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Date: 1/28/2024

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
Hansen, Thorwald		1892 AL

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: 1966 FL

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Kylie

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)	From:	To:
Lighthouse Service (FL)	1908	1947
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:

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

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STAFF USE ONLY

Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number: 2-306048337 16

Attendant Signature:

CMRS Search Request Number(s):

Remarks: Submitted to Arch Search 2/19/25 KLR Soundex: H525

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SCREENING NOTES

☐ Reviewed and Nothing Removed ☐ Items Removed and User Informed

Hold Requested: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Total Requests:

Screened Items:

☐ Additional charge outs and signatures on reverse side

Time Out:

Final Return:

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

CMRS CASE #: 2-30604833716 .

Employee Name: HANSEN, THORWALD . **DOB:** 1892, AL .
Lighthouse FL 1908-1947 DOD: 1966 FL
SOUNDEX: H525

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: DOS: 1908 TO 1947; LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE, FL; DOD: 1966, FL

Form 439
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
Division of Appointments

File No. 1097

Name H A N S E N, Mr. THORWALD

BORN: April 5, 1892.

Service COAST GUARD (L. H. S.)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—16322

Department of Commerce and Labor

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Washington

Jan 30, 1908

The action proposed in the attached communication, if approved, will create one additional position 2 Asst. Keeper

Salary, $ 465 per annum

Chandeleur, La, L.S. - (8 Dist.)

R M Bi, Acting

Chief of Appointment Division.

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 1-41

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

PAGE: 57600

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date 1 September, 1941

Name: Hansen, Thorwald

From: U. S. Coast Guard (BUREAU OR DIVISION) Bureau No.: 120

Nature of Recommendation

Change in status - civilian to military.

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	Boatswain's Mate, 1c.
Grade	Field (Range $1440-1800)	No change in pay and allow-
Salary	$1680 p.a. plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.	ances, Sec. 7, Act of August 5, 1939, applies.
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters	New Orleans, La.	New Orleans, La.
Post of Duty	Crooked River Rnge.Lt.Sta.,Fla.	Crooked River Rnge.Lt.Sta.,Fla.
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C. G.	Pay and allowance, C. G.
Allotment		
	FIELD [X] DEPRTMTL. [ ]	FIELD [X] DEPRTMTL. [ ]

EFFECTIVE 1 September, 1941.

Remarks:

The change indicated is pursuant to the Act of August 5, 1939.

Justification:

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

T. O. Robertson

T. O. ROBERTSON, Chief,
Civilian Personnel Section.
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 4-5-1892

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Florida

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? Lighthouse Act 6-20-18

DATE OF OATH

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL. TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY

10-7-41

INTERLEAVED-PATD.

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PAGE: 3251

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date January 10, 1941.

Name: Hansen, Thorwald

From: U. S. Coast Guard (BUREAU OR DIVISION) Bureau No: 120

Nature of Recommendation

Promotion

	FROM	TO
Position		Keeper
Grade	Field (Range $1440-1800)	Field (Range $1440-1800
Salary	$1620 p.a. plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.	$1680 p.a. plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions		U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters		New Orleans, La.
Post of Duty		Crooked River Rng.Lt.Sta.Fla.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees, C.G.
Allotment		
Field or Deptl.		Field

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 4-5-1892

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Fla.

SEX: M RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

EFFECTIVE January 16, 1941.

Remarks:

Justification:

No increase in pay since October 1, 1930.

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

DATE OF OATH

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

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

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL. TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY
1-16-41

INTERLEAVED—FATD.—STANFOLD

APPLICANT OR EMPLOYEE MUST FILL THE FOLLOWING

Name (in full) Thorwald Hansen Sex Male

Present address Crooked River Range Lighthouse Carrabelle, Florida Date of birth April 5, 1892

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
February 1921	October 1939	Carrabelle, Fla.	Carrabelle, Fla.
		Crooked River Range Light Station	

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? Yes Where? U.S. Army

When? while in service 1916-1917 If for the Civil Service, what position?

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

U. S. COAST GUARD

Thorwald Hansen
Customary payroll signature of employee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of October 1939

L C Daniel
Notary Public

My commission expires

July 1, 1939. Lighthouse Districts No. EIGHTH

consolidated with NEW ORLEANS Coast Guard District,

Headquarters NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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

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

File received - FEB 9 1940

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Thorwald Hansen (Name) — Miss (Legal Residence)

STATUS

DESIGNATION	ACTION	SALARY	BUREAU–SERVICE–STATION	DATE OF EFFECT
2d a K	Prob.	465-	L H. Chandeleur L S. La	Feb. 26, 1908
Asst Keeper	Trans	490	" Horn Isl L S. Miss	April 1, 1908
"	"	40 p mo.	" Round Isl. L H etc "	Aug 1, 1909
"	"	480 pa.	" Crooked River Rgs S.H.	July 20, 1911
	RESIGNED CLOSE OF July 23 1911			
~~2d a K~~	~~Prob.~~	~~480~~	~~L H Sabine Pk L S La~~	~~Mar. 10, 1915~~
~~Keeper~~	~~Prom~~	~~804~~	~~" " " "~~	~~April 1, 1915~~
2d a Asst Kpr.	Prob.	480	L H " " "	March 10, 1916
Keeper	Prom	804	" " " "	April 1, 1916
"	Trans	1080	" " " "	Nov. 1. 1916
	~~Resigned close Dec. 15, 1916~~			
	Cancelled			
"	Trans	1020	L H Sand Is L S Ala	June 19, 1919
"	"	840	" Crooked River Rgs. L S	Feb. 19, 1921
"	Trans	900	" "	Mar. 10, 1923
"	Read of Pay	1140	" "	July 1, 1924
"	"	1320	" "	Feb. 1, 1925
"	INCREASE IN COMPENSATION	1380	" "	July 1, 1925
"	COMPENSATION Act. May 28, 1928.	1440	" "	JUL 1 1928
"	COMPENSATION Act. July 3, 1930	1500	" "	JUL 3 1930
"	Increase	1620	" "	Oct. 8, 1930

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

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
August 7, 1936

LIGHTHOUSES
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1936 AUG 17 PM 3:40
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
CHIEF CLERK

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station
Carrabelle, Florida

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of August 1, 1936, reporting that, during the recent storm which struck in your vicinity on July 30 and 31, a shipwrecked crew of eight men off of a Cuban smack landed on the beach near the station in their yawl, and that you rendered all assistance possible by taking care of the distressed men at the station, giving them food and bedding for two days, and that they returned to their vessel, when the storm had subsided, on the morning of August 1st. It is also noted that they made a satisfactory settlement for their subsistence and other personal expenses.

2. This office takes pleasure in commending you for the assistance which you rendered in this instance.

3. A copy of this letter will be forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses, and this commendation will be made part of your official history.

(Signed) E.S. Lamphier

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.,
August 17, 1936.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for information.

~~2 copies to Commissioner~~ For the Commissioner.

CARDED

Chief, Personnel Division.

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

CHIEF CLERK
1930 OCT 25 PM 3 07

Thorwald Hansen, Effective date of change in pay

LIGHTHOUSES
1930 OCT 24 AM 9:16

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
October 22, 1930

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT 27 1930
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Department letter of October 8, 1930, in the case of Thorwald Hansen, Keeper, Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla., who was granted an increase in compensation from $1500 per annum to $1620 per annum, by reason of his duties having been increased, effective upon entrance on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of this change in pay is ~~October 1,~~ October 8, 1930.
Changed by request of Bureau

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED
Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
OCT 24 1930

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

F. A. Dallam
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

CARDED

AND FILE NO

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

CHIEF CLERK
1930 NOV 29 AM 11 19

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
NOV 29 1930
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

November 28, 1930.

SUBJECT: Effective dates of salary increases for keepers Thorwald Hansen and Martin L. Boyed; 8th Superintendent's report dated November 21.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce, attention being invited to Department letter of November 5 in the matter. It is recommended that October 8, the date of Department notices of changes in salary in these cases, be accepted as the effective date of such increases, and that the Department's records be noted accordingly.

The Superintendent is being advised as to the necessity of obtaining Department approval before effecting changes in pay such as these.

F. P. Dreese

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

RLC:DC

U. S. REPORT ENTERED

CARDED

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

November 18, 1930.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
1930 NOV 24 AM 9:21

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
NOV 21 1930
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

Superintendent of Lighthouses, New Orleans, La.

No reply has been received to Bureau indorsement of November 5 on Department letter of October 30, requesting information in connection with the assigning to duty of Thorwald Hansen and Martin L. Boyed, Keeper and Assistant Keeper of Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla., respectively. It is requested that your report in this matter be expedited.

Chf. Engr.
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Engr. Constn
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Finance
Law & Prop.
Chief Clerk
Adm. Assist.
Dep. Commr.
Commissioner

W. P. Harman

W. P. HARMAN

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

RLC:EMF
WJB:LEC

Office of Supt. of Lighthouses, 8th Dist.,
New Orleans, La., November 21, 1930

1. Returned to the Commissioner of Lighthouses:

2. October 1, 1930, was made the effective date of change in pay because of the fact that C. T. Wathen, Light Attendant, Carrabelle River Bar Range Lights, was retired at the close of September 30, 1930, and the lights in his charge were turned over to the Keepers of Crooked River Range Light Station effective beginning October 1, 1930, which was the actual date of their entrance upon duty in the new positions. It was assumed that the statement "effective upon entrance on duty" in Department letter of October 8, 1930, meant the actual date of entrance on duty, which was October 1st.

3. The discontinuance of the Light Attendant in charge of Carrabelle River Bar Range Lights, Fla., and the placing of these lights in the care of the Keepers of Crooked River Range Light Station effected a saving of $1140 per annum.

E. S. LANPHIER

Superintendent of Lighthouses

CROSS REFERENCE

Oct. 30, 1930

Thorwald Hansen

Letter from Chief Clerk to Commissioner of Lighthouses requesting information as to the authority under which changes were made effective Oct. 1, 1930.

See file of Martin L. Boyed

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

October 8, 1930.

M. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

OCT 9 1930

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

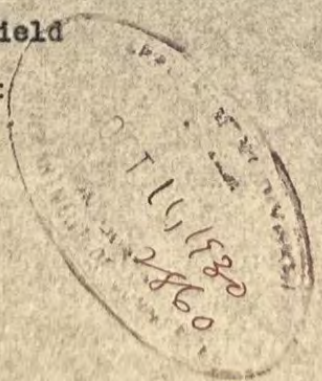
From: $1500

To: $1620

Service and grade: Field

Appropriation (unit):

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9051

Form 73
Ed. April, 1929
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LIGHTHOUSES
1930 OCT 1 AM 9-15

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE OCT 3 1930 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

SPECIAL
CHIEF CLERK
1930 OCT 2 PM 3 15

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., (City) September 29, 1930 (Date)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE OCT 8 1930 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Increase in compensation

Name, Thorwald Hansen

To corresponding step in new range - auth by Dept. Sept. 15, add. lights at this station

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Location, Crooked River Rge. L.S., etc., Fla.

Effective, October 1, 1930

Legal residence, Mississippi

Proposed salary, $1620 p.a. Same as last

Proposed range, $1440-$1800 auth. of 9/15/30

Appropriation, Sals. Kprs. of Lighthouses

[1] ~~the date he reports for duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Location, Crooked River Range L.S., Fla.

Former salary, $1500 p.a.

Former range, ~~$~~1320-$1680

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

Previous incumbent, Self - (Lt. #120)

Services terminated, - - - -

Reason, - - - -

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of birth, April 5, 1892

Remarks: See letter from this office of August 16, 1930, and Dept. letter of September 15, 1930.

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

E. S. Rankin
Secretary, Civil Service District.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

October 2, 1930.

9/15-30

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, attention being invited to Department letter of September 15, authorizing an increase of $120 per annum in the ranges and salaries of the keepers at this station.

Action O. K.
Chief Clerk

C. R. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 3, 1930.

Mr. T. Hansen,

Through Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that under the Brookhart Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 3, 1930.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 9 1930 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

From:
1440.
To:
1500.

8th Keeper.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 1, 1928.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Chief, Bureau of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that under the Welch Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1928.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1380

To: $1440

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JUL 2 - 1928

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 25, 1925.

Mr. Thorvald Hansen,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1520 per annum to $ 1380 per annum, effective July 1, 1925.

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,

WM. H. GARDNER.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION RECEIVED JUL 1 8 1925 OFFICIAL BUSINESS DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 31, 1925.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses,

Sir:

In connection with the readjustment of pay of positions in the Lighthouse Service the total compensation of the position occupied by you has been fixed as indicated below, effective February 1, 1925.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Position: Keeper

Salary: $1320

FEB 6 - 1925

Appropriations: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.
8th General Expenses, Lighthouse Service.
JSJ

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED FEB 5 1925 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

CARDED

(CROSS REFERENCE)

Hansen, Thorwald In accordance with authority of the Director of the Budget dated June 27, 1924, the salary is re-adjusted to $1140, effective July 1, 1924.

For authorization see letter dated JUL 24 1924 File No. 1095/21.

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 6, 1923.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 840 per annum to $ 900 per annum, effective March 10, 1923 (including $60 per annum longevity pay).

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

MAR 6 - SD

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

11—6074

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAR 6 - 1923 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK
1923 MAR 5 AM 8 21
LIGHT HOUSE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

WJB.

T.Hansen,
longevity pay.

February 28, 1923.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 5 1923
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Bureau letter of Nov. 18, 1918, relative to reclassification of pay, and to paragraph 4 thereof, regarding longevity:

2. The Bureau is informed that T. Hansen, Keeper of Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla., will complete five years of continuous service at the close of March 9, 1923. It is therefore recommended that his pay be increased from $840 per annum to $900 per annum, to include the longevity allowance of $60 per annum, effective beginning March 10, 1923.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. A. Muth
First Assistant Superintendent.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY
ACTION TAKEN
MAR 6 1923
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

3/5/23.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
MAR 3 - 1923

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval.

H. B. BOWERMAN
Acting Commissioner.

APPROVED:
W. M. Steuart
ACTING SECRETARY OF COMMERCE.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1922 JUN 28 PM 2 4

WJB.

Thorwald Hansen,
correct date of birth.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

June 26th, 1922.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL 11 1922
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

CHIEF CLERK

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1922 JUL 11 PM 2 06

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Bureau endorsement of June 10th,1922, on Department letter of June 9th,1922, relative to a discrepancy in the date of birth of Thorwald Hansen, Keeper of Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla., as disclosed in Personal Question Sheets executed by him:

2. This office has ascertained from Keeper Hansen that the correct date of his birth is April 5th, 1892.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. A. Muth
First Assistant Superintendent.

CARDED

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JUL 10 1922

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Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner.

June 9, 1922.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In the personal question sheet executed under date of March 31, 1918, by Thorwald Hansen, keeper at Crooked River Range Light Station, Florida, at $840 per annum, he gives his date of birth as April 5, 1892, whereas in a personal question sheet executed by this employee under date of February 21, 1908, his date of birth is given as November 18, 1889. The Department requests that it be advised concerning this discrepancy.

By direction of the Secretary:

EDW. J. GARDNER.

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENTS

AUG 5 - 1921

1921 AUG 6 AM 9 58

Sir:

Referring to report of assistance rendered by you on July 21, 1921, to two men in an open launch which had become disabled during a squall about a mile from the station, the Department is pleased to commend you for the services rendered, which will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

C. H. HUSTON.

Secretary of Commerce.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files

Exact copy as signed by C. H. HUSTON

Mailed AUG 5 - 1921 by

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

WJB.

