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Archival Research Room Record Request
National Archives at St. Louis

Date: 03/20/2026

REQUESTER INFORMATION

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

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

Name used in Service (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Service Number/SSN	Date & Place of Birth
Johnson, Olaf		1872 Sweden

MILITARY SERVICE

Branch of Service:

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

Type of Rank:

- ☐ Enlisted
- ☐ Officer
- ☐ Unknown

Service Period (Check all that apply):

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

Date & Place of Death:

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Andrew Burns

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service (MD/VA)		
From: 1901	To: 1926	
(Agency & Location) Soundex = J525		
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: C-00071793330

CMRS Search Request Number(s): Submitted to Arc Search 3/24/26

Attendant Signature:

Remarks: SBB

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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:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Olaf Johnson (Name) — Md (Legal Residence)

STATUS

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DESIGNATION	ACTION	SALARY	5th BUREAU—SERVICE—STATION	DATE OF EFFECT
2d Asst Kpr.	Prob	456	L.H.- Thimble Shoal L.S. Va.	Mar. 13, 191
			RESIGNED CLOSE OF Apr. 30, 1916.	
Keeper	Prob.	720	L.H.- Baltimore L.S. Md.	Jan. 25, 1919
"	Trans	720	" - 7-Foot Knoll L.S. Md.	May 1, 1919
			RESIGNED CLOSE OF Oct. 15, 1920.	D
Keeper (1st Class)	Prob.	1140	L.H. - Any Sta.	Dec. 1, 1925.
"	Prom	1320	" - Hooper Is L.S. Md	
			Discontinued - Close May 27, 1926.	

JOHNSON, OLAF

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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APPOINTMENT DIVISION

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May 14, 1926.

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CHIEF CLERK

Subject: Charges, Olaf Johnson.
Reference: Bureau endorsement, May 11th on Department letter, May 6th.

1. Returned to Commissioner of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C. Copies of reports in above matter are forwarded herewith in compliance with above reference.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
MAY 15 1926

Inclosure
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

File

C O P Y

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Appointment Division

WASHINGTON

May 6, 1926.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In order to comply with your request of April 29, 1926, that the Keeper's reports in the case of Olaf Johnson, whose services have been discontinued during probation, when their purpose has been served, the Department requests that it be furnished with copies thereof for its files.

By direction of the Secretary:

(S'd.) Edward J. Gardner,
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C., May 11, 1926.

Encls.

To Superintendent of Lighthouses, Baltimore, Md., with request that the Bureau be furnished copies of attached reports, in duplicate, in order to complete the Department's and Bureau's files. Be guided accordingly in submitting cases in the future to see that sufficient copies are furnished.

(S'd.) J. S. Conway,
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Hooper Island Lt.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 18, 1926

To Superintendent of Lighthouses,

Sir:

Subject: Personal conduct of Mr. Johnson, Asst. Keeper of Hooper Island Light Station.

At this time I have not any complaint to make against Mr. Johnson only to say he is a good man and qualified to fill the position. Will say of late I would not want to be with a better man than he is, a man you can trust at all times. I think we will get along all right together, the more I see of him the better I like him.

Respectfully,

(S'd.) E. C. Tyler, Keeper.

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BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Hooper Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

April 24, 192 6

To Superintendent of Lighthouses,

Sir:

Mr. Olaf Johnson - final report while at this station being that he is a good clean man and knows how to keep things in good shape by letting him do as he wants to do it, but will say I am not satisfied with him and do not want any trouble with him. I have signed these papers, yes, thinking he may get a more suitable place and get along fine.

Respectfully,

(S'd.) E. C. Tyler, Keeper.

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BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Cove Pt. Lt.,
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Feb. 23, 1926

Supt. Lighthouses

Sir:

Your letters of Feb. 17 & 20 received today and I am enclosing you a copy of Survey Form 25, dated Oct. 27, 1924, and survey Nov. 7, 1924, sign by you & myself, Olaf Johnson Additional Keeper.

