station and the transfer of James J. Gibson thereto.

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For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

hlm/sec

Form 73 a

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT,

Honolulu T H August 6 , 19 37.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

It is proposed to transfer the following-named employee as indicated, on or about July 1, 1937
(See instructions on reverse side)

Name, James J. Gibson Position, Keeper

From First Assistant Keeper ~~Molokai~~ Kalae Light Station (Temp. position add'l.) To Kalae Light Station

Salary and range, ~~$1320.p.a. ($1320-$1680)~~ Salary and range, $1320. p.a. ($1320-$1680)

Previous incumbent and pay, Frank Williams, $1320. p.a. (LT. #824)

Services terminated, June 30, 1937 Reason, Account being absent from duty since injury on Aug. 11, 1935.

F.A.Edgecomb, Superintendent of Lighthouses.

August 6 , 19 37.

The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with July 1, 1937.
(Enter effective date in this space if transfer has been actually completed)

F.A.Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON August 19, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

WPH

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

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COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
COMMERCE BRANCH 680

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ROUTINE

WASHINGTON D C JUNE 21 1937

GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT HONOLULU HAWAII

REREAD TRANSFER JAMES J GIBSON TO KALAE IS IN TEMPORARY ADDITIONAL POSITION PENDING DISCONTINUANCE SERVICES FRANK WILLIAMS WHICH BUREAU HAS RECOMMENDED TO DEPARTMENT

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CONFIRMATION

ACTION COPY

NAVAL MESSAGE

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RECEIVED AT NAVY DEPARTMENT

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6/21/37 Rec'd 19th

U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 4—7143

GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE COMMISSIONER WASHN

IS RADIO OF FOURTEEN A CHANGE FROM LETTER JUNE FIFTH BUREAU ENDORSE-
MENT OF JUNE SEVENTH OR MAY WE CONSIDER KALAE KEEPER A NEW PERMANENT
POSITION TO BE PERMANENTLY FILLED BY GIBSON

EDGECOMB

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COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
COMMERCE BRANCH 690

hlm/sec

ROUTINE

WASHINGTON D C JUNE 14 1937

GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT HONOLULU HAWAII

DEPARTMENT HAS AUTHORIZED TEMPORARY ADDITIONAL POSITION KALAE LIGHT STATION AND ASSIGNMENT THERETO JAMES J GIBSON EFFECTIVE JUNE FIVE OR EOD PENDING DISPOSAL CASE WILLIAMS STOP URLET JUNE FIVE PROPOSING DISCONTINUANCE WILLIAMS ACCORDANCE RULE FIVE PARAGRAPH FOUR F WHICH RELATES INTOXICATION SEEMS INAPPROPRIATE AND APPEARS PARAGRAPH FOUR B APPLICABLE ADVISE RADIO

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CONFIRMATION

June 5, 1937.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of May 25, the Department has authorized a new position, of keeper, at $1320 per annum at Kalae Light Station, and the assignment thereto of James J. Gibson, effective upon entrance on duty.

A new appointment certificate will not be issued nor will an oath of office be required.

By direction of the Secretary:

[illegible] J. GARDNER

Chief, Division of Personnel.

This is a temporary additional position
H'm

B:k

JUN - 7 1937

Bureau of Lighthouses, Wash., Copy to [illegible]

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
COMMERCE BRANCH 630

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WASHINGTON D C MAY 25 1937

USLHE GOVT LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT HONOLULU HAWAII
NOMINATIONS TRANSFER JAMES J GIBSON TO KALAE AND JOHN KNOS JUNIOR TO
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PAUWELA POINT AS NO CHANGE IN PAY INVOLVED TRANSFERS MAY BE COMPLETED AND EFFECTIVE
DATES REPORTED TRAVEL ORDERS APPROVED STOP FRANK WILLIAMS CANNOT BE DROPPED WITHOUT
DEPARTMENT APPROVAL STOP MAIL RECOMMENDATION HIS CASE STATING PROSPECTS HIS RETURN-
ING DUTY AND WHETHER SUFFICIENT SERVICE FOR DISABILITY RETIREMENT GIBSON MAY BE
SHOWN IN TEMPORARY ADDITIONAL POSITION AT THIRTEEN TWENTY AT KALAE MEANTIME

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TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED

Form 73

VIA AIR MAIL

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
MAY 18 3 31 PM '37

JMA:RW

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT,

Honolulu, T. H., May 12, 19 37
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, ~~Transfer & Promotion~~

Name, James J. Gibson

Position, Keeper

Location, Kalae Light Station

Effective, June 8, 1937, or ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~ [1] the actual date of entrance on duty.

Former position, 1st Asst Keeper

Location, Molokai Light Station

Legal residence, Honolulu, T. H.

Proposed salary, $1320. p. a.

Proposed range, $1320 - $1680. p. a.

Appropriation, Salaries, Lighthouse Keepers.

Former salary, $1320. p. a.

Former range, $1320 - $1680. p. a.

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

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New Position (Identical with Lt.#824) to be

Previous incumbent and his pay, Frank Williams Services terminated, June 7, 1937

Reason, Dropped because of physical disability. Is drawing compensation under the Federal Employees' Compensation Act.

Members of family in Government service, none.

Date of birth, March 16, 1893.

Remarks: This transfer is proposed for the good of the Service, and not for the personal convenience of the employee. Travel order for payment of transportation expenses is transmitted herewith for approval.

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

F. A. Edgecomb

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Secretary, Civil Service District. F.A.EDGECOMB, Superintendent of Lighthouses

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

May 25, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, and with recommendation that a temporary additional position be authorized as indicated in order to provide a keeper for the station pending disposition of the case of Frank Williams who has been absent for a long period on account of injury. It is recommended that the authorization of this temporary additional position provide for the transfer of Mr. Gibson thereto on June 8 or entrance on duty.

W. P. HARMAN

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
MAY 18 3 30 PM '37
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

JMA:RW

T.O. appvd 5/25/37 by Dept
Wired 19th 5/21/37
Wired 19th J.a to dept

May 12, 1937.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. Transmitted herewith are Forms 73 and 107 in connection with the proposed transfers of Assistant Keepers James J. Gibson and John Enos, Jr.

2. Authority for allowance of $50.00 to cover transportation of household effects of John Enos, Jr., is requested, due to the fact that the proposed transfer will be made in the interest of the Service and not at the request nor for the convenience of the employee.

3. No recommendation for allowance to cover transportation of household effects of James J. Gibson will be made.

Rec'd OK, unless other transfers not yet provided for are to be carried out before July 1

Encls.

Received 5/19

OK/sal 5/19-37

ex + rec

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Present bal is $503.90

Prospective transfers
Yards To Det. - Will not involve household goods as I understand it.

Duncan to Gordon to Det. — May involve household goods but see no reason why cannot be deferred until after 7/1 should this be necessary. Know of no others above except Dermid & believe this has been estimated for.

Abb 5/19.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

LIGHTHOUSES
1936 APR 27 AM 11 30

RW.

District Nineteenth

Date April 17, 1936.

CHANGE IN STATUS OF EMPLOYEES

Name James J. Gibson
Nature of Action Transfer, involving Pay Increase
Effective Date April 14, 1936.

	FROM	TO
Position	Additional Keeper At Large	First Assistant Keeper
Pay	$1260.00 per annum	$1320.00 per annum
Station	19th District at Large	Molokai Light Station

REMARKS:

See Bureau letter dated March 13, 1936, transmitting copy of Bureau personnel recommendation to Secretary of Commerce.

F. A. Edgecomb

(Signature)
F.A.EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

NOTE: This form is to be used for both appointed and unappointed employees but only in reporting changes in status, such as salary promotions, changes in designation, etc. Separations in any manner (such as by resignation, death, retirement, etc.) should not be reported on this form but in such cases a certified copy of district form 2806 should be forwarded to the Bureau in accordance with the instructions in Bureau circular Letter No. 309, dated November 30, 1931.

APR 29 1936

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner,

Chief, Personnel Division

(COPY)

RADIOGRAM

NPM 483 DE HONOLULU CK 224 GOVT USLHS NITE FOURTEENTH 1645
GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE COMMISSIONER WASHINGTON

RE APPROVAL FORM A DASH
THIRTYEIGHT MARCH NINTH JAMES J GIBSON FORMER ADDITIONAL KEEPER ENTERED ON DUTY APRIL FOURTEENTH AS FIRST ASSISTANT KEEPER MOLOKAI STOP NOMINATION RECOMMENDING ASSISTANT KEEPER WALTER L ANTHONY FROM TWELVE SIXTY PER ANNUM SECOND ASSISTANT KEEPER MOLOKAI TO POSITION ADDITIONAL KEEPER AT THIRTEEN EIGHTY FORWARDED APRIL THIRTEENTH ALSO NOMINATION RECOMMENDING EDWARD MARQUES AS PROBATIONARY SECOND ASSISTANT KEEPER MOLOKAI CARRYING CIVIL SERVICE SECRETARY APPROVAL MAILED APRIL THIRTEENTH STOP AGREEABLE BUREAU RADIO APRIL SEVENTH REQUEST APPROVAL TRANSFER ANTHONY BE EXPEDITED AND RADIO APPROVAL IN CASE OF ANTHONY TRANSFER AND MARQUEST APPOINTMENT FOR FOLLOWING REASONS STOP KEEPER (FRANK) WILLIAMS INCAPACITATED SINCE AUGUST LAST DUE TO INJURY MAY ULTIMATELY BE RETIRED FOR DISABILITY AND FRED NIHOA KEEPER MOLOKAI UNABLE RETURN TO DUTY NOT EARLIER THAN MAY FIFTEENTH ACCORDING PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE STOP REQUEST ALSO RADIO AUTHORITY SECURE TEMPORARY ADDITIONAL KEEPER FROM CIVIL SERVICE REGISTER PENDING KEEPER WILLIAMS RECOVERY OR RETIREMENT STOP ALL ABOVE ESSENTIAL FOR SAFEGUARDING LIFE AND PROPERTY IN OPERATION OF PRIMARY LIGHTS STOP ADDITIONAL VACANCY IMMINENT IS ASSISTANT KEEPER POSITION DUE CHARGES PREFERRED SLEEPING ON DUTY STOP MOREOVER BECAUSE OF KEEPER PERSONNEL PROBLEMS COMMA SICKNESS AND INJURY LITTLE ANNUAL LEAVE GRANTED LAST YEAR AND PRACTICALLY NONE THUS FAR THIS YEAR AND LITTLE PROSPECT OF GRANTING ANY REASONABLE AMOUNT UNLESS AUTHORIZED POSITIONS PROMPTLY FILLED HEREAFTER ON RADIO RECOMMENDATION

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Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington April 15, 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce recommending approval, formal nominations to be submitted upon receipt in the Bureau, the proposed action involving the immediate transfer of Walter L. Anthony from Molokai Lightstation at $1260 ($1260-1620) to keeper at large at $1380 ($1380-1740); and the probationary appointment of Edward Marques as keeper at Molokai at $1260 ($1260-1620) vice Anthony; also the authorization of a temporary additional position of keeper for duty at Kalae Lightstation during the absence on account of injury of the regular keeper, Frank Williams.

For the Commissioner:

H-M

Administrative Assistant

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COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
COMMERCE BR.680

NITE MESSAGE

DESPATCH PLEASE SEND

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES WASHINGTON
MARCH 24 1936

GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT HONOLULU HAWAII

TRAVEL ORDER GIBSON APPROVED AND MAILED THIS DATE

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COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
COMMERCE BR.680 ROUTINE DEBPATCH PLEASE SEND
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES WASHINGTON DC
MARCH 20 1936

GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT HONOLULU HAWAII

RE TRANSPORTATION HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS GIBSON OWING TO DEPLETION RESTRICTED FUNDS BUREAU CAN APPROVE NOT EXCEEDING TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED WITH THIS LIMIT OF GOVERNMENT EXPENSE

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3/24/36 Approved
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confirmation - As soon as transportation has been completed advise Bureau showing any expenditure made by your office together with voucher reference and also furnishing government bill of lading reference, if any involved.

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MAR 13 1936

Superintendent of Lighthouses, Honolulu, T. H.

1. In reference to your letter of February 18 proposing the transfer of James J. Gibson from keeper(at large) at $1260 to keeper (first assistant), Molokai at $1320 per annum, and inclosing Form 73a to accomplish this:

2. In this connection, attention is invited to the fact that Form 73a is not used in a case where a change in cash pay is involved, for the reason that such changes require Department action and therefore must be submitted on the regular nomination form 73. In the present case the Bureau prepared a personnel recommendation, copy of which is inclosed for your information and files.

3. With further reference to the use of proper forms, it is noted that your office submitted form 73a in sextuplicate. This is unnecessary, as this form is not required in more than duplicate and in certain cases only one copy is to be submitted at a time. A revised copy of form 73a is forwarded herewith for your information, and it is requested that when this form is submitted in the future it be done in accordance with the instructions on the reverse thereof. Both the present station and the proposed station should be shown on the form, which you will note was not done in Gibson's case.

4. In connection with the Department's change of the range of the additional keepers from $1260-1620 to $1380-1740, your attention is invited to the Bureau's note on confirmation of radiogram dated January 15, 1936, advising of Sidney Estrella's appointment, that "Recommendation for the promotion of the other additional keeper to the minimum of the new range may be submitted by your office". It appears that your office failed to submit nomination for the increase in Gibson's pay, and that therefore he has been deprived of the pay provided by the new range of his position. It is impracticable now, however, to recommend the increase retroactively; but when submitting nomination of a new incumbent, it should be at $1380.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. HARRIS

Administrative Assistant

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Incl

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Form A-88

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

March 9, 1936.

Mr. James J. Gibson,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

F. A. DELONG

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1260 per annum.

To: $1320 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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Form S. S.-93

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
WASHINGTON

Bureau of Lighthouses Date March 4, 1936

The Secretary of Commerce:

The following personnel change is respectfully recommended:

Nature of recommendation [1] Transfer involving increase in gross pay

Civil service authority

Name James J. Gibson

Legal residence T. H.

	FROM—	TO—
Position	Keeper (At-Large)	Keeper (first assistant)
Classification	Field ($1260-1620) (no quarters)	Field (range $1320-1680) (quarters $240)
Salary	$1260 per annum	$1320 per annum
Station	At Large, 19th District	Molokai Lightstation, T. H., 19th Lighthouse District.
Appropriation [2]	Salaries, Keepers of Lhs.	Same

Vice Frank Pate (Lt.#833), resigned.

Effective date to be reported

Remarks:

W. P. HARMAN
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

(For use of Department)

Copy to 19th Supt,
when approved

[1] Recommendations for reinstatement must be accompanied by Form S. S.-93A
[2] To be used only by bureaus operating under more than one appropriation unit.

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Form 73a

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOIN

JMA:RW

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES. 19th DISTRICT.

Honolulu, T. H., Feb. 18 , 1936.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee will be transferred as indicated, and will enter upon duty at his new station on or about April 1, 1936

Name, James J. Gibson

Position, Additional Keeper at Large

From Additional Keeper at Large

To First Assistant Keeper

Previous incumbent, Frank Pate

Services terminated, Feb. 11, 1936

Reason, Resignation Accepted with prejudice.

Present Pay	Proposed Pay
$1260.00 p.a.	$1320.00 p.a.
Present Range	**Proposed Range**
$1380 - $1740.p.a. (effec.1/15/36)	$1320. - $1680.p.a.

F. A. Edgecomb

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with .....

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

JMA:RW

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSES
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1936 MAR 2 PM 3 24

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

February 18, 1936.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. Transmitted herewith are forms #73a and 107, covering proposed transfer of James J. Gibson, Additional Keeper at Large, to the position of First Assistant Keeper at Molokai Light Station, Molokai Island. This transfer is made necessary by the resignation of Frank Pate, effective at the close of February 11, 1936.

2. Authority for allowance of $50.00 to cover transportation of household effects is requested due to the fact that this transfer is made for the good of the Service, and not for the personal convenience of the employee.

3. Please expedite reply.

3/20/36 Wired 19th approving transfer Gibson's h.h. effects not to exceed $25.00
Approved

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

to Dept.
3/24/36 Wired 19th re mailing J.O.

January 7, 1935

Superintendent of Lighthouses, Honolulu, T. H.

By letter dated December 29, 1934, the Civil Service Commission has advised that its records have been noted to the effect that March 16, 1893, is the correct date of birth of James Joseph Gibson, keeper in your district.

Mr. Gibson should be instructed to use that date for official purposes when necessary.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

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GOVT USLHE LIGHTHOUSE COMMISSIONER WASHN

EFFECTIVE DATE TRANSFER KEEPER JAMES J GIBSON

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Form 2770
May 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. SRR:LBP:MS.

December 29,1934.

1/7/35 wrote 19th

Acting Chief,Appointment Division,

Department of Commerce.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of letter dated October 31,1934,

relative to the date of birth of James Joseph Gibson,

employed as Keeper, Lighthouse District,

at Honolulu, T.H.,

who furnishes Dept's. statement as to date of birth shown on birth certificate,

showing that March 16,1893, is the correct date of birth.

Notation accordingly is being made on the records of this office.

By direction of the Commission:

Very respectfully,

JAN 3 1935

Copy transmitted to the Bureau

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

Chief of Appointment Division

MER

L. A. MOYER,
Chief Examiner.

GPO 16—17

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
Commerce Branch 680

PRIORITY

WASHINGTON D C DECEMBER 27 1934

GOVT LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT HONOLULU HAWAII

TRANSFER AND TRANSPORTATION ALLOWANCE KEEPER JAMES J GIBSON APPROVED AS PROPOSED ALSO PROPOSED APPOINTMENT WALTER L ANTHONY STOP RADIO BUREAU DATE THESE KEEPERS ENTERED ON DUTY

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Form 73 a

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REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1934 DEC 24 AM 9 : 33

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT.

Honolulu, T.H., December 14, , 19 34.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

It is proposed to transfer the following-named employee as indicated, on or about January 15, 1934
(See instructions on reverse side)

Name, James J. Gibson

Position, Second Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station.

From Molokai Light Station, Molokai, T.H.

To position of Additional Keeper at Large, 19th Lighthouse District, with headquarters at Honolulu, T. H.

Salary and range, Salary, $1260.00 p.a. Range 1260.- 1620.

Salary and range, $1260.00 p.a. - Range 1260.00 - 1620.00

Previous incumbent and pay, Joseph B. Medeiros, pay $1260.00 per annum (LT #821)

Services terminated, close of November 28, 1934 Reason, Resigned.

F. A. Edgecomb

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.
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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with 12-29-34
(Enter effective date in this space if transfer has been actually completed)

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JAN 14 1935

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner:

Administrative Assistant
~~Chief of Personnel Division.~~

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

WCR.

REPORT ON PROBATIONARY APPOINTEE

LIGHTHOUSES

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.

1934 DEC 24 AM 9:33

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."

COMMERCE
(Department)

Office, Superintendent of Lighthouses, 19th District, Honolulu, T.H., December 13, 1934.
(Bureau or office) (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

January 2, 1935, ~~1932~~ .

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

Name James J. Gibson

Position Keeper (Assistant)

Salary $1260.00 per annum

Appropriation Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Station Molokai Light Station, Kalaupapa, Molokai, T. H.

Date of entrance on duty July 5, 1934.

Remarks:

DEC 26 1934

Forwarded to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner,

Chief, Personnel Division

F. A. Edgecomb
(Signature of immediate superior)
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Submitted:

(Head of bureau or office)

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1732

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

October 13, 1934.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

10/30/34

1. Referring to Bureau endorsement of Aug. 21, 1934, on letter dated Aug. 9, 1934, from Chief Examiner, Civil Service Commission to Acting Chief of Appointment Division, returned herewith, there is transmitted herewith certificate from the Office of the Board of Health and Vital Statistics, Hudson County, N. J., giving date of birth of James J. Gibson, as Mar. 16, 1893.

H A EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

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Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington October 30, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce together with documentary evidence above referred to. Mr. Gibson had previously given his year of birth as 1894.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

Incl
H-M

COMMISSIONERS
HARRY B. MITCHELL, PRESIDENT
LUCILLE FOSTER MCMILLIN
LEONARD D. WHITE
LAWSON A. MOYER, CHIEF EXAMINER

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C.

ADDRESS ONLY
"CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION"
IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO
FILE
AND DATE OF THIS LETTER SRR:LBP:MS.

LIGHTHOUSES
1934 AUG - 14 - PM 2 33
IGHTHOUSES,
1934 OCT 29 AM 9:27

August 9, 1934.

T/O 19th

Acting Chief of Appointment Division,

Department of Commerce.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the Department's letter of August 2,1934, relative to the date of birth of James J. Gibson, second assistant keeper, Bureau of Lighthouses, Molokai Lighthouse Station, Kalaupapa, Molokai.

The affidavit furnished by Mr. Gibson stating that he inadvertently gave his date of birth as March 16,1894, whereas it should have been March 16,1893, is not sufficient to establish March 16,1893 as correct. In view of his discrepant statements, it will be necessary for him to secure proof by one of the ways outlined in the enclosed form,which are listed in order of their preference by the Commission.

By direction of the Commission:

Very respectfully,

L.A.Moyer,
Chief Examiner.

Incl.# 18815.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.,
August 21, 1934.
Referred to Superintendent of Lighthouses, Honolulu, Hawaii, for compliance and return.
For the Commissioner:
W. P. Harman
Administrative Assistant

AUG 14 1934
Copy transmitted to the BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

Chief of Appointment Division

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STATEMENT OF POSITIONS FILLED OUTSIDE OF THE CONTINENTAL LIMITS OF THE UNITED STATES BY AUTHORITY OF DEPARTMENT CIRCULAR LETTER E-7 OF JULY 30, 1932.

MONTH OF JULY 1934
19TH LIGHTHOUSEDISTRICT
HONOIULU, T. H.

Name	E.O.D.	Designation	Pay	Station	Appropriation	Previous Encumbent	Date of Vacancy	Reason for Separation	Manner in Which filled
Jas.J.Gibson	7/3/34	Assistant Keeper	1260 A	Molokai Lt.	Sal.Kprs 1935	John Enos, Jr.	6/16/34	Transferred to Makapuu Pt.Lt.Sta.	New Appt.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent

C.N. Elliot

C.N. Elliot
Assistant Superintendent.

1934 AUG 13 AM 11:53
LIGHTHOUSES

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4 JUL 20 AM 7:59

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GOVT USLHE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES WASHN

RE NINETEENTH LETTER

JULY SIXTH REQUEST BUREAU CHANGE DATE BIRTH KEEPER GIBSON ON STANDARD FORM SIX AND FORM SEVENTYTHREE TO SIXTEENTH MARCH EIGHTEEN NINETYTHREE LETTER FOLLOWS

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ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
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HONOLULU, HAWAII
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

1934 JUL -30 AM 11:29

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

July 19, 1934.

7/31/34

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. With reference to 19th District radiogram of even date, the Bureau is respectfully advised that after Personal History Statement was forwarded under date of July 6, 1934, it was discovered that James J. Gibson, 2nd. Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, had given his date of birth as March 16, 1894 instead of March 16, 1893, as shown on his application.