T. Hansen, effective
date of change in salary.

1921 MAR 5 AM 9 02
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

March 2nd, 1921.

CHIEF CLERK

APPOINTMENTS

1921 MAR 7 PM 3 00

1921 MAR 7 PM 3 43

The Commissioner of Lighthouses.

1. Referring to Department letter dated February 9th, 1921, concerning change in salary of T. Hansen, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service, from $1020 per annum to $840 per annum, effective from February 16, 1921, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty: Crooked River

2. The Bureau is advised that the above change became effective beginning February 19th, 1921.

E. S. Lanphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
MAR 5 - 1921

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

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Acting Commissioner

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

February 9, 1921.

Mr. T. Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $1020 per annum to $840 per annum, effective February 16, 1921 or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty. Your actual and necessary traveling expenses from Fort Morgan, Ala., to Carrabelle, Fla., have been authorized.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) H. M. CROSS

CARDED

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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8th district

APPOINTMENT DIVISION RECEIVED FEB 9 1921 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE WASHINGTON

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Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1921 FEB 5 AM 11 48

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., (City.) February 3rd, (Date.) 19 21.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and appointment.

1921 FEB 8 PM 3 57

Name, T. Hansen — Legal residence, Alabama.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service. — Salary, $840 per annum.

Location, Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla. — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective February 16th, 1921, {[1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

1921 FEB 9 AM 9 41

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $1020 per annum.

Location, Sand Island Light Station, Ala.

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

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN FEB 9 1921 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

LIGHT APR 5 1920 HOUSES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
April 1, 1920

APPOINTMENTS CHIEF CLERK

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Sand Island Light Station,
Fort Morgan, Ala.

1920 APR 9 PM 4 20
Engrg.
Instr. Comd.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Comm.
Comm.
1920 APR 9 PM 3 37
Dept clerks

1. Referring to the loss of motor boat No. 128 on February 12, 1920, it is believed that you used poor judgment in putting out from the station in the motor boat for Fort Morgan on the date in question, in view of the bad weather which prevailed at the time, as reported to this office by you; and that you also used poor judgment in turning the motor boat over to the assistant keeper and leaving for Mobile notwithstanding the bad weather which prevailed at that time, and your knowledge of quarantine restrictions in force at Fort Morgan.

2. You are hereby cautioned to be more careful in the future and to take no chances of the loss of life or property unless in the case of an emergency.

(Signed) E. S. Lanphier

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Copy for information of The Commissioner of Lighthouses, in accordance with Bureau's indorsement of March 25, 1920, File No. 528-E.

Lanphier.
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
APR 6 1920
1920 APR 9 PM 2 58

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

Commissioner

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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June 25, 1919.

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

r. Thorwald Hansen,

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

1080. 1020.

June 19, 1919.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,
(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

CARDED

Chief of Appointment Division.

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NOMINATION

LIGHT JUN 23 1919 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
OFFICE OF ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., June 20, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and appointment.

1919 JUN 24 AM 8 58

Name, Thorwald Hansen — Legal residence, Mississippi

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Salary, $1020 per annum.

Location, Sand Island Light Station, Alabama. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective June 19, 1919, {the actual date of entrance on duty, or ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty~~}

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service. Former salary, $1080 p.a.

Location, Sabine Bank Light Station, Texas.

APPOINTMENTS

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

Sabine Bank
Feb 24. 1919.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 28 1919
NEW ORLEANS

Light House Superintendent of the 8th District

LIGHT
JUN 23 1919
HOUSES

New Orleans.
La.

Sir,

I have the honor to ask, when filling the vacancy as Keeper ship at Sand Island Light Station, I would like to be remembered and considered for the posetion at that Station. Trusting You will give this your due Consideration.

I remain Yours Respectfully

Thorwald Hansen

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

November 16, 1918.

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your resignation from the position designated below, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the bureau, to take effect at the close of business on December 15, 1918.

Bureau..... Lighthouse Service
Position..... Keeper
Salary..... $1080 per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Clifford Harding

Chief of Appointment Division.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATION TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES.
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
November 29, 1918. 9 44 AM

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Thorwald Hansen,
resignation

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Engr. Corps.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

APPOINTMENTS

1918 DEC 9 PM 4 05

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Under date of November 29, 1918, Thorwald Hansen, Keeper, Sabine Bank Light Station, states that he desires to withdraw his resignation, dated October 5th, from the Service.

In view of the above, the inclosed Department letter of November 16th, in duplicate, is returned for cancellation.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

CARDED

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
DEC 9 - 1918

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval.

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Acting Commissioner.

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LIGHT HOUSES NOV 15 1918

CHIEF CLERK

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION ~~OR DEATH~~

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

OFFICE OF ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~, Eighth DISTRICT.

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APPOINTMENTS

New Orleans, La., November 12, 1918.

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THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Thorwald Hansen — Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Legal residence, Mississippi — Station, Sabine Bank Light Station, Texas.

Salary, ~~$804.00~~ 1080 new rate Nov. 1, 1918 per annum.

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of December 15, 1918.

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

Remarks:

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION NOV 15 1918

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN NOV 16 1918

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

NOV 15 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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1918 NOV 15

Acting Commissioner.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR NOV 9 1918 New Orleans, La.

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sabine Bank
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Oct 5, 1918

LIGHT NOV 15 1918 HOUSES

The 8th District Light House Supirintendent
New Orleans,
La.

Sir

To take advantage of an opportunity that has been offard me in Mobile, Where I can darn sufficiant to inable me to meet the increased living expences of my family, I would respectfully ask that my resignation as Keeper at this Station, be axcepted and ask to be relieved of my duty not later then December 15th Next.

I would express my regret that Circumstances Compell me to Serber my Conections With the Service Witch has allways been of the most pleasnt Character, I remain

Yours Respectfully

Thorvald Hansen,
Keeper,

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON November 20, 1918.

r. Thorwald Hansen,
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Sir: Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 804 per annum to $ 1080 per annum, effective November 1, 1918.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(signed) Clifford Berlinde

Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION STREET
NOV 21 1918
DEPT. OF COMMERCE

ON BASIS OF THIS ACTION
LETTER DATED 11/15/18
IN FILE OF 109578

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

(To be furnished for each person appointed in the service of the Department immediately upon entrance on duty. The statement should be signed by the appointee or employee. If unable to write, he may sign by mark in the presence of one witness.)

1. What is your full name? (State whether Mr., Miss, or Mrs. and spell out names in full, including middle name or names. Example: Mr. John Richard Roe. If name itself is merely a letter, it should be so stated.)

Mrs. Thomalah Hansen.

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

3. Bureau or Service, place, and district in which employed:

Lighthouse (Bureau or Service.) Sabine Bank Light Station, La. (Place (city, town, station, or vessel).) Eighth (District.)

4. Position to which appointed... 2d Assistant Keeper.

5. Compensation ... $480 per annum.

6. Appropriation from which paid... Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

7. In what manner did the employee enter the service? (Examples: "From stenography and typewriting examination ——, 191—;" or "Without examination;" or "By reinstatement;" or "By transfer from ——," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

From Assistant Lighthouse Keeper Examination--February 12, 1918.

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

Mobile (City or town.) Ala. (State or Territory.) Mobile (County.) First. (Congressional district.)

9. When the legal residence given in answer to question 8 differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

None

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

11. Where were you born? Battery Stachia L.S. Mobile Ala.

12. When were you born? April (Month.) 5th (Day.) 1892 (Year.)

13. If foreign born, state when and where naturalization papers were taken out

No

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14. What is your marital condition? Single

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

Mrs. Mattie Hansen (Name.) 305 Dauphin St. (Number and street.)

Mobile (City or town.) Ala. (State or Territory.)

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CHIEF CLERK

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16. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? No

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

Name.	Post-office address.	Position and department or office in which employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position		
		Department or office		
		Position		
		Department or office		
		Position		
		Department or office		

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

No

18. Have you ever held any other position in the civil service of the United States? (If so, give below the Department and Bureau or Service in which you served, the position held, the salary you received, and the dates of your appointment and separation from the service.)

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
Commerce, L. H.		Asst. R. C.	$624	Per. A. 2/26/08,	7/23/11,

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

No,

20. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during any war? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
116 Field Artillery, 31st Div.	6/11/17,	10/28/17,	Dependent Relatives

21. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States other than during war time, indicate such service in the spaces below.

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
No,			

22. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No (If answer is "Yes," give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Relationship (widow or orphan).....

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

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

23. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States civil service? (It is intended that the answer to this question shall state briefly the lines of work followed by you before receiving your present appointment, with the exception of your service indicated in answer to questions 18, 19, 20, and 21.)

Marine Fireman U.S. Charleston Dredge, Boat

24. What education have you received? (Indicate the grades of schools you have attended, and, in case you have attended schools of higher grade than high schools, give the institution, degrees received, and date in each case. Example: Public school; high school; business college; Cornell University, A. B., 1900; Columbia University, LL. B., 1903.)

High School,

25. What special qualifications have you—educational, professional, technical, mechanical, etc.? (Examples: Qualified as "Lawyer," or "Civil engineer," or "Translator," or "Interpreter," or "Draftsman," or "Carpenter.")

None.

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

Asst. Light House Keeper. Feb 12 1918.

27. Were the answers to the foregoing questions written by you? (If not, state the name and address of the person who wrote them for you.)

Yes

Date, March 31st, 1918

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) Thorvald C. Hansen

P. O. Address: Sabine
City or town.

Number and street.

Texas.
State or Territory.

(If appointee is to be employed in the field, this form should be reviewed and approved by the proper field officer and need not be signed by an official of the Bureau. If appointee is to serve in the District of Columbia, the form should be reviewed and approved by the proper Bureau officer. When forwarding this form, no letter of transmittal is required.)

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Reviewed, approved, and forwarded April 19, 1918.

(Signature) R B Doorly

(Official title) Inspector, 8th Lighthouse District.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

APPOINTMENTS

LIGHT APR 22 1918 HOUSES

1918 APR 26 AM 10 03 APR 22 1918 9 13 AM

I, Thorwald Hansen,

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

CHIEF CLERK

1918 APR 26 AM

Thorwald Hansen

(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 16th day of April, A. D. 1918.

NOTARY PUBLIC COUNTY OF JEFFERSON, TEXAS.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) W. A. Vaughn

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires June 1st 1919.

	Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present	Keeper in the Light-house Service	$804 p.a.	Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana.
Former [5]	2d Asst. Keeper in the L.H. Service	$480 p.a.	Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana.

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

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 8th DISTRICT

CARDED

New Orleans, La., April 19, 1918.

(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on April 1, 1918.

(Date)

(Signature, followed by title) Inspector.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

March 26, 1918.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

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 Eight Hundred and Four dollars per annum,

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

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Currie D. Crawford.

Legal Residence: Alabama.

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAR 26 1918 BUREAU JOURNAL DEPT OF COMMERCE

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Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

APPOINTMENTS

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 22 1918

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT.

1918 MAR 25 AM 10 54

New Orleans, La., (City.) March 19 (Date.), 1918.

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THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion and appointment.

Name, Thorwald Hansen. Legal residence, Alabama.

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Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service. Salary, $804 per annum.

OFFICE OF

Location, Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana. Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

To take effect April 1, 1918, {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.}

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN. MAR 26 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Former position, Second Assistant Keeper. Former salary, $480 p.a.

Location, Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana.

Rank on eligible list, -- Rating, -- Percentage, -- , Other eligibles considered:
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Previous incumbent, Currie D. Crawford. Services terminated to about March 31, 1918.

Reason, Resigned.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Thorwald Hansen is now serving under probationary appointment, but, in view of his service as Second Assistant Keeper and Assistant Keeper at various light stations in this district, the above promotion is recommended. He is the only employee in his grade at Sabine Bank Light Station, and the vacancy to which promotion is proposed could not be foreseen at the time of his appointment. There is no suitable employee in the Service who desires transfer to this position.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, March 19, 1918

H. Jones
Secretary, 10 Civil Service District.

Inspector.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAR 23 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1918 MAR 23 PM 3 43

Acting Commissioner

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Thorwald Hansen.

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

Thorwald Hansen.
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 1st day of April, A. D. 191 8.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) W. D. Vaughn

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires June 1st 1919.

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present 2d Asst. Keeper in the L.H. Service	$480 p.a.	Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana.
Former [5] Probationary appointment.		

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

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Office of Lighthouse Inspector, Eighth District

New Orleans, La., April 2, 1918.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on March 10, 1918.
(Date)

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector

(Signature, followed by title) Chief Clerk.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.
[2] Insert here "sworn to" or "affirmed," as the case may be.
[3] The oath may be taken any time after the date of appointment and prior to the payment of compensation, but no compensation shall be paid until the oath is executed in proper form.
[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR APR 2 1918 New Orleans, La.

LIGHT APR 8 1918 HOUSES

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 4, 1918.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. - - -) issued by the local Civil Service Board for the Eighth Lighthouse District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Walker C. Brown.

Legal Residence: Alabama.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAR 4 1918 DEPT. OF COMMERCE PAY JOURNAL

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Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., February 26, 1918.
(City.) (Date.)

SPECIAL LIGHT MAR 1 1918 HOUSES

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OFFICE OF CHIEF CLERK

APPOINTMENTS

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Thorwald Hansen.

Legal residence, [illegible].

Position, Second Assistant Keeper in the Light-house Service.

Salary, $480 per annum.

Location, Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana.

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective March 8, 1918, ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, - - - - -

Former salary, - - -

Location, - - - - - -

Rank on eligible list, First. Rating, Assistant Keeper. Percentage, 86.4, Other eligibles considered:

1918 MAR 4 AM 10 22

John C. Kraemer, C.

Previous incumbent, Walker C. Brown.

Services terminated, about March 7, 1918.

Reason, Resigned.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Thorwald Hansen served as 2d Assistant Keeper and Assistant Keeper at various light stations in this district from February 26, 1908, to July 23, 1911, inclusive. Quarters are not provided at Sabine Bank Light Station for the family of the Second Assistant Keeper. There is no suitable employee in the service who desires transfer to this position.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Feb. 26, 1918

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKER MAR 4 19 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

3-4-18

Secretary, 10 Civil Service District.

Inspector.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAR 2 - 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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August 2, 1911.

Sir:

Having tendered your resignation as assistant keeper of Crooked River Range Light Station, Florida, with pay at the rate of $480 per annum, the Department has accepted the same, upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of Lighthouses, effective at the close of July 23, 1911.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Acting Chief Clerk.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

CARDED.

CHANCE REPORTED
AUG -- 1911
C. S. COMMISSION.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
REPORTED
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TO DISBURSING CLERK
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

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Form 93

LETTER TRANSMITTING RESIGNATION

BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES JUL 31 1911 CHIEF OF DIVISION DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

Office of the Inspector, Eighth L. H. District,

RECEIVED AUG 1 1911 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

New Orleans, Louisiana.

July 28, 1911.
(Date)

The Light-House Board,

Washington, D. C.

Sirs:

I have the honor to inclose herewith the resignation of Thorwald

Hansen of Mississippi.
(Name of appointee) (Legal residence)

as Assistant Keeper at $480 per annum
(State official title, as assistant keeper) (Salary)

at Crooked River Range Light Station, Florida.
(State official name, as Absecon Light-Station, N. J.)

and recommend that it be accepted, effective at the close of July 23, 1911,

the date on which he left the Station.