This man was here from Dec. 2nd to Dec. 8th, and did not stand any watch at night but work in daytime I ask Johnson to come on watch one night during a fog with Asst. Midgett and learn all he could about the fog signal so he come on Mr. Midgett but did not take any interest in the fogsignal but sit in chair and sleep, that is what Mr. Midgett told me and I call him one night to help me with fogsignal he done what I told him but did not take and interest diden seem to care seem to think there was two much work here to do. He diden want to work and was a very unpleasant man to do work with in that he would want all hands in same job I had him cleaning up grounds of station would allways be saying this is work but I kept him to it and never stood any watch but one night with Asst. Midgett. It is the earnest conviction of both of us Keepers that had he stayed here he would of cause trouble sooner or later or whereever he goes I am glad he is not here. He would not suit here for Asst. Kpr. for I dont believe he ever would learn the working of this station. It seems to us keepers that the sooner the service is rid of this man the better. For when a man wont take any interest in anything one can never learn them anything personal. I have nothing against this man but am talking for the best interest of the service and this I try to impress on every man that goes with me. It is the nite the man that comes on the watch 12.30 a.m. Will stand this watch and put lt. in order for that night and work till 12 that day and then knock off and go to sleep but on one occasion Mr. Midgett had been on this watch and that Mr. Johnson want to know where Midgett was and why he didnt work when he had made 11½ hrs. straight. I said hes asleep and I am running this station.

In regard to our conversation over the telephone from Annapolis I told you there was nothing wrong with the fog signal at this station when Asst. Kpr. Midgett said he was having trouble with same. In the air tank of the fog signal at the bottom is a valve or outlet that you open to let off water or oil or air when ever one thinks there is water or air in the tank this valve was open and the air went out this valve as fast as the compressor would pump it in. Therefore not leaving any air to blow the horn. Soon as the Asst. Kpr. closed this valve everything was o.k. I mention this to show what I told you was correct. It was simply a neglect or oversight in the Asst. Kpr. not to look the fog signal over and try to detect what valves was open before putting signal in operation. I always go over everything before I leave here any time to convince myself that the station is in good working order all around.

Please send me some official envelopes.

Respectfully,
(S'd.) C. B. Gray, Keeper.

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BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Newport News M.G. Light Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

February 19, 1926

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Md.

Subject: Mr. Olaf Johnson.

Dear Sir:

For 4 days Mr. Johnson was as fine a man as I wish to be with, after that he walked floor for 3 days and never spoke only when I would speak to him, then I ask him what the trouble was, then he cursed back at me and threatened me with his razor wich he was shaving with at the time and said when he got to Hoopers Island and the (d) man was as mean as myself he would do away with him. And I will have to say that I am not a swareing man but willing to sware that Mr. Johnson and myself never had the least bit of argument cross words nor trouble in any way, shape or form, so I must say that the man must of bin insane at times.

Respectfully,

(S'd.) H. T. Austin,
Keeper.

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BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Cobb Point Bar - Md.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

February 19, 1926

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Md.

Sir:

In reply to communication of Feb. 16th, 1926, regarding character of Mr. Olaf Johnson's services while on duty at this station I beg to advise that Mr. Johnson acted like a gentleman, and was very conscientious and efficient in work and duty.

Respectfully,

(S'd.) O. O. Johnson,
Keeper.

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BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Hooper Island Lt.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

February 11, 192 6

To Superintendent of Lighthouses,

Sir:

I am very sorry to report to this office in regard to Asst. Keeper as he and myself will not be fit to stay here together, it seems as nothing at this station pleases him it is dam this and dam that. I am a man who does not like to hear it. I have been informed that he threatened the keeper life at Newport Newslight st. My request is one or the other be moved at once.

Respectfully,

(S'd.) E. C. Tyler,
Keeper.

5/10/26

Letters dated 2/11; 2/[redacted] (2);
2/23 (2); 3/18; 4/24, sent +
Mr. Jones (2 cy.) Copies + be
furnished Dept —
When these copies are recd check
up and see if we have everything.

RM.

May 6, 1926.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In order to comply with your request of April 29, 1926, that the Keeper's reports in the case of Olaf Johnson, whose services have been discontinued during probation, when their purpose has been served, the Department requests that it be furnished with copies thereof for its files.