2. Transmitted herewith is Affidavit received from Mr. Gibson attesting to error on his part relative to date of birth.

3. Also, transmitted herewith is letter received from the Notary Public before whom Mr. Gibson took his Oath of Office, as upon reference to the file copy of the Oath, the date of expiration of Mr. Correa's commission was not legible.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

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Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington July 31, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, together with inclosures, for the purpose indicated.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

H-M
Incls

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RW

LIGHTHOUSES
1934 JUL - 16 - AM 11:27

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

July 6, 1934.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. Transmitted herewith are Oath of Office and Personal History Sheet for Mr. James J. Gibson, who entered on duty at the Molokai Light Station, as Second Assistant Keeper, on July 3, 1934, at $1260. per annum.

F A EDGECOMB
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

commissioner of lighthouses

H-M

DISPATCH PLEASE SEND

WASHINGTON DC JUN 21 1934

USLHE HONOLULU T H

APPOINTMENT JAMES J GIBSON APPROVED

PUTNAM

confirmation

To dept. 6/15

2d asst. Molokai $1260

Form A-30

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 19, 1934.

Mr. James J. Gibson,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

1934 JUN 21 AM 10 09
LIGHTHOUSES

Sir:

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

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Twelve Hundred and Sixty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Probationary.

Civil Service authority: Manager, Twelfth Civil Service District.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

N. A. DELONG

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Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: John Enos, Jr.

Legal residence: Hawaii.

JUN 21 1934

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ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSES LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1934 JUN-18- AM 11:36

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

June 6, 1934.

Mr. B. Heflebower
Assistant Manager in Charge
Branch Office, 12th Civil Service District
Honolulu, T. H.

Dear Mr. Heflebower:

Transmitted herewith, in quadruplicate, is Nomination, "Department of Commerce, Lighthouse Service Form 73", and medical certificate on U. S. Civil Service Commission Form 2413 and Declaration of Appointee, U. S. Civil Service Commission Form 124-b-Field, covering nomination by this office of Mr. James J. Gibson, to the position of Second Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, Island of Molokai, with compensation at $1260.00 per annum, Mr. Gibson's tentative date of entrance on duty being set as July 1, 1934.

Sent to dept 6/15

With further reference to conversation with you regarding possibility of Mr. Gibson being re-examined by the local U. S. Public Health physician upon his arrival in Honolulu from Kauai, it will be noted that Mr. Gibson was examined by acting U. S. Public Health surgeon Doctor Roger Lee Hill, at Lihue, and it is believed that this will eliminate the necessity of further physical examination. However, if further medical examination is compulsory, please advise.

It is understood that you have received finger-print chart from your Kauai representative in Mr. Gibson's case but that same is not entirely satisfactory to you, and it is hereby agreed that Mr. Gibson will be sent to you for finger printing before his entrance on duty.

In view of the fact that it is understood that you now forward nominations direct to Washington instead of through the San Francisco office, there is enclosed herewith Air Mail postage, with request that you use same in forwarding this nomination due to the urgency of having it reach Washington as soon as practicable.

Respectfully,

For and in absence of Superintendent

C. N. ELLIOT
Assistant Superintendent.

Encls

NINETEENTH DISTRICT
COPY FOR COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES

Copy to Commissioner of Lighthouses:

It is respectfully requested that the Bureau use its good offices to have this nomination approved as soon as practicable, particularly in view of the fact that it is the intention of this office to fill the vacancy in the position of Second Assistant Keeper at Molokai Light Station, upon transfer of John Enos, Junior to Makapuu Point Light Station, by sending Mr. Gibson to Molokai as a substitute laborer, authorized by the Bureau for a period not to exceed one month according to Regulations.

For and in absence of Superintendent

C.N. Elliot

C.N. Elliot
Assistant Superintendent

copy to Chief Clerk.

Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT,

Honolulu, T. H. (City) June 6, 1934 (Date), 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Appointment (Probational)

Name, James Joseph Gibson

Position, Second Assistant Keeper

Location, Molokai Light Station, Island of Molokai, T. H.

Effective, July 1, 1934

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

Legal residence, Hawaii

Proposed salary, $1260.00 per annum

Proposed range, $1260.00 - $1620.00

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Former position, ---

Location, ---

Former salary, ---

Former range, ---

Rank on eligible list, third Rating, Assistant Keeper Percentage, 75.0, Other eligibles considered:

John R. Burrows first " 90.0

Kui Lobo second " 85.0

to be

Previous incumbent, John Enos, Jr. (Ltr. #834) Services terminated, on or about June 16, 1934, by reason transfer to position Second Assistant Keeper, Makapuu Pt. Lt. Station, Island of Oahu, T. H.

Reason, ---

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, March 16, 1894

Remarks: None

Affidavit sub. Sterling Gibson had made error in this + that it showed he CSC approved 3/16/1893 as correct date.

Branch Office, 12th U. S. Civil Service District, Federal Building, Honolulu, T. H.

1893

By direction of the Manager:

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, June 6, 19 34.

For and in absence of Superintendent

C.N. Elliot

Assistant Superintendent

HTM 4/1/35

B. Heflebower, Assistant Manager in Charge.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

June 15, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. in accordance with Department circular letter E-7 (supplement 2) dated July 12, 1933.

The transfer of Enos, the vice hereon, will be without change in pay and will be duly reported on Form 73a.

W. P. HARMAN

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

11—2314

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

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment Commerce Date May 3/1934

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Gibson (Surname) James (Given name) Joseph (Middle name)
2. Present address Post Office (Number) Kauai (Street) T.H. (City) (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Honolulu T.H. (State and Congressional District) (County) (City or town)
4. Where born Jersey City N.J. (State or foreign country) (City or town) When born March 16/1893 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

Documentary evidence shows March 16, 1893 HRW 10/26/34

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you None

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

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
Light House Ser	Cape Kumukahi Hilo T.H	Foreman of Laborers	$6.00 Per day	June	14	1932	June	30	1932
U.S. Eng	Port Allen Kauai T.H	Inspector	$150.00 Per Month	Feb	22	1934	up to Present		

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

NAME	POSITION AND DEPARTMENT OR OFFICE IN WHICH EMPLOYED	RELATIONSHIP
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	

10. Do you now hold any State or municipal office? If so, state below:
Inspector on Breakwater at Port Allen Kauai T.H. For U.S. Eng
(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)

11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?
(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted Jan 8/1918 Discharged July 10/1919
Rank Private Rank Master Eng Sr Gr
Organization 701 Eng Organization 701 Eng

Enlisted Oct 19/1922 Discharged Oct 19/1925
Rank Private Rank Sergeant
Organization 3rd Eng Organization 3rd Eng

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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.) Construction Foreman

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
Attorney Genl Office	Extra Clerk during Session of House & Senate	18 Months

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 William J Gibson

Relationship Brother Post office address Bayone N.J.

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

James J Gibson

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

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

Form 439
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS

File No. 962

Name G I B S O N, Mr. JAMES J.,

BORN: March 16, 1893

Service COAST GUARD (L.H.S.)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—16322

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PAGE: 3569

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date January 10, 1941

Name: Gibson, James J.

From: U. S. Coast Guard (BUREAU OR DIVISION) Bureau No: 824

Nature of Recommendation

Promotion

	FROM	TO
Position		Keeper
Grade	Field (Range $1320-1680)	Field (Range $1320-1680)
Salary	$1320 p.a.,plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.	$1380 p.a.,plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.
Bureau or Div.		U.S.Coast Guard
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters		Honolulu,Hawaii.
Post of Duty		Kalae Light Station,T.H.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees,C.G.
Allotment		
Field or Deptl.		Field

EFFECTIVE January 16, 1941.

Remarks:

Justification:

No increase in pay since April 14, 1936.

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

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

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 3-16-1893

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Hawaii

SEX: M | RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH: 6-20-18

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL. TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY: 1-16-41

INTERLEAVED-PATD.

APPLICANT OR EMPLOYEE MUST FILL THE FOLLOWING

Name (in full) James J Gibson Sex Male

Present address Ka Lae Lt Sta Kaalualu Hawaii Date of birth May 16 1893

Give below all places of residence during the past FIVE years

From-- (Month and year)	To-- Month and year)	Number and Street	City and State
July 1934	April 1935	Molokai Lt Sta	Kalaupapa Molokai
June 1936	April 1937	" " "	" " "
June 1937	To Date	Ka Lae Lt Sta	Kaalualu Hawaii

Give, in your own handwriting, the information requested below

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

Date of Arrest	Age	Charge	Court and Location	Judge	Disposition

NO ADDITIONAL RECORD FOUND AT F. B. I.

Have you ever been fingerprinted? N/A Where? Kauai Hawaii

When? July 1 1934 If for the Civil Service, what position? Keeper

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

James J Gibson
Customary payroll signature of employee

U. S. COAST GUARD

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of October 1939

Walter K Reynolds
Notary Public

My commission expires June 30, 1940.

3rd Jud. Circuit, Territory of Hawaii.

July 1, 1939. Lighthouse Districts No. NINETEENTH

consolidated with HONOLULU Coast Guard District,

Headquarters HONOLULU T.H.

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

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

File received - FEB 9 1940

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

James J. Gibson (Name) — Hawaii (Legal Residence)

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SERVICE AND GRADE	SALARY	ACTION	BUREAU	STATION—DISTRICT 19th Dist	DATE OF EFFECT
Keeper	—	1260	Prob.	L.H.	Molokai L.S.	July 3, 1934.
"	—	1260	Trans (73A)	"	Athenge	Dec. 29, 1934
"	—	1320	Trans	"	Molokai L.S.	Apr 14, 1936
"	—	1320	Trans. (73a)	"	Kalae St. Sta.	6-8-37
"	—	1320	"	"	"	7-1-37

Form 73 a

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

RW.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1937 AUG 20 PM 3

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AUG 20 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT, 31

Honolulu T H August 6, 19 37.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

It is proposed to transfer the following-named employee as indicated, on or about July 1, 1937
(See instructions on reverse side)

Name, James J. Gibson

Position, Keeper

From First Assistant Keeper, ~~Molokai~~ Kalae Light Station (Temp. position add'l)

To Kalae Light Station

Salary and range, $1320.p.a. ($1320-$1680)

Salary and range, $1320. p.a. ($1320-$1680)

Previous incumbent and pay, Frank Williams, $1320. p.a. (LT. #824)

Services terminated, June 30, 1937

Reason, Account being absent from duty since injury on Aug. 11, 1935.

F. A. Edgecomb

F.A.Edgecomb, Superintendent of Lighthouses.

August 6, 19 37.

The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with July 1, 1937.
(Enter effective date in this space if transfer has been actually completed)

F. A. Edgecomb

F.A.Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON — August 19, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

CARDED

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant
~~Chief of Personnel Division~~.

11—11251 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1934

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL 28 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 26 3 16 PM '37

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1937 JUL 28 AM 11 45

July 15, 1937.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK

1. With reference to Bureau radiogram dated May 25, 1937, approving transfer of James J. Gibson from First Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, to Keeper, Kalae Light Station, without increase in pay, and transfer of John Enos, Jr., from Second Assistant Keeper, Makapuu Point Light & Radiobeacon Station, to Keeper, Pauwela Point Light Station, without increase in pay, the Bureau is advised that the effective dates of transfer are -

~~John Enos, Jr. - June 28, 1937~~ 73a separately submitted (Bur).

Jas. J. Gibson - June 8, 1937

F. A. Edgecomb

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON July 27, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information, attention being invited to Department letter of June 5 authorizing this temporary position at Kalae Light Station and the transfer of James J. Gibson thereto.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

hlm/see

CARDED

June 5, 1937.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of May 25, the Department has authorized a new position, of keeper, at $1320 per annum at Kalae Light Station, and the assignment thereto of James J. Gibson, effective upon entrance on duty.

A new appointment certificate will not be issued nor will an oath of office be required.

By direction of the Secretary:

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JUN - 7 1937

Chief, Division of Personnel.

B:k

CARDED

TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED — VIA AIR MAIL

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

JMA:RW

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT,

Honolulu, T. H., May 12, 1937
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer ~~& Promotion~~ — Legal residence, Honolulu, T. H.

Name, James J. Gibson — Proposed salary, $1320. p. a.

Position, Keeper — Proposed range, $1320 - $1680. p. a.

Location, Kalae Light Station — Appropriation, Salaries, Lighthouse Keepers.

Effective, June 8, 1937, or ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~ [1] the actual date of entrance on duty.

Former position, 1st Asst Keeper — Former salary, $1320. p. a.

Location, Molokai Light Station — Former range, $1320 - $1680. p. a.

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

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New Position (Identical with Lt.#824)

Previous incumbent and his pay, ~~Frank Williams~~ — Services to be terminated, June 7, 1937

Reason, ~~Dropped because of physical disability.~~ Is drawing compensation under the Federal Employees' Compensation Act.

Members of family in Government service, none.

Date of birth, March 16, 1893.

Remarks: This transfer is proposed for the good of the Service, and not for the personal convenience of the employee. Travel order for payment of transportation expenses is transmitted herewith for approval.

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

F. A. Edgecomb

Secretary, Civil Service District. — F.A.EDGECOMB, Superintendent of Lighthouses

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

May 25, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, and with recommendation that a temporary additional position be authorized as indicated in order to provide a keeper for the station pending disposition of the case of Frank Williams who has been absent for a long period on account of injury. It is recommended that the authorization of this temporary additional position provide for the transfer of Mr. Gibson thereto on June 8 or entrance on duty.

Action O. K.

W. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Chief Clerk

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

LIGHTHOUSES

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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CHIEF CLERK

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APR 29 1936
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

District Nineteenth

Date April 17, 1936.

CHANGE IN STATUS OF EMPLOYEES

Name James J. Gibson
Nature of Action Transfer, involving Pay Increase.
Effective Date April 14, 1936.

	FROM	TO
Position	Additional Keeper At Large	First Assistant Keeper
Pay	$1260.00 per annum	$1320.00 per annum
Station	19th District at Large	Molokai Light Station

REMARKS:

See Bureau letter dated March 13, 1936, transmitting copy of Bureau personnel recommendation to Secretary of Commerce.

RETURN ON COMPLETION TO PERSONNEL JOURNAL
4-30-36

(Signature)
F.A.EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

FORWARDED

NOTE: This form is to be used for both appointed and unappointed employees but only in reporting changes in status, such as salary promotions, changes in designation, etc. Separations in any manner (such as by resignation, death, retirement, etc.) should not be reported on this form but in such cases a certified copy of district form 2806 should be forwarded to the Bureau in accordance with the instructions in Bureau circular Letter No. 309, dated November 30, 1931.

APR 29 1936

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner,

Chief Personnel Division

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

March 9, 1936.

Mr. James J. Gibson,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective upon entrence on duty (change in 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,

F. A. DELONG

MAR 12 1936

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1260 per annum.

To: $1320 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
ENTERED ON JOURNAL
MAR 12 1936
SHEET NO. 4997
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form S. S.-93

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR - 5 1936
APPOINTMENT
DIVISION

Bureau of Lighthouses Date March 4, 1936

The Secretary of Commerce:

The following personnel change is respectfully recommended:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR - 9 1936
APPOINTMENT
DIVISION

Nature of recommendation [1] Transfer involving increase in gross pay

Civil service authority

Name James J. Gibson

Legal residence T. H.

	FROM—	TO—
Position	Keeper (At-Large)	Keeper (first assistant)
Classification	Field ($1260-1620) (no quarters)	Field (range $1320-1680) (quarters $240)
Salary	$1260 per annum	$1320 per annum
Station	At Large, 19th District	Molokai Lightstation, T. H., 19th Lighthouse District.
Appropriation [2]	Salaries, Keepers of Lhs.	Same

Vice Frank Pate (Lt.#833), resigned. #1320

Effective date to be reported

Remarks:

A P Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses
(For use of Department)

THIS IS A CIVIL SERVICE POSITION.

Action O. K.

Asst. Asst. to Secy.

[1] Recommendations for reinstatement must be accompanied by Form S. S.–93A
[2] To be used only by bureaus operating under more than one appropriation unit.

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Form 73 a
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REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTM

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JAN 15 1935
APPOINTMENT
DIVISION

Honolulu, T.H., December 14, , 1934.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

It is proposed to transfer the following-named employee as indicated, on or about January 15, 1934
(See instructions on reverse side)

Name, James J. Gibson

Position, Second Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station.

From Molokai Light Station, Molokai, T.H.

To position of Additional Keeper at Large, 19th Lighthouse District, with headquarters at Honolulu, T. H.

Salary and range, Salary, $1260.00 p.a. Range 1260.- 1620.

Salary and range, $1260.00 p.a. - Range 1260.00 - 1620.00

Previous incumbent and pay, Joseph B. Medeiros, pay $1260.00 per annum (AT #821)

Services terminated, close of November 28, 1934

Reason, Resigned.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.
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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with December 29, 1934.
(Enter effective date in this space if transfer has been actually completed)

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JAN 14 1935

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

CARDED

For the Commissioner:

W R Harman
Administrative Assistant
~~Chief of Personnel Division.~~

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Form 2770
May 1934

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C.

SRR:LBP:MS. 31

1934 DEC 31 AM 8:12

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DEC 31 1934
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

December 29,1934.

Acting Chief,Appointment Division,

Department of Commerce.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of letter dated October 31,1934,

relative to the date of birth of James Joseph Gibson,

employed as Keeper, Lighthouse District,

at Honolulu, T.H.,

who furnishes Dept's. statement as to date of birth shown on birth certificate,

showing that March 16,1893, is the correct date of birth.

Notation accordingly is being made on the records of this office.

By direction of the Commission:

Very respectfully,

CARDED

JAN 3 1935

Copy transmitted to the BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

EDW. J. GARDNER
Chief of Appointment Division

JAN -3 1935

L. A. Moyer

L. A. MOYER,
Chief Examiner.

GPO 16—17

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

WCR.

REPORT ON PROBATIONARY APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1934 DEC 24

1934 DEC 27 AM 10:13

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."

CHIEF CLERK

COMMERCE
(Department)

Office, Superintendent of Lighthouses, 19th District, Honolulu, T.H., December 13, 1934.
(Bureau or office) (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 January 2, 1935, ~~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 James J. Gibson

Position Keeper (Assistant)

Salary $1260.00 per annum

Appropriation Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Station Molokai Light Station, Kalaupapa, Molokai, T. H.

Date of entrance on duty July 3, 1934.

Remarks:

DSE 12/27/34

CARDED

DEC 26 1934

Transmitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner,

Chief, Personnel Division

F. A. Edgecomb
(Signature of immediate superior)
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Submitted:

(Head of bureau or office)

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1732

Form 2767
September, 1934.

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
NOV 17 1934
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

November 14, 1934

Acting Chief of Appointment Division,
Department of Commerce

Sir:

The Commission will appreciate information showing the action taken on its letter of August 9, 1934, relative to date of birth of James J. Gibson, second assistant keeper, Bureau of Lighthouses, Molokai Lighthouse Station, Kalaupapa, Molokai.

By direction of the Commission:

Very respectfully,

L. A. Moyer,
Chief Examiner.

File
Birth certificate
to C.S.C. 10/31/34.
m.f.H.

October 31, 1934.

U. S. Civil Service Commission,
Washington, D. C.

Referring to your letter dated August 9, 1934, relative to the date of birth of James J. Gibson, second assistant keeper, Bureau of Lighthouses at Kalaupapa, Molokai, there is attached a birth certificate giving the date of birth as March 16, 1893.

Respectfully,

E. A. DELONG
OCT 31 1934

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Copy of this letter to Mrs. Payne 12/5/34 M. I. H.
C. S. C.

Enclosure.

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ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1934 OCT 29 AM 9:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT 31 1934
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

1934 OCT 30 PM 3:04

October 13, 1934.

CHIEF CLERK

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. Referring to Bureau endorsement of Aug. 21, 1934, on letter dated Aug. 9, 1934, from Chief Examiner, Civil Service Commission to Acting Chief of Appointment Division, returned herewith, there is transmitted herewith certificate from the Office of the Board of Health and Vital Statistics, Hudson County, N. J., giving date of birth of James J. Gibson, as Mar. 16, 1893.

F. A. Edgecomb

F A EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

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Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington October 30, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce together with documentary evidence above referred to. Mr. Gibson had previously given his year of birth as 1894.

For the Commissioner:

R J Grover

Chief of Personnel Division

Incl
H-M

COMMISSIONERS

HARRY B. MITCHELL, PRESIDENT
LUCILLE FOSTER MC MILLIN
LEONARD D. WHITE

LAWSON A. MOYER, CHIEF EXAMINER

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
AUG 13 1934
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

ADDRESS ONLY "CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION" IN YOUR REPLY REFER TO FILE SRR:LBP:MS. AND DATE OF THIS LETTER

August 9,1934.

Acting Chief of Appointment Division,

Department of Commerce.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to the Department's letter of August 2,1934, relative to the date of birth of James J. Gibson, second assistant keeper, Bureau of Lighthouses, Molokai Lighthouse Station, Kalaupapa, Molokai.

The affidavit furnished by Mr. Gibson stating that he inadvertently gave his date of birth as March 16,1894, whereas it should have been March 16,1893, is not sufficient to establish March 16,1893 as correct. In view of his discrepant statements, it will be necessary for him to secure proof by one of the ways outlined in the enclosed form,which are listed in order of their preference by the Commission.

By direction of the Commission:

Very respectfully,

L.A.Moyer,
Chief Examiner.

Incl.# 18815.

AUG 14 1934

Copy transmitted to the BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

EDW. J. GARDNER

AUG 14 1934

Chief of Appointment Division

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

August 2, 1934.

The Civil Service Commission:

The Department transmits herewith Affidavit in the case of James J. Gibson employed as Second Assistant Keeper at $1260 per annum in the Bureau of Lighthouses, Molokai Lighthouse Station, Kalaupapa, Molokai in support of his claim that he was born on March 16, 1893.

Information is requested as to whether this date may be accepted by the Department as the correct date of his birth.

Other dates of record:

March 16, 1894.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

L. A. DELONG AUG - 3 1934

Acting Chief of Appointment Division

Enclosure

COPY

A F F I D A V I T

Comes now, JAMES J. GIBSON, second assistant keeper, Molokai Lighthouse Station, Kalaupapa, Molokai, who first being duly sworn says:

That in completeing his personal history statement, standard form No. 6, Department of Commerce lighthouse service, he inadvertently gave his date of birth as March 16, 1894, whereas, same should have read March 16, 1893.

Deponent further states that, having in his possession no birth certificate or copy thereof this date, it is subject to verification through the files of Department of Hawaii, United States Army.

(Signed) James J. Gibson
James J. Gibson

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Subscribed and sworn to before me

this 13th day of July A.D. 1934.