By direction of the Lighthouse Inspector:
Respectfully,

Thomas J. Conway.
Chief Clerk.

8-1-11

Department of Commerce and Labor
Bureau of Light-Houses
Washington
JUL 31 1911

11—2717

Respectfully submitted to the Honorable the Secretary of Commerce and Labor recommended for approval.

G. L. Putnam
Commissioner.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK FORWARDED TO AUG - 1 1911 APPOINTMENTS DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS RECEIVED AUG 1 1911 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES
JUL 31 1911
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Crooked River Lt. Sta.
July 23rd 1911.

Light House Inspector.
New Orleans.
La.

Sir.

I most Respectfully inform your office that I will quit the Light House Service, as I do not like this Station and will not be able to get along With the Keeper. I will leave the Station on the 27th of this month.

Trusting to you that I will get back in the Service

Very Respectfully
Thorwald Hansen

Forward my check to Scranton miss
PO Box 275

Very Respectfully

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR,
EIGHTH DISTRICT,
JUL 24 1911
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 1757, REVISED STATUTES)

BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES
JUL 31 1911
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

I, Thorwald Hansen

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

Thorwald Hansen.
(Appointee signs here.)

[b] Sworn to (See below.) and subscribed before me, this 10 day of July, A. D. 191 1

(Affix official seal here.)

[c] (Name:) D. C. Orleans Clerk

(Official title:) Chancery Court Jackson County Miss

Official Title.	Pay.	Name of Station.	State or Country in which born.	State or Territory from which last appointed.
Assistant Keeper	$480 per A.	Crooked Riv. Range Light Sta., Fla.	Jackson Co. Mississippi	Mississippi.

(The above should be filled in by the district officer.)

Office of the Inspector, 8th Light-House District,

CARDED.

New Orleans, La., (Address.), July 28, 1911. (Date.)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on July 20, 1911. (Date.)

By direction of the Lighthouse Inspector:

(Signed:) Thomas J. Conway.
Chief Clerk.

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

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

[c] This oath should be taken before a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Judge, Clerk of a Court, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a Collector of Customs, as he has no power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk.

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NOTE CAREFULLY.

The oath may be taken any time prior to the payment of compensation, but no compensation shall be paid until the oath is executed in proper form.

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

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

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JUL 31 1911

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce and Labor
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
Washington

June 21, 1911.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Assistant Keeper of Crooked River Range Light Station, Florida,

in the Lighthouse Service

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

effective beginning June 21, 1911, or as soon thereafter

as you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

(By transfer from Assistant Keeper of Round Island Light Station, Round Island South Spit and Round Island Spit Lights, Mississippi, at $40 per month.)

CHANGE REPORTED
JUN - - 1911
C. S. COMMISSION

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Gordon Cumming

Acting Chief Clerk.

Appropriation:

Vice: John L. Williams,

Legal Residence: Mississippi

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
REPORTED
JUN 22 1911
TO DISBURSING CLERK
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

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BUREAU OF LIGHT-HOUSES
JUN 19 1911
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR.

Round Island Light Station
June 14th 1911.

Light House Inspector
New Orleans
La.

Sir

I received your letter of the 13th offering me a transfer to Carrabelle Fla. If aponted I will except and will try and do all that is required of me to the best of my ability

Yours Respectfully
Thorwald Hansen
P.O. Box 275
Pascagoula Miss.

LIGHT HOUSE INSPECTOR
EIGHTH DISTRICT.
JUN 15 1911
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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Form 73 ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER APPOINTEE

Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., June 17th, 1911

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following recommendation is submitted:

Action proposed, Transfer

Name, Thorwald Hansen 90.6% Legal residence, Mississippi

Position, Assistant Keeper Salary, $480 per annum

Location, Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla.

Effective on the actual date of entrance on duty.

Former position, Assistant Keeper Former salary, $40 per month

Location, Round Island Light-Station, Round Island South Spit and Round Island Spit Lights, Miss.

Rank in list of eligibles, Rating, Percentage,

Other eligibles considered,

Letters of declination inclosed,

Previous incumbent, John L. Williams Services terminated, February 28, 1911.

Reason, Resignation.

Remarks: This transfer is made at the request of Mr. Hansen, and his letter of June 14th, 1911, accepting same is enclosed. Traveling expenses to the new station will be paid by Mr. Hansen.

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Commander, U.S.N., Retd.,
Inspector 8th Lighthouse District.

One inclosure.

Department of Commerce and Labor
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 19 1911

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

11—2314

Acting Commissioner.

LIGHT HOUSE BOARD
JUN 9 1909
NO.

Department of Commerce and Labor

EFFICIENCY REPORT

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

1. Bureau Light-House Establishment. 2. Where employed Horn Island Light-Station, Miss.
3. Name Thorwald Hansen. 4. Where born Alabama.
5. Age 19 6. Position Assistant Keeper.
7. Compensation $490 pa. 8. When appointed (a) ~~January 30,~~ February 26, 1908.
9. How appointed (b) Through Civil-Service Examination.
10. Appointed from: State Mississippi. Congressional District Sixth. County Jackson.
11. Status under Civil Service Rules (c) Classified Competitive.
12. Is the employee an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No.
13. Other Government service None.
14. Duties (describe fully) Assists in exhibition of 4th-order acetylene light and care of dwelling and government property. Station is extremely isolated and is reached by keepers in station boat.
15. Efficiency: Quantity of work (d) 10/10; Quality of work (e) Excellent.; Interest manifested in work (f) Excellent.
16. Is this employee fully earning the salary he is now receiving? Yes.
17. Remarks (g)

O. R.

CAPTAIN, U. S. N.
NAVAL SECRETARY

W. M. Witzel Comdr., U.S.N., Retd.,
Inspector, 8th L.-H. District. *Head of Bureau or Office.*

June 7, 1909.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 1757, REVISED STATUTES)

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
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DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR.

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

I, Thorwald Hansen,

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

Thorwald Hansen.

[b] Sworn To and subscribed before me, this 4 day of August, A. D. 1909

(Affix official seal here.)

[c] (Name:) Fred Payles

(Official title:) Clerk of Circuit Court
Jackson County, Mississippi

Official Title.	Name of Station.	State or Country in which born.	State or Territory from which appointed.
Assistant Keeper. $40 a month.	Round Island Light-Station, Round Island South Spit & Round Island Spit Lights, Miss.	Alabama.	Mississippi.

CARDED.

Office of the Inspector, 8th Light-House District,

New Orleans, La. (Address.), August 5, 1909. (Date.)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on August 7, 1909. (Date.)

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
FORWARDED
AUG 11 1909
TO APPOINTMENTS
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR.

(Signed:) A. M. Mitzel

Commander, U.S.N., Retd.,
Inspector, 8th L.-H. District.

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

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

[c] This Oath should be taken before a Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, Judge, Clerk of a Court, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a Collector of Customs, as he has no power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk.

NOTE CAREFULLY.

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

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

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

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Scranton June 26th 1909

Commander Witzle
L. H. Inspector
8th district New Orleans La

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
RECEIVED
JUL 27 1909
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

LIGHT HOUSE BOARD
JUL 23 1909
NO. 11317

Enclosed

Sir

I will respectfully ask if they should be a vacancy at Round Island as Asst Keeper I will ask for a transfer to that Light Station I am acquainted with the light and beacon lights having tended them at times in absence of Keepers having lived there for 3 years leaving this for your Consideration I remain

yours Respectfully
Thorwald Hansen
1st Asst. Keeper Horn Island
Light Station

OFFICE OF
LIGHT HOUSE INSPECTOR,
8th District, New Orleans, La.
Rec'd JUN 28 1909
Ans'd ..... 190.....
Ack. ..... 190.....

Form 73 ORIGINAL APPOINTMENT, PROMOTION, OR TRANSFER OF EMPLOYEE

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

Office of the Inspector, 8th L. H. Dist.,

New Orleans, La.,

July 21, 1909.
(Date)

The Light-House Board,

Washington, D. C.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK RECEIVED JUL 27 1909 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR.

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS RECEIVED JUL 27 1909 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

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

of (2) Thorwald Hansen, Ef 1909 Ls & OK of (3) Mississippi,
(Name of person—letter for letter—as reported to Board) (State of legal residence)

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

at (5) Horn Island Light-Station, Miss.,
(Official name of aid, as given in Light List, as Absecon Light-Station, N. J.)

at (6) $490 a year, to (7) Assistant Keeper
(Salary now paid) (Official title of position, as Keeper, First Assistant Keeper, etc.)

at (8) Round Island Light-Station, Round Island South Spit and Round Island Spit Lights, Mississippi, at
(Official name of aid, as given in Light List, as Absecon Light-Station, N. J.)

(9) $40 a month, effective beginning (10) August 1, 1909, (~~the date of his entrance on duty~~)
(Salary recommended)

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

in the place of (11) Charles W. Heartt,
(State name of *last* person holding position)

who (12) was transferred Ef July 16 09 or EOD on (13) July 15, 1909.
(Died, transferred, resigned, dismissed, etc.) (Last day of service)

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

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

was considered with (18) .....

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

Letter from Mr. Hansen requesting this transfer is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully,

J. M. Witzie Comdr., U.S.N., Retd.,
Inspector, 8th L.-H. District.

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE BOARD

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS RECEIVED JUL 28 1909 DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

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July 26, 1909. 190

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

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK FORWARDED JUL 27 1909 TO APPOINTMENTS DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Jno. Biddle

Lt. Col., Corps of Engineers, U. S. A.,

Engineer Secretary.

11—2314

Enclosure.

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 1757, REVISED STATUTES)

APR 11 1908 LIGHT HOUSE BOARD Received.

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

I, Thorwald Hansen

do solemnly[a] Swear that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter: **So help me God.**

Thorwald Hansen.

Light House Board,
Entered upon duty.
Date April 11 1908
W H Lundquist
Chief Clerk.

[b] Sworn To and subscribed before me, this 6th day of April, A. D. 1908

NOTARY PUBLIC OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISS. Affix official seal.

[c] Name: Fred Payne, Circuit Clerk

Official title: Ex-officio Notary Public Jackson County, Miss

NAME OF OFFICE.	NAME OF STATION.	State or Country in which born.	State or Territory from which appointed.
Asst Keeper	Horn Island, Miss.	Alabama.	Mississippi.

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

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

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

In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk.

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK FORWARDED APR 21 1908 TO APPOINTMENTS DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

CARDED

GENERAL APPOINTMENT—WITHOUT FIXED DATE

Department of Commerce and Labor
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Washington

810

March 30, 1908.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen, of Mississippi, is hereby appointed Assistant Keeper of Horn Island Light-Station, Miss., in the Light-House Service, with compensation at the rate of Four Hundred and (then) dollars per annum, effective beginning April 1, 1908, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. (New position.)

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

(By transfer and promotion from Second Assistant Keeper of Chandeleur Light-Station, Louisiana, at $435 per annum.)

DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS
REPORTED
MAR 31 1908
TO DISBURSING CLERK
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Charles Earl
Acting Secretary.

(Cross Reference)
For basis of this action see
letter dated 3-28-08
in file of Wm. Hill

The Light-House Board.

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U. S. COMMISSION.

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MAR 9 1908
LIGHT HOUSE BOARD
11317
Received.

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

Department of Commerce and Labor

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Washington

Enclosure A

December 17, 1906.

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

For the purpose of enabling the Department to maintain a complete record of its officers and employees, you are requested to have every person hereafter appointed or employed in your Bureau, immediately upon his entrance on duty, answer each of the questions in Part I of this form and sign the same. The officer in immediate charge should review the information given by the appointee or employee, and if correct, should forward the form to the Chief of the Bureau without delay. The information called for by the questions in Part II should then be supplied and the form forwarded to the Department.

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
FORWARDED
MAR 10 1908
TO APPOINTMENTS
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Oscar S. Straus

Secretary.

PART I.

CARDED

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

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

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

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

Scranton	Mississippi	Jackson County	4th
City or town.	State or Territory.	County.	Congressional district.

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

5. Where were you born? Mobile Ala. 1892 B.C. 7/10 Jd

6. When were you born? April 5 1868 Corrected date

November	18	1868
Month.	Day.	Year.

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

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

Name.	Relationship.	Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.
Sydney Gibbon	Brotherinlaw	Light House	Service	Asst Keeper

9. If you were appointed through a civil service examination, state, as near as you recollect, the name and date of the examination. If not so appointed, state how you entered the service. (Examples: "By reinstatement," or "by transfer from ——," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

Assistant Keeper, January 7, 1908."

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

No

11. Have you ever held any other position in the civil service of the United States? (If so, give below the Department and Bureau or Service in which you served, the position held, the salary you received, and the dates of your appointment and separation from the service.)

No

12. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during the Civil or Spanish-American War? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

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

13. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States at any time other than during the Civil or Spanish-American War, indicate such service in the spaces below.

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

14. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States civil service? (It is intended that the answer to this question shall state briefly the lines of work followed by you before receiving your present appointment, with the exception of your service for the Government, indicated in your answers to questions 11, 12, and 13.)

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15. What education have you received? (Indicate the grades of schools you have attended, and, in case you have attended schools of higher grade than high schools, give the institution, degrees received, and date in each case. Example: Public school; high school; business college; Cornell University, A. B., 1900; Columbia University, LL. B., 1903.)

Public School

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

Boatman

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

Assistant Keeper - form 1025 - January 7. 1908, "

18. Were the answers to the foregoing questions written by you? (If not, state the name and address of the person who wrote them for you.)

Yes

19. State the date upon which the above blanks were filled. February 21st, 1908

Witness:

(Signature) Thorwald. Hansen.

In case signature is by mark.

P. O. Address: Scranton Miss
City or town.

Number and street.

Mississippi
State or Territory.

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded Mar. 4th 1908

(Signature) Guy W Brown Comdr. 8. L. H.

(Official title) Inspector 8th L. H. District.

PART II.

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

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

Light-House (Bureau or Service.) Chandeleur, La., Lt. Sta. (Place (city, town, or station).) 8th (District.)

2. To what position has he been appointed? 2nd Assistant Keeper Chandeleur, La., Lt. Ho.

3. State the date of appointment. January 20, 1908

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

February 1, 1908, or as soon thereafter as appointee enters on duty.

5. State the date of the oath. February 21, 1908.

6. State the date the appointee or employee entered on duty. February 26, 1908.

7. What is his salary? $465.00 per annum.

8. From what appropriation is he paid? Salaries of Keepers of Light-Houses 1908.

9. Is the position excepted, competitive, or unclassified under the civil service rules? Competitive.

10. If classified, state the date of classification. May 6, 1896.

11. In what manner did the appointee or employee enter the service? Examples: "From stenography and typewriting examination;" or "without examination;" or "by reinstatement;" or "by transfer from ——," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

By examination - Civil Service Application Blank #1025.
Dated Jany. 7, 1908.

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

(Signature) Guy W Brown Comdr. 8. L. H.,

Date: March 4th, 1908. (Official title) Inspector 8th L. H. Dist.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(PRESCRIBED BY SECTION 1757, REVISED STATUTES)

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
RECEIVED
MAR 10 1908
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

MAR 7 1908
LIGHT HOUSE BOARD
11317
Received.
Enclosure.

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

I, Thorwald Hansen

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

Thorwald Hansen.

Light House Board,
Entered upon duty.
Date Feb. 26, 1908

[b] Sworn and subscribed before me, this 21st day of February, A. D. 1908

W. Woodward
Chief Clerk.
HWB

NOTARY PUBLIC OF JACKSON COUNTY, MISS.
Affix official seal.