By direction of the Secretary:

EDW. J. GARDNER.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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CARDED

May 6, 1926.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Mr. Olaf Johnson,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

In view of a report to the effect that you are of a somewhat erratic temperament which renders you unfit for general duty as Keeper in the Lighthouse Service, the Department, upon recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses, and in accordance with paragraph (c) of section 1 of Civil-Service Rule VII, has discontinued your services as Assistant Keeper at $1320 per annum, effective at the close of May 27, 1926.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER.
MAY 7 1926

Chief of Appointment Division.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

April 27, 1926

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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APPOINTMENT DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAY 2 1926.
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

Subject: Probationary appointment, Olaf Johnson, Assistant Keeper. 1320

1. There is forwarded herewith Report on Probationary Appointee in the case of Olaf Johnson, made out by the Keeper, Hooper Island Light Station and qualified by his letter of April 24, 1926. There are also enclosed letters from keepers of the various stations at which Mr. Johnson has served since his entrance on duty December 1, 1925. From the tenor of these letters, it is considered that Mr. Johnson has a somewhat erratic temper which makes him unfit for general duty as keeper in the Lighthouse Service, although it is thought that he might serve satisfactorily at certain stations. It is therefore recommended that authority be granted to discontinue his services effective at the close of May 27, 1926.

2. Please return enclosures for the files of this office.

CHARGED

Note - "Report on Prob. Appt" attached. Keeper reports him satisfactory during Prob. - but appears in letter (also attached) this reason.

ACTION TAKEN
MAY 6 1926
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

King
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
APR 29 1926

Inclosure
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval The return of the keeper's reports is requested when their purpose has been served.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

APPROVED:
ACTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

REPORT ON PROBATIONARY APPOINTEE.
(This report to be made at expiration of fifth month of service.)

LIGHTHOUSES

Lighthouse Service
(Bureau)

April 12, 1926
(Date)

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SUPT OF LIGHTHOUSES APR 27 1926 BALTIMORE

The Secretary of Commerce,
(The Chief of Appointment Division):

The probationary period of the person named below expires at the close of business on June 1, 1926.

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

Name Olaf Johnson

Position Assistant Keeper

Salary $1320. per annum

Appropriation Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Station Hooper Island Light Station

Date of entrance on duty December 1, 1925

Remarks:

Supv.
1 A Supt.
Chief Cl.
2 A Supt.
3 A Supt.
4 A Supt.
1 Draftg.
2 Draftg.
Hydrog.
Accounts
Ordering
Personnel
Cost Kpg.
File Clk.
Stenog.
Messenger
File

E. G. Tyler Keeper
(Signature of immediate superior.)

Keeper, Hooper Island Light Station

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

SUBMITTED: April 27, 1926.

but, Not approved.
H. D. King
(Head of Bureau or Office)

Superintendent of Lighthouses

(+If unsatisfactory, recommendation for discontinuance under the provisions of paragraph (c) of section 1 of civil service rule VII, should immediately be forwarded to the Department.)

CROSS REFERENCE

Office of Superintendent, 5th District
Baltimore, Md. 2-5-26

Feb. 19, 1926.

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

Subject: Transfers and promotions.

1. Below is report for month of January of transfers, promotions and demotions made in this district which do not require oaths, including transfers made by Form 73a, with necessary data required by the Department in connection thereto.

Name	Position	Salary	Nature of Change	Letter date	Effec. date of change
Olaf Johnson	Keeper	$1320 p.a.	Promotion	1-9-26	1-16-26

See letter dated Feb. 5, 1926, in file of Fred.C. Ruffhead.

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 9, 1926.

M. Olaf Johnson,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $1140 per annum to $1320 per annum, effective

January 16, 1926, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty.

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 WASPINGTON

Chief of Appointment Division.

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Baltimore, Md., (City.) January 4, (Date.) 19 26

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE JAN 9 1926

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion

Name, Olaf Johnson — Legal residence, Maryland

Position, (Assistant) Keeper — Salary, ~~$1320.~~ p.a. $1320. - $1560. Range

Location, Hooper Island Light Station, Md. — Appropriation, Sal.Kprs. of L.H.

Effective January 16, 1926 — {~~the actual date of entrance on duty, or~~ as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, (