(SEAL)

(Signed) M. P. Correa, Jr.
Notary Public, First Judicial Circuit,
Territory of Hawaii. Commission expires June 30, 1935.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
AUG - 1 1934
APPOINTMENT

LIGHTHOUSES

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1934 JUL 30 AM 11:29

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

1934 AUG 1 AM 10:09

CHIEF CLERK

July 19, 1934.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. With reference to 19th District radiogram of even date, the Bureau is respectfully advised that after Personal History Statement was forwarded under date of July 6, 1934, it was discovered that James J. Gibson, 2nd Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, had given his date of birth as March 16, 1894 instead of March 16, 1893, as shown on his application.

2. Transmitted herewith is Affidavit received from Mr. Gibson attesting to error on his part relative to date of birth.

3. Also, transmitted herewith is letter received from the Notary Public before whom Mr. Gibson took his Oath of Office, as upon reference to the file copy of the Oath, the date of expiration of Mr. Correa's commission was not legible.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington July 31, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, together with inclosures, for the purpose indicated.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

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Incls

Department of Commerce
Lighthouse Service
Honolulu,T.H.

July 9,1934 Kalaupapa,Molokai .

My Dear Sirs :-

Your recent letter to Mr J. J. Gibson,with reference to the legality of my seal of office at the time the acknowledgment was made,and you also further state a request for the correct date of expiration.

My Commission expires June 30,1935,as stated on the oath of office of Mr J.J.Gibson.

This is thanking you for your kind attention.I remain,

Yours Very Truly

M. P. Correa.,M.D.
Kalaupapa,Molokai.
NOTARY PUBLIC.

REQUEST FOR SERVICE RECO

Department of Commerce
(Department or Establishment)

July 18, 1934
(Date)

SERVICE RECORD AND RETIREMENT DIVISION
U.S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C.

Gentlemen:

It is requested that the complete official service record and retirement deductions by fiscal years be furnished for the following-named employee:

1. Name in full (Mr., Mrs., or Miss) [redacted] Gibson (Surname) James (First name) J. (Middle name)
(Give name or names under which service was rendered)

2. Date of birth 5-16-94 Date appointed to this office 7-3-34

3. Service claimed as follows:

DEPARTMENT AND BUREAU	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
War Dept. U.S. Eng.	Port Allen	Inspector	$150. pm	2	21	34	7	2	34
	2806 to 9/14/34								
	2 yr.								

4. Military and Naval Record. If any, check (✓) to indicate branch and other information, also give dates of enlistment and discharge. Under organization give company, regiment, and branch of service, i. e., infantry, artillery, marines, vessel, etc.:

None	Army	Navy	Marine Corps	Coast Guard	Pensioner	Veterans Bureau beneficiary

World War ☐ War with Spain ☐ Other ☐

MILITARY RECORD

ORGANIZATION	DATE OF ENLISTMENT OR COMMISSION	DATE OF HONORABLE DISCHARGE

Very respectfully,

JUL 18 1934

WM. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division
(Title of appointing officer)

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
Form 2865—March 1933

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1933 16—417

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
JUL 17 1934
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Department or Establishment Commerce Date May 21/1934

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Gibson James Joseph
(Surname) (Given name) (Middle name)

2. Present address Port Allen Kauai T.H.
(Number) (Street) (City) (State)

3. Legal (voting) residence Honolulu T.H. 1893
(State and Congressional District) (County) (City or town)

4. Where born Jersey City N.J. When born March 11 1893
(State or foreign country) (City or town) (Month) (Day) (Year)

5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien Ref C.S. Letter dated 12/29/34

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

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

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you None

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

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
Light House Ser	Cape Kumukahi Hilo T.H.	Foreman of Laborers	$6.00 per day	June	14	1932	June	30	1932
U.S. Eng	Port Allen Kauai T.H.	Inspector	$150.00 per month	FEB	21	1934	UP TO	PRESENT	

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

NAME	POSITION AND DEPARTMENT OR OFFICE IN WHICH EMPLOYED	RELATIONSHIP
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	

10. Do you now hold any State or municipal office? If so, state below:
Inspector on Breakwater at Port Allen Kauai T.H. For U.S. Eng.
(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)

11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?
(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted Jan 18/1918 Discharged July 10/1919
Rank Private Rank Master Eng. 1st Cl.
Organization 701 Eng Organization 701 Eng

Enlisted Oct 19/1922 Discharged Oct 19/1925
Rank Private Rank Sergeant
Organization 3rd Eng Organization 3rd Eng

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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.) Construction Foreman

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
Attorney General's Office	Extra Work during sessions of House & Senate	18 Months

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 William J. Gibson

Relationship Brother Post office address Bayonne N. J.

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

James J. Gibson

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

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL 17 1934
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

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1934 JUL 17 AM 10:49

OATH OF OFFICE

CHIEF CLERK

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes of the United States

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
(Department or Establishment)

19th Lighthouse District, Honolulu, T.H.
(Bureau or Office)

I, JAMES JOSEPH GIBSON, do
(Name in full, printed or typed)

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

7/31/34

James J. Gibson
(Signature of Appointee)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of JULY, A. D. 19 34

at Kalaupapa, (City or place), Molokai, T. H. (State)

[SEAL]

Notary Public, 1st Jud. Cir.
Territory of Hawaii
comm. exp. June 30 19..

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

Position to which appointed Second Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station

Date of entrance on duty July 3, 1934.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1689

Form A-30

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 19, 1934.

Mr. James J. Gibson,

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 Twelve Hundred and Sixty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Probationary.

Civil Service authority: Manager, Twelfth Civil Service District.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

CARDED

W. A. DELONG JUN 20 1934

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Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: John Enos, Jr.

Legal residence: Hawaii.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
ENTERED ON JOURNAL
JUN 23 1934
SHEET NO. 45549
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 1928

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

WCR

LIGHTHOUSES

1934 JUN-15- AM 8:58

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE 1934 JUN 15 PM 12:31 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT,

Honolulu, T. H. (City) June 6, 1934 (Date)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE JUN 19 1934 APPOINTMENT DIVISION CHIEF CLERK

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Appointment (Probational)

Name, James Joseph Gibson

Position, Second Assistant Keeper

Location, Molokai Light Station, Island of Molokai, T. H.

Effective, July 1, 1934

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

Legal residence, Hawaii

Proposed salary, $1260.00 per annum

Proposed range, $1260.00 - $1620.00

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Former position, ---

Location, ---

Former salary, ---

Former range, ---

Rank on eligible list, third Rating, Assistant Keeper Percentage, 75.0 , Other eligibles considered:

John R. Burrows first " 90.0

Kui Lobo second " 85.0 to be

Previous incumbent, John Enos, Jr. (LT. #834) $1260 Services terminated, on or about June 16, 1934, by reason transfer to position Second Assistant Keeper, Makapuu Pt. Lt. Station, Island of Oahu, T. H.

Reason, ---

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, March 16, 1894

Remarks: Branch Office, 12th U. S. Civil Service District, Federal Building, Honolulu, T. H.

By direction of the Manager:

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, June 6 , 19 34.

B. Heflebower,
Assistant Manager in Charge.
Secretary, Civil Service District.

For and in absence of Superintendent

C.N. Elliot
Assistant Superintendent

S:

10 Papers

6/15/34

THIS IS A CIVIL SERVICE POSITION

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

June 15, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, in accordance with Department circular letter E-7 (supplement 2) dated July 12, 1933.

The transfer of Enos, the vice hereon, will be without change in pay and will be duly reported on Form 73a.

Action O. K.
Kerling
Adm. Asst. to Secy

W P Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

11—2314

Comdr., 14th CGD(pc)
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27 May, 1947

Hon. Mary T. Norton
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mrs Norton:

With reference to your letter of May 23, 1947 regarding present address of Mr. James J. Gibson former Lighthouse Keeper at Naalehu, T.H., you are informed that it is understood by this office that the person in question may be reached by addressing him in care of Senator W. H. Hill, Hilo, T. H.

Very truly yours,

J. W. RYSSY
Captain, USCG
Chief of Staff
14th Coast Guard District

Mr Allen

COMMITTEE:
HOUSE ADMINISTRATION

DISTRICT
COAST GUARD OFFICE

Congress of the United States

House of Representatives

Washington, D. C. 1947 MAY 26 AM 10:43

May 23, 1947

Honolulu, T. H.

Director,
United States Lighthouse Service,
Honolulu, Hawaii.

Dear Sir:

A constituent of mine, Mr. William Gibson of #35 Newman Avenue, Bayonne, New Jersey, advises me that he is trying to locate his brother, James J. Gibson. Mr. James Gibson wrote to his brother the last time about one year before the Pearl Harbor attack and at that time he was working in the Lighthouse Service and lived in Naalehu, T. H.

I am wondering if your records show any information as to whether he is still at Naalehu or if they give a forwarding address for him. I am sure that you can appreciate how anxious Mr. William Gibson is to have some word from his brother and I would be grateful for any assistance that you could give in this matter.

Thanking you for your attention to this inquiry, I am

Sincerely yours,

Mary T. Norton

MTN:E

(Mrs.) Mary T. Norton

Standard Form No. 51
Appr. Jan. 5, 1942
C. S. C. Dept. Cir. No. 302

REPORT OF EFFICIENCY RATING

REGULAR (X); INTERIM ( ) PROBATIONARY—1ST ( ) 2D ( )

Classification Symbols		
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(Service)	(Grade)	(Class)

As of March 31, 1942 based on performance during period from April 1, 1941 to March 15, 1942

James J. Gibson (Name of employee) — Keeper (Title of position) — (Bureau)

(Division) — KaLae Light Station and Honolulu Radio Station, Honolulu, T. H. (Section) (Subsection or unit) (Field office)

ON LINES BELOW MARK EMPLOYEE
√ if adequate
— if weak
+ if outstanding

1. Underline the elements which are especially important in the position.
2. Rate only on elements pertinent to the position.
   a. Do not rate on elements in *italics* except for employees in administrative, supervisory, or planning positions.
   b. Rate administrative, supervisory, and planning employees on all elements pertinent to the position whether in *italics* or not.
3. Before rating, become thoroughly familiar with instructions in the rating manual.

CHECK ONE:
Administrative, supervisory, or planning ☐
All others ☒

— (1) Maintenance of equipment, tools, instruments.
— (2) Mechanical skill.
— (3) Skill in the application of techniques and procedures.
√ (4) Presentability of work (appropriateness of arrangement and appearance of work).
— (5) Attention to broad phases of assignments.
— (6) Attention to pertinent detail.
— (7) Accuracy of operations.
— (8) Accuracy of final results.
— (9) Accuracy of judgments or decisions.
— (10) Effectiveness in presenting ideas or facts.
— (11) Industry.
— (12) Rate of progress on or completion of assignments.
— (13) Amount of acceptable work produced. (Is mark based on production records?) (~~Yes or~~ no)
√ (14) Ability to organize his work.
— (15) Effectiveness in meeting and dealing with others.
√ (16) Cooperativeness.
√ (17) Initiative.
— (18) Resourcefulness.
— (19) Dependability.
√ (20) Physical fitness for the work.

— (21) *Effectiveness in planning broad programs.*
— (22) *Effectiveness in adapting the work program to broader or related programs.*
— (23) *Effectiveness in devising procedures.*
— (24) *Effectiveness in laying out work and establishing standards of performance for subordinates.*
— (25) *Effectiveness in directing, reviewing, and checking the work of subordinates.*
— (26) *Effectiveness in instructing, training, and developing subordinates in the work.*
— (27) *Effectiveness in promoting high working morale.*
— (28) *Effectiveness in determining space, personnel, and equipment needs.*
— (29) *Effectiveness in setting and obtaining adherence to time limits and deadlines.*
— (30) *Ability to make decisions.*
— (31) *Effectiveness in delegating clearly defined authority to act.*

STATE ANY OTHER ELEMENTS CONSIDERED

— (A)
— (B)
— (C)

STANDARD
Deviations must be explained on reverse side of this form

	Adjective rating	*Numerical rating*
All underlined elements marked plus, and no element marked minus	Excellent	1
A majority of underlined elements marked plus, and no element marked minus	Very good	2 or 3
All underlined elements marked at least with a check, and minus marks fully compensated by plus marks, or—a majority of underlined elements marked at least with a check, and minus marks on underlined elements overcompensated by plus marks on underlined elements	Good	4, 5, or 6
A majority of underlined elements marked at least with a check, and minus marks not fully compensated by plus marks	Fair	7 or 8
A majority of underlined elements marked minus	Unsatisfactory	9

	Adjective rating	*Numerical rating*
Rating official	U	9
Reviewing official		

On the whole, do you consider the conduct of this employee to be satisfactory? No (Yes or no) (See back of form)

Rated by R A Lamson (Signature of rating official) — Personnel Officer (Title) — 23 April, 1942 (Date)

Reviewed by [signature] (Signature of reviewing official) — Chief of Staff (Title) — 27 April, 1942. (Date)

Rating approved by efficiency rating committee (Date) — Report to employee (Adjective rating) (Numerical rating)

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CONDUCT REPORT

(This space is to be used in case the question on the face of the sheet regarding the employee's conduct has been answered "No." In such a case give here a full statement of the particulars in which the employee's conduct has not been satisfactory.)

Resigned with prejudice 15 March, 1942.

R A Lancaster
(Signature)

EXPLANATION OF DEVIATIONS FROM STANDARD

(Signature)

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Navy Department
Coast Guard

N O M I N A T I O N

Honolulu District — Honolulu, T. H. — 17 April, 1942

Commandant:

Action recommended: Transfer

Name: James J. Gilmer — Date of birth: 16 March, 1893

Legal residence: Hawaii

	From--	To--
Position,	Keeper	Keeper
Pay and grade	$1380 L.s.plus $240 p.s.-Ctrs	$1380 p.s.plus $240 p.s.-Ctrs.
Station	Kalae Coastal Lookout and Light Station	Honolulu Radio Station, Wailupe, Honolulu, T.H. *
Appropriation	Civilian Employees Coast Guard(Navy)	Civilian Employees Coast Guard(Navy)

Effective 1 March, 1942. (the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty~~.

Rank on eligible list --- Rating --- Percentage --- Other ---

eligibles considered: ---

Vice --- Pay --- Services terminated ---

Reason: Pending receipt of Headquarters acceptance of resignation dated 27 February 1942 for desertion of duty.

Remarks: Quarters valued at $240 p.s. are furnished.

Selection regular, _____, 19____

_____
Manager, Civil Service Dist.

R.A.CARROLL, Lieut.(J.G.)
(Name)
Personnel Officer
By direction.
(Title)

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* According to Hdq. letter 5/11/42 (CR-75) the transfer of Gibson as keeper at Hon. Radio Station was not authorized as there is no position of keeper there. He is therefore to be considered as keeper at Kalae

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Light Station to close c.o.b. 3/15/42

N.C.G. No. 2599
U. S. Coast Guard
(Revised 1937)

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

GIBSON	James	J.		Temporary Laborer
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

Navy Department, U.S. Coast Guard	Honolulu, T.H.	7 April, 1942.
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

Services terminated without prejudice from position of Temporary Laborer effective at the close of 31 March, 1942. (Salary $4.96 per diem)

AUTHORITY:

R.A. CARROLL
Personnel Officer (Commanding)
By direction

(Title)

SPACE BELOW IS FOR HEADQUARTERS' USE ONLY

LAW	PERSONNEL RECORDS		
	Statistics	Correspondence	Records

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 1-31

NAVY

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT

WASHINGTON, D. C.

RECEIVED
MAR 31 1942
COMMANDER, HONOLULU DISTRICT

TO:

Date Prepared 6 March, 1942

Name: Gibson, James J.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.: 824

Resignation, with prejudice.

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	
Grade	Field (Range $1320-1680)	
Salary	$1380 per annum, plus $240 p.a. quarters.	
Bureau or Div.	U. S. Coast Guard	
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters	Honolulu, Hawaii	
Post of Duty	Kalae Light Station	
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, CGS:it	
Allotment		

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

EFFECTIVE close 15 March, 1942.

Remarks:

In view of the fact that you have tendered your resignation due to the admitted truth of the charges preferred against you of desertion of duty, the Navy Department, upon the recommendation of the Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard, has accepted your resignation in the manner indicated.

Justification:

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 8-16-1883

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Hawaii

SEX: M | RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

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

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Yes Lighthouse Act of 8-20-12

DATE OF OATH

CHARLES PIOZET

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY: 3-16-42

N.C.G. No. 2599
U. S. Coast Guard
(Revised 1937)

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

GIBSON	James	J		Lighthouse Keeper
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

Kalae Light Station	Kalae, Hawaii, T.H.	7 April, 1942.
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

Resigned with prejudice from position of Keeper, Kalae Light Station, effective at the close of 15 March,1942. (Salary $1380 p.a.)

AUTHORITY:

Hdqtrs Form 2249 dated
6 March,1942, received
3/31/42

R.A.CARROLL
(Commanding)
Personnel Officer
By direction
(Title)

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4 APRIL 1942

FROM: CG HQTS

TO: DCGO 13TH

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YOUR 312310 IN ACCORDANCE YOUR LETTER 27 FEB JAMES J GIBBONS RESIGNATION WAS MADE EFFECTIVE 15 MARCH AND CANNOT BE CHANGED X SEE DECISONS OF COMPTROLLER GENERAL NUMBER 10 PAGE 11 AND NUMBER 16 PAGE 955 PROHIBITING CHANGING OF THE DATE OF RESIGNATION WHEN IT IS ONCE FIXED

COPIES TO: P/S
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1 April, 1942

OFFICE

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Fourteenth Naval District.
To : Officer-in-Charge Kalae Coastal Lookout Station.

Subject: GIBSON, James J.

1. Authority has been granted the subject named man to remove all his personal belongings and also his furniture. The Officer-in-Charge is responsible to see that only his personal belongings is removed.

2. The subject mans signature appears below.

H. M. ANTHONY,
By direction.

James J. Gibson.

Copy to: Kalae.
File.

N. C. S. 387

U. S. NAVAL COMMUNICATION SERVICE

U.S. NAVAL SRS
COMMUNICATIONS
HONOLULU

31 MARCH 1942

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

RECEIVED

ACCEPTANCE RESIGNATION JAMES J GIBSON EFFECTIVE 15 MARCH RECEIVED THIS DATE X HAS BEEN EMPLOYED TO DATE AND PAID ACCORDINGLY X RESIGNATION MADE EFFECTIVE 31 MARCH X REQUEST YOUR RECORDS BE CORRECTED ACCORDINGLY

Naalehu, Hawaii

R. A. CARROLL

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31 March,1942

The Bank of Hawaii, Ltd.
Honolulu, T. H.

Gentlemen:-

Transmitted herewith is U.S.Treasury Check No. 1569 in the amount of $57.50 drawn to the order of James J. Gibson, with request that same be deposited to the credit of his account.

Very truly yours,

R.A.CARROLL,Lieut.(j.g.)
Finance Officer.

Copy to Gibson

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NAVY

30 March, 1942.

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Fourteenth Naval District.
To: James J. Gibson, Keeper

Subject: Indebtedness.

Reference: (a) Letter, Hutchinson Sugar Plantation Co, Store, Naalehu, Kau, Hawaii, and statement.

Inclosure: (A) Reference (a)

1. Inclosure (A) is self-explanatory.

2. You will take steps to settle this indebtedness without delay.

R. A. CARROLL
Lieut.(j.g.)USCG
Personnel Officer

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March 18, 1942.

The Bank of Hawaii, Ltd.
Honolulu, T.H.

Gentlemen:-

There is enclosed herewith U.S.Treasury Check No. 1362, in the amount of $57.50 drawn to the order of James J. Gibson, with request that same be deposited to the credit of his account.

Very truly yours,

R.A.CARROLL, Lieut.(j.g.)
Finance Officer

Copy to Gibson

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6 March, 1942.

The Bank of Hawaii, Ltd.
Honolulu, T.H.

Gentlemen:-

There is enclosed herewith U.S.Treasury Check in the amount of $57.50 drawn to the order of James J. Gibson, with request that same be deposited to the credit of his account.

Very truly yours,

R. A. CARROLL, Lieut (j.g.)
Finance Officer

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OFFICE OF COMMANDER
HONOLULU DISTRICT

NAVY
~~TREASURY~~ DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
HONOLULU, HAWAII

27 February 1942

From: Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District.
To: James J. Gibson, Keeper, Kalae Light Station.

Subject: Orders; temporary duty.

1. You are detached from further duty as Keeper, Kalae Light Station. Proceed and report to Officer-in-Charge, Honolulu Radio Station, Wailupe, Honolulu, Oahu, for temporary duty.

2. Transportation will be furnished you via Government vehicle.

3. No travel expense incident to the execution of this order is necessary and none is authorized.

R. A. CARROLL,
Personnel Officer.

HONOLULU RADIO STATION. 1st Indorsement. 27, February, 1942.

1. Subject named man reported for assignment to temporary duty Wailupe, at 1100 this place and date.

M.H. Kearns, CRM
OINC

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R. A. CARROLL,
Personnel Officer.

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VIA AIR MAIL

Form 93

Notice of Resignation

Navy Department
United States Coast Guard

Honolulu, T. H.
27 February 1942.

Commandant,
U. S. Coast Guard,
Washington, D. C.

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

NAME	James J. Gibson	POSITION	Keeper
LEGAL RESIDENCE	Hawaii	STATION	Kalae Light Station
		SALARY	$1380 per annum

The acceptance of this resignation, with prejudice, is recommended effective at the close of 15 March 1942.

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

REMARKS:

See Senior C.G.Off. 14th Nav.Dist. letter dated 26 Feb. 1942 (75).

Reply by dispatch requested.

C. B. GELLY,
Chief of Staff.

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27 February 1942.

From: James J. Gibson, Keeper, Kalae Light Station.
To: Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District.

Subject: Resignation as Keeper, U. S. Coast Guard.

1. In view of the charges preferred against me, I wish to resign as Keeper, U. S. Coast Guard, to be effective at the convenience of the Coast Guard.

James J. Gibson.

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VIA AIR MAIL

NAVY

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26 February 1942

From: Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District.
To: Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard.

Subject: James J. Gibson, Keeper, Kalae Light Station; charges preferred against.

References:
(a) Report of Asst. Dist. Intelligence Officer, 14th Nav.Dist., Hilo Branch, Hilo, Hawaii letter dated 10 Feb. 1942.
(b) Sen. C.G.Off. 14th Nav.Dist. ltr. 23 Feb. 1942 (75) to James J. Gibson.
(c) C.O. CGC-WALNUT CONF. dispatch 23 Feb. 1942.
(d) Ltr. James J.Gibson to Sen.C.G.Off.14th Nav.Dist. 26 Feb. 1942.

Inclosures:
(A) Copy of reference (a).
(B) Copy of reference (b).
(C) Copy of reference (c).
(D) Copy of reference (d).

1. The subject named man was first appointed a Keeper in the Lighthouse Service on 3 July 1934. He has been assigned to duty as Keeper, Kalae Light Station, Hawaii, since 8 June 1937.