[c] Name: Fred Sayers Clerk of

Official title: Circuit Court & Ex-officio Notary Public Jackson County, Mississippi

NAME OF OFFICE.	NAME OF STATION.	State or Country in which born.	State or Territory from which appointed.
Keeper Asst	Chandeleur, La.	Alabama	Mississippi

CARDED.

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

In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk.

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OFFICE OF THE CHIEF CLERK
FORWARDED
MAR 10 1908
TO APPOINTMENTS
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT—WITHOUT FIXED DATE

Department of Commerce and Labor
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Washington

January 30, 1908.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen, of Mississippi, having qualified under the civil-service regulations, is hereby appointed Second Assistant Keeper of Chandeleur Light-Station, Louisiana, in the Light-House Service, with compensation at the rate of Four Hundred and Sixty-five dollars per annum, for a probationary period of six months, effective beginning February 1, 1908, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. (New position.)

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

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

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TO DISBURSING CLERK
DEPT OF COMMERCE AND LABOR

Secretary.

Light-House Board.

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LIGHT-HOUSE BOARD

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28 Jan'y, '08.

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The Honorable,

The Secretary of Commerce and Labor.

Sir:-

The Board has the honor to ask that the position of Assistant Keeper at $490 a year at Chandeleur, La., Light-Station, be changed to First Assistant Keeper at $490 a year at the same light-station, to date from 1 Feb'y, '08. See file of — R. M. Lassabe

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The Board also has the honor to ask that the position of Second Assistant Keeper be authorized at Chandeleur, La., Light-Station, at $465 a year, effective beginning 1 Feb'y, '08. — New position.

This light has recently been changed from a fixed to a third-order, flashing red every ten seconds. The clockwork and revolving apparatus will require constant and close watch by the keepers, and it is a hardship for two men to do the work. As at present situated, if one of the keepers goes ashore for mail, the other is compelled to stand a twelve-hour watch, which is unbearable; and since the change has been made in the characteristic of the light, keepers have been unable to take leave of absence from the station. A revolving light of the third-order should certainly be cared for by three keepers.

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In this connection, the Board begs to ask the probationary appointment of Mr. Thorwald Hansen, of Miss., as Second Assistant Keeper at Chandeleur, La., Light-Station, at $465 a year, effective

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beginning 1 Feb'y, '08, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. (New position).

Mr. Hansen has passed the required civil service examination and obtained a rating of 90 per cent in class III. He stands No. 2 on the eligible list, being considered with Messrs. Richard Johnsen and Hugh Kelley.

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Mr. Hansen's name appears on the eligible list as "Hansen, Jr.", but the Board is now informed that the death of his father obviates the necessity for writing "Jr." after his name.

Respectfully,

J. M. Kelly

Commander, U.S.N.,
Naval Secretary.

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2d on eligible list.
Considered with:
Richard Johnsen
Hugh Kelley
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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
United States Coast Guard,
New Orleans, La.,

Office of Commander,
New Orleans District.

8 October 1941.

Thorwald Hanson
Officer In Charge,
Crooked River Range Light Sta.

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Officers in Charge, Light Stations.

Subject: Former keepers and assistant keepers; pay status.

1. A comparison of pay formerly received by keepers and assistant keepers of light stations together with pay and allowances to which entitled when inducted into the military establishment of the Coast Guard, would indicate that in several cases, such personnel are entitled to an increase in pay in their military rating.

2. The District Pay Officer desires to make such adjustments as may be necessary and further desires that personnel who are entitled to an increase in pay receive such adjustment on the October 1941 payroll and to this end, it is requested that the following questions be answered and returned to the District Pay Office as soon as practicable:

(a) Are you married, widowed, single, or divorced? Married
(b) If married, give name and address of wife
Mayme C. Hansen, R.F.D. Light Station, Carrabelle, Fla.
(c) Have you any children or stepchildren? If so, give their names, ages, and address: None
(d) Do you occupy batchelor or family quarters? Family
If no quarters are available, so state
(e) If widowed or divorced and you have children, give their names, ages and address:
(f) If widowed and you have children, do you support them?
(g) If divorced and you have children, are you required to, and do you support them?
(h) If divorced and you have no children, are you required to pay alimony?

3. The pay of the military rating of petty officer, first class is $84.00, of petty officer, second class $72.00 and petty officer, third class $60.00. In addition, personnel stationed at light stations are entitled to a subsistence allowance of $1.20 per day and personnel who have dependents and are not furnished family quarters are entitled to $1.15 per day money allowance for quarters for dependents.

F. C. BIGGETT,
Acting.

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 1-41

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO:

Date Prepared 1 September, 1941

Name: Hansen, Thorvald

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.: 120

Change in status - civilian to military.

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	Boatswain's Mate, 1c.
Grade	Field (Range $1440-1800)	No change in pay and allowances, Sec. 7, Act of August 5, 1939, applies.
Salary	$1680 p.a. plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.	
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters	New Orleans, La.	New Orleans, La.
Post of Duty	Crooked River Range Lt.Sta., Fla.	Crooked River Range Lt.Sta., Fla.
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C. G.	Pay and allowance, C. G.
Allotment		

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐

EFFECTIVE 1 September, 1941.

Remarks:

The change indicated is pursuant to the Act of August 5, 1939.

Justification:

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 4-5-1892

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Florida

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? Lighthouse Act 6-20-16

DATE OF OATH

CARDED

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY 10-4-41

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

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16 October, 1941

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Commanding Officer, Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla.

Subject: Change in status - civilian to military.

Inclosure: (A) Department Notice, Form 2249, approved 7 October, 1941.

1. Inclosure (A) is forwarded for your information and files.

D. D. HESLER,
By direction

Form 93.

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
United States Coast Guard,

Office of Commander,
New Orleans District.

New Orleans, Louisiana,
6 September, 1941

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

Subject: Resignation of Thorwald Hansen

Reference: (a) Subject named employee's resignation dated 31 August, 1941.

Inclosure: (1) Reference (a), in duplicate.

1. Herewith is transmitted the resignation of the following named employee of the former Lighthouse Service:

Name:	Thorwald Hansen
Legal Residence:	Florida
Position:	Lighthouse Keeper
Station:	Crooked River Range Light Station
Salary:	$1560 p.a., plus $240 quarters.
Effective date:	Close 31 August, 1941.

2. The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective the day prior to the date he accepts military status with the Coast Guard.

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

4. Mr. Hansen has veteran (military) preference under civil service rules and regulations.

J. L. AHERN.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
United States Coast Guard.

Place: Carrabelle, Florida.
Date: 31 August, 1941.

From: Thorwald Hansen, Keeper, Crooked River Rge. Lt. Sta.
To : Commander, New Orleans District.

Subject: Resignation.

1. I hereby tender my resignation as Keeper, Crooked River Range Light Station with the former Lighthouse Service for the purpose of accepting military status with the U. S. Coast Guard, this resignation to become effective on the day prior to the date of my commission, appointment, or enlistment in the U. S. Coast Guard. (Effective date close 31 August, 1941).

(Signed) Thorwald Hansen
(Signature)

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Form No. 2668
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
Form approved by Comptroller General, U. S.
April 13, 1934
(Revised 1937)

S. V. No. .....
Pay No. .....

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PAY STATUS

HANSON	Thorwald	- - -	222-202	B.M.1c.
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

Crooked River Range Light Station.	Carrabella, Florida New Orleans, Louisiana	1 September, 1941.
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

From: COMMANDING OFFICER.
To: PAY OFFICER.

You are hereby authorized to adjust the pay accounts of the above named for the following reason:

Inducted into the Coast Guard by original enlistment this date, in the regular establishmant, for a period of three years, as boatswain's mate, first class.

Accepted for enlistment at Carrabelle, Florida. Assigned to duty at Crooked River Range Light Station, Carrabelle, Florida. Former Keeper, Crooked River Range Light Station.

Entitled to clothing bounty: - $118.95

Permanent station: - Carrabelle, Florida.
Former salary: - - - $1680 p.a. (plus $240 p.a. quarters).
Total service to 9/1/41: - 26 yrs. - 10 mos. - 8 days.

AUTHORITY: Hdqtrs. indorsement on Form 2525-B, dated 22 Aug. 1941. Act of 5 August, 1932.

Lieut., U.S.C.G.
D. D. HESLER (Commanding)

Personnel Officer, New Orleans District
(Title)

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1. Receipt of this authorization is hereby acknowledged. The accounts of the above named have been adjusted.

(Date) (Pay officer)

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

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

HANSEN	Thorwald	-	Civilian	Lighthouse Keeper
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT	New Orleans, La.	6 September, 1941.
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

Resigned as Keeper, Crooked River Range Light Station, on 31 August, 1941, for the purpose of enlisting in the U. S. Coast Guard.

Annual Salary: $1680 (plus $240 p.a. quarters).

AUTHORITY: Headquarters' letter 19 April, 1941 (P-75).

D. D. HESLER, LIEUT., U.S.C.G.
Personnel Officer,
By direction.
(Title)

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	STATISTICS	CORRESPONDENCE	RECORDS

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17 June, 1941

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Thorwald Hansen, Keeper, Crooked River Range Light Station.

Subject: Medical treatment.

Reference: (a) Your letter 13 June, 1941.

Inclosure: A. Form 207, Application for Medical Examination and Treatment, etc.
B. Copy of letter, 17 June, 1941, to Headquarters (75).

1. Inclosure A is forwarded in order that you may seek treatment at the U. S. Marine Hospital, Mobile, Ala., as indicated in inclosure B. You will sign the form, where indicated, when presenting it for entrance into the hospital.

J. L. AHERN,

D. D. HESLER,
By direction

Treasury Department
Form 207
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
~~Bureau of Lighthouses~~
U. S. Coast Guard

(SEE INSTRUCTIONS AND REGULATIONS ON BACK)

APPLICATION FOR MEDICAL EXAMINATION AND TREATMENT OF SICK OR DISABLED EMPLOYEES IN THE LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Office of the ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~ Commander New Orleans District.

New Orleans, La.
(Place)

17 June, 1941

TO THE MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE,

Mobile, Alabama

SIR:

The bearer, Thorwald Hansen
(Name and title of applicant for medical relief)
is a beneficiary of the U. S. Public Health Service:

1. An officer or member of the crew of a vessel belonging to the Lighthouse Service (including lightship), i. e., the _____
(Name of vessel)

or—

2. A lightkeeper ~~or an assistant lightkeeper~~ on duty at Crooked River Range Lt.Sta., Fla.
(Name of station)

You are requested to examine this applicant and to furnish him with such medical relief as may be required. The signature and description of the applicant appear below.

Signature of employee to be examined _____

Keeper, Crooked RiverRange Light Station, Fla.

Nativity American Age 49 years. Height _____ feet _____ inches.

Color of eyes _____ Color of hair _____

Distinguishing marks _____

*Date of original appointment in the Lighthouse Service March 10, 1915

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

July 18, 1916

J. L. AHERN,
Captain, U. S. Coast Guard
Commander, New Orleans District

D. D. Hesler
(Title of officer signing request)
D. D. HESLER
By direction

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

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

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Form No. 2599
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD
(Revised 1937)

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

HANSEN	Thorwald	-	Civilian	Keeper, Crooked River Range Lt.Sta., Fla.
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT	New Orleans, La.	17 February, 1941
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

Promotion: Effective 16 January, 1941; promoted from Keeper, Field (Range $1440-1800), $1620 p.a., plus $240 p.a. Quarters; TO Keeper, Field (Range $1440-1800), $1680 p.a., plus $240 p.a. Quarters. Appro.: Civilian Employees, C.G.

AUTHORITY: Promotion Notice (Form 2249) U. S. Treasury Department, dated 10 January, 1941
Approved by The Secretary, 16 January, 1941

W. J. BRAUN, JR.
Asst. Personnel Officer
By direction
(Title)

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LAW	PERSONNEL RECORDS		
	STATISTICS	CORRESPONDENCE	RECORDS

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23 January, 1941

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To: T. Hansen, Keeper, Crooked River Light.

Subject: Uniform for Lighthouse Keepers.

Reference: (a) Your indorsement, undated, on District Commander Circular, 10 January, 1941.

1. There has been no change in the regulations covering uniforms to be worn by keepers of light stations. Your present status is that of a civilian light station keeper; and you should continue to wear the same style of uniform as heretofore, and as directed in reference (b).

J. L. AHERN.

T. Y. AWALT,
By direction.

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Crooked River

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U.S. COAST GUARD
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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
United States Coast Guard,
New Orleans, La.

Office of Commander,
New Orleans District.

10 January 1941.

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Keepers and Assistant Keepers, Light Stations.

Subject: Uniforms, wearing of.

1. All keepers and assistant keepers at light stations shall wear the uniform prescribed for their respective grades at all times when on duty. Laborers employed at light stations, and attendants in charge of river and other minor lights, are not required to wear uniforms. The wearing of any part of the uniform with citizen clothes, except the overcoat, is forbidden. In foul weather the wearing of rain clothes is permitted.

2. When the nature of the work requires, such as when keepers and assistant keepers are cleaning lamps and other station equipment, handling coal or supplies, etc., working clothes may be substituted for uniforms.

F. J. BIRKETT,
Acting.

Copy:
Headquarters
Southern Inspector

In regards to above uniform regulations on light stations, have any changes been made in the former light house keeper's uniform. Our station work clothes are of the Navy style at present, advise if these uniforms, will be continued, and where they can be purchased, also dress uniform, having only a summer outfit it will be necessary for me to purchase same.

T. Hansen,
Keeper

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6 September, 1940.

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To: Hansen, Thorwald; Keeper, Crooked River Range Light Station, Carrabelle, Fla.

Subject: Uniforms, purchase of.

Reference: (a) Your letter 27 August, 1940.

1. It is suggested that you defer purchasing uniforms until definite action has been taken by Headquarters on your application for induction into the Military Establishment.

By direction:

T. Y. AWALT,
Personnel Officer.

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U. S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

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Crooked River Range
Light Station

Crooked River Range
Carrabelle, Florida
27 August, 1940

From: Keeper
To : Commander, New Orleans District

Subject: Regulation Uniforms, Clothing, etc. for Lighthouse Keepers at this Unit.

Reference: (a) Letter of Commander, New Orleans District 24 August, 1940

I. Not being enlisted in the Coast Guard service and having no definite instructions relative to regulation uniforms and clothing to be worn by the Light House Keepers in their respective grades.

2. Advise method of preparing requisition for procuring the required for dress wear and working purposes.

3. The Assistant Keeper and myself are in need of station uniforms. Would it be in line to purchase the Coast Guard khaki to suit the purpose.

Thorwald Hansen
Thorwald Hansen

STATEMENT OF PREVIOUS MILITARY SERVICE.

HANSEN, Thorwald	Private Private	Co."D", First Regiment of National Guard of Alabama Battery "C", 116th Regiment, Field Artillery
(NAME - Print)	(GRADE)	UNIT AND DISTRICT TO WHICH ATTACHED

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

BRANCH OF SERVICE*	SERVICE NUMBER	ORIGINALLY ENLISTED		LAST DISCHARGED	
		DATE	PLACE	DATE	PLACE
ARMY		6-24-1916	Mobile, Ala.	9- 5-1916	Montgomery, Ala.
		7-14-1917	Mobile, Ala.	10- 8-1917	Camp Wheeler
NAVY					
MARINE CORPS					
COAST GUARD					
COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY					

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

Verified 1-17-1940 from Honorable Discharge Certificates.

H. C. MERRILL, Commander, U.S.C.G.
Operations Officer

Two copies forwarded Headquarters - 5-22-40

T Thorwald Hansen
(SIGNATURE)

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New Orleans District

New Orleans, La.,
17 January, 1940

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : HANSEN, Thorwald, Keeper, Crooked River Range Light Station.

Subject: Military and other Government service.

Reference: (a) Your letter 15 January, 1940, forwarding your Honorable Discharge certificates showing Army service.

Inclosure: (1) Honorable Discharge Certificate.
(2) Honorable Discharge Certificate.
(3) Statement of previous military service, in triplicate.

1. Inclosure (3) is forwarded for your signature. Please return all three copies.

2. It is noted from the Personal History Sheet which you prepared when you entered the Service in 1918 that you state you had service as a Fireman on the Dredge U.S. CHARLESTON. Was this with the Engineer Department; if so, under what office? Have you a record of this service?

R. L. JACK

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS LAST GUARD
U.S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA

Treasury Department
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
U.S. C.G

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Crooked River Range Light Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

15 January 1940, 193

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U.S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
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DIST. COMDR.	REPLY	INTELL.
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RESERVE	RETURN	
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COMMUN.		

Commander, New Orleans District
U. S. Coast Guard
New Orleans, La.

Sir:

When meeting with the Coast Guard Examining Board at the Mobile Coast Guard Depot, I was instructed to forward to the Office of Commander, New Orleans, District army discharges for the purpose of completing my records in that office.

I respectfully report that you will find same inclosed herewith.

Yours very respectfully,

L. Hansen,
Keeper

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

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment Coast Guard, Lighthouse Service (Crooked River Rge. L.S., Fla. Keeper) Date 3-12-40

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss, or Mrs.~~) Hansen (Surname) Forwald (Given name) (Middle name)
2. Present address ____ (Number) ____ (Street) Carrabelle (City) Fla. (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Florida 3rd. Dist. (State and Congressional District) Franklin (County) Carrabelle (City or town)
4. Where born Alabama (State or foreign country) Mobile (City or town) When born 4-5-1892 (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 One, age 36
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	Chandeleur	2nd. Asst Keeper	Ranging from $350.00 to $450.00 per annum	7	26	1908	1	23	1911
	Horn Island	1st. " "							
	Round Island	1st. " "							
	Sabine Banks	2nd Asst to Keeper		3	4	1918	0	0	0
	Sand Island	Keeper							
	Crooked River	Keeper							

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

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

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

None (Title) ____ (Location) ____ (Date appointment expires)

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

____ (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 4-24-1916 Discharged 9-5-1916
Rank Private Rank Private
Organization Regiment Co. "I" 3d Bat. Organization ____

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

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13. State any special qualifications not involved in your present position (for instance, lawyer, physician, civil engineer, knowledge of foreign languages, etc.) City Fireman

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
City of Mobile, Ala.	Fireman, Divided in different Capacity	Approx 4 years

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

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

16. In case of emergency, notify Mrs. Wayne Hansen

Relationship Wife Post office address Box 203, Carrabelle Florida

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

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

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1930

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Office of Commander,
New Orleans District.

New Orleans, Louisiana,
4 January, 1940.

From: Commander, New Orleans District.
To : Thorwald Hansen, Keeper, Crooked River Range Light Station.

Subject: Orders; temporary duty; travel.

Reference: (a) Article 720, Regulations.

1. Proceed from your station to Mobile, Alabama, on official business of the Coast Guard, timing your departure so as to arrive at the Mobile Depot, Choctaw Point, not later than 10:00 a.m., 11 January 1940, and report to Commander F. J. Birkett, U. S. Coast Guard, President of a Coast Guard Examining Board. Upon completion of this temporary duty and when excused by the President of the Examining Board, you will return and resume your regular status at the Crooked River Range Light Station.

2. In lieu of all expenses for subsistence and tips, a per diem allowance of three dollars and fifty cents ($3.50) is allowed. Travel by your own automobile at the rate of three cents (3¢) per mile is authorized, it having been determined that such mode of travel is more economical and advantageous to the Government.

3. The public interests require this travel. Travel herein authorized is chargeable against travel allowance, symbol No. 108.

F. J. BIRKETT,
Acting.

Copy:
Headquarters

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Form 2654
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD
July 1935

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U. S. COAST GUARD

OFFICIAL DISPATCH

UNIT

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20 OCT 1939

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

NEWORLEANS LA.

LEAVING STATION ON DEFERRED LEAVE GRANTED PREVIOUSLY FOR HOSPITALIZATION MOBILE.

THORWALD HANSEN.

COPY TO SUPT LIGHTHOUSES

OPERATOR'S RECORD

WU MSGR 0845 AD

W.J.B.

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(IF RELAYED, SERVICE ON REVERSE)

INITIALS OF "ACTION" OFFICER

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		PRIORITY
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TO (FOR INFORMATION)		ACKNOWLEDGE
		PRIORITY
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"ACTION" OFFICER INITIAL AND RETURN ORIGINAL TO RADIOROOM, RETAINING COPY

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—7370

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

OCT 13 1930
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

October 8, 1930.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES
1930 OCT 10 AM 9:17

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER
Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1500

To: $1620

Service and grade: Field

Appropriation (unit):

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9051

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Thorwald Hansen, Effective
date of change in pay

October 22, 1930

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Department letter of October 8, 1930, in the case of Thorwald Hansen, Keeper, Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla., who was granted an increase in compensation from $1500 per annum to $1620 per annum, by reason of his duties having been increased, effective upon entrance on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of this change in pay is October 1, 1930.

E. S. LAMPHIER

Superintendent of Lighthouses

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October 15, 1930

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Florida

1. Transmitted herewith is Department letter of October 8, 1930, advising that your compensation has been changed from $1500 per annum to $1620 per annum, effective upon entrance on duty, by reason of change in duties.

2. You are advised that this change of pay will be effective from October 1, 1930.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

Assistant Superintendent

Form 73
Ed. April, 1929

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SPECIAL

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., (City) September 29 (Date), 1930

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Increase in compensation — Legal residence, Mississippi

Name, Thorwald Hansen — Proposed salary, $1620 p.a.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Proposed range, $1440-$1800

Location, Crooked River Rear L.S., etc., Fla. — Appropriation, Sals.Kprs.of Lighthouses

Effective, October 1, 1930 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $1500 p.a.

Location, Crooked River Range L.S., Fla. — Former range, $1320-$1680

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

Previous incumbent, Self — Services terminated, - - - -

Reason, - - - -

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of birth, April 5, 1892

Remarks: See letter from this office of August 16, 1930, and Dept.letter of September 15, 1930.

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

_____ *Secretary, Civil Service District.*

_____ SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

SEP 17 1930
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
SEP 22 1930
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

September 15, 1930.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the bureau's recommendation of August 22, 1930, the Department has authorized the change in designation of Crooked River Range Light Station, Florida, to Crooked River Range, Carrabelle River Entrance No. 2 and Carrabelle River Bar Range Lights, Florida, and an increase in allowance to $180 per annum for minor lights.

The Department has also authorized a reclassification of the positions at this station to provide for a deduction of $240 for dwelling and an allowance of d-180 for isolation and minor lights. The ranges of compensation under this reclassification will be $1440-1800 per annum for the keeper and $1260-1620 per annum for the assistant keeper.

By direction of the Secretary:

Chief of Appointment Division.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington SEP 16 1930

Bureau of Lighthouses, Wash., Copy to 8th Supt.

F. P. Dillon
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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Form 84

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

WJB:FSR

OFFICE OF ~~INSPECTOR~~ Supt. 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., September 15, 1930.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES,
Washington, D. C.

No reply has been received from the Bureau to communication (Letter)
from this office dated August 16, 1930, on the subject of Change in pay of keepers at Crooked River Range Light Station, Florida, and reclassification of positions, account additional duties.

For and in the absence of Superintendent,

Asst. Superintendent.

To be forwarded in duplicate. Indicate in blank space inclosed in parentheses character of the communication, that is, whether letter, indorsement, Form 80, Form 97, etc.

11—6363

ESL:LEC

Crooked River Rge.L.S.,Fla.,
Change in Pay of Keepers

August 16, 1930

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. It is recommended that the designation of Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla., be changed to Crooked River Range, Carrabelle River Entrance No. 2 and Carrabelle River Bar Range Lights, Fla., and that, because of the addition of three detached minor lights, over 2-1/2 miles away from Crooked River Range Light Station, the present allowance for minor lights, $60 per annum, be increased to $180 per annum, and that the pay of the keepers be changed as follows:

	From	To	
Keeper	$1440	$1560	per annum
Assistant Keeper	1260	1380	" "

2. It is also recommended that the positions at this stationbe reclassified as follows:

	Class No.	Deduction for Dwelling	Allowance For Isolation and Minor Lights	Actual Range Compensation For Station Position	Range
Present Classification	2	$240	d-60	Keeper	$1320-$1620
				A.K.	1140-1440
Proposed Classification	2	240	d-180	Keeper	$1440-$1740
				A.K.	1260-1560

3. This change in pay will accomplish a saving in the present pay for caring for Carrabelle River Bar Range and Carrabelle River Entrance Light No. 2 of $1140 per annum.

E. S. LANPHIER

Superintendent of Lighthouses

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

AUG 13 1930
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Crooked River Range Light
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

August 12, 1930, 192

Superintendent Of Lighthouses
New Orleans, La.

Sir:

Your letter of August 9, relative to contemplation of changing the Beacon Lights at Carrabelle River from oil lens lantern to electric lights, has been received.

In reply I respectfully wish to state should the office desire this changeand place these Beacons in my charge at this station, care and supervision of these lights is absolutely practicable and can be sucessfully maintained with the present station yawl and out-board motor but it is desired at a later time,,if the office would, to furnish me with a good 16-foot yawl with a larger out-board motor or in-board motor installed which would be more reliable, as the boat now on hand is rather small and old.

In the event that the electric light mechanism should get out of order oil lens lantern can be sucessfully maintained and as for such time which might be necessary to change these lights from oil to electricity they can be maintained as they are with the present boat on hand.

I also wish to call to your attention, in the event this change is made to have the kerosene oil in drums stored in Mr. Wathen's warehouse drayed over to the station.

Yours very respectfully

T. Hansen

Keeper

P.S. The station skiff boat could also be secured over in the Carrabelle River for conveniences in rough weather if necessary to maintain the two rear Ranges and the out-board motor can be transported back and forth in our cars. Theas lights are visable from the station at all times and can be carefully cared for.

ESL:LBC

August 9, 1930

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Florida

1. This office is giving consideration to changing Carrabelle River Bar Range Front and Rear Lights and Carrabelle River Entrance Light No. 2 from oil lens lanterns to primary cell electric lights. These latter lights are operated for several months on dry batteries and consideration is being given to placing the lights in charge of the Keepers of Crooked River Range Light Station and increasing their compensation $10.00 per month each.

2. Advise this office whether you can give care and supervision to these lights without the necessity of a motor boat being furnished. If it is necessary to have a motor boat, it will require a month or two to deliver same.

3. Mr. C. T. Watham will retire on September 30 and it might be necessary to care for the lights without a motor boat for a short period after that date.

4. Advise this office whether you believe it is practicable for you to care for and supervise these lights, and, in the event that the primary cell electric light mechanism gets out of order, can you maintain oil lens lanterns on the structures until the electric lights are repaired. The electric light mechanism is automatic and will operate day and night when in good order.

5. You are directed to consider the contents of this letter as strictly confidential and not to talk about the matter to anyone.

E. S. LAMPHIER

Superintendent of Lighthouses

ESL:LEC

August 9, 1930

G. M. Galloway, Keeper,
U. S. Lighthouse Depot,
P. O. Box 270,
Mobile, Ala.

I. You are advised that two red and one white Wallace & Tiernan lights, installed in Pintsch lanterns, will probably be required for Carrabelle River Bar and Carrabelle River Entrance Lights. There will also be required a waterproof box which will hold one-half the number of cells which were placed in the box for use on buoys. These cells need not be held together by any asphalt preparation but will be loose or wedged in the box. The box must be waterproof, however.

E. S. LANPHIER

Superintendent of Lighthouses

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
AUG 18 1930
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

July 3, 1930.

Mr. T. Hansen,

Through Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that under the Brookhart Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 3, 1930.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

From:
1440.
To:
1500.

8th Keeper.

Original
sent 8/25/30

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8/27/30

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 1, 1928.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Chief, Bureau of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that under the Welch Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1928.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1380

To: $1440

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Original sent 8/14/28

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Form A-21

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 13 1925
NEW ORLEANS.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 25, 1925.

M r. Thorwald Hansen,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1320 per annum to $ 1380 per annum, effective July 1, 1925.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,
Chief of Appointment Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHTHOUSES
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January 31, 1925.

APPOINTMENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
FEB 9 1925
NEW ORLEANS.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses,

Sir:

In connection with the readjustment of pay of positions in the Lighthouse Service the total compensation of the position occupied by you has been fixed as indicated below, effective February 1, 1925.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER.

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Position: Keeper

Salary: $1320 ✓

Appropriations: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.
8th General Expenses, Lighthouse Service.
JSJ

Form A-21

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 9 1923
NEW ORLEANS.

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LIGHT HOUSES

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 6, 1923.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 840 per annum to $ 900 per annum, effective March 10, 1923 (including $60 per annum longevity pay).

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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WJB.

March 10, 1923.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Florida.

1. As you have completed five years of continuous service at the close of March 9, 1923, beginning March 10th, 1923, your pay will be increased from $840 to $900 per annum to include the longevity allowance of $60 per annum.

2. Department notice of change in salary, dated March 6, 1923, is transmitted herewith.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

WJB.

T.Hansen,
longevity pay.

February 28, 1923.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Bureau letter of Nov. 18, 1918, relative to reclassification of pay, and to paragraph 4 thereof, regarding longevity:

2. The Bureau is informed that T. Hansen, Keeper of Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla., will complete five years of continuous service at the close of March 9, 1923. It is therefore recommended that his pay be increased from $840 per annum to $900 per annum, to include the longevity allowance of $60 per annum, effective beginning March 10, 1923.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. A. M.

First Assistant Superintendent.

EP:LEC

December 23, 1922

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Florida

1. No report has been received from you, as directed, relative to your absurd telegram of December 19th.

2. You are directed to report by return mail all of the circumstances relating to the incident referred to in your telegram. This office can not afford to be trifled with by its employees, and you will, without delay, write a full report of the incident.

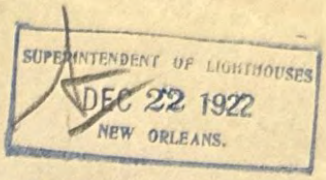
For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

H. A. M.

First Assistant Superintendent.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTH DISTRICT

Carrabelle River Beacons
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

***** 12-20-22 ,191

Light House Superintendant

New Orleans,La,

Sir;

After investigating the THORWALD HANSON afair I find he has not been forcibly detained in town,, it seems to be a personal afair betwwen him and a Young lady and her people,, ,which I do not think will amount to anything, more than talk among them selves,,,,,

Very Resptfully

[signature] Keeper

Carrabelle,River Beçons,

Form 1204

CLASS OF SERVICE	SYMBOL
Telegram	
Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

If none of these three symbols appears after the check (number of words) this is a telegram. Otherwise its character is indicated by the symbol appearing after the check.