2. In view of the report contained in reference (a), orders were issued to the subject named man to appear before the Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District, in answer to the charges noted in reference (b). In addition to the charges contained in reference (b), the Commanding Officer of the CGC-WALNUT ascertained from log of Post #1, Company G, Hawaii National Guard, that the subject named man had also been absent from his post of duty, without leave from proper authority, from 0845 Feb. 17 to 1550 Feb. 18, and from 1815 Feb. 21 to 1545 Feb.22. When this man was questioned he denied the charges until confronted with additional evidence whereupon he admitted his guilt in reference (d).

3. It is apparent that Gibson is not worthy of the trust bestowed upon him as the keeper of an important light station, and that in view of the state of war which now exists, a strong possibility exists that he cannot be trusted in view of his association with civilians of Japanese extraction.

4. It is recommended that James J. Gibson be dismissed from service in the United States Coast Guard.

G. T. FINLAY.

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HONOLULU DISTRICT

NAVY
~~TREASURY~~ DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
HONOLULU, HAWAII

26 February 1942

From: James J. Gibson, Keeper, Kalae Light Station.
To: Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District.

Subject: Desertion from duty.

Reference: (a) Senior C.G.Off. ltr. 23 Feb. 1942 (75).

1. I hereby state that I am guilty of charges preferred against me in Reference (a).

James J. Gibson.

2/26/42
WITNESSED BY:

Adriaan deZeeuw,
Lieut.(jg) U.S.C.G.

ADDRESS REPLY TO
COMMANDER HONOLULU DISTRICT
U. S. COAST GUARD, HONOLULU, T. H.
AND REFER TO FILE No. 75

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

HONOLULU, T. H.
23 February, 1942.

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
HONOLULU DISTRICT
Office

From: Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District.
To : GIBSON, James J., Keeper, Cape Kalae Light Station, Hawaii, T. H.

Subject: Desertion from duty.

Reference:
(a) Regulations for the U.S. Lighthouse Service, 1927; Article 435(b) - 439.
(b) Instructions to Employees of the U.S. Lighthouse Service, 1927, Articles 2, 5, 91 and 131.
(c) Assistant District Intelligence Officer, Fourteenth Naval District, Hilo Branch, Hilo, Hawaii letter, dated 10 February, 1942 (A85(58).
(d) Confidential despatch, 23 February, 1942, Commanding Officer, CGC WALNUT.

1. Reference (c) indicates that you were absent without leave from your regular post of duty on 14, 15 January; 20 and 21 January; 24 to 26 January; 27 to 29 January; 30 to 31 January; 3 to 5 February and 21 and 22 February, 1942.

2. In accordance with reference (a), you are hereby charged with Desertion of Duty.

3. Comply with Article 91 of reference (b). If you desire to make no statement, submit a written communication to that effect.

G. B. GELLY,
Chief of Staff.

Gibson.

Prestella reports Japanese tending station.
Called Station on long distance phone 1000 -
19 Feb., and 1100, 20 Feb. No answer.
Dispatched truck with supplies for Kalae station
on 21 Feb. Keeper absent, appeared later. Stated
he'd been after mail.
Dispatched truck with remaining supplies 22 Feb.
Keeper absent in station truck. Had been absent
since 1845 previous day and was reported
to have been seen with two women in station launch.

23 Febr. Dispatched car to Kalae Station to
apprehend keeper. Prestella assigned duty Kalae.

Times from log of Post ** Company G.
Hawaii National Guard.
Lieut. Rickett

FEBRUARY	Out.	IN.
17	8:45 am.	—
18	—	3:50 pm.
19	9:30 am	11:27 pm.
20	9:17 am	11:18 pm.
21	7:55 am	1:20 pm.
	1:57 pm.	4:58 pm.
	6:15 pm.	—
22	—	3:45 pm.
	9:25 pm.	—
23.	—	9:30 am.

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23 FEBRUARY 1942

DONFIDENTIAL

FROM: WALNUT

TO : SCGO 14TH NAVDIST

230230

KEEPER KALAE STATION ABSENT FROM STATION SINCE EIGHTEEN HUNDRED FIVE YESTERDAY STAURDAY IN STATION TRUCK UNOFFICIALLY REPORTED ON A PICNIC WITH TWO FEMALES SEVERAL PREVIOUS ATTEMPTS TO CONTACT KEEPER UNSUCCESSFULL

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FOURTEENTH NAVAL DISTRICT
Branch Intelligence Office
Federal Building
Hilo, Hawaii, T. H.

A8-5 (58)

GA/jbd

10 February, 1942.

CONFIDENTIAL

MEMORANDUM FOR: District Intelligence Officer

Subject: GIBSON, James J. - Keeper, Kalae Lighthouse, P. O. Naalehu, Hawaii.

Reference: (a) DIO card #189, same subject.

1. Subject is frequently referred to as a "Jap lover" by the caucasians around Naalehu. This is because he associates with Japanese, is frequently seen taking Japanese girls for rides, and before the war permitted Japanese to fish from the cliffs around the lighthouse. There are only a few caucasians in that section and the only congelial female companions the Subject can find are Japanese or Kanakas. Subject has told the writer that he is afraid to associate with the Kanakas as the second time you take one of them out they expect you to marry them.

2. Prior to and since December 7th Subject has furnished this office with information relative to Japanese which shows that he is not a "Jap lover" to the extent of being pro-Japanese. On December 7th Subject was in Hilo on leave, immediately reported to this office, and offered the services of himself and his personal car. On three or four occasions during his leave which expired about January 10th, Subject appeared at this office and offerred his assistance.

3. Between August 15th and December 7th the writer called at Kalae Lighthouse three or four times. On each visit Subject was on the reservation, alone and the house and grounds were neat and clean.

4. Lieutenant J. S. Rickard Jr., USA, who is in charge at Morse Field states that his detachment was placed on an alert at 2115 on January 24th and he tried to phone Subject but could not get an answer, then he went to the residence on the lighthouse reservation and could not arouse anyone by pounding on the door.

5. On February 4th the writer arrived at the reservation at 1730 but Subject was not there and did not return till 0700 February 5th. Subject was asked where he had spent the night and stated that he was having dinner at the Naalehu School the previous evening, it had gotten dark before he realized it was so late, and he had spent the night at the Shirokawa Hotel at Waohina, 15 miles from the lighthouse, as he did not want to drive after dark. Subject also stated, in answer

to a direct question, that this was the only night he had spent off the reservation since returning from his leave.

6. In order to reach the reservation by land it is necessary to pass through a portion of Morse Field. An Army sentry is posted at the entrance of Morse Field with instructions to log every car that passes in or out by his post, noting the license number and type of auto or truck.

7. Subject drives a Buick coupe bearing license number C-2148. Below is given the record of Subjects arrivals and departures as shown on this log from January 14th to February 5th 1942. All trips were in the Buick coupe except those indicated by an "X" which were made in the Coast Guard Ford bearing license number 576.

	1/14/42	Out at	1735
	1/16/42	In "	0639
x	1/16/42	Out "	0735
x	1/16/42	In "	0815
x	1/16/42	Out "	1130
x	1/16/42	In "	1441
	1/18/42	Out "	0748
	1/18/42	In "	1705
x	1/19/42	Out "	1440
x	1/19/42	In "	1700
	1/20/42	Out "	1715
	1/21/42	In "	1652
	1/24/42	Out "	1649
	1/26/42	In "	0700
	1/27/42	Out "	1429
	1/29/42	In "	0710
x	1/29/42	Out "	0858
x	1/29/42	In "	1558
	1/30/42	Out "	0600
	1/30/42	In "	1637
	1/30/42	Out "	1745
	1/31/42	In "	1640
	2/1/42	In "	1740
	2/1/42	Out "	0903
	2/3/42	Out "	1345
	2/5/42	In "	0700

8. Kayato Shirakawa, proprietor of the Shirokawa Hotel at Wachina does not keep an accurate register of his guests, stating that some sign and others do not. Subject's name was not found in the register and Shirokawa reluctantly admitted that Subject had stopped there on the nights of February 3rd and 4th,

Subject: GIBSON, James J. - Keeper, Kalae Light-house, P. O. Naalehu, Hawaii.

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January 27th and 28th and on other dates. It is noted on the above log that the subject is shown as being absent from the reservation on those dates, also on the night of January 24th when Lieut. Rickard was trying to contact him.

9. No verification was received from the Army or other sources as to Subject having given soldiers wine for painting the buildings for him or that he had Japanese to turn on the lights for him while absent from the reservation.

10. The writer has seen and talked with the Subject on several occasions and considers him to be no better or worse than the other keepers on this island insofar as morals are concerned. The grounds and buildings appear to be in good condition and Subject has complained of having nothing to do since December 7th and of having no arms with which to protect himself or offer any resistance in case of an attempted landing in his section.

GRADY AVANT
Lieutenant U.S.N.R.

FROM: D.I.O. - 14 N.D.
TO: FBI MED FIO USCG

1. Forwarded for information
2. This office is taking no further action.

R. W. BREED
By direction.

C O P Y C O P Y

23 FEBRUARY 1942

DONFIDENTIAL

FROM: WALNUT

TO : SCGO 14TH NAVDIST

230230

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10 December 1941.

From: Senior Coast Guard Officer, 14th Naval District.
To: James J. Gibson, Keeper, Kalae Light Station.

Subject: Hawaii Coast Guard Station - establishment of,

Reference: (a) Headquarters letter 19 November 1941 (PB-020-601).

1. Effective 16 December 1941, in compliance with reference (a), there will be established on Hawaii the Hawaii Coast Guard Station to include Kauhola Point Light Station, Kalae Light Station and the Cape Kumukahi Light Station.

2. Anton Pekkain, B.M.1c., has been assigned to Cape Kumukahi Light Station in charge thereof and as Officer in Charge of the Hawaii Coast Guard Station.

3. Effective upon the reporting of Anton Pekkain, B.M.1c to the Cape Kumukahi Light Station, you will report to him for duty as Keeper, Kalae Light Station.

G. B. GELLY,
Chief of Staff.

cc-PEKKAIN, Anton, B.M.1c.

Treasury Appropriation Act, 1941, provides, in Section 305 that "No part of any appropriation contained in this Act shall be used to pay the salary or wages of any person who advocates, or who is a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence, provided, that for the purposes hereof an affidavit shall be considered prima facie evidence that the person making the affidavit does not advocate, and is not a member of an organization that advocates, the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence "Provided further, that any person who advocates or who is a member of an organization that advocates the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence and accepts employment the salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation contained in this Act, shall be guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, shall be fined not more than $1000.00 or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both, provided, that the above penalty clause shall be in addition to and not in substitution for any other provision of existing law". The Hatch Act 2 August 1939 provides in Section 9A that "It shall be unlawful for any person employed in any capacity by any agent of the Federal Government whose compensation or any part thereof is paid from funds authorized or appropriated by any Act of Congress to have membership in any political party or organization which advocates the overthrow of our constitutional form of Government in the United States "And" any person violating the provisions of this Section shall be immediately removed from the position or office held by him, and thereafter no part of the funds appropriated by any Act of Congress for such position or office shall be used to pay the compensation of such person".

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I, (JAMES J. GIBSON), do solemnly swear or affirm: That I have read
(name)
and understand the foregoing; that I do not advocate the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence; that I am not a member of any political party or organization that advocates the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence; and that during such time as I am an employee of the Federal Government, I will not advocate nor become a member of any political party or organization that advocates the overthrow of the Government of the United States by force or violence.

James J Gibson
(Signature)

Keeper, U. S. Coast Guard.
(Position)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of June, A.D. 1941.

at Ke Lae Light Station
(City or Place)

T.H.
(State)

N. W. Wetherby

N. W. WETHERBY,

Lieutenant, U.S.C.G.

(S E A L)

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
United States Coast Guard

Date 3 March 1941

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

From: Commander, Honolulu District.
To: Commandant.

Name James J. Gibson

Nature of Action Promotion

Effective date of change 16 Jan. 1941

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	Keeper
Pay	$1320 p.a.	$1380 p.a.
Salary Range	$1320-$1680 p.a.	$1320 - $1680 p.a.
Valuation of Quarters	$240 p.a.	$240 p.a.
Station	Kalae Light Station.	Kalae Light Station.

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department approval dated (perforated in Form 2249) 1-16-41.

Signature K.D.JONES.

(This space for use of Headquarters)

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

RECEIVED
Commander, Honolulu District
FEB 19 1941

TO:

Date Prepared January 10, 1941

Name: Gibson, James J.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No: 624

Promotion

	FROM	TO
Position Grade Salary	Field (Range $1320-1680) $1320 p.a.,plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.	Keeper Field (Range $1320-1680) $1560 p.a.,plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions		U.S.Coast Guard
Headquarters Post of Duty Appropriation Allotment Field or Deptl.		Honolulu,Hawaii. Kalae Light Station,T.H. Civilian Employees,C.G. Field

EFFECTIVE
Remarks: January 16, 1941.

Justification:

No increase in pay since April 14, 1936.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION
Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH
3-16-1893

LEGAL RESIDENCE
Hawaii

SEX: M | RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT?
Lighthouse Act

DATE OF OATH

1641

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

FILE COPY

Form No. 2599
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
(Revised 1937)

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

GIBSON	James	J.	--	Keeper
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

Kalae Light Station HONOLULU DISTRICT	Honolulu, T. H.	3 March 1941.
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

Promoted effective 16 January 1941, from $1320 p.a., plus $240 p.a. for quarters, to $1380 p.a., plus $240 p.a. for quarters; range $1320-$1680 p.a.

AUTHORITY:

Dept.Stock Form 2249, 10 Jan.1941.

R.E.STOCKSTILL, Lieutenant,
Commander, Honolulu District,
By direction.
(Title)

SPACE BELOW IS FOR HEADQUARTERS' USE ONLY

LAW	PERSONNEL RECORDS		
	Statistics	Correspondence	Records

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 0 10035

FILE COPY

APPLICANT OR EMPLOYEE MUST FILL THE FOLLOWING

Name (in full). James J. Gibson ..... Sex Male

Present address Ka Lae Lt Sta Waialua Hawaii Date of birth Mar. 16-1893

Give below all places of residence during the past FIVE years

From-- (Month and year)	To-- (Month and year)	Number and Street	City and State
July 1934	April 1935	Kilohana Lt Sta	Kalaupapa Molokai
June 1936	April 1937	" "	" "
June 1937		Ka Lae Lt Sta Waialua	Hawaii

Give, in your own handwriting, the information requested below

Have you ever been arrested for any reason whatsoever? (Yes or No) No.

If so, give details in space provided below.

Date of Arrest	Age	Charge	Court and Location	Judge	Disposition

Have you ever been fingerprinted? Yes. Where? Kauai P.O.

When? July 1-1934 .If for the Civil Service, what position?

Light House Keeper

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

James J Gibson
Customary paypoll signature of employee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of October 1939

Walter S. Haysseldon
Notary Public

My commission expires June 30, 1940. 3rd Jud. Circuit Territory of Hawaii.

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 Treasury Dept U.S. Coast Guard U.S. Lighthouse Ser Date Sept. 25, 1939.

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Gibson (Surname) James (Given name) Joseph (Middle name)
2. Present address 64 Lau Lt Sta (Number) (Street) Kaaluhu (City) Hawaii (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Hawaii (State and Congressional District) Hawaii (County) Waiohinnie (City or town)
4. Where born New Jersey (State or foreign country) Jersey City (City or town) When born Mar 16 1893 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien No
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you None

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

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
Dept Commerce Light House Ser	Honolulu	Foreman Labor	$6 00	June	14	1932	June	30	1932
Coast Dept U.S. Eng.	Honolulu	Inspector	150 Mo	Feb	22	1934	June	30	1934
Dept Commerce Lighthouse Ser	Honolulu	Asst Keeper	1260 13 Mo P.M.	July	3	1934	To	Date	

9. Are any members of your family, who are domiciled with you, in the U. S. Government service? If so, state below: No

NAME	POSITION AND DEPARTMENT OR OFFICE IN WHICH EMPLOYED	RELATIONSHIP
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	

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

(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)

11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service? No

(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted Jan 29-1918	Discharged July 10-1919	Enlisted Oct 19-1922	Discharged Oct 18 25-1925
Rank Private	Rank Master Eng 1st Cl	Rank Private	Rank Sergeant
Organization 701 Eng	Organization 701 Eng	Organization 3rd Eng	Organization 3rd Eng

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10—1930

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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.) No

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
Boys Industrial School	Parole officer	3 years
	Waialae Oahu Hawaii	
Atty Generals office	Clerk Honolulu TH	1 year

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 William J Gibson

Relationship Brother Post office address 35 Newman Ave Bayonne N J

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

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

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

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JMA:RW

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23 August, 1939.

James J. Gibson,
Keeper, Kalae Light Station,
Naalehu, Hawaii.

1. Enclosed herewith is copy of letter of commendation dated August 11, 1939 from Office of the Commanding General, Headquarters Hickam Field, bearing endorsement dated August 18, 1939 of the Commanding General, 18th Wing, Air Corps, Hickam Field, in connection with assistance you rendered in unloading the U.S.A.T. General Royal T. Frank on August 6th.

2. This office is indeed gratified to receive letters of this kind relative to employees of this district and commends you for your actions in this matter.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encl.

RECEIVED
Commander, Honolulu District
AUG 21 1939

HEADQUARTERS HICKAM FIELD
Office of the Commanding Officer

In reply
refer to: AA 230.722

Honolulu, T. H.
August 11, 1939.

SUBJECT: Commendation.

THRU : Commanding General, 18th Wing, Air Corps, Hickam Field, T. H.

TO : Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard, Honolulu, Oahu, T. H.

1. I desire to express my appreciation for your hearty cooperation in the recent trip of the USAT General Royal T. Frank to Ka Lae, Hawaii. Lacking your assistance, it would have been necessary to ship 45 tons of freight to Hilo, thence to Morse Field, entailing great expense to the government and delay in arrival of the supplies.

2. I also desire to commend Mr. James J. Gibson, keeper of the Ka Lae light whose helpfulness and cooperation were in a great measure responsible for the success of the mission. He was untiring in his efforts from 4:00 A. M. on the morning of arrival of the Frank until its departure at 3:00 P. M. that afternoon.

S. W. FITZGERALD,
Colonel, Air Corps,
Commanding.

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AUG 17 1939
DEPT. AIR OFFICE
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RECEIVED
Commander, Honolulu District
AUG 21 1939

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HEADQUARTERS 18TH WING, AIR CORPS, HICKAM FIELD, T.H., AUGUST 18, 1939 -
TO: Commander, Hawaiian Section, U.S. Coast Guard, Aloha Tower, Honolulu, T. H.

The valuable service performed by the Coast Guard, which inspired the above letter, is greatly appreciated by this headquarters and it is recommended that Mr. James J. Gibson, keeper of the Ka Lae light, be commended for his cooperation.

W. H. FRANK,
Brigadier General, A.C.,
Commanding.

62-701 Second Indorsement Honolulu, Hawaii,
HONOLULU DISTRICT 21 August, 1939.

From: Commander, Honolulu District.
To : Superintendent of Lighthouses.

1. Forwarded. The District Commander commends Mr. James J. Gibson for his fine spirit of cooperation in assisting the United States Army. It is suggested that a copy of this letter be forwarded to Mr. Gibson and the original filed with his record.

G. T. FINLAY.

c.c. D. W/ Ltr 8/23
file (copy made for Gibson)

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
AUG 11 1939
HONOLULU, T. H.

HAWAIIAN QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
HONOLULU

August 10, 1939

Mr. F. A. Edgecomb
Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu, T.H.

Dear Sir:

This office desires to convey our appreciation for the loan of the work boat and crane to transfer cargo from the "GENERAL ROYAL T. FRANK" to shore at South Point, Hawaii, on August 6, 1939.

The splendid spirit of cooperation shown in this matter as well as on previous occasion by the employees of the U.S. Lighthouse Service has been most commendable and for which I am personally grateful.

Very truly yours,

HARVEY EDWARD,
Major, Q.M.Corps,
Transportation Officer.

STATEMENT OF PREVIOUS MILITARY SERVICE.

	Enl.	Disch.	
JAMES J. GIBSON	1st enl.: Private -	Master Eng., Sr.Gr.	701 Eng. & 3rd Eng.
(NAME - Print)	(GRADE)		UNIT AND DISTRICT TO WHICH ATTACHED
	2nd enl.: Private -	Sergeant.	

I HAVE HAD PREVIOUS MILITARY SERVICE UNDER THE UNITED STATES AS FOLLOWS:

BRANCH OF SERVICE*	SERVICE NUMBER	ORIGINALLY ENLISTED		LAST DISCHARGED	
	701276	DATE	PLACE	DATE	PLACE
ARMY		Jan.29,1918 Oct. 19,1922	New York City N. Y,	July 10,1919 Oct. 18,1925	Camp. Dix. New Jersey
NAVY			Washington D.C.		Schofield Barracks Hawaii
MARINE CORPS					
COAST GUARD					
COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY					

* IF ANY OF ABOVE SERVICE WAS COMMISSIONED OR WARRANT SO INDICATE.

James J Gibson
(SIGNATURE)

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 27 1939
HONOLULU, T.H.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

NINETEENTH DISTRICT
Ka Lae Lt Station
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

July 22, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu TH

Sir

In answer to your letter of July 19-1939 this bill has been paid

Jas J Gibson
Keeper

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Fwd

JMA:RW

19 July 1939

James J. Gibson,
Keeper, Kalae Light Station,
Naalehu, Hawaii.

1. This office is in receipt of letter dated July 13, 1939 from Matsumoto Store, Naalehu, Kau, Hawaii, stating that you are indebted to same in the amount of $15.00, and that nothing has been paid on this account since Oct. 31, 1937, and requesting that we take this matter up with you.

2. If you acknowledge receipt of the amount requested, you are directed to take immediate steps to make satisfactory arrangements with the store in question for settlement of the bill, advising this office when you have done so.

3. In this connection your attention is called to Article 119 of the Instructions to Employees, which must be complied with.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Matsumoto Store

Naalehu, Kau, Hawaii, T. H.

July 13, 1939.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 17 1939
HONOLULU, T. H.

Mr. F. A. Edgecomb

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Honolulu, T. H.

Dear Sir:

Mr. James Gibson, lighthouse keeper at the Kalae Light Station, is indebted to us in the sum of Fifteen Dollars ($15.00). He has not paid anything on this account since October 31st, 1937. We have mentioned it to him on several occasions and he has promised to make payment. However, he has not made any payments to date nor does he ever communicate with us regarding this account.

Would you kindly ask Mr. Gibson to make settlement of his account. We would be satisfied with payments of any denomination as long as he shows a desire to settle.

We wish to thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Yours very truly,

Matsumoto Store.

By Mrs. T. Taire

C. C. attend

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U S COAST GUARD

RW

July 13, 1939

J. J. Gibson,
Keeper, Kalae Light Station,
Naalehu, Hawaii.

1. Returned herewith is mimeograph form on your military service with request that you advise promptly, by letter, the place of enlistment and discharge for each enlistment, as called for on the form.

2. It is requested that in the future you give all such matters special attention so that returning forms for information not given the first time will be unnecessary, thereby saving considerable time in assembling data in this office.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

encl.

RW

June 7, 1939

Jas. J. Gibson,
Keeper, Kalae Light Station,
Naalehu, Hawaii.