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

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SUPERINTENDENT OF DEC 20 1922 NEW ORLEANS

CARRABELLE FLO 328P DEC 20 1922

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SUPT OF LIGHTHOUSES

NEWORLEANS LA

LIGHT BURNING IN GOOD ORDER

HANSEN

KEEPER

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
DEC 20 1922
NEW ORLEANS.

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SUPERINTENDENT LIGHTHOUSES NEWORLEANS LA

CAN NOT FIND WHERE T HANSON WAS DETAINED BY COUNTY OR CITY OFFICIALS

LETTER FOLLOWS

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KEEPER CARRABELLE RIVER RANGE LIGHTS

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EP-WJB.

December 19,1922.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Florida.

1. This office is very much disappointed to receive such an absurd telegram as the one which you sent today which is vague and indefinite and gives no information. The cost of the telegram is $0.74 and you are directed to forward same to this office by Post Office money order as this office will not pay for such a telegram.

2. Enclosed is copy of the reply sent you today. Hereafter you will make your first report exact whenever communicating with this office.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. A. M

First Assistant Superintendent.

ESL-WJB

New Orleans La Dec 19th 1922

Hansen Keeper
Crooked River Range Light Station
Carrabelle Florida

Your long telegram furnishes no information therefore should not have been sent No action can be taken on such reports Make exact report of incident Are lights in your charge burning

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[SIGNED] LANPHIER

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ESL-WJB

New Orleans La Dec 19th 1922

Wathen Keeper
Carrabelle River Range Lights
Carrabelle Florida

Investigate telegraph this office whether Thorwald Hansen
Keeper Crooked River is forcibly detained in Carrabelle
Also write full particulars

LANPHIER

CONFIRMATION OF TELEGRAM

[SIGNED] LANPHIER

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Form 1204

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RECEIVED AT SUGAR EX. BLDG., NO. FRONT AND BIENVILLE STS., NEW ORLEANS, LA.

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
DEC 19 1922
NEW ORLEANS.

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SUPT OF LIGHTHOUSES

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CONSTITUTION RULES OF THIS SERVICE BADLY VIOLATED BY PARTIES/WAS FORCED BODILY TO REMAIN FROM STATION UNATTENDED FOR PERSONAL MINOR MATTERS/ALSO THREATENED/TAKE NECESSARY STEPS TO PREVENT FURTHER INTERFERENCE WITH STATION WHEN IN CARRABELLE OFFICIALLY MAINTAINING MY DUTIES/LETTER FOLLOWING IN FEW DAYS ADVISE

T HANSEN

KEEPER

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WJB.

Thorwald Hansen,
correct date of birth.

June 26th, 1922.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Bureau endorsement of June 10th,1922, on Department letter of June 9th,1922, relative to a discrepancy in the date of birth of Thorwald Hansen, Keeper of Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla., as disclosed in Personal Question Sheets executed by him:

2. This office has ascertained from Keeper Hansen that the correct date of his birth is April 5th, 1892.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

First Assistant Superintendent.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 24 1922
NEW ORLEANS.

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Crooked River Rge
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 22 nd, 1922.

Superintendent of Light Houses.
New Orleans. La.

Sir-

In reply to your letter of June 19 th relative to the date and year of my birth. I beg to inform you, when executing Personal question sheet of March 31 th 1918, giveing the date of my birth as April 5 th 1892, was correct,

"Question sheet executed under date of February 21 st, 1908, giveing the date of my birth as November 18 th, 1889, However was a mistake on my part and not correct.

I beg to remain, Sir,

Very Respectfully.

T. Hansen.

Keeper.

WJB.

June 19th,1922.

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Florida.

1. This office is in receipt of a letter from the Department at Washington stating that in the Personal Question Sheet executed by you under date of March 31st, 1918, you give the date of your birth as April 5th, 1892, whereas in a personal question sheet executed by you under date of February 21st, 1908, your date of birth is given as November 18, 1889.

2. You will advise this office, by return mail, the exact date of your birth.

E. S. Sumner

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
KEY WEST, FLA.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 19 1922
NEW ORLEANS.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 7TH DISTRICT
KEY WEST, FLA.
June 15, 1922.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Lt.St.

Commissioner of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.

1. Referring to Bureau indorsement of June 10, 1922, transmitting for report and return Department letter of June 9, 1922, relative to a discrepency in the date of birth given by Thorwald Hansen, Keeper at Crooked River Range Lightstation, Fla.

2. Crooked River Range Lightstation is now in the Eighth District and the files of this office do not contain information to make an appropriate answer. The above mentioned Department letter has, therefore, been forwarded to the Superintendent of Lighthouses, New Orleans, La. for proper action.

Wm W. Dimmock
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy to Superintendent of Lighthouses, New Orleans, La. Herewith, for proper action, is the above mentioned Department letter.

LIGHTHOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 19 1922
NEW ORLEANS.

June 9, 1922.

SUPT. OF LT-HS
JUN 15 1922
KEY WEST, FLA.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In the personal question sheet executed under date of March 31, 1918, by Thorwald Hansen, keeper at Crooked River Range Light Station, Florida, at $840 per annum, he gives his date of birth as April 5, 1892, whereas in a personal question sheet executed by this employee under date of February 21, 1908, his date of birth is given as November 18, 1889. The Department requests that it be advised concerning this discrepancy.

By direction of the Secretary:

Edw. J. Gardner

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JUN 10 1922

To Superintendent of Lighthouses, Key West, Fla.,

for report and return.

J. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAY 13 1922
NEW ORLEANS.

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Grand Riverage
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

May 12th, 1922.

Superintendent of Light Houses.
New Orleans. La.

Sir:-

I beg to inform you that a short time ago the Keeper of Cape St George Light Station taken the matter up with me in regards to exchanging Stations. And fully outlining his cause and reasons for wanting to do so.

Mr Broods. states that he has children with-in School age and sending them to school from that Station was of quite difficulty and of great expence, Where-is at this Station school can be reached more easier and with less expence and so-forth.

In respond to Mr Broods. request. I visited his Station. and talked with him and went over the whole affair of which he is fully aware of all the facts. and fully understood how I view the situation. I have agreed to make the change providing it be of satisfactory with the Office. And with the understanding that you might see it

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

EIGHTH DISTRICT

_____
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

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necessary to shift full forces of both Stations. or in other words. transfer the assistants also. of which Both the assistants. Roberts, and Gunn, has agreed to do, "Under no consideration Your Honor," do I Care to make this Change and serve his great Cause. of which I am agreeable and willing to do. And be transfered to that Station under the present conditions where there is now an assistant Keeper whom I cannot and will not trust in no respect in Cooperating with me in the maintenance of my Station.

If for any reason that you are unable to Let us make the Change. in this respect. I respectfully ask that this matter be brought to a close.

I beg to remain Sir
Yours Respectfully.

T. Norwald Hansen.
Keeper.

WJB.

January 17th,1922.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Florida.

1. Referring to report dated January 14th, received from Asst. Keeper Roberts, concerning your illness, in which he states you desire to know whether or not Dr. Russell's fee will be paid by the Civil Service Compensation Commission;

2. You are informed that the U.S.Compensation Commission is concerned only with injuries sustained by Federal employees in the line of duty. Therefore, since your case is not the result of an injury the private physician's fee will have to be paid by you.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

N.B.- As a keeper you are entitled to the benefits of the Public Health Service free of charge upon application to Dr.G.H.Gwynn, 577 N.Monroe St., Tallahassee, Fla. When a private physician is employed the cost is at your own expense.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JAN 16 1922
NEW ORLEANS.

EIGHTH DISTRICT
Crooked River Range
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)
Jan. 14, 1922

Superintendent of Lighthouses
New Orleans, La.

Sir:

I beg to report to you that the Keeper. Mr. Hansen. has been under Medical and doctors treatment for the past four days.

In view of the fact that Mr Hansen has been seriously ill, stricken with Ptomaine-poison, while on duty at the station, it was very necessary that Dr. Russell, a private Physician, of Carrabelle, be called to the station.

The Keeper's condition is much better and believe in the next few days he will be fully recovered. Mr Hansen desires to know if the Doctor and medical fees will be of cost to his personal fund, or be paid by the U. S. Civil Service Compensation Board.

Your Respt.
W. A. Roberts Jr
asst Keeper

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JAN 12 1922
NEW ORLEANS.

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Keeper Point Range
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

January 9, 1922

Superintendent of Light Houses
New Orleans, La.

Sir:—

In reply to your letter of January 7th 1922. Relating My transfer to Galveston Jetty Light Station Tex.

In view of the most valuable information furnished Me. I beg to state, that I do not desire transfer to that Station,

Thanking you, Respectfully, in this Matter I beg to remain, Sir:—

Thorwald Hansen,
Keeper.

Keeper Point Range
Galveston Jetty Light
Thorwald Hansen
Keeper
Desire not
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transfer

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January 7, 1921

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Florida

1. Referring to your letter of January 2nd requesting transfer to Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas.

2. In view of the fact that you are dissatisfied with Crooked River Light Station, which this office considers one of the best in the district, I hesitate to transfer you to Galveston Jetty Light Station where no quarters are provided for the families of keepers.

3. Galveston Jetty is a very much isolated station located on the end of the South Jetty at Galveston. There is a revolving, third order light with I.O.V. lamp and compressed air fog signal, operated by Fairbanks-Morse gasoline engines. The structure is of structural steel requiring constant scaling and red leading by the keepers. This work is never finished and practically continuous.

4. In view of the information given above, you are directed to state whether or not you still desire transfer to Galveston Jetty Light Station, the pay of which is $960.00 per annum base.

E. S. LANPHIER

Superintendent of Lighthouses

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
JAN 5 1922
NEW ORLEANS.

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Crooked River Range
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Jan 2, 1922

Superintendent of Light Houses
New Orleans, La.

Sir:

A few days ago I received a letter from the Keeper of Galveston Jetty Light Station, so stating that he was a Maried Man and wanted to be transfered to some Station where family quarters are provided and asked if I would change Stations with him, and as I am very much interested in making the change with him, I respectfully ask if this Matter will Meet with your approval, if so, I am willing and agreeable to change Stations.

Beg to remain Sir

Thorwald Hansen
Keeper.

WJB.

March 9th, 1921.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Florida.

1. In reply to your letter of March 7th, you are advised that an employee must have five years of continuous service before he is entitled to the longevity pay of $60 per annum. You will have completed five years of continuous service on March 10, 1923.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Crooked River Range
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 4th, 1921

Superintendent of Light Houses
New Orleans, La.

Sir,

Owing to the fact that, in view of my previous service in this district from February 26, 1908, to July 23, 1911, I have in now over five years service, and beg that I be informed as to wether my previous service, together with my service from March 10, 1918, until March 1921, would entitle me to the longevity service pay of $60.00 per annum.

Yours Respectfully
Thorwald Hansen,
Kpr.

KP-WJB.

March 7th, 1921.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Fla.

1. Referring to your letter of February 28th, accompanying your application for seven days leave of absence from March 10th to 17th, in which you state that a substitute will not be required during your absence;

2. Your attention in this connection is invited to the Regulations which require that in all absences in excess of four days at a two-keeper station a substitute must be provided.

3. Additional Keeper G.E.Richardson has been instructed to proceed from Mobile to Crooked River Range Light Station for the purpose of relieving you during your absence of seven days, which is approved effective upon the arrival of Additional Keeper Richardson. You are therefore directed not to proceed on leave until Mr. Richardson arrives at the station.

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Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent of Lighthouses
MAR 2 1921
New Orleans

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Crooked River.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

February 28, 1921

Superintendent of Light Houses.
New Orleans. La.

Sir.

I have the honor to request that I be granted 7 days leave of absence begining March 10th to March 17th 1921. for the purpose of returning to Mobile and making arrangements to Ship my House Hold furnishings and Move My family to this Station. A substitute will not be required.

Attached is special request. Form 76. Requesting that I be granted the number of days mentioned above.

Yours Respectfully.
Thorwald Hansen
Kpr.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

February 9, 1921.

r. T. Hansen,

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Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 840 per annum, effective February 16, 1921, as soon as you enter on duty. Your actual and necessary traveling expenses from Fort Morgan, Ala., to Carrabelle, Fla., have been authorized.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) E. M. CROSS

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

8
8th district

Crooked River Lt.

WJB.

T. Hansen, effective
date of change in salary.

March 2nd, 1921.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Department letter dated February 9th, 1921, concerning change in salary of T. Hansen, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service, from $1020 per annum to $840 per annum, effective from February 16, 1921, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the above change became effective beginning February 19th, 1921.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent of Lighthouses
FEB 23 1921
New Orleans

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Crooked River
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

February 22, 1921,

Superintendent of Light Houses
New Orleans. La.

Sir.

I beg to report that I arrived at this Station and taken charge on the 21st inst.

Yours Respectfully
Thorwald Hansen.
Keeper.

POSTAL TELEGRAPH – COMMERCIAL CABLES

CLARENCE H. MACKAY, PRESIDENT.

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Superintendent of Lighthouses
FEB 19 1921
New Orleans

Supt of Lighthouses

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Leaving on three pm.train nineteenth inst was unable to leave sooner

Thornwald Hansen, Keeper

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8th DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

WJB.

February 14, 1921.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
c/o Crooked River Range Light Station,
Carrabelle, Fla.

1. Transmitted herewith is Department letter dated Feb.9, 1921, advising you that your salary as Keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $1020 per annum to $840 per annum, effective Feb.16,1921. or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty as Keeper of Crooked River L.S. Advise this office of the date you arrive at Crooked River L.S. and the date Mr. Wheelock departs.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. A. M.

First Assistant Superintendent.

Booklet

Form 73

WJB.

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., (City.) February 3rd, (Date.) 1921.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and appointment.

Name, **T. Hansen** Legal residence, **Alabama.**

Position, **Keeper in the Lighthouse Service.** Salary, **$840 per annum.**

Location, **Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla.** Appropriation, **Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.**

Effective **February 16th, 1921,** {[1] ~~date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service Former salary, **$1020 per annum.**

Location, **Sand Island Light Station, Ala.**

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

- - - -

WJB.

February 3, 1921.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
Sand Island Light Station,
Fort Morgan, Ala.

1. You are advised that you have been selected and nominated for the position of Keeper of Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla., with salary at the rate of $840 per annum, plus the usual bonus and ration allowance, effective beginning February 16th, 1921. You will make arrangements to leave Sand Island Light Station in due time to reach Crooked River Range Light Station on Feb. 16th. Mr. M.E. Wheelock, Keeper of Crooked River Range Light Station, has been nominated to succeed you as Keeper of Sand Island Light Station. He has been given instructions to await your arrival and effect the transfer of property before leaving for Sand Island.

2. Before leaving S and Island Light Station you will prepare Form 30, "Transfer of Property" for all government property at that station and leave same with First Asst. Keeper Wright to be checked up and signed by Mr. Wheelock upon his arrival. Your transportation from Fort Morgan, Ala., to Carrabelle, Fla., will be paid by this office. Government Transportation request enclosed.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent of Lighthouses
JAN 7 1921
New Orleans

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sand Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Jan 5, 1921.

Sir E. S. Lamphier.
Saperintendent of Light Houses
New Orleans, La.

Dear Sir,

Refering You to our pursonal Conversation in December last. the facts are that I made my appeal. and beged the honor. to request, that I be remembered and considered for a transfer to some Station where fainly quarters are provided.

In view of the situation. upon receiving your telegram. I am very much interested in the Crooked River. Range. Light. Station affair. And am awaiting anxiously to here further in the Matter.

Hunting if a Vacency at that Station is final. I will be given your consideration when filling the posetion.

Thanking You in advance for what You might do for me.

I beg to remain, Sir.,

Thomald Hansen.
Keeper.

EP-WJB.

December 31st, 1920.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
Sand Island Light Station,
Fort Morgan, Ala.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your telegrams of December 27th and 29th, advising that you would accept if offered position of Keeper of Crooked River Range Light Station, Fla., which fact has been noted and in the event of a vacancy occurring in the position you will be advised.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Form 1204

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Day Letter	Blue
Night Message	Nite
Night Letter	N L

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WESTERN UNION TELEGRAM

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Superintendent of Lighthouses
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TELEGRAM OF TWENTY SECOND INSTANT WAS ACKNOWLEDGED REGARDING POSITION KEEPER OF CROOKEDRIVER LIGHT ANXIOUSLY AWAITING FURTHER ORDERS

THORWALD

HANSEN KEEPER

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C O P Y.

TELEGRAM

Mobile, Ala., Dec. 27, 1920.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

New Orleans, La.,

Gladly accept position as Keeper Crooked River Range Light Station

(Signed) Hansen.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT

New Orleans, December 22,1920.

Hansen Keeper
Sand Island Light Station
Fort Morgan Alabama

via Independent Telegraph Line from Mobile

Telegraph whether you wish consideration position Keeper Crooked River Range Light Station Florida Two lights Five room detached dwelling for Keeper Salary Eight hundred forty plus bonus

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(SIGNED) LANPHIER

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

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Personnel

October 8, 1919

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Sand Island Light Station,
Fort Morgan, Ala.

1. You are advised that your letter of October 1st relative to your absence from the station during the hurricane is satisfactory to this office.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 4 1919
NEW ORLEANS

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sand Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Oct 1st, 1919

Superintendent of Light Houses
New Orleans, La.

Sir;

Replying to Your letter of Sept 26 1919. Regarding Charges preferred against the additional Keeper, G. Hansen, and My self. You are respectfully informed that on this day, I proceeded to Dauphin Island where the former 1st Assistant J. P. Richards, is located and forced him to admit before several parties that he lied. And that we did not leave the Station on the account of the Storm that was reported, And at that time Knowed Nothing about any Storm, Also secured his Signature to a Statment Correcting his Charges.

Complying to Your request. As to give full particulers., I have the honor to inforne that they are as follows. On Sept 11th 1919, I left the Station for Mobile to attend to business. unbeknowing to the Storm that was reported. And got the additional Keeper G. Hansen to convey me to the Port in the Station launch, And on Driving in Mobile at 10am 50 that Morning I learnt about the Storm And tried

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NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTH DISTRICT

_____
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

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to return to Fort Morgan, the following day by boat. Owing to no boat going to the Fort, I was compelled to remain in Mobile until the 14th, and on arriving back to Fort Morgan, I found the additional keeper, still there, and was informed that after My departure from the Fort the weather, became bad and he was unable to return to the Station.

Trusting this will meet with your approval.

I remain Yours Respectfully

Thorvald Hansen.

Attached is Statement
Signed by J.C. Richards.



ARMY AND NAVY
YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
"WITH THE COLORS"

Dauphin Island
Oct 4 1919



Superintendent of Light Houses
New Orleans, La.

Sir.

Replying to the Statement made by Me, Respecting that the Keeper N. Howard Hansey and additional Keeper Geo. Hansen left the Station (On the account of the Storm being reported. Is herewith Corrected.

They left the Station to get her pilot Boat for Fort Morgan. But unbeknowings to any Storm that was reported, The Keeper was to go to Mobile. And the additional was to return to Station.

J. A. Richards.

Sgd.

Keeper / Asst.

TO THE WRITER: SAVE BY WRITING ON BOTH SIDES OF THIS PAPER

TO THE FOLKS AT HOME: SAVE FOOD; BUY LIBERTY BONDS AND WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

EP-EC

September 26, 1919.

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Sand Island Light Station,
Fort Morgan,
Alabama.

1. You are advised that John A. Richards, Forst Assistant Keeper, Sand Island Light Station, reported to this office by long distance telephone on September 17th from Mobile that you and the temporary assistant keeper, George Hansen, on the day the storm was reported left the Light Station and proceeded to Fort Morgan, leaving Richards alone at the Light Station. You are requested to make a full report in regard to this matter, stating reasons why you left the station with the temporary assistant keeper on the date referred to. You will give the date on which you left and full particulars.

L.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

MEMO.

MCC 11:15 a.m. September 17, 1919.

(LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE MESSAGE)

John A. Richards, 1st Asst. Keeper, Sand Island Light Station, telephoned from Mobile that the Keeper and Temp. Assistant Keeper went to Fort Morgan the day the storm was reported, and that he (Richards) was out at the Sand Island Light Station alone during the storm. Said he was unable night before last (15th) to tell whether all the buoys were burning or not and he could not see the numbers of the buoys; that all buoys seemed to have been moved out of position a little bit, and that one of the white buoys was gone.

I told him to send a full report of this in writing to the office, as I could hardly hear his voice over the telephone.

He also stated that he desired his resignation to take effect at the close of the 15th of September if this could be done and not affect his good standing in the Service; that he left the station on the 16th, and his address would be Dauphin Island, Alabama. (I understood that he and the Keeper had some disagreement upon the Keeper's return to the station after the storm, but told him that was a personal matter to be settled between him and the Keeper or that he should report in writing to the Office.)

M. C. Pannell.

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT HOUSES JUN 26 1919

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES JUN 30 1919 NEW ORLEANS

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June 25, 1919.

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

r. Thorwald Hansen,

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

1080. 1020.

June 19, 1919.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,
(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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June 30, 1919.

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Sand Island Light Station,
Fort Morgan, Alabama.

1. Transmitted herewith is Department letter of June 25, 1919, notifying you of change in salary from $1080 per annum as Keeper of Sabine Bank Light Station to $1020 per annum as Keeper of Sand Island Light Station effective commencing June 19, 1919.

L.

First Assistant Superintendent in Charge.

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Form 73
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NOMINATION*

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th
OFFICE OF ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~, ... DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., June 20, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and appointment.

Name, Thorwald Hansen — Legal residence, Mississippi

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Salary, $1020 per annum.

Location, Sand Island Light Station, Alabama. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective June 19, 1919, { 'the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service. Former salary, $1080 p.a.

Location, Sabine Bank Light Station, Texas.

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

Application for transfer.

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March 6, 1919.

T. Hansen, Keeper,
Sabine Bank Light Station,
Sabine, Texas.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of February 27, 1919, regarding the position of Keeper, Sand Island Light Station, Ala., and you are informed that your name has been placed on file for consideration at the proper time.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Carter MRP

COPY (MCC) Recd., 10:15 a.m., Feb. 28, 1919. D.

Sabine Bank
Feb.27,1919.

Lighthouse Superintendent of the 8th District,
New Orleans,
Louisiana.

SIR:

I have the honor to ask when filling the vacancy as Keepership at Sand Island Light Station, I would like to be remembered and considered for the position at that station.

Trusting you will give this your due consideration, I remain,

Yours respectfully,

(Sgd.) THORWALD HANSEN.

Corded mail

EP-MCC
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November 29, 1916.

Thorwald Hansen,
resignation

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Under date of November 29, 1916, Thorwald Hansen, Keeper, Sabine Bank Light Station, states that he desires to withdraw his resignation, dated October 5th, from the Service.

In view of the above, the inclosed Department letter of November 16th, in duplicate, is returned for cancellation.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Form 1201

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November 20, 1918

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Sabine Bank Light Station,
Sabine, Texas

You are advised that, effective from November 1st, the following are the rates of pay for the keepers at Sabine Bank Light Station:

Keeper.	$1080	per	annum
First Asst. Keeper. . . .	900	"	"
Second Asst. Keeper . . .	840	"	"
Third Asst. Keeper. . . .	780	"	"

In addition to the above, the keepers will receive the usual commutation allowance for rations of 45¢ per day.

Until June 30, 1919, upon recommendation of the Superintendent that the ability and qualifications of keepers justify the increase, they may receive $120.00 per annum increased compensation provided for in the legislative act approved July 3, 1918.

In view of the above, and if it is decided to recommend that you receive, in addition to the base rates of pay stated above, the temporary increase at the rate of $120.00 per year, until June 30, 1919, do you desire to withdraw your resignation? If so, notify this office at the earliest possible moment.

It has also been decided that keepers who have completed five years continuous service will be paid an increased, or longevity, pay of $60.00 per annum in addition to the regular base pay. Of course, you have not yet had five years continuous service, and will not receive this longevity pay.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

L. P

First Assistant Superintendent.

(Copy) EC Recd. Nov. 26, 1918, 9:30 a.m. D.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sabine Bank Light Station
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Nov. 21, 1918.

Lighthouse Superintendent
of the 8th District.

Sir:-

I have the honor to submit herewith my resignation as assistant keeper at this station. In reference to some would say that for some time passed it has been my intention to return to my home, whereI am needed by my family, but have posponed asking for my release until such a time as it would appear that no inconvenience would be caused to the service by my leaving. In view of the generous increase in salarys, it will not be difficult to obtain suitable attendants at this station, and as Mr. Hansen has decided to remain, and there is now another assistant, my early release would be much appreciated, though I am sincerely regretfull to leave the Service after so short and in every way agreeable experience and trust that my services has given satisfaction.

Very respectfully yours

Edmund J. Hart

1st Asst. Keeper.

Read and approved by

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper.

Form 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION ~~OR DEATH~~

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

OFFICE OF ~~LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR~~, Eighth DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., November 12, 1918.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Thorwald Hansen — Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Legal residence, Mississippi — Station, Sabine Bank Light Station, Texas.

Salary, ~~$804.00~~ 1080.00 per annum.

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of December 15, 1918.

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

Remarks:

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sabine Bank Light Station
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

October 5, 1918

The 8th District Lighthouse Superintendent,

New Orleans, Louisiana.

Sir:

To take advantage of an opportunity that has been offered me in Mobile, where I can earn sufficient to enable me to meet the increased living expenses of my family, I would respectfully ask that my resignation as Keeper at this Station, be accepted and ask to be relieved of my duty not later than December 15th next.

I would express my regret that circumstances compel me to sever my connections with the Service which has always been of the most pleasant character, I remain

Yours respectfully,

THORWALD HANSEN,

Keeper.

MCC

November 12, 1918.

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Sabine Bank Light Station,
Sabine, Texas.

Your letter of resignation, dated October 5, 1918 (received at this office November 9, 1918), has been forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses with recommendation that it be accepted to take effect at the close of December 15, 1918. You will be duly advised of the Department's action in the matter.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

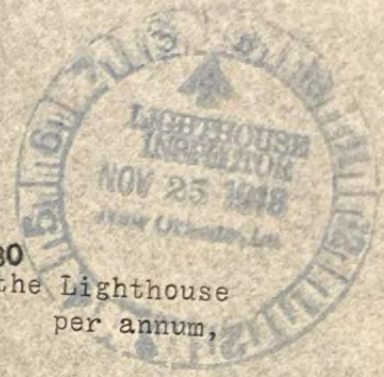
NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON . November 20, 1918.

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r. Thorwald Hansen,
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Sir: Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 804 per annum to $ 1080 per annum, effective November 1, 1918.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Berkinds

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Sabine Bank
L. S., Tex

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

District Circular No.24.

Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Eighth District, New Orleans, La.,
November 21, 1918.

T.HANSON,KEEPER,
SABINE BANK LT.STATION,
SABINE,TEXAS.

As a result of a recent reclassification of light stations in this district, you are informed that beginning November 1, 1918, the following revised schedule of pay at your station is in effect:

		Keeper	$1080	per	annum
First	Asst.	Keeper	900	"	"
2nd	"	"	840	"	"
3rd	"	"	780	"	"

Keepers will receive the usual commutation allowance for rations of forty-five cents (45¢) per day.

The rates of pay under this revision are base rates and keepers receiving the $120 per annum increase of compensation granted by legislative act for one year will continue to receive same up to the close of June 30, 1919, in addition to the new base rates, and those not now receiving the $120 per annum increase may be recommended to receive same, provided the ability and qualifications in each case justify the increase of compensation.

Longevity pay will be allowed all keepers who have completed five years' continuous service. This will amount to $60 per annum and will also be in addition to the base rates above stated.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Personnel

September 11, 1918.

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Sabine Bank Light Station,
Sabine, Texas.

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 11, 1918, withdrawing your resignation as Keeper of above station. No further action will be taken in the matter.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Personnel

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
SEP 13 1918
New Orleans, La.

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Oyster Point B
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sept 11, 1918

Light House Supprintendent 8th District.
New Orlgns,
La.

Sir

In reply to your communications of August 30, 1918.
Advising me of the raise in salrys of Kepers,
I beg to state that I would like to with draw my resignations
And remain at this Station.

Yours Respectfully.

Thorwald Hansen.
Keper.

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August 30, 1918.

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Sabine Bank Light Station,
Sabine, Texas.

Referring to your letter of resignation dated August 25, 1918, in which it is stated that it is due to the impossibility of providing for your family on the salary which you receive:

You are advised that at the present time there is under consideration a substantial increase in the pay of the position of keeper of Sabine Bank Light Station, and, in view of this, you are requested to state whether you will withdraw your resignation until this matter is decided.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sabine Bank
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

August 25, 1918

Light House Superintendent 8th Distrct
New Orleans
La

Sir

Owing to increase in expences I find it imporible to provide for my family, Who have no other means of suporte; On the salry of my present posetion, I would therefore respectfully Ask You to consider my resignation, to take effict from Octobe 1st next, In making this request I beg to state that I have an Opportunity to secure a posetion Where I will be able to earn enough to provide for those dependent on me, And in Justice to them I think I should take advantage of the offer,
And hope you will give the matter your early + favorable consideration

Respectfully Yours.

Aronuld Hansen,
Keeper.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE



PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

(To be furnished for each person appointed in the service of the Department immediately upon entrance on duty. The statement should be signed by the appointee or employee. If unable to write, he may sign by mark in the presence of one witness.)

1. What is your full name? (State whether Mr., Miss, or Mrs. and spell out names in full, including middle name or names. Example: Mr. John Richard Roe. If name itself is merely a letter, it should be so stated.)

Mr. Thorwald Hansen

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

3. Bureau or Service, place, and district in which employed:

Lighthouse (Bureau or Service.) Sabine Bank Light Station, La. (Place (city, town, station, or vessel).) Eighth (District.)

4. Position to which appointed 2d Assistant Keeper.

5. Compensation $480 per annum.

6. Appropriation from which paid Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

7. In what manner did the employee enter the service? (Examples: "From stenography and typewriting examination ———, 191—;" or "Without examination;" or "By reinstatement;" or "By transfer from ———," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

From Assistant Lighthouse Keeper Examination--February 12, 1918.

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

Mobile (City or town.) Ala. (State or Territory.) Mobile (County.) First. (Congressional district.)

9. When the legal residence given in answer to question 8 differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

None

10. What is your race? (Answer "white," "colored," or "Mongolian.") WHITE.

11. Where were you born? Battery Gladden, Light Station, Mobile, Ala,

12. When were you born? April (Month.) 5th (Day.) 1892, (Year.)

13. If foreign born, state when and where naturalization papers were taken out

No

14. What is your marital condition? Single

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

Mrs. Marrie Hansen, (Name.) 805 Dauphin St. (Number and street.)

Mobile (City or town.) Ala. (State or Territory.)