1. Returned herewith are your two Army discharges, showing your military service, same having served their purpose.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

2 encls.

enlis. Jan. 29, 1918,
disch. July 10, 1919.

enlis. Oct. 19, 1922,
disch. Oct. 18, 1925.

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

JMA:RW

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

May 26, 1939.

U. S. District Engineer,
P. O. Box 2240,
Honolulu, T. H.

Dear Sir:

Jas. J. Gibson, employed in this district as Lighthouse Keeper, claims service from Feb. 22, 1934 to July 2, 1934 as Inspector in your Department at Port Allen, Kauai.

It is requested that this office be furnished abstract of official record of the services of this employee in the position referred to above so that his record of service in the Federal Government may be brought up to date.

Yours very truly,

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES HONOLULU, T. H. JUN 15 1939

RECEIVED MAY 27 1939 U. S. Engineer Office Honolulu, T. H.

And in the absence of the Superintendent
N. W. Wetherby
Assistant Superintendent

RVW

201(Gibson, James J.) 1st Ind.

Office, District Engineer, Honolulu, T. H., June 13, 1939.
To: Assistant Superintendent, Lighthouse Service, Honolulu, T. H.

Service record of James J. Gibson, while employed in this office, is as follows:

A. Exc. (NIRA) - Inspector, SP-5 - $1800. - 2-22-34
Disch.w/o prej.- do. 1800. - 6-30-34

For the District Engineer:

Lewis T. Ross,
Captain, Corps of Engineers,
Executive Assistant.

JMA:RW

April 21, 1939

Jas. J. Gibson,
Keeper,
Kalae Light Station,
Naalehu, Hawaii.

1. For your information it is stated that this office is in receipt of a letter dated April 19, 1939 from the Transportation Officer, Hawaiian Quartermaster Depot, ~~among~~ which he praises you for your "valuable services, undivided attention and cooperation in making this movement a success."

2. The above refers to assistance rendered by you in connection with transfer of cargo from ship to shore on the work boat.

3. This office is gratified to receive letters of this kind, and commends you for your actions in the matter.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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HAWAIIAN QUARTERMASTER DEPOT
FORT ARMSTRONG, T. H.

OF LIGHTHOUSES
APR 21 1939
HONOLULU, T. H.

April 19, 1939

Mr. F. A. Edgecomb
Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu, T.H.

Dear Sir:

Reference the loan of work boat for use in connection with transferring of cargo from ship to shore at Ka Lae, South Point, Hawaii, this office desires to convey our great appreciation for this service.

In this connection we wish to commend your Mr. Gibson, Lighthouse Keeper at South Point for his valuable services, undivided attention and cooperation in making this movement a success.

Yours very truly,

HARVEY EDWARD
Major, Q.M.Corps
Transportation Officer.

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RW

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
Public Health Service
Washington

Bur. file 432-19.

May 24, 1938

Second Endorsement

Vouchers (2): Hawaiian Agricultural Co. Hospital,
Pahala, Hawaii, Hospitalization, Feb., 1938, $59.50
J. E. Jensen, M.D., Pahala, Hawaii, Professional
Services, Feb., 1938, $35.00

Respectfully returned to Commissioner, Department of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C., with request that kinds, quantities and unit prices of medicines be listed. Also, state what part of body was X-rayed and what service is covered by laboratory fee.

Voucher in favor of J. E. Jensen, M.D., should contain more definite information concerning his charge of $35.00, such as number of visits and price of each.

By direction of the Assistant Surgeon General, Division of Personnel and Accounts.

/s/ R. L. Harlow
Chief, Accounts Section

MVL:lm
Encls.

jfp-w Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington,D.C. May 27, 1938.
Referred to Superintendent of Lighthouses, Honolulu, Hawaii, with request that the above information be furnished.

For the Commissioner:
/s/ J. F. Plocharczyk
inclos. Acting Chief, Financial Division

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JMA:RW Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 19th District, Honolulu, T. H.,
July 14, 1938.

To Commissioner of Lighthouses.

1. Returned, together with all letters, vouchers and bills that accompanied this letter. The information requested in basic endorsement now appears on the enclosed bills.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls. File.

JMA:TCC

June 8, 1938.

Dr. J. E. Jensen,
Pahala, Hawaii.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith is your bill amounting to $35.00 and bill of the Hawaiian Agricultural Company for $59.50 in the case of J. J. Gibson, which have been returned by the U. S. Public Health Service, Washington, D. C., with the request that the following information be furnished:

Please show on your bill the number of visits and the price of each.

Please have listed on Hawaiian Agricultural Company bill kinds, quantities and unit prices of medicines furnished, and have a statement furnished showing what part of the body was X-rayed, and what service was covered by laboratory fee.

As soon as both bills contain the above information and the statement is furnished, forward same to this office, and we will return vouchers to Washington for payment.

Yours very truly,

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

File

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April 25, 1938.

SURGEON GENERAL
U.S.Public Health Service
Washington, D.C.

Thru the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:-

Transmitted herewith are vouchers in triplicate in favor of Dr. J. E. Jensen of Pahala,Hawaii and Hawaiian Agricultural Co, Hospital, Pahala,Hawaii, accompanied by Dr. Jensen's statement of the circumstances. Attention is invited to letter dated March 17, 1938 from this office to the Surgeon General, U.S.Public Health Service, Washington, D.C., stating the reason services of the U.S.Public Health were not utilized.

Respectfully,

F.A.Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Incls.

(Re-Gibson)

File

Standard Form No. 1034a
Form approved by
Comptroller General U. S.
June 18, 1926
(Revised August 1930)

Public Voucher for Purchases, and Services other than Personal

D. O. Vou. No. _____
No. _____

(Voucher prepared _____)
(Give place and date)

PAID BY

(For use of Paying Office)

U. S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT, PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
(Department, Bureau, or Establishment)

Appropriation: _____

THE UNITED STATES, Dr., To J. K. JENKIN, M.D.
(Payee)

Address Pahala, Hawaii Payee's Acct. No. _____

Payee must NOT use this space

Contract No. _____ Date _____ Req. No. _____ Date _____

Activity Lighthouse Service, Kalae Lt.Sta.Hawaii For Professional Services

Expenditure Symbol	No. and Date of Order	Date of Delivery or Service	ARTICLES OR SERVICES (Enter description, Item Number of Contract or General Supply Schedule, and other information deemed necessary) Terms _____% Discount Cash _____ days	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE Cost	UNIT PRICE Per	AMOUNT Dollars	AMOUNT Cts.	NOTATIONS Payee must NOT use this column
	1938 February 11,1938 to February 19 1938, Inclusive		Certified bill attached. MEMORANDUM Professional Services furnished James J. Gibson, Keeper, Kalae Lt. Sta., Hawaii.				35	00	

(This certificate not required when a like certificate is made by payee on attached bill or bills)

Do NOT sign

I certify that the above bill is correct and just, and that payment therefor has NOT been received.

TOTAL, 35 00

*Payee _____ Per _____ Title _____

(Additional statements by Department, Bureau, or Establishment, if deemed necessary)

(Accounting Classification)

(Payee must NOT use this space)

Differences: _____

Account verified; correct for _____ $ 35 00

(Signature or initials) _____

I certify that the above articles were received in good condition, after due inspection, acceptance, and delivery prior to payment as required by law, or the services performed as stated; that they were procured under the contract numbered above or the unnumbered contract attached hereto, or that they were procured without written contract, in open market, and with or without advertising, under the circumstances stated in No. _____ of "Method of or Absence of Advertising" shown on reverse hereof, and were necessary for the public service; and that the prices charged are just and reasonable and in accordance with the agreement.

†Approved for $35.00

(Memorandum—Do not sign)

† F. A. Mgeomb, 19th Dist. Superintendent of Lighthouses
Title

Paid by { Check No. _____, dated _____, for $_____ on Treasurer of the United States in favor of payee named above.
Cash, $_____, on _____ * Payee _____

(Memorandum—Do not sign)

Per _____

Title _____

* When a voucher is signed or receipted in the name of a company or corporation, the name of the person writing the company or corporate name, as well as the capacity in which he signs, must appear. For example: "John Doe Company, per John Doe, Secretary," or "Treasurer," as the case may be.

† If the ability to certify and authority to approve are combined in one person, one signature only is necessary; otherwise the approving officer will sign in the blank space below "Approved for $_____," and over his official title.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1751

JOSEPH E. JENSEN, M. D.

PAHALA HAWAII

Telephone: 12 White 923

DATE 3/8/38

U. S. Light House Service
Dept. of Commerce
Honolulu.

TO PROFESSIONAL SERVICES & Case of $3.50

James J. Gibson, Keeper of Kalae Light House - ill in Pahala Hosp. 2/11/38 & 2/19/38. Certified just & correct & payment not received. Patient removed & to be moved to regular U.S.P.H.S. Hospital for further treatment & hospitalization hereby are necessary.

RECEIVED PAYMENT

J. E. Jensen M.D.

Over

Copy
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JOSEPH E. JENSEN, M.D.
PAHALA, HAWAII

March 26, 1938.

Department of Commerce,
Lighthouse Service
Honolulu, T.H.

Gentlemen:-

Lighthouse Keeper James J. Gibson, stricken with paralysis, February 11, 1938, was furnished medical attention and hospitalization at the Hawaiian Agricultural Company Hospital, Pahala, Hawaii, thirty miles from the Light Station, as his case required immediate attention and would not admit of the delay of transporting him over rough roads, necessitating slow travel, to the nearest Acting Assistant Surgeon of the U.S. Public Health Service, about eighty miles distant from the Light Station.

Yours very truly

(Sgd) J.E.Jensen
J.E.Jensen, M.D.

JEJ:HFN

Standard Form No. 1034a
Form approved by
Comptroller General U. S.
June 18, 1926
(Revised August 1930)

Public Voucher for Purchases, and Services other than Personal

D. O. Vou. No. _____

No. _____

(Voucher prepared _____)
(Give place and date)

PAID BY

(For use of Paying Office)

U. S. TREASURY DEPARTMENT, PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
(Department, Bureau, or Establishment)

Appropriation: _____

THE UNITED STATES, Dr., *To* HAWAIIAN AGRICULTURAL CO, HOSPITAL
(Payee)

Address PAHALA, HAWAII *Payee's Acct. No.* _____

Payee must NOT use this space

Contract No. _____ Date _____ Req. No. _____ Date _____

Activity Lighthouse Service, Kalae Lt.Station,Hawaii For Hospitalization

Expenditure Symbol	No. and Date of Order	Date of Delivery or Service	ARTICLES OR SERVICES (Enter description, Item Number of Contract or General Supply Schedule, and other information deemed necessary) Terms _____% Discount Cash _____ days	QUANTITY	UNIT PRICE Cost	UNIT PRICE Per	AMOUNT Dollars	AMOUNT Cts.	NOTATIONS Payee must NOT use this column
			Certified bill attached						
	1938	February 11,1938 to February 19,1938 inclusive.	Hospitalization, etc. of James J.Gibson, Keeper,Kalae Lt.Sta. Hawaii.				59	50	
						TOTAL,	59	50	

MEMORANDUM

Do NOT sign

(This certificate not required when a like certificate is made by payee on attached bill or bills)

I certify that the above bill is correct and just, and that payment therefor has NOT been received.

Per _____

*Payee _____ Title _____

(Additional statements by Department, Bureau, or Establishment, if deemed necessary)

(Accounting Classification)

(Payee must NOT use this space)

Differences: _____

Account verified; correct for _____ $ 59 50

(Signature or initials) _____

I certify that the above articles were received in good condition, after due inspection, acceptance, and delivery prior to payment as required by law, or the services performed as stated; that they were procured under the contract numbered above or the unnumbered contract attached hereto, or that they were procured without written contract, in open market, and with or without advertising, under the circumstances stated in No. _____ of "Method of or Absence of Advertising" shown on reverse hereof, and were necessary for the public service; and that the prices charged are just and reasonable and in accordance with the agreement.

†Approved for $59.50

(Memorandum—Do not sign)

† J. G. C

F.A.Edgecomb, 19th Dist. Superintendent of Lighthouses,/

Title _____

Paid by { Check No. _____, dated _____, for $_____ } on Treasurer of the United States in favor of payee named above.

{ Cash, $_____, on _____ } *Payee _____

(Memorandum—Do not sign)

* When a voucher is signed or receipted in the name of a company or corporation, the name of the person writing the company or corporate name, as well as the capacity in which he signs, must appear. For example: "John Doe Company, per John Smith, Secretary," or "Treasurer," as the case may be.

† If the ability to certify and authority to approve are combined in one person, one signature only is necessary; otherwise the approving officer will sign in the blank space below "Approved for $_____," and over his official title.

Per _____

Title _____

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1751

Sample for RVW

Pahala, Kau, Hawaii, March 3rd, 1938.

Mr. James J. Gibson

Address Kalae Lighthouse Station, South Point, Hawaii

For Account of Lighthouse Service, Honolulu, Hawaii

Hawaiian Agricultural Co.

HOSPITAL

TH—42752—6—37—1M

8 days	Hospital Room and Care From 2/11/38 To 2/19/38 at $ 5.00 per day	40	00
	Operating Room Fee		
	Anesthetic		
	Medicines Potassium Iodide 75¢ Sodurco 25¢	1	00
	X-Ray (1) 14 x 17 Chest	10	00
	Laboratory Fee 1 Blood count $1, Phenolsulphonephthalein test $1.50, urinalysis $1.00	3	50
	Dressings		
	Maternity Room		
	Care of Baby		
	Electrocardiograph	5	00
	TOTAL	$ 59	50

I certify that this bill is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received.

HAWAIIAN AGRICULTURAL CO. HOSPITAL

By (Signed) A Gardner

Title Bookkeeper

APPROVED:

(Signed) J E Jansen

Medical Director

H.A.Co Hospitals

Received Payment: HAWAIIAN AGRICULTURAL Co.

Date..... By.....

WAI

April 19, 1938.

James J. Gibson,
Keeper, Kalae Lt.Station,
Naalehu, Hawaii.

1. There are enclosed herewith two sets of Standard Form No. 1034, Voucher for Purchases, etc, one set covering professional services rendered by Dr. J.E.Jensen and the other set for hospitalization at the Hawaiian Agricultural Co, Hospital at Pahala,Hawaii. On the back of these forms a certificate has been prepared and you are requested to sign at point indicated by pencil "X" all four copies of each set. Return all copies to this office by return mail.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent

N. W. Wetherby
Assistant Superintendent

F.A.Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Incls.

JMA:RW

March 18, 1938.

DR. J. E. JENSEN,
Pahala Hospital,
Pahala, Hawaii.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your bill for $35.00 and enclosed bill for $59.50 of the Hawaiian Agricultural Co. Hospital in connection with the recent illness of Keeper James J. Gibson.

It will be appreciated if you will please submit new bill in triplicate, along the following lines -

" To professional services furnished Lighthouse Keeper James J. Gibson on -- (specify dates; for instance, Feb. 11, 12, 13, 1938). "

The original bill is to be certified as follows and signed by you -

" I certify the above account is correct and just and that payment therefor has not been received. "

In addition, please submit letter reading along the following lines -

" Lighthouse Keeper James J. Gibson, stricken with paralysis, Feb. 11, 1938, was furnished medical attention and hospitalization at the Hawaiian Agricultural Co. Hospital, Pahala, Hawaii, 30 miles from the Light Station, as his case required immediate attention and would not admit of the delay in transporting him over rough roads, necessitating slow travel, to the nearest Acting Assistant Surgeon of the U. S. Public Health Service, about 80 miles distant from the light station. "

It will also be appreciated if you will have the enclosed bill certified by an authorized representative of the Hawaiian Agricultural Co. Hospital in the space indicated by an "x", and ~~as~~ such person, show his official title below his name. This bill should then be approved by you opposite two XX's, after which your bill in triplicate and bill of the hospital should be forwarded to this office.

Thanking you for your courtesy in this matter, I am,

Yours very truly,
For and in the absence of the Superintendent
M. W. W.
N. W. Wetherby

Encl.

ADDRESS YOUR REPLY TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER

JMA:RW

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

March 17, 1938.

SURGEON GENERAL,
U. S. Public Health Service,
Washington, D. C.

- Thru Commissioner of Lighthouses -

Sir:

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Dr. J. E. Jensen, physician in charge of this case, submitted bill to this office on which is stated -

" Patient unable to be moved to regular U.S.P.H.S. Hospital; hence treatment and hospitalization locally were necessary. in Pahala Hospital 2/11/38 to 2/19/38."

Although request was made of Dr. Jensen to submit written report immediately after receiving information as to Keeper Gibson's illness, no report has been furnished to date, and inasmuch as correspondence in these Islands takes considerable time, it is considered more practicable to furnish such information as is available at this time than to wait for a medical report.

Voucher for medical attention and hospitalization furnished this case will be submitted in due time. Keeper Gibson returned to his regular duties Feb. 26, 1938 and has been employed continuously since that date.

Respectfully,

For and in the absence of the Superintendent
N. W. Wetherby
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Assistant Superintendent

JMA:RW

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Respectfully,

For and in the absence of the Superintendent

N. W. W.

N. W. Wetherby
Assistant Superintendent

JMA:TCC

February 25, 1938.

Jas. J. Gibson, Keeper,
Kalae Light Station,
C/o Pahala Hospital,
Pahala, Hawaii.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of Form 79, Application for Sick Leave from February 12 to 26 on the face of same, and certificate of Dr. Jensen on the back of the form covering the period February 11 to 19.

2. You evidently overlooked instructions contained in Paragraph 3 of our letter dated February 16, as the form was not submitted in accordance with same. The application heretofore submitted by you is returned herewith as it does not meet the requirements of this office, and there is enclosed herewith another form which you are directed to fill out at the proper time in accordance with Paragraph 3, which is quoted again for your information:

See below *

"3. Before returning the form, be certain that application for annual leave or sick leave is written in its respective place on the face of the form, and the physician's certificate on the back of the form covers the total inclusive datesyou were under his care."

4. Advise this office promptly by separate letter the probable date that you expect to resume your regular duties at Kalae Light Station.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent,

N. W. Wetherby,
Assistant Superintendent.

Encls.

* "3. For the time being you will be carried as on authorized sick leave, and as soon as you are sufficiently recovered so that you will no longer be under the care of the physician, you are to have the sick leave certificate (c) on the back of the enclosed form, filled out and signed by the attending physician. On the face of form, fill in (b) and if you consider additional leave is needed, that is not properly chargeable to sick leave, fill in your application for same under (a) on the face of the form, and submit the completed form to this office for consideration of its approval."

JMA:RW

February 15, 1938.

JAS. J. GIBSON,
Keeper, Kalae Light Station,
C/o Pahala Hospital,
Pahala, Hawaii.

1. This Office has received a telegram from Dr. J. E. Jensen, stating that you are in the hospital with a mild stroke.

2. Your illness is regretted and it is hoped you will be enjoying good health in the near future.

3. For the time being you will be carried as on authorized sick leave, and as soon as you are sufficiently recovered so that you will no longer be under the care of the physician, you are to have the sick leave certificate (c) on the back of the enclosed form, filled out and signed by the attending physician. On the face of form, fill in (b) and if you consider additional leave is needed, that is not properly chargeable to sick leave, fill in your application for same under (a) on the face of the form, and submit the completed form to this office for consideration of its approval.

4. For your information it is stated that Additional Keeper Allen reported for duty at Kalae Light Station Feb. 12, 1938 and will probably remain there until you return to duty.

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

1 encl.

JMA:RW

February 15, 1938.

DR. J. E. JENSEN,
Pahala Hospital,
Pahala, Hawaii.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged, with thanks, of your radio of Feb. 11, 1938, relative to illness of J. J. Gibson, Keeper, Kalae Light Station.

For your information it is stated that Mr. Gibson is entitled to the benefits of the Public Health Service, and where such services cannot be procured, the supervisory official of the Lighthouse Service may procure the most suitable local medical and hospital facilities. In such cases the action must be reported immediately to the Surgeon General, Public Health Service, Washington, D. C., stating the reason the services of the Public Health Service were not utilized and including as a part of the report a statement of the attending physician, certifying to the necessity for immediate treatment, the probable duration of same, and the practicability of transferring the patient to the nearest hospital of the Public Health Service in case hospital care is indicated. In a case of this kind this office is required to furnish vouchers covering expense of such service and the necessary medicines, etc., properly certified and accompanied by a full statement of the circumstances, which have to be forwarded to the Surgeon General, Public Health Service, Washington, D. C.

It will be noted that this is handled in a different manner than an injury case which comes under the jurisdiction of the U. S. Employees' Compensation Commission. Mr. Gibson's illness requires no report to the U. S. Employees' Compensation Commission. Inasmuch as this office understands that the illness of Mr. Gibson is not expected to be of long duration, that is, possibly 30 days, we propose to prepare only one voucher covering the medical attention Mr. Gibson receives. In the meantime it will be appreciated if you will submit report to this office certifying to the necessity for immediate treatment of this case and the probable duration of same, and whether or not you consider it practicable to transfer Mr. Gibson to a Government hospital.

Yours very truly,

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

JOSEPH E. JENSEN, M.D.
PAHALA, HAWAII

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SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 17 1938
HONOLULU, T. H.

Gibson
x Williams

Mr. F. E. Edgecomb,
Supt. of Lighthouse Service,
Honolulu, T.H..

Dear Mr. Edgecomb:

Mr. James J. Gibson, keeper at the Kalae Lighthouse at South Point is still confined to the Pahala Hospital but I expect to discharge him in two or three days. He suffered a mild left sided hemiplegia (paralysis of left side of the body) involving the left arm and leg and the muscles of the left side of the face, lips and the tongue. The attack occured the morning of admission altho he states that he did not feel very well the previous afternoon. The paralysis is clearing rapidly and I believe it was due to a minute hemorrhage of a small blood vessel in the right side of the base of the brain. Aside from a moderate general arteriosclerosis of the blood vessels I find no other abnormality to account for this accident occuring in a man of forty-three years. I shall complete my examination and study by another two or three days and he will be able to leave the hospital altho I believe that he should rest for five or six weeks if he has any or such "sick-leave" coming to him. As to the prognosis and future hazard it is impossible to evaluate just at present. If I can absolve the heart and kidney as being in any way responsible for this cerebral hemorrhage then must conclude that it must have been due to a small clot occuring in the brain and if so tha liklihood of a recurrence is materially reduced. I shall write you again in the near future.

In regard to Frank Williams: I firmly believe that he will be ready to return to work in another month or two. There has been no infection or drainage of the abdomen since before he left the hospital before Xmas and he has a firm abdominal wall with good support. I do however, judge that if he is reassigned to service that it should be to a two or three man-station so that he would be relieved of any hard physical work or lifting for the first year of his new service.
With kind regards to yourself, I am

Very truly yours,

S/M Base, PH.—9-21-36—50,000.

Tel. 4376

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GOVT USLHS EDGECOMB HONOLULU:

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 14 1938
HONOLULU, T. H.