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16. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? No

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

Name.	Post-office address.	Position and department or office in which employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position ... Department or office ...		
		Position ... Department or office ...		
		Position ... Department or office ...		

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

No

18. Have you ever held any other position in the civil service of the United States? (If so, give below the Department and Bureau or Service in which you served, the position held, the salary you received, and the dates of your appointment and separation from the service.)

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
Commerce,	S. F.	Asst. K,	624 Per An,	2/26/08,	7/23/11,

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

No,

20. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during any war? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
116, Field Artillery, 31st Div,	6/11/17,	10/28/17,	Dependent Relatives,

21. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States other than during war time, indicate such service in the spaces below.

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
No.			

22. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? No, (If answer is "Yes," give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Relationship (widow or orphan) ...

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service ...

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

23. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States civil service? (It is intended that the answer to this question shall state briefly the lines of work followed by you before receiving your present appointment, with the exception of your service indicated in answer to questions 18, 19, 20, and 21.)

Marine Fireman U.S. Charleston, Dredge Boat.

24. What education have you received? (Indicate the grades of schools you have attended, and, in case you have attended schools of higher grade than high schools, give the institution, degrees received, and date in each case. Example: Public school; high school; business college; Cornell University, A. B., 1900; Columbia University, LL. B., 1903.)

High School,

25. What special qualifications have you—educational, professional, technical, mechanical, etc.? (Examples: Qualified as "Lawyer," or "Civil engineer," or "Translator," or "Interpreter," or "Draftsman," or "Carpenter.")

None

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

Asst. Light House Keeper, Feb 12th 1918.

27. Were the answers to the foregoing questions written by you? (If not, state the name and address of the person who wrote them for you.)

YES.

Date, March 31st, 1918

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) Thorwald Hansen

P. O. Address: Sabine
City or town.

Number and street.

Texas,
State or Territory.

(If appointee is to be employed in the field, this form should be reviewed and approved by the proper field officer and need not be signed by an official of the Bureau. If appointee is to serve in the District of Columbia, the form should be reviewed and approved by the proper Bureau officer. When forwarding this form, no letter of transmittal is required.)

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Reviewed, approved, and forwarded April 19, 1918.

(Signature)

(Official title) Inspector, 8th Lighthouse District.

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April 2, 1918.

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Sabine Bank Light Station,
Sabine, Texas.

Personal Question Sheet executed by you on March 31, 1918, is herewith returned for answer to Question 27.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Chief Clerk.

Form 1244.
May, 1915.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

U. S. Light House Service
[Branch of service or department.]

Sabine, Texas
[Name of city.] [State.]

March 31st, 1918.

DECLARATION OF APPOINTEE.

This form must be executed by the appointee before he enters on duty. If the answer to question 6 includes two or more names, and is not IDENTICAL in every respect with answer to similar question in the application, this form must be submitted by the appointing officer for approval before appointment may be authorized. ATTENTION IS DIRECTED TO THE PROVISIONS OF LAW AS QUOTED ON ATTACHED FORM. False personation in an examination is a criminal offense, and will be prosecuted accordingly.

QUESTIONS.	ANSWERS.
1. What was your age on your last birthday and what was the date of your birth?	25 Years, 4/5/92.
2. Where were you born?	Battery Gladden U.S. Mobile Bay
3. What were the names of the persons who signed the vouchers to your application?	Arthur J. Groves. C. Mankers. T. Lyons.
4. In what city or town, and in what building were you examined?	Federal Bld. New Orleans La.
5. To what position have you been appointed? State the salary. If temporary, so state.	2nd Asst Light House Keeper @ $480.

6. Are any members of your family in the U. S. Government Service? Answer "yes" or "no" No. If so, fill in the following blanks. If additional space is necessary use back of this sheet.

Name.	Post office address.	Position and department or office in which employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position ..... Department or office		
		Position ..... Department or office		
		Position ..... Department or office		

7. Have any of the above-named persons entered the Government service since the execution of your application for examination? No. If so, give the name of each such person .....

8. Will you inform yourself of and observe the provisions of the civil service law and rules and Executive orders concerning political activity, political coercion, political assessments, use of influence to secure promotion, etc., as quoted on the attached form? Yes.

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

Thorvald Hansen.
[Signature.]

Sabine Texas
[Give here your present post-office address, city and state, including street and number.]

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

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? .....

Signature C. D. Crawford

Official title Keeper

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

The paper should be returned to Chief Clerk of bureau when completed.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 27 1918

March 26, 1918.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR MAR 30 1918 New Orleans, La.

Sir:

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

~~Keeper~~

in the ~~Lighthouse Service~~

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

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

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

C

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Currie D. Crawford.

Legal Residence: Alabama.

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COPY (MCC) Recd., L.H.Inspr., N.O.,La., 12 M, Apr.18,1918.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Thorwald Hansen,

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

THORWALD HANSEN,
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 16th day of April, A. D. 1918.

(Affix official seal here)
S(Notary Public,
E(County of Jefferson,
A(Texas.
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[4] (*Name*) W. A. Vaughn,

(*Official title*) Notary Public

My commission expires June 1, 1919.

	Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present	Keeper in the Light-house Service	$804 p.a.	Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana.
Former	2d Asst. Keeper in the L.H. Service	$480 p.a.	Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana.

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

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 8th DISTRICT

New Orleans, La., (Address) April 19, 1918. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on April 1, 1918. (Date)

(Signature, followed by title) Inspector.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.
[2] Insert here "sworn to" or "affirmed," as the case may be.
[3] The oath may be taken any time after the date of appointment and prior to the payment of compensation, but no compensation shall be paid until the oath is executed in proper form.
[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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April 1, 1918.

Thorwald Hansen, Keeper,
Sabine Bank Light Station,
Sabine, Texas.

Transmitted herewith is Department letter dated March 26, 1918, promoting you to the position of Keeper at Sabine Bank Light Station at a salary of $804 per annum (plus 10% during the present fiscal year) and the usual ration allowance.

Subscribe to inclosed "Oath of Office"before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths and return same promptly as no compensation under your new appointment will be paid you until the oath is received in proper form.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

J. A. Wilcox
Chief Clerk.

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Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., March 19 8.
(City.) (Date.), 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion and appointment.

Name, Thorwald Hansen. Legal residence, Alabama.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service. Salary, $804 per annum.

Location, Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana. Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective April 1, 1918, [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Second Assistant Keeper. Former salary, $480 p.a.

Location, Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana.

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

Previous incumbent, Currie D. Crawford. Services terminated, to x about March 31, 1918.

Reason, Resigned.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Thorwald Hansen is now serving under probationary appointment, but, in view of his service as Second Assistant Keeper and Assistant Keeper at various light stations in this district, the above promotion is recommended. He is the only employee in his grade at Sabine Bank Light Station, and the vacancy to which promotion is proposed could not be foreseen at the time of his appointment. There is no suitable employee in the Service who desires transfer to this position.

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

Through C. H. Seay mcc

Secretary, Civil Service District.

D
Inspector.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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March 19, 1918.

Thorwald Hansen, 2d Asst. Keeper,
Sabine Bank Light Station,
Sabine, Texas.
(Through the Keeper.)

Referring to your letter of March 14, 1918, requesting that you be given consideration when filling the position of Keeper at Sabine Bank Light Station:

You are informed that, in view of your previous service in this district (from February 26, 1908, to July 23, 1911), recommendation has been made to the Commissioner of Lighthouses that you be promoted to the position of Keeper at Sabine Bank Light Station at a salary of $804 per annum (plus 10% during the fiscal year to end June 30, 1918) and the usual ration allowance.

You are directed to assume charge of the light station upon Mr. Crawford's departure at the close of March 31st, signing the "Receipt for Transfer of Property (Form 30)" prepared by Mr. Crawford, in accordance with instructions contained in letters from this office to him dated March 13 and 18, 1918.

(Signed) DORRY,

Inspector.

Copy furnished 1st Asst. Keeper Jernigan for his information. You are directed to turn over to Mr. Hansen the copies of letters dated March 13 and 18, addressed to Mr. Crawford.

(Signed) DORRY,

Inspector.

Copy furnished Keeper Currie D. Crawford, Sabine Bank L.S., Sabine, Texas, for his information and guidance.

Inspector.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sabine Bank.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 14., 1918.

Light House Inspector.
New Orleans. La.

Sir,

I would like to refer you to my previous record in the Light House Service of five years in the 8th District.

The Keeper tells me that his Resignation takes effect on the close of this month, and I would like to be considered when filling the vacancy.

Respectfully,
Thorwald Hansen,
2nd Asst. Keeper.

Through the Keeper.
C. D. Crawford.

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 1918

March 4, 1918.

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR MAR 8 1918 New Orleans, La.

M Thorwald Hansen,

Throughthe Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. - - -) issued by thocal Civil Service Board for the Eighth Lighthouse District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Walker C. Brown.

Legal Residence: Alabama.

(See reverse side.)

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COPY (MCC) Recd., L.H.Inspr., N.O., La., Apr. 2, 1918.

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Thorwald Hansen,

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

THORWALD HANSEN.

(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 1st day of April, A. D. 191 8.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (*Name*) W. A. VAUGHN,

S(Notary Public,
E(County of
A(Jefferson,
L(Texas.

(*Official title*) Notary Public.

My commission expires June 1, 1919.

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present 2d Asst. Keeper in the L.H. Service	$480 p.a.	Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana.
Former [5] Probationary appointment.		

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

MCC

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, Eighth District

New Orleans, La., April 2, 1918.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on March 10, 1918.
(Date)

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector

(Signature, followed by title) Chief Clerk.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.
[2] Insert here "sworn to" or "affirmed," as the case may be.
[3] The oath may be taken any time after the date of appointment and prior to the payment of compensation, but no compensation shall be paid until the oath is executed in proper form.
[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, a chief clerk in the office of a lighthouse inspector or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of lighthouse inspectors and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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March 13, 1918.

Thorwald Hansen, 2d Asst. Keeper,
Sabine Bank Light Station,
Sabine, Texas.
(Through the Keeper.)

Transmitted herewith is Department letter dated March 4, 1918, appointing you Second Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of $480 per annum (plus 10% during the fiscal year to end June 30, 1918) and an allowance of thirty cents (30¢) per day in cash instead of rations, effective commencing the date you reported to the Keeper of Sabine Bank Light Station at Sabine, Texas.

Subscribe to inclosed "Oath of Office" before a notary public or other person authorized to administer oaths and return same to this office as soon as practicable, as no compensation will be paid you until the oath is received in proper form.

"Personal Question Sheet" should be executed in duplicate, all questions being answered even if only "Yes" or "No" is necessary.

"Declaration of Appointee," Form 124, should be filled out and signed by you in the presence of the Keeper of Sabine Bank Light Station; then dated and signed by him and forwarded to this office.

Give the above your careful attention.

(Signed) B. B. DORRY,

Inspector.

Copy furnished C. D. Crawford, Keeper, Sabine Bank Light Station, for his information and the station files.

Promptly advise this office the exact date Mr. Hansen reported to you at Sabine, Texas, as that will be considered as the date of his entrance upon duty.

Inspector.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sabine Bank
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

3/25, 1918

Light House Inspector.
New Orleans La.
Sir:-
Mr Thorwald Hansen, reported to me for duty at Sabine Texas March 18th, 1918 at noon.

Respectfully
C. D. Crawford, Keeper.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sabine Bank
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 12, 1918

Light House Inspector,
New Orleans La.

Sir:

Mr Thorwald Hansen reported to D.A. Jernigan at Sabine Tex for duty March 10th 1918.

Respectfully
C. D. Crawford, Keeper.

Form 56

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TELEGRAM

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

IDENTIFICATION CARD NO. _____

RECEIVER'S No.	TIME FILED	CHECK
		PAID, GOVERNMENT RATE

OFFICIAL BUSINESS

New Orleans, La., March 8, 1918
(Place and date)

SEND TO Thorwald Hansen

Three Hundred Five Dauphin Street
Mobile Alabama

Proceed today for duty Sabine Bank Light Station

DORRY LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR

Copy forwarded to C.D.Crawford, Keeper,
Sabine Bank L.S., Sabine, Texas.

CHARGE BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES, WASHINGTON, D. C.

APPROPRIATION FOR "GENERAL EXPENSES, LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE."

ATTEST: [SIGNED] DORRY
(Name)

Inspector, 8th Lighthouse District.
(Title)

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EXEMPT FROM TAX

Form 3

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SPECIAL

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., February 26, 1918.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, **Thorwald Hansen.** Legal residence, **Alabama.**

Position, **Second Assistant Keeper in the Light-house Service.** Salary, **$480 per annum.**

Location, **Sabine Bank Light Station, Louisiana.** Appropriation, **Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.**

Effective **March 8, 1918,** ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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

Location, - - - - - -

Rank on eligible list, First. Rating, **Assistant Keeper** Percentage, **86.4**, Other eligibles considered:

John C. Kraemer, C.

Previous incumbent, Walker C. Brown. Services terminated, **about March 7, 1918.**

Reason, **Resigned.**

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Thorwald Hansen served as 2d Assistant Keeper and Assistant Keeper at various light stations in this district from February 26, 1908, to July 23, 1911, inclusive. Quarters are not provided at Sabine Bank Light Station for the family of the Second Assistant Keeper. There is no suitable employee in the service who desires transfer to this position.

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

Forwarded
Geo. C. D. Lacy
mcc

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Inspector.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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Mobile Ala.
March 7. – 18.

Light House Inspector
New Orleans.
L. A.

Sir

It was desired by you in your letter of February 27. – 18 to have me report for duty to Mr C. D Crawford. Keeper of Sabine Bank Light Station, on the morning of March 8.th – 1918. I informed you by return mail that I understood its contents and would be ready to leave in route to Sabine with your request on short notice. However. I have received no definite instructions to do so. I thought it my duty to Inform you of this matter as the date in which I am to report for duty is drawing near, and am anxious to know what to do.

I am Yours Very Respectfully
Thorwald Hansen



Mobile Ala.
March 1st 1918

Light House Inspector
New Orleans.
La.

Sir
Your letter of Feb. 27. 18.
just received and I wish
to state that I am ready
to report for duty at any
moments further notice.

Respectfully
Thorwald Hansen

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February 27, 1918.

Mr. Thorwald Hansen,
305 Dauphin Street,
Mobile, Alabama.

Sir:

Referring to your return of Form 201 indicating your willingness to accept the position of Third Assistant Keeper at Sabine Bank Light Station, at a salary of $456 per annum (plus 10% during the present fiscal year) and an allowance of thirty cents (30¢) per day in cash instead of rations:

You are informed that you have been selected for appointment to the position of Second Assistant Keeper at above station at $480 per annum (plus 10%) and the usual ration allowance.

It is desired to have you report for duty to Mr. C. D. Crawford, the Keeper of Sabine Bank Light Station, on the morning of March 8, 1918, or as soon thereafter as practicable. Your pay will commence from the day you report to Mr. Crawford. However, do not leave your home enroute to Sabine until you receive definite instructions from this office to do so.

Acknowledge receipt of this letter by return mail, stating that you understand its contents and will be prepared to leave your home on short notice.

Respectfully,

(Signed) B. B. DORRY,

Inspector.

Copy furnished Currie D. Crawford, Keeper, Sabine Bank L.S., for his information, guidance, and the station files.

Upon bringing Mr. Walker C. Brown, present 2d Assistant Keeper, ashore at the close of March 7th, you will await Mr. Hansen's arrival in Sabine before returning to the station, unless further advised to the contrary by this office.

Inspector.