8:15

IN CONVERSATION WITH DR JENSEN THIS MORNING HE STATES GIBSON KEEPER KALAI LIGHTHOUSE HAS PARTIAL PARRLYTIC STROKE AND WILL BE CONFINED TO HOSPITAL ONE WEEK TO TEN DAYS PERIOD DOCTOR RECOMMENDS HE TAKE THIRTY DAYS LEAVE IN ORDER TO CONVALESCE PERIOD I WILL BE AT STATION TO TAKE OVER THIS AFTERNOON:

ALLEN

E

1. advise gibson re leave
2. Write Dr Jensen re Tom gibson case
3. Write allen re running Ka-Lae.

Done

File

S/M Base, PH.—9-21-36—50,000.

Tel. 4376

U. NAVAL COMMUNICATION SERVICE

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SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 11 1938
HONOLULU, T. H.

GIBSON OF THE KALAE LIGHTHOUSE STATION IN HOSPITAL WITH MILD STROKE WANTS RELIEF MAN SENT:

DR JENSEN

1. Allen dispatched - 11th arrived 12th.
2. Ack. Dow.
3. advise Kihoa re relief. Dow

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

SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
SEP 2 1937
HONOLULU, T. H.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

August 19, 1937

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu, Hawaii

The Bureau is in receipt of your Form 73a in the case of James J. Gibson showing his transfer from Molokai Light Station to Kalae Light Station without change in pay effective July 1.

As Mr. Gibson had previously been transferred to a temporary additional position at Kalae Light Station and the effective date reported as June 8 in your letter of July 15, it appears that your Form 73a is not entirely correct, and the Bureau has amended it to show Mr. Gibson's transfer from a temporary additional position at Kalae to the regular position, vice Frank Williams, effective July 1.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

hlm/see

RVW
Pls note + c.c. Asst Supt
change our Hlm also
records
Done 9/2/37.
(N.)
J.A.E

Form 73 a

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RW.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT,

Honolulu T H August 6, 19 37.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

It is proposed to transfer the following-named employee as indicated, on or about July 1, 1937
(See instructions on reverse side)

Name, James J. Gibson

From Temp. Asst. Kpr. Kalae Lt. Sta. / ~~First Assistant Keeper Molokai Light Station~~

Position, Keeper (Perm. Appt.) *

To Kalae Light Station

Salary and range, $1320.p.a. ($1320-$1680)

Salary and range, $1320. p.a. ($1320-$1680)

Previous incumbent and pay, Frank Williams, $1320. p.a.

Services terminated, June 30, 1937

Reason, Account being absent from duty since injury on Aug. 11, 1935.

F. A. Edgecomb

F.A.Edgecomb, Superintendent of Lighthouses.

August 6, 19 37.

The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with July 1, 1937.
(Enter effective date in this space if transfer has been actually completed)

F. A. E

F.A.Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

(* See Bur. letr. 8/19/37, this file, re correction, etc.)

File

For the Commissioner:

11—11251 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1934

Chief of Personnel Division.

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Superintendent of Lighthouses
RECEIVED
AUG 3 1937
Honolulu, T. H.

July 27, 1937

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu, Hawaii

With reference to your letter of July 15 reporting the transfer of James J. Gibson to the temporary additional new position at Kalae Light Station effective June 8, it is requested that your office submit Form 73a in duplicate showing the transfer of Mr. Gibson to the permanent position vice Frank Williams, effective as of July 1.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

hlm/see

V. C. D.
J. A. E.
Form 73a 8/6/37.
Jde

RW.

Gibson file

July 15, 1937.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. With reference to Bureau radiogram dated May 25, 1937, approving transfer of James J. Gibson from First Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, to Keeper, Kalae Light Station, without increase in pay, and transfer of John Enos, Jr., from Second Assistant Keeper, Makapuu Point Light & Radiobeacon Station, to Keeper, Pauwela Point Light Station, without increase in pay, the Bureau is advised that the effective dates of transfer are -

John Enos, Jr. - June 28, 1937

Jas. J. Gibson - June 8, 1937

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

S/M Base, PH.—9-21-36—50,000.

Tel. 4376

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Superintendent of Lighthouses
RECEIVED
JUN 21 1937 - 3:35 PM
Honolulu, T. H.

NPM NR35 21 JUNE 37:

RADIO WASHN CK29 GOVT USLHS TWENTYFIRST 1614:

GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE SUPT HONOLULU:

RERAD TRANSFER JAMES J GIBSON

TO KALAE IS IN TEMPORARY ADDITIONAL POSITION PENDING DISCONTINUANCE SERVICES FRANK WILLIAMS WHICH BUREAU HAS RECOMMENDED TO DEPARTMENT

KING.

1525*AG.

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File E

(No. 128)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
Form 56

FAE:RW

ere c11—9379

RADIOGRAM

Honolulu T H
U. S. L. H. S. 19th Dist.

June 19, 1937.

NAVAL RADIO
"NITE"

GOVT USLHS
LIGHTHOUSE COMMISSIONER
WASHINGTON D C

IS RADIO OF FOURTEENTH A CHANGE FROM LETTER JUNE FIFTH BUREAU ENDORSEMENT OF JUNE SEVENTH OR MAY WE CONSIDER KALAE KEEPER A NEW PERMANENT POSITION TO BE PERMANENTLY FILLED BY GIBSON

EDGECOMB

OFFICIAL BUSINESS
Account of
Superintendent of Lighthouses, 19th District.

J. G. C.
Superintendent

Superintendent of Lighthouses
RECEIVED
JUN 9 1937
Honolulu, T. H.

Waialua, Kau. T.H.
June 6, 1937

Dear Sir:—

I am a men with family that woking at army post Kalai. for a reason, Gibson goi around and said, that his going to put me out ay job, and also stop me for transpasing. I should like to know what power he has to do.

I am going to write to you, why he wants to interfere me. When he made fist trip to Kalai, I was a friend of his, and spent some week end. But after the wide to insult my sister I cut out our friendship. But for present I am working close to light house, so I am afraid of Gibson. he might put me on falls.

If you wanted to know what he did. last trip? I am glad to give full detail

Yours Truly. K. ushijima

Note: all comes with Gibson's trouble with this man filed in Kalae corres. file.

Superintendent of Lighthouses
RECEIVED
JUN 18 1937
Honolulu, T. H.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

June 5, 1937.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of May 25, the Department has authorized a new position of keeper, at $1320 per annum at Kalae Light Station, and the assignment thereto of James J. Gibson, effective upon entrance on duty.

A new appointment certificate will not be issued nor will an oath of office be required.

By direction of the Secretary:

Chief, Division of Personnel.

JUN - 7 1937

B:k

Bureau of Lighthouses, Wash., Copy to 19 Supt.

JMA:RW

May 27, 1937.

JAS. J. GIBSON,
First Assistant Keeper,
Molokai Light Station,
Kalaupapa, Molokai.

- Thru the Keeper -

1. There are enclosed herewith transportation request No. C-349374 covering travel from Kalaupapa to Lahaina, stateroom #4, and transportation request No. C-349375, covering travel from Lahaina to Hilo, stateroom #36.

2. You are directed to leave Molokai Light Station via SS HAWAII on June 1, 1937 for Lahaina, scheduled to arrive there at noon, and leave Lahaina on the SS WAIALEALE at 9:00 P.M. for Hilo, arriving there about 7:00 A.M. June 2nd.

3. Temporary Additional Keeper John C. Allen will meet you at Hilo with the station truck and transport you to the Kalae Light Station. On arrival there, you will proceed to check the Government property so that the transfer of the station from Mr. Allen to you may be made on June 5th. On June 6th, you will use the station truck for transporting Mr. Allen to Hilo so that he may catch the SS HUALALAI on which to return to Honolulu, after which you will return to the station and take up your regular duties.

cc - Molokai Lt Sta. files.

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy to Additional Keeper John C. Allen, for his information and guidance. Be governed accordingly. You will arrange to meet Keeper J. J. Gibson at Hilo on arrival of SS WAIALEALE on the morning of June 2nd, and transport him to the station. You will remain in charge of the station until the close of June 5th. On June 6th Keeper Gibson will return you to Hilo so that you may catch the SS HUALALAI scheduled to leave there at 4:00 P.M., and will report to this office Monday, June 7th, at 9:00 A.M., for further instructions. It is impossible for Government transportation to be furnished you on this trip; however, room #35 has been reserved for your use if you see fit to pay for same.

F.A.Edgecomb, Supt of Lighthouses.

S/M Base, PH.—9-21-36—50,000.

Tel. 4376

U. S. NAVAL COMMUNICATION SERVICE

Room 109
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Superintendent of Lighthouses
RECEIVED
MAY 25 1937
Honolulu, T. H.

2 Copy of this for Supt
J.A.E made

Gibson file
Enos
Williams

HU V NPM NR 38 25 MAY 37 TOD 1247

RADIO WASHN CK78 GOVT USLHS TWENTYFIFTH 1701 ::

GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE SUPT HONOLULU ::.

RE NOMINATIONS TRANSFER JAMES J GIBSON TO KALAE AND JON ENOS JUNIOR TO PAUWELA POINT AS NO CHANGE IN PAY INVOLVED TRANSFER MAY BE COMPLETED AND EFFECTIVE DATES REPORTED. TRAVEL ORDERS APPROVED STOP FRANK WILLIAMS CANNOT BE DROPPED WITHOUT DEPARTMENT APPROVAL STOP MAIL RECOMMENDATION HIS CASE STATING PROSPECTS HIS RETURNING DUTY AND WHETHER SUFFICIENT SERVICE FOR DISABILITY RETIREMENT GIBSON MAY BE SHOWN IN TEMPORARY ADDITIONAL POSITION AT THIRTEEN TWENTY AT KALAE MEANTIME :: KING

Copy Ltr Enos & Williams files

D.C.

D.C. Write Dr. Duncan

CC. Dottie J.A.E. Correct Forms D

JMA:TCC

May 17, 1937.

Jas. J. Gibson, 1st Assistant Keeper,
Molokai Light Station,
Kalaupapa, Molokai.

- Through the Keeper -

1. You have been nominated for the position of Keeper at Kalae Light Station at your present pay, effective June 8, 1937. Recommendation has been made that the Government pay your travel expenses. However, you are to take no action in the matter, pending receipt of definite instructions from this office at a later date.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Quadruplicate Office Copy

TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED

Form 73

NOMINATION

VIA AIR MAIL

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

JHA:RK

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT.

Honolulu, T. H., May 12, 1937
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer & Promotion

Name, James J. Gibson

Position, Keeper

Location, Kalae Light Station

Effective, June 8, 1937

Former position, 1st Asst Keeper

Location, Molokai Light Station

Legal residence, Honolulu, T. H.

Proposed salary, $1320. p. a.

Proposed range, $1320 - $1680. p. a.

Appropriation, Salaries, Lighthouse Keepers.

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

Former salary, $1320. p. a.

Former range, $1320 - $1680. p. a.

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

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Previous incumbent and his pay, Frank Williams Services to be terminated, June 7, 1937

Reason, Dropped because of physical disability. Is drawing compensation under the Federal Employees' Compensation Act.

Members of family in Government service, none.

Date of birth, March 16, 1893.

Remarks: This transfer is proposed for the good of the Service, and not for the personal convenience of the employee. Travel order for payment of transportation expenses is transmitted herewith for approval.

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

J. A. Edgerton

F.A. ECKSTORM, Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Form No. 107
Form approved by Comptroller General U. S.
May 11, 1935

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No. 608

JMA:RW

TRAVEL ORDER

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

BUREAU OF Lighthouses

Honolulu, T. H.
~~WASHINGTON, D. C.,~~

James J. Gibson, 1st Assistant Keeper, — May 12, 1937.
(Date of order)

Molokai Light Station,

You are hereby directed to travel in accordance with the Standardized Government Travel Regulations during the period and for the purpose indicated below:

FROM Molokai Lt Sta., Kalaupapa, Molokai TO Inter-Island Steam Nav. Co. steamer. Kalae Lt Sta., Naalehu, Hawaii, via / and such other points as you may find necessary in the carrying out of this instruction, and upon completion of your itinerary you will report to --

Date effective June 7, 1937 or as soon thereafter as practicable.

Duration of authorization --

PURPOSE To assume duties of Keeper, Kalae Light Station, Naalehu, Hawaii.

CONDITIONS: NOTE: This transfer is being made in the interest of the Service, and not at the request nor for the convenience of the above employee.

The following paragraphs applicable to your travel are (indicate paragraphs):

(a) The above travel is not authorized to effect a change of station.

(b) The above change of station is not effected for the personal convenience of the employee, but for the good of the service.

(c) You are authorized to perform the above travel by public conveyance.

(d) You are authorized to perform the above travel by your personally owned automobile, it having been determined that, in connection with your work, the use of your personally owned automobile is more economical and advantageous to the United States, and you will be paid mileage at the rate of ..... cents per mile, in lieu of actual expenses of transportation in accordance with paragraph 12 (a), Standardized Government Travel Regulations.

(e) After your arrival at your official station, you will be paid mileage at the rate of ..... cents per mile, in lieu of all expenses of transportation, for the use of your personally owned automobile in the performance of official business away from your official station or post of duty, it having been determined that the use of your personally owned automobile is more economical and advantageous to the United States.

(f) You will be allowed per diem in lieu of subsistence as follows: Per diem of $3.50 will be allowed in lieu of actual subsistence, including time on board commercial vessel when price of passage includes subsistence.

(g) Per diem of not to exceed $2.00 will be allowed while on board Lighthouse vessel, subject to provisions of Standardized Travel Regulations and Bureau Circular No. 407 dated November 8, 1933.

The number and date of this order must be referred to on your voucher claiming reimbursement for the expenses incurred.

Approved:

/s/ J.M.Johnson
Assistant Secretary of Commerce

F.A.EDGECOMB, (Name)
Superintendent of Lighthouses. (Title)

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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Dept. of Lighthouse
Honolulu, T. H.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT

Molokai Light Sta
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sept 7th, 1936

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu T.H.

Sir The Keeper

Kindly forward my check to the Bank of Hawaii

Jas. J. Gibson
Asst

1/29/37

Forwarded.

James M. Keamy
Keeper.

T. & C.
Original
for

FAE:RW 7/7/36.

Memo. for J. J. Gibson's File.

The Asst Supt's report of July 6, 1936, on Form 61, station inspection, indicates that the journal of the Molokai Light Station, shows that Mr. Gibson attended the movies on April 27, 1936, also on May 1st and 2, 1936, at Kalaupapa.

F.A.Edgecomb,
Supt.

JMA:RW

May 18, 1936.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. Reference is made to confirmation copy of Bureau telegram dated March 20, 1936, requesting advice regarding expenditures in connection with transfer of Keeper Gibson's household effects.

2. In reply it is stated that the transportation charge from Hilo to Honolulu on Government bill of lading #C-146191 was $3.69, and from Honolulu to Kalaupapa on Government bill of lading #C-146196, $5.55, making a total charge of $9.24 for transportation of household effects.

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
APR 1 1936
HONOLULU, T. H.

~~SIXTH~~

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COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
COMMERCE BR.680

ROUTINE

DESPATCH PLEASE SEND
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES WASHINGTON DC
MARCH 20 1936

GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT HONOLULU HAWAII

RE TRANSPORTATION HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS GIBSON OWING TO DEPLETION RESTRICTED FUNDS BUREAU CAN APPROVE NOT EXCEEDING TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED WITH THIS LIMIT OF GOVERNMENT EXPENSE

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confirmation - As soon as transportation has been completed advise Bureau showing any expenditure made by your office together with voucher reference and also furnishing government bill of lading reference, if any involved.

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E C Plado
V C

B/L 146191, 4/4/36-42 cu ft H.H. effects - Hilo to Honolulu

B/L 146196-316 lbs. - 4/13/36

S.O. Voucher No. 2556 - Office Voucher No. 610 - 5/12/36 - $7.88

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

RW.

District Nineteenth

Date April 17, 1936.

CHANGE IN STATUS OF EMPLOYEES

Name James J. Gibson
Nature of Action Transfer, involving Pay Increase.
Effective Date April 14, 1936.

	FROM	TO
Position	Additional Keeper At Large	First Assistant Keeper
Pay	$1260.00 per annum	$1320.00 per annum
Station	19th District at Large	Molokai Light Station

REMARKS:

See Bureau letter dated March 13, 1936, transmitting copy of Bureau personnel recommendation to Secretary of Commerce.

F. A. E.

(Signature)
F.A.EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

NOTE: This form is to be used for both appointed and unappointed employees but only in reporting changes in status, such as salary promotions, changes in designation, etc. Separations in any manner (such as by resignation, death, retirement, etc.) should not be reported on this form but in such cases a certified copy of district form 2806 should be forwarded to the Bureau in accordance with the instructions in Bureau circular Letter No. 309, dated November 30, 1931.

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FAE:RW

April 13, 1936.

JAMES J. GIBSON,
Additional Keeper,
C/o Office.

1. Your appointment to the position of First Assistant Keeper at Molokai Light Station has previously been furnished you, and this is to advise that same will become effective on April 14, 1936, when you arrive at the Molokai Light Station.

2. Since the Keeper is absent at the present time, you will assume charge of the station on arrival, and take over the responsibility of the proper conduct and activities at that location.

3. At the present time, 2nd Asst Kpr Anthony and Laborer Nobriga are operating the station. Mr. Anthony has a memo relative to the continuance of Mr. Nobriga's services and the proper method of reporting his time.

4. New regulations have been issued the station since you were last at Molokai. These instructions are to be rigidly observed and enforced. If after trial a modification of any of these instructions seems necessary or desirable, the Superintendent will entertain any reasonable suggestions. It is the purpose of this office to reduce the trips to the Settlement and contacts with the conditions encountered in the settlement to the minimum, and the hearty cooperation of all the Keepers is requested in this respect.

F. A. E.

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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U. S. NAVAL COMMUNICATION SERVICE

SRS

NPM NR 36 24 MARCH 1936 RADIO WASHINGTON CK 15

GOVT USLHS NITE TWENTYFOURTH 1634:

SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES

MAR 24 1936 5:15 pm

HONOLULU, T. H.

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GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE SUPT HONOLULU HAWAII:

TRAVEL ORDER GIBSON APPROVED AND MAILED THIS DATE:

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N. Eng. 387

U. S. NAVAL COMMUNICATION SERVICE

SRS

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 23 1936
HONOLULU, T. H.

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GOVT USLHS LIGHTHOUSE SUPT HONOLULU HAWAII:

RE TRANSPORTATION HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS GIBSON OWING TO DEPLETION RESTRICTED FUNDS BUREAU CAN APPROVE NOT EXCEEDING TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS TRANSPORTATION AUTHORIZED WITH THIS LIMIT OF GOVERNMENT EXPENSE:

KING

Ltr & C.C. Notified Bureau of actual amt.

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 24 1936
HONOLULU, T. H.

MAR 13 1936

Superintendent of Lighthouses, Honolulu, T. H.

1. In reference to your letter of February 18 proposing the transfer of James J. Gibson from keeper(at large) at $1260 to keeper (first assistant), Molokai at $1320 per annum, and inclosing Form 73a to accomplish this:

2. In this connection, attention is invited to the fact that Form 73a is not used in a case where a change in cash pay is involved, for the reason that such changes require Department action and therefore must be submitted on the regular nomination form 73. In the present case the Bureau prepared a personnel recommendation, copy of which is inclosed for your information and files.

3. With further reference to the use of proper forms, it is noted that your office submitted form 73a in sextuplicate. This is unnecessary, as this form is not required in more than duplicate and in certain cases only one copy is to be submitted at a time. A revised copy of form 73a is forwarded herewith for your information, and it is requested that when this form is submitted in the future it be done in accordance with the instructions on the reverse thereof. Both the present station and the proposed station should be shown on the form, which you will note was not done in Gibson's case.

4. In connection with the Department's change of the range of the additional keepers from $1260-1620 to $1380-1740, your attention is invited to the Bureau's note on confirmation of radiogram dated January 15, 1936, advising of Sidney Estrella's appointment, that "Recommendation for the promotion of the other additional keeper to the minimum of the new range may be submitted by your office". It appears that your office failed to submit nomination for the increase in Gibson's pay, and that therefore he has been deprived of the pay provided by the new range of his position. It is impracticable now, however, to recommend the increase retroactively; but when submitting nomination of a new incumbent, it should be at $1380.

Oh intended; Not justified. J.A.C

1 year, C.C. Pleased.

For the Commissioner:

W R Harman
Administrative Assistant

H-M
Incl

C.C. Note: gibson to leave Ka Lae after 2 yrs via Hilo if Estrella can get there in Apr 1. otherwise following

Harman from Hilo

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
WASHINGTON

Bureau of Lighthouses Date March 4, 1936

The Secretary of Commerce:

The following personnel change is respectfully recommended:

Nature of recommendation [1]: Transfer involving increase in gross pay

Civil service authority

Name James J. Gibson

Legal residence T. H.

	FROM—	TO—
Position	Keeper (At-Large)	Keeper (first assistant)
Classification	Field ($1260-1620) (no quarters)	Field (range $1320-1680) (quarters $240)
Salary	$1260 per annum	$1320 per annum
Station	At Large, 19th District	Molokai Lightstation, T. H., 19th Lighthouse District.
Appropriation [2]	Salaries, Keepers of Lhs.	Same

Vice Frank Pate (Lt.#833), resigned.

Effective date to be reported

Remarks:

W. P. HARMAN
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

(For use of Department)

Copy to 19th Supt.

[1] Recommendations for reinstatement must be accompanied by Form S. S.–93A
[2] To be used only by bureaus operating under more than one appropriation unit.

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Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 24 1936
HONOLULU, T. H.

March 9, 1936.

Mr. James J. Gibson,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective upon entrance on duty (change in station and duties.) — April 14, 1936.

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,

F. A. DELONG

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1260 per annum.

To: $1320 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

Bureau advises that transfer and promotion on duty April 14th by steamer from Honolulu

c.c. Admin Bureau.

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FAE:RW

February 26, 1936.

JAS. J. GIBSON,
Additional Keeper,
Kalae Light Station,
Naalehu, Hawaii.

1. Acknowledgment is made of receipt of your letter of Feb. 12, 1936, indicating that you would be agreeable to a transfer and promotion to the position of First Assistant Keeper at the Molokai Light Station.

2. In this connection, you are advised that recommendation for this transfer and promotion has been forwarded to the Bureau, but it is not likely that the transfer can be consummated prior to about April 1, 1936.

3. You will be duly advised in sufficient time to make the necessary transfer. In this connection, it is assumed that you will return to Honolulu prior to leaving for Kalaupapa. Please advise if you will have any furniture to be shipped from Honolulu to Kalaupapa when you ultimately leave for that station.

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

JMA:RW

February 18, 1936.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. Transmitted herewith are forms #73a and 107, covering proposed transfer of James J. Gibson, Additional Keeper at Large, to the position of First Assistant Keeper at Molokai Light Station, Molokai Island. This transfer is made necessary by the resignation of Frank Pate, effective at the close of February 11, 1936.

2. Authority for allowance of $50.00 to cover transportation of household effects is requested due to the fact that this transfer is made for the good of the Service, and not for the personal convenience of the employee.

3. Please expedite reply.

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

JMA:RW

Feb. 3, 1936.

J. J. GIBSON,
Additional Keeper,
Kalae Light Station,
Waiohinu, Hawaii.

1. Reference is made to your letter of June 26, 1935, in which you stated you will take immediate steps to secure your uniform upon return to Honolulu.

2. Inasmuch as it could not be anticipated at that time that your stay away from Honolulu would be so prolonged, no objections were raised as to the securing of uniform, but it is now directed that you take prompt steps to supply yourself with same.

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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TERRITORY OF HAWAII

TAX COMMISSIONER

HONOLULU

January 6, 1936.

SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
JAN 7 1936
HONOLULU, T. H.

Mr. F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Federal Building,
Honolulu, Hawaii. 2-933

Dear Sir:

We wish to thank you for your letters of November 22 and December 2nd in reply to our letter of November 21st regarding the delinquent income tax of James J. Gibson and as you suggest we are this date mailing an itemized bill to Mr. Gibson in care of your office.

Yours very truly,

Edward A. O'Connor

E. A. O'Connor
Deputy Tax Commissioner
Delinquent Tax Bureau

EAO/cls

JMA:RW

December 2, 1935.

MR. E. A. O'CONNOR,
Deputy Tax Commissioner,
Delinquent Tax Bureau,
Honolulu, T. H.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter of Nov. 21, 1935, relative to delinquent income tax of James J. Gibson, for the year 1931, and to our acknowledgment ~~our letter~~ of Nov. 22, 1935, stating that the matter would be taken up with this employee.

You are informed that Mr. Gibson advises this office that he expected to be in Honolulu prior to this time. Inasmuch as he will remain at his present location indefinitely, he states the tax bill will be paid if a bill is mailed to him.

It is suggested that your letter to him be addressed in care of this office and we will forward same to his present address.

Yours very truly,

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
DEC 2 1935
HONOLULU, T. H.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT

Kalae Light Sta
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

11/27/35, 19

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu T.H.

Sir

In reference to your letter of November 21. 1935 from Deputy Tax Commissioner regarding delinquent income tax for 1931.

The Connor did write me and at that time I thought I would be back in Honolulu in about two weeks and was going to stay in Tax office and straighten things out.

but if the Connor will send me a bill I will pay him from here on money order.

James J. Gibson
additional Keeper

cc

Gibson

JMA:RW

Nov. 22, 1935.

JAMES J. GIBSON,
Additional Keeper,
Kalae Light Station,
Waiohinu, Hawaii.

1. Attached hereto is letter dated Nov. 21, 1935, from the Deputy Tax Commissioner, regarding delinquent income tax for the year 1931 due from you.

2. It is directed that you advise this office promptly, with return of the attached letter, as to your intentions regarding payment of this four year old tax bill.

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

1 encl.

JMA:RW

November 22, 1935.

Mr. E. A. O'Connor,
Deputy Tax Commissioner,
Delinquent Tax Bureau,
Honolulu, T. H.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of Nov. 21, 1935, file #2-933, regarding delinquent income tax for the year 1931 due from James J. Gibson.

You are informed that this matter has been referred to Mr. Gibson with request that he advise this office regarding his intentions in the matter, and upon receipt of his reply, you will be advised accordingly.

Yours very truly,

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

TERRITORY OF HAWAII

TAX COMMISSIONER

HONOLULU

November 21, 1935

SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
NOV 22 1935
HONOLULU, T. H.

Superintendent, Light House Service,
Federal Building,
Honolulu, Hawaii. 2-933

Dear Sir:

We wrote James J. Gibson of Kalai Point Lighthouse on September 30th and again on November 6th regarding his delinquent income tax for the year 1931. To date we have not received a reply to either letters. We therefore call this matter to your attention and would appreciate your cooperation in having this man make prompt payment of this tax which is over four (4) years in arrears.

Yours very truly,

Edward A. O'Connor

E. A. O'CONNOR
Deputy Tax Commissioner
Delinquent Tax Bureau

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Form No. 27
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

INVOICE OF { SUPPLIES / SERVICES }

INVOICE No. 0-83

RW.

Honolulu T H July 29 ,19 35
(Place and date)

Furnished to James J. Gibson, Add'l Keeper

On authority of requisition No. dated { Signed / Approved } by

Shipped (Date) by (State fully how shipped) from Depot District

To Appropriation Application

Checked by Packed in boxes, bundles, bags, cases, crates. Weight, lbs.

Marks:

F A Edgecomb
Superintendent of Lighthouses
By

PACKAGE AND NO.	DESCRIPTION OF ARTICLES	QUANTITY	UNIT	UNIT PRICE	PRICE FOR EACH ITEM
	1 copy of Instructions to Employees of the United States Lighthouse Service, 1927 issue.				
	James J. Gibson				

FIRST RECEIPT	SECOND RECEIPT	THIRD RECEIPT
Received O. K. on ____, 19	Received O. K. on ____, 19	Received O. K. on ____, 19
(Signed) ____	(Signed) ____	(Signed) ____

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
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HONOLULU, HAWAII

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL - 1 1935
HONOLULU, T. H.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT

Cape Kumakahi
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 26, 1935

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu, T. H.

Dear Sir:

Reference your communication of June13, 1935.

This will advice that I have no uniform but on my return to Honolulu. I will take immediate steps for same.

Respectfully,

James J. Gibson
James J. Gibson
Addl. Keeper.

C.C. Follow up. Mr. G. has dodged this issue for - J.A.E.

Supt. I have held this in temp. pending return Gibson to Honolulu to see if he will do this voluntarily

O.K. to write confirming above telegram J.A.E.

DUPLICATE

Form 6569
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
TREASURER U. S.—ACCOUNTING DIVISION
Revised April, 1931

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
APR 16 1935
HONOLULU, T. H.

POWER OF ATTORNEY BY INDIVIDUAL FOR THE COLLECTION OF CHECKS DRAWN ON THE TREASURER OF THE UNITED STATES

Know all Men by these Presents:

That the undersigned, JAMES J. GIBSON, of Honolulu, Hawaii, Department of Commerce, Lighthouse Service, (Post-office address), does hereby appoint BANK OF HAWAII, of Honolulu, Hawaii (Post-office address)

as attorney to receive, indorse, and collect checks in the name of the undersigned, drawn on the Treasurer of the United States, for whatever account, _____

_____
(See footnote)

and to give full discharge for same, granting to said attorney full power of substitution and revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that said attorney, or his substitute, shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

WITNESS the signature and seal of the undersigned, this 9th day of April, 19 35.

James J. Gibson [SEAL]

Personally appeared before me the above-named JAMES J. GIBSON known or proved to me to be the same person who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same as his free act and deed.

WITNESS my signature, official designation, and seal.

[IMPRESS SEAL HERE]

James J. Gibson
(Signature of attesting officer)

M. K. Sledge
Notary Public First Judicial Circuit Territory of Hawaii
(Official designation)

Dated at Honolulu, Hawaii, this 9th day of April, 1935

My commission expires June 30, 1935, 19____

IMPORTANT.—Do not execute this instrument without first reading the instructions on the reverse side hereof. Exact compliance with these instructions will avoid complications.

NOTE.—If desired, the words "whatever account" may be stricken out and the space used to insert a description of the particular check or checks involved.

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Jab V.C. WOO C.C. Nott Sec. F&L

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

WCR:MLB

January 25, 1935.

Mr. James J. Gibson
Additional Keeper,
c/o the Depot Keeper

1. Information has been received from the Civil Service Commission that its records have been noted to the effect that March 16, 1893, is the correct date of your birth. Hereafter, that date is to be used for all official purposes when necessary.

FOR AND IN THE ABSENCE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT:

C. N. ELLIOTT
ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENT

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...E OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JAN 17 1935
HONOLULU, T. H.

January 7, 1935

Superintendent of Lighthouses, Honolulu, T. H.

By letter dated December 29, 1934, the Civil Service Commission has advised that its records have been noted to the effect that March 16, 1893, is the correct date of birth of James Joseph Gibson, keeper in your district.

Mr. Gibson should be instructed to use that date for official purposes when necessary.

For the Commissioner:

R. J. Jones
Chief of Personnel Division

H-M

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

District Nineteenth

RW.

Date January 10, 1935.

CHANGE IN STATUS OF EMPLOYEES

Name James J. Gibson
Nature of Action Transfer
Effective Date December 29, 1934.

	FROM	TO
Position	2nd Assistant Keeper	Additional Keeper at Large
Pay	$1260.00 p. a.	$1260.00 p. a.
Station	Molokai Light Station	At Large.

Remarks:

See Bureau radio of December 27, 1934.

F A Bigelow
Signature.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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WCR:MLB

January 10, 1935

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. With reference to Bureau endorsement of December 28, 1934 on letter from this office of December 14, 1934, relative to allowance to cover transportation of household effects in connection with the transfer of Mr. James J. Gibson, 2d Assistant Keeper at Molokai Light Station, to position of additional Keeper at large, 19th District with headquarters at Honolulu, the Bureau is respectfully advised that there was no obligation to the Government covering transportation of household effect in connection with Mr. Gibson's transfer.

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses

...R TO
... OF LIGHTHOUSES
...OLULU, HAWAII
... REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

WCR.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE LIGHTHOUSES

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1934 DEC 24 AM 9:32

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

December 14, 1934.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JAN 9 1935
HONOLULU, T. H.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Transmitted herewith are Forms 31 and 73a to cover the proposed transfer of James J. Gibson, 2nd Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, to the position of Additional Keeper at Large, 19th Lighthouse District, with headquarters at Honolulu, T. H., made necessary by the resignation of Joseph B. Medeiros, Additional Keeper, effective at the close of November 28, 1934.

2. Authority for allowance of $50.00 to cover transportation of household effects is respectfully requested due to the fact that this transfer is made for the best interests of the Government, not by request of the employee concerned.

3. It is urgently requested that the Bureau use its good offices to expedite approval of the travel order and transportation of household effects, advising this office by radio of such approval, in order that Mr. Gibson may proceed from Molokai on scheduled date.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D.C.
December 28, 1934

Returned to Superintendent of Lighthouses, Honolulu, Hawaii, with authority to expend not to exceed $50.00 for packing, crating and transporting household effects of the above mentioned employee.

For the Commissioner:

Administrative Assistant

C.C. Area Bureau

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
Form 56a

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RADIOGRAM

U. S. L. H. S. 19th Dist.

Honolulu, T. H.,
December 31, 1936.

NAVAL RADIO
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LIGHTHOUSE COMMISSIONER
WASHINGTON D C

EFFECTIVE DATE TRANSFER KEEPER JAMES J GIBSON DECEMBER TWENTYNINTH

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OFFICIAL BUSINESS
Account of
Superintendent of Lighthouses, 19th District.

J. A. E.
Superintendent.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

NINETEENTH DISTRICT
Honolulu T H
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)
December 22, 19 34

Superintendent of Lighthouses,

Honolulu, T. H.

1. It is kindly requested that privilege card be issued me to purchase groceries from the Army Commissary.

James J. Gibson

James J. Gibson
2nd Asst Kpr, Molokai Lt Sta.

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RW. Office of Superintendent, 19th District, Honolulu, T. H.

December 22, 1934.

1. To Officer in Charge of Q. M. General Sales Store, Honolulu.

Approved in accordance with Departmental letter dated Sept. 27, 1926, (QM 400.325-3) for cash purchases only.

F A EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

WCR.

December 14, 1934.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

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F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

cc to Chief Clerk.

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REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DISTRICT,

Honolulu, T.H., December 14, , 1934.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

It is proposed to transfer the following-named employee as indicated, on or about January 15, 1934
(See instructions on reverse side)

Name, James J. Gibson

Position, Second Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station.

From Molokai Light Station, Molokai, T.H.

To position of Additional Keeper at Large, 19th Lighthouse District, with headquarters at Honolulu, T. H.

Salary and range,
Salary, $1260.00 p.a. Range 1260.- 1620.

Salary and range,
$1260.00 p.a. - Range 1260.00 - 1620.00

Previous incumbent and pay, Joseph B. Medeiros, pay $1260.00 per annum

Services terminated, close of November 28, 1934

Reason, Resigned.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.
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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with December 29, 1934.
(Enter effective date in this space if transfer has been actually completed)

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division.

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Standard Form No. 17
Approved by the President, March 20, 1926

BCR.

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."

COMMERCE
(Department)

Office, Superintendent of Lighthouses, 12th District, Honolulu, T.H., December 15, 1934.
(Bureau or office) (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

January 2, 1935, ~~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 James J. Gibson

Position Keeper (Assistant)

Salary $1200.00 per annum

Appropriation Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Station Molokai Light Station, Kalaupapa, Molokai, T. H.

Date of entrance on duty July 3, 1934.

Remarks:

F. A. Edgecomb
(Signature of immediate superior)
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Submitted:

(Head of bureau or office)

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16—1732

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

NINETEENTH DISTRICT

Molokai Lightstation
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

December 10th, 1934

SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, T. H.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.
Honolulu.
Hawaii.

Sir:-

You are respectfully informed that the five months probational reports of James J. Gibson is as follows:-

1:- Experience in L. O. V. Lamp very good, daily routine work not good, personal Conduct excellent, very obedient and has a pleasant disposition.

2:- Due to his lack of experience in the line of electricty, you are advised that, I am leaving this matter entirely up to you to make a decision as to whether or not Mr. James J. Gibson, is capable for the said position offered.

Yours Respectfully
Fred Kapihoa
Keeper.

O.K. after instructions

C.C.
O.K. for Permanent Appointment to Assistant Keeper etc
J.A.C.

RADIOGRAM

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HONOLULU, T. H.

STATIONS AT WAHIAWA, HILO, WAILUKU,
LIHUE, LANAI CITY, KAUNAKAKAI

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SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
DEC 7 1934
HONOLULU, T. H.

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HONOLULU

PROBATIONAL REPORT GIBSON EXCELLENT CONFIRMATION FOLLOWS

NIHOA

C.C. O-K-Lee
Also. Nomination for add. Keeper
J.A.E

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on the other side, which are hereby agreed to:

Date Dec. 7, 1934 Office of Origin Supt Lighthouses No. Code Check

Time Double Rush ( ) Day Message (X) Night Letter ( ) Ship ( )

To

Keeper NIHOA

CARE COOKE
KALAUPAPA MOLOKAI

FORWARD IMMEDIATELY FIVE MONTHS PROBATIONAL REPORT GIBSON

EDGECOMB

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OFFICIAL BUSINESS
Account of
Superintendent of Lighthouses, 19th District.

J. A. E.
Superintendent.

RW

October 13, 1934.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. Referring to Bureau endorsement of Aug. 21, 1934, on letter dated Aug. 9, 1934, from Chief Examiner, Civil Service Commission to Acting Chief of Appointment Division, returned herewith, there is transmitted herewith certificate from the Office of the Board of Health and Vital Statistics, Hudson County, N. J., giving date of birth of James J. Gibson, as Mar. 16, 1893.

F A EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

copy
RW

THOS. D. KEEGAN
President

JOSEPH W. BUCKLEY
Clerk

WM.A.PURCELL
REGISTRAR

OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF HEALTH & VITAL STATISTICS
Hudson County, N. J.
Court House

Search by Esterbrook

Vol. 32.

Certificate No. 641.

Jersey City, N. J., Sept. 20, 1934

This is to certify that JAMES J. GIBSON

was born on the 16th day of March 1893

at Jersey City, New Jersey, according to the

records of this office.

/s/ Wm. A. Purcell
Registrar of Vital Statistics.

SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 10 1934
HONOLULU, T. H.

MOLOKAI LIGHT STATION.

KALAUPAPA MOLOKAI.

OCT. 8th. 1934

To: Superintendent of Lighthouses, Honolulu T.H.

Via: Keeper, Molokai Light.

From: Second Assistant Keeper.

Subject: TRANSMITTAL OF RECORD OF BIRTH.

1. In accordanee with instructions in the matter of procuring the enclosed document, please find attached hereto birth record executed over signature of Hudson County N.J. Registrar of Vital Statistics, verifying my birth date as March 16th. 1893.

Jas. J. Gibson

Jas. J. Gibson.

1st. Ind. Kalaupapa Molokai, October 8th. 1934

To: Superintendent of Lighthouses, Honolulu T.H.

Forwarded by.

Fred E Nihoa

F.E.Nihoa, Keeper.

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SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
SEP 11 1934
HONOLULU, T. H.

Kalaupapa Molokai.
Sept. 7th. 1934

Mr. F.A.Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.
Federal Building.
Honolulu T.H.

Dear Sir:

Reference your communication of August 31st. in re correct date of birth and my affidavit concerning same.

Please be advised that action is being taken on paragraphs (1) and (2) of form 2473 in order to conform with the Department's requirements and, copy hereof is being forwarded my nearest living relative with the request that necessary action be taken immediately.

Respectfully,

James J. Gibson

James J. Gibson.

C.C. Wm
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advise them Kupa
Jas F

WAI:MLB

September 21, 1934.

James J. Gibson
2nd Asst. Keeper
Molokai Light Station
Kalaupapa, Molokai
(Thru the Keeper)

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 7, 1934, advising this office that you have taken steps to secure affidavit regarding your date of birth.

2. You are advised that all correspondence to this office should be directed through the Keeper. Be guided accordingly.

F. A. EDGECOMB
Superintendent of Lighthouses

WCR

August 31, 1934.

Mr. James, J. Gibson,
2nd Assistant Keeper
Molokai Light Station,
Kalaupapa, Molokai

1. With further reference to correspondence between you and this office relative to your correct date of birth, you are advised that your affidavit attesting to the fact that your correct date of birth was March 16, 1893, has not been deemed as being sufficient proof to establish March 16, 1893 as the correct date.

2. Transmitted herewith is Form 2473 outlining various methods for establishment of correct date of birth which will be acceptable and you are directed to comply with one of the ways as outlined in the enclosed form, immediately.

F. A. EDGECOMB,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

WCR

July 20, 1934.

James J. Gibson
Molokai Light Station
Kalaupapa, Molokai
(Thru the Keeper)

1. Returned herewith is your Honorable Discharge from the United States Army, which accompanied affidavit attesting to the exact date of your birth.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encl.

FILE COPY

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July 19, 1934.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1. With reference to 19th District radiogram of even date, the Bureau is respectfully advised that after Personal History Statement was forwarded under date of July 6, 1934, it was discovered that James J. Gibson, 2nd Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, had given his date of birth as March 16, 1894 instead of March 16, 1893, as shown on his application.

2. Transmitted herewith is Affidavit received from Mr. Gibson attesting to error on his part relative to date of birth.

3. Also, transmitted herewith is letter received from the Notary Public before whom Mr. Gibson took his Oath of Office, as upon reference to the file copy of the Oath, the date of expiration of Mr. Correa's commission was not legible.

P. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
Form 56a

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RADIOGRAM

COPY

Honolulu, T.H.

U. S. L. H. S. ...19th..... Dist.

(NO. 16)

July 19, 1934.

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COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON D C

RE NINETEENTH LETTER JULY SIXTH REQUEST BUREAU CHANGE DATE

BIRTH KEEPER GIBSON ON STANDARD FORM SIX AND FORM SEVENTYTHREE

TO SIXTEENTH MARCH EIGHTEEN NINETYTHREE LETTER FOLLOWS

EDGECOMB

OFFICIAL BUSINESS
ACCOUNT OF
APPORTIONMENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19TH DISTRICT

Department of Commerce
Lighthouse Service
Honolulu, T.H.

July 9, 1934 Kalaupapa, Molokai.

My Dear Sirs :-

Your recent letter to Mr J. J. Gibson, with reference to the legality of my seal of office at the time the acknowledgment was made, and you also further state a request for the correct date of expiration.

My Commission expires June 30, 1935, as stated on the oath of office of Mr J.J.Gibson.

This is thanking you for your kind attention. I remain,

Yours Very Truly

M. P. Correa., Jr.
Kalaupapa, Molokai.
NOTARY PUBLIC.

A F F I D A V I T

Comes now, JAMES J. GIBSON, second assisstant keeper, Molokai Lighthouse Station, Kalaupapa, Molokai, who first being duly sworn says:

That in completeing his personal history statement, standard form No. 6, Department of Commerce lighthouse service, he inadvertently gave his date of birth as March 16, 1894, whereas, same should have read March 16, 1893.

Deponent further states that, having in his possession no birth certificate or copy thereof this date, it is subject to verification through the files of Department of Hawaii, United States Army.

James J. Gibson

James J. Gibson

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 13th day of July A. D. 1934.

Notary Public, First Judicial Circuit,
Territory of Hawaii. Commission expires June 30, 1935

WCR

July 9, 1934.

Mr. James J. Gibson, 2nd Asst. Keeper
Molokai Light Station
Kalaupapa, Molokai
(Thru the Keeper)

1. By reference to Personal History Statement, Standard Form No. 6, it is noted that you give your date of birth as March 16, 1894, whereas by reference to your application your sworn statement thereon gives your date of birth as March 16, 1893.

2. It is desired that you furnish this office affidavit taken before a Notary Public as to your correct date of birth as well as any supporting documents such as birth certificate, or copy thereof which may be in your possession.

3. It is desired that you reply to this letter as soon as practicable in order that your Service Record care may be properly completed.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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

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OATH OF OFFICE

July 6, 1934.

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes of the United States

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

(Department or Establishment) 19th Lighthouse District, Honolulu, T.H.
(Bureau or Office)

I, 1. Transmitted herewith are Oath of Office and Personal History Sheet for Mr. James J. Gibson, who entered on duty at the Molokai Light Station, as Second Assistant Keeper, on July 3, 1934, at $1260. per annum.

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.

F A EDGECOMB
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Encls.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of JULY A. D. 19 34

at Kalaupapa, Molokai, T. H.
(City or place) (State)

(SEAL)

Notary Public
U. S. Territory of Hawaii

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

Commissioned Officer, Engineer, or Keeper to be filled in.

Position to which appointed Second Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station

Date of entrance on duty July 3, 1934.

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FILE COPY

Form No. 8
the President, May 22, 1925)

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OATH OF OFFICE

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes of the United States

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
(Department or Establishment)

19th Lighthouse District, Honolulu, T.H.
(Bureau or Office)

I, JAMES JOSEPH GIBSON, do
(Name in full, printed or typed)

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

James J. Gibson
(Signature of Appointee)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3rd day of JULY, A. D. 19 34

at Kalaupapa, (City or place), Molokai, T. H. (State)

[SEAL]

Notary Public 1st Jud Cir. Territory of Hawaii

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

Commission expires June 30 1935

Position to which appointed Second Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station

Date of entrance on duty July 3, 1934.

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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 Commerce Date May 31/1934.

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Gibson (Surname) James (Given name) Joseph (Middle name)
2. Present address Port Allen (Number) Kauai (Street) T H (City) (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Honolulu (State and Congressional District) T.H. (County) (City or town)
4. Where born Jersey City (State or foreign country) N.J. (City or town) When born March 16/1893 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you None

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

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
Light House Ser	Cape Kumukahi Hilo TH	Foreman of Labor	$6 Per day	June	14	1932	June	30	1932
U.S. Eng.	Port Allen Kauai TH	Inspector	$150.00 Per Mo	Mar. Feb	22	1934	6/30/34. To [illegible]		

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

NAME	POSITION AND DEPARTMENT OR OFFICE IN WHICH EMPLOYED	RELATIONSHIP
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	

10. Do you now hold any State or municipal office? If so, state below:
Inspector on Breakwater at Port Allen Kauai T.H. For U.S. Eng
(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)

11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?
(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted Jan 29/1918 Discharged July 10/1919 Enlisted Oct 19/1922 Discharged Oct 18/1925
Rank Private Rank Master Eng Sr Cl Rank Private Rank Sergeant
Organization 70th Eng Organization 701 Eng Organization 2nd Eng Organization 2nd Eng

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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.) Construction Foreman

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
Attorney Genl. Office	Extra Clerk during Session of House & Senate	18 Months

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 William J. Gibson

Relationship Brother Post office address Bayonne N J

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

James J. Gibson

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

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July 6, 1934.

Mr. James J. Gibson
Molokai Light Station
Kalaupapa, Molokai
-- Thru the Keeper --

1. In view of the fact that the date of expiration of the commission of the Notary before whom you took your Oath of Office, is not legible, it is desired that you have him address separate letter to this office, in duplicate, advising of the exact date of expiration of his commission, original of which will be forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses and the duplicate copy kept as file copy in this office.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

FILE COPY

Form A-30

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

WCR

June 18, 1934.

July 2, 1934.

Mr. James J. Gibson.

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Mr. James J. Gibson
c/o the Superintendent of Lighthouses
Honolulu, T. H.

1. With further reference to your appointment as Second Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, attached hereto is Oath of Office, in duplicate, which will be executed by you before a Notary Public at Kalaupapa, Molokai, on July 3, 1934, or as soon thereafter as practicable, but before the close of July 31, 1934. It is desired that you take care of this matter as soon as practicable, however, forwarding both copies of the executed Oath to this office.

2. Also, transmitted herewith is your appointment, in this the 19th Lighthouse District, Department of Commerce Form A-30.

3. You will proceed to Molokai Light Station on the afternoon of July 2, 1934, via the steamship "Hawaii", sailing from Honolulu at 5 P.M. arriving at Kalaupapa at 5 A.M. July 3, 1934. You will proceed immediately to Molokai Light Station reporting to Mr. Fred E. Nihoa, Keeper, for duty at that station, your effective date of entrance on duty being July 3, 1934.

4. Enclosed herewith is copy of instructions to newly appointed Assistant Keepers in the 19th District, which you will study carefully and forward report to the office, through the Keeper, as indicated therein.

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses

ENCLS.

copy to Keeper, Molokai Light Station for his information & guidance.

FILE COPY

Form A-30

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 19, 1934.

Mr. James J. Gibson,

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 Twelve Hundred and Sixty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Probationary.

Civil Service authority: Manager, Twelfth Civil Service District.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

W. A. DELONG

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Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: John Enos, Jr.

Legal residence: Hawaii.

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 1930

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WCR

July 2, 1934.

Mr. B. Heflebower
Assistant Manager in Charge
Branch Office, 12th Civil Service Dist.
Honolulu, T. H.

Dear Mr. Heflebower:

The bearer is Mr. James J. Gibson, who by reason of your request contained in endorsement of June 7, 1934, on letter from this office of June 6, 1934, is reporting to you for finger-printing. in view of the fact that finger-printing done on Kauai was not entirely satisfactory.

Respectfully,

For and in absence of the Superintendent

W. C. [illegible]DEAU
Chief Clerk.

N. Eng. 387

U. S. NAVAL COMMUNICATION SERVICE

SRS

De Washington Dc Nr 20 Npm June 21st.

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

Govt Uslhe Uslhe Honolulu T H

Appointment James J Gibson approved.

Putnam

C.C. When?
Suggest the Post here
in the Govt. Lot until
date known it other than July 1.
J.A.C.

Given to E.O.D. 7/2/34 upon
a Asst. Keeper basis upon
first recommendation
O.K.
J.A.C.

WCB

June 19, 1934.

Mr. James J. Gibson
Port Allen, Kauai

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 15, advising that you would be able to report for duty, at this office on the morning of July 2, and you are advised that such arrangement is satisfactory.

It is desired that you report direct to the Chief Clerk at 8 a. m. on the morning of July 2, in order to complete necessary papers in connection with your appointment.

Yours very truly,

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses

FILE COPY

SUPERINTENDENT
OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 16 1934
HONOLULU, T. H.

Port Allen, Kauai, T.H.
June 15th. 1934.

Subject: Date reporting for duty.

To: F. A. Edgecomb, Supt.
Light House Service,
Department of Commerce.
Honolulu, T.H.

Sir:

By this mail, I received the appointment you made for me in your Department for which I thank you.

It will not be possible for me to begin on June 25th. as you suggested, because a two week notice for resignation is required by the Engineers Department, but I shall be able to report for duty on the morning of July 2nd.

Please be advised that I am submitting my resignation today, to the U. S. Engineers, to take effect June 30th. 1934.

Again thanking you, I remain,

Respectfully, yours,

James J. Gibson

James A. Gibson.

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June 13, 1934.

Mr. James J. Gibson
Port Allen, Kauai

Dear Sir:

With further reference to your nomination by this Service to the position of Second Assistant Keeper at Molokai Light Station, it is desired that you proceed to Honolulu at the earliest practicable time to assume duties as substitute laborer pending approval of your nomination, to the position of Second Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, which nomination has been forwarded to the Bureau of Lighthouses for action.

If it should impossible for you to report for duty at no later date than the morning of June 25, 1934, advise this office by return mail; otherwise this office will expect you to report for assignment on or before June 25, 1934.

Yours very truly,

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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June 7, 1934.

Mr. James J. Gibson
Port Allen, Kauai

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Superintendent of Lighthouses

Encl.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
HONOLULU, HAWAII

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 19TH DISTRICT
HONOLULU, HAWAII

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 8 1934
HONOLULU, T. H.

June 6, 1934.

Mr. B. Heflebower
Assistant Manager in Charge
Branch Office, 12th Civil Service District
Honolulu, T. H.

Dear Mr. Heflebower:

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Respectfully,

For and in absence of Superintendent

C. N. Elliot

C. N. ELLIOT
Assistant Superintendent.

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(See indorsement reverse hereof).

C.C. for action E

First Indorsement.

Branch Office, 12th Civil Service District, Honolulu, T. H., June 7, 1934.

Branch Office, Twelfth
U. S. Civil Service District,
Honolulu, T. H.
JUN 6 1934
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The nomination of Mr. Gibson was approved and forwarded by this office to your Department this date. The air mail stamp furnished by your office was attached to the envelope.

As outlined in the third paragraph of your letter, it is understood that Mr. Gibson will report to this office for fingerprinting before he is allowed to enter on duty. As the medical certificate of Mr. Gibson shows that he was examined by a Federal Medical Officer, no further physical examination in his case will be required.

The Declaration of Appointee and Medical Certificate of Mr. Gibson are returned herewith to be filed with his examination papers.

At the time Mr. Gibson is ordered to report to this office for fingerprinting, please furnish his examination papers. It will be appreciated if the Personal History Sheet executed by Mr. Gibson is also loaned this office. These papers will assist in the preparation of the service history card in his case, and will be promptly returned to you after they have served their purpose.

Very truly yours,

B. Heflebower,
Assistant Manager in Charge.

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Form 2413
May, 1931

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)

James J. Kihau James J Gibson
(Name)

Port Allen Kauai T.H.
(Post office address)

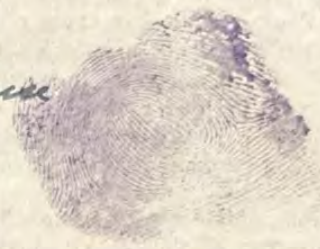
male March 14, 1893
(Sex) (Date of birth)

What examination did you take? assistant Keeper Light House

In what Department and Bureau are you to be employed? Dep Commerce

In what City or Town are you to be employed? Molokai T H

Rolled print, right forefinger



(Use fingerprint indelible pad)

(PHYSICIAN SHOULD FILL IN THE FOLLOWING)

65 inches. *~~143~~ pounds. 143 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 20/20 Left 20/20 Without glasses: Right 20 Left 20

(For near vision see over)

Evidence of disease or injury: Right ____ Left old scar from injury

Color vision Good Method of testing color vision ____

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: upper plate otherwise normal

5. Throat: neg

6. Thyroid (especially in women): neg

7. Heart: neg — If organic heart disease is present, is it fully compensated? ____

8. Lungs: Right neg Left neg — If history of tuberculosis, has it been arrested for one year? ____

9. Inguinal rings (men only): Right no Left no (Any hernia should be noted, inguinal, ventral, femoral, etc.) — Is truss worn? no

10. Varicose veins: no (If "Yes" state location and degree)

11. Flat foot: ____ (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: neg

15. Urinalysis (see over): ____ Venereal disease: no

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: ____

Lihue Kauai
(Place of examination)

May 30 1934
(Date of examination)

The examining physician must be in the Federal service

√ Rogers Lee Hill MD
(Name of examining physician)

acting public health surgeon
(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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Lihue Kauai TH

The aim of the Executive order of June 18, 1923, and of this examination thereunder is to obtain information as to the physical condition of appointees to the classified civil service with a view to promoting efficiency and minimizing accidents and claims under United States employees' compensation laws.

NOTES FOR EXAMINING PHYSICIAN

WEIGHT: Males, without clothing, and also in ordinary clothing without overcoat or hat (weigh twice); females, clothed but without wrap or hat.

HEIGHT: Without boots or shoes; observe that no appliances are used to increase.

The examination should include the following observations, as to—

(1) EYES: Ptosis; discharge; corneal scar; pterygium. In recording distant vision consider 20 feet as normal and report all vision as a fraction with 20 feet as numerator and the smallest type read at 20 feet as denominator. If glasses are used, record for each eye the finding with and without glasses.*

(2) EARS: Evidence of middle ear or mastoid disease; condition of drums; discharge. In recording hearing, record 20 feet as normal distance for conversational voice and record deviation from normal as fraction with 20 as denominator and actual distance as numerator.

(3) NOSE: Ability to blow through each nostril. If free, a speculum examination would not be indicated.

(4) MOUTH: Missing teeth, pyorrhea.

(5) THROAT: Tonsils, hypertrophy.

(6) THYROID: Presence of tumor in neck and tremor, exophthalmos; nervous highstrung disposition, especially in women.

(7) HEART: Murmurs. If valvular disease exists, state whether or not it is fully compensated.

(8) LUNGS: It is necessary that the auscultatory cough be used. Tuberculosis; if present state whether active or arrested, and if arrested your opinion as to how long it has been quiescent. Sputum to be examined for tubercle bacilli in all suspected cases.

(9) INGUINAL RINGS: Hernia, no hernia but impulse on coughing; no hernia or impulse but abnormally large rings. Any other hernia should be noted, and if present describe fully and state whether it is retained by well-fitting truss.

(10 to 13) Scars, deformities, atrophies, paralyses, or flat foot of such a nature as to incapacitate or become aggravated by work or be later alleged as caused by accident or occupation. By "flat foot," as used in this form, is meant a foot with impaired function, the term being equivalent to "fallen or misplaced arch," an abnormal condition. Impairment of function is the point to be noted. It is not intended that small, insignificant blemishes which might be referred to as marks of identification be recorded.

(15) Urinalysis to be made and blood pressure to be taken when especially indicated, particularly in persons over 40 when arteriosclerosis, nephritis, or diabetes is suspected.

Record, if taken—Urinalysis—Sp. gr. ---------- Albumen ---------- Sugar ----------

Blood pressure: Mm. Hg. systolic ---------- Mm. Hg. diastolic ----------

REMARKS: ----------

---------- (Name of examining physician)

---------- (Title, and branch of medical service)

*Near vision

What is the longest and the shortest distance at which the paragraph below can be read by applicant: Test each eye separately.

Without glasses—R._____in. to_____in. With glasses, if used—R._____in. to_____in.
L._____in. to_____in. L._____in. to_____in.

With the view of promoting health and efficiency and of minimizing accidents among Federal employees, the heads of the several executive departments and independent establishments having a medical personnel are directed to make such physical examinations of applicants for and employees in the Federal classified service as may be requested by the Civil Service Commission or its authorized representatives.

This order will supplement the Executive orders of May 29 and June 18, 1923 (Executive order September 4, 1924). *Jaeger 1; Snellen ,50; Dioptic 37 D.*

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U. S. Civil Service District,
Honolulu, T. H.
Branch Office, Twelfth

Examined for position in—
Department Commerce

Bureau Lighthouse service

Title of position Assistant Lighthouse keeper

Number of certificate upon which applicant's name appears ----------

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1934 6—6748

Form 124 b—Field
Nov., 1932

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Dept Commerce
(Branch of service or department)

Honolulu T H
(Name of city) (State)

DECLARATION OF APPOINTEE

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(Month, day, and year)
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4. To what position have you been offered appointment or actually appointed? Light House Insp
5. Are any members of your family or relatives (either blood or by marriage) in the service of the United States or the District of Columbia? Answer "Yes" or "No" No If so, fill in the following blanks stating, under "Relationship," whether the connection is by blood or marriage. (See Sec. I of attached form.) If additional space is necessary use back of this sheet.

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How long have you resided at this address? 3 Months

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

Date May 31 1934 James J Gibson
(Signature)

THE NOMINATING OFFICER MUST EXECUTE THE CERTIFICATE ON THE REVERSE OF THIS SHEET.

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(OVER)

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

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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? No 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 belcngs, not by a notary public, and does not need to be sworn to.

W Bondeau
(Signature)

Secretary, Local Board of Examiners, 19th Lighthouse District, Honolulu, T. H.
(Official Title)

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Branch Office, Twelfth
U. S. Civil Service District,
Honolulu, T. H.

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June 6, 1934.

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For and in absence of Superintendent

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Assistant Superintendent

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C. N. ELLIOT
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Dept Commerce
(department)

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C.N. Elliot
Assistant Superintendent

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1. (a) State place of birth Jersey City NJ (b) Exact date of birth Mar 16 1893
2. What examination did you take? assistant Keeper 3. State race White
4. To what position have you been offered appointment or actually appointed? U.S. Lighthouse Ser
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I hereby certify that the answers to the foregoing questions are true in every particular.

Date May 31 1934 James J. Gibson
(Signature)

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W. W. Bondeau
(Signature)

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Secretary, Local Board of Examiners, 19th Lighthouse District, Honolulu, T.H.
(Official title)

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What examination did you take? Asst.

(Sex) (Name)

(Post office)

What Department and Bureau

What City or Town

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)

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(Name)

Port Allen Kauai
(Post office address)

Male
(Sex)

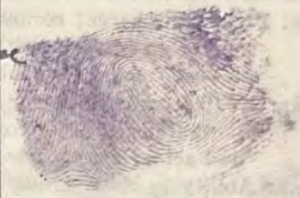
Mar 16 1893
(Date of birth)

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(Use fingerprint indelible pad)

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   Evidence of disease or injury: Right ____ Left old scar from injury
   Color vision Good Method of testing color vision ____
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: upper plate
5. Throat: neg
6. Thyroid (especially in women): neg
7. Heart: neg — If organic heart disease is present, is it fully compensated? ____
8. Lungs: Right neg Left neg — If history of tuberculosis, has it been arrested for one year? X
9. Inguinal rings (men only): Right normal Left normal (Any hernia should be noted, inguinal, ventral, femoral, etc.) — Is truss worn? ____
10. Varicose veins: no. (If "Yes" state location and degree)
11. Flat foot: no. (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: no
14. Nervous system: no.
15. Urinalysis (see over): ____ Venereal disease: no
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: ____

Lihue Kauai TH
(Place of examination)

May 30, 1931
(Date of examination)

The examining physician must be in the Federal service

Roger Lee Hill
(Name of examining physician)

Acting Public Health Surgeon Lihue Kauai TH
(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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The aim of the Executive order of June 18, 1923, and of this examination thereunder is to obtain information as to physical condition of appointees to the classified civil service with a view to promoting efficiency and minimizing accidents and claims under United States employees' compensation laws.

NOTES FOR EXAMINING PHYSICIAN

WEIGHT: Males, without clothing, and also in ordinary clothing without overcoat or hat (weigh twice); females, clothed but without wrap or hat.

HEIGHT: Without boots or shoes; observe that no appliances are used to increase.

The examination should include the following observations, as to—

(1) EYES: Ptosis; discharge; corneal scar; pterygium. In recording distant vision consider 20 feet as normal and report all vision as a fraction with 20 feet as numerator and the smallest type read at 20 feet as denominator. If glasses are used, record for each eye the finding with and without glasses.*

(2) EARS: Evidence of middle ear or mastoid disease; condition of drums; discharge. In recording hearing, record 20 feet as normal distance for conversational voice and record deviation from normal as fraction with 20 as denominator and actual distance as numerator.

(3) NOSE: Ability to blow through each nostril. If free, a speculum examination would not be indicated.

(4) MOUTH: Missing teeth, pyorrhea.

(5) THROAT: Tonsils, hypertrophy.

(6) THYROID: Presence of tumor in neck and tremor, exophthalmos; nervous highstrung disposition, especially in women.

(7) HEART: Murmurs. If valvular disease exists, state whether or not it is fully compensated.

(8) LUNGS: It is necessary that the auscultatory cough be used. Tuberculosis; if present state whether active or arrested, and if arrested your opinion as to how long it has been quiescent. Sputum to be examined for tubercle bacilli in all suspected cases.

(9) INGUINAL RINGS: Hernia, no hernia but impulse on coughing; no hernia or impulse but abnormally large rings. Any other hernia should be noted, and if present describe fully and state whether it is retained by well-fitting truss.

(10 to 13) Scars, deformities, atrophies, paralyses, or flat foot of such a nature as to incapacitate or become aggravated by work or be later alleged as caused by accident or occupation. By "flat foot," as used in this form, is meant a foot with impaired function, the term being equivalent to "fallen or misplaced arch," an abnormal condition. Impairment of function is the point to be noted. It is not intended that small, insignificant blemishes which might be referred to as marks of identification be recorded.

(15) Urinalysis to be made and blood pressure to be taken when especially indicated, particularly in persons over 40 when arteriosclerosis, nephritis, or diabetes is suspected.

Record, if taken—Urinalysis—Sp. gr. ---------- Albumen ---------- Sugar ----------

Blood pressure: Mm. Hg. systolic ---------- Mm. Hg. diastolic ----------

REMARKS: ----------

---------- (Name of examining physician)

---------- (Title, and branch of medical service)

*Near vision

What is the longest and the shortest distance at which the paragraph below can be read by applicant: Test each eye separately.

Without glasses—R._____in. to_____in. With glasses, if used—R._____in. to_____in.
L._____in. to_____in. L._____in. to_____in.

With the view of promoting health and efficiency and of minimizing accidents among Federal employees, the heads of the several executive departments and independent establishments having a medical personnel are directed to make such physical examinations of applicants for and employees in the Federal classified service as may be requested by the Civil Service Commission or its authorized representatives.

This order will supplement the Executive orders of May 29 and June 18, 1923 (Executive order September 4, 1924).

Jaeger 1; Snellen .50; Dioptic 37 D.

Examined for position in—

Department Commerce

Bureau Lighthouse service

Title of position Lighthouse keeper.

Number of certificate upon which applicant's name appears ----------

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE 19th

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, T. H. 1st DISTRICT 1934

Honolulu, (City) July 6, (Date) 19....

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Appointment (Probational)

Name, Joseph Gibson

Position, Second Assistant Keeper

Location, Molokai Light Station, Island of Molokai, T. H.

Effective, July 1, 1934

Legal residence, Hawaii

Proposed salary, $1260.00 per annum

Proposed range, $1260.00 - $1620.00

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

[1] 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, first Rating, 90.0 Percentage, 90.0 to 95.0, Other eligibles considered: second Kui Lobo

John Knox, Jr.

Previous incumbent and his pay, Services terminated on or about June 16, 1934, by reason transfer to position Second Assistant Keeper, Makapuu Pt. Lt. Station, Island of Oahu, T. H.

Reason, ---

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, March 16, 1893

Remarks:

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

For and in absence of Superintendent

C.H. Elliot
Assistant Superintendent

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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J.A.H.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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May 28, 1934.

Mr. James J. Gibson
Port Allen, Kauai

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your indication as to availability for nomination as Second Assistant Keeper, Molokai Light Station, at $1260.00 per annum, and you are advised that you have been selected for this position dependent, of course, upon your successfully passing the necessary physical examination and upon final approval by the Department of Commerce.

You will report to Mr. Yoshiaki Hiramoto, Post Office Bldg., Lihue, for necessary fingerprinting in connection with your nomination, immediately upon receipt of this letter.

Transmitted herewith are U. S. Civil Service Commission forms 124b "Declaration of Appointee", and 2413 "Certificate of Medical Examination", in duplicate, and Standard Form No. 6 in triplicate. With reference to your medical examination, you are advised that examination by Dr. Jay M. Kuhns, Lihue, will be acceptable by this office rather than have you come to Honolulu at this time for examination by the U.S. Public Health Physician in the Federal Building. The cost of examination will be $5.00, whereas were you to be examined in Honolulu there would be no charge. However, it is believed that you would rather pay this cost rather than the cost of transportation to and from Honolulu before approval of your nomination.

Both copies of the Medical Certificate as well as both copies of "Declaration of Appointee" and three copies of Personal History Statement are to be completely filled out and returned to this office by next boat mail. It is suggested that you pay particular attention to answering all questions on these forms thereby eliminating the necessity of returning same to you for correction.

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Upon receipt of the respective forms, duly executed, your nomination will be forwarded to Washington for approval, and you will be notified when such approval has been received by this office. Your attention is again invited to the fact that your appointment is subject to final approval by the Department of Commerce and you should take no definite steps relative to termination of your present employment, if any, until further advised by this office.

It is also understood that the expense of your trip to Honolulu for necessary Oath of Office when further advice is furnished, as well as expense of your trip to report for duty at Molokai Light Station is to be borne by you.

Yours very truly,

F. A. Edgecomb,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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MENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LETTER TO ELIGIBLES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 19th DIST.,

Mr. James J. Gibson
c/o Army & Navy Y.M.C.A.
Honolulu, T. H.

Honolulu, T. H., May 22, 19 34

SIR: You are hereby informed that you are being considered for the position of Second Assistant
(State position, location, and whether station is ashore or afloat.)
Keeper, Molokai Light Station, Kalaupapa, Molokai

Total Compensation: $1260.00 per annum less 10%, to close June 30, and 5% after July 1.

Quarters and Fuel: Furnished by Government
(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: One oil cook stove.
(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 30 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,

F. A. Edgecomb,
~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~

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 15 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) James J. Gibson

Date 5/28/34

(Post-office address) Port Allen Kauai

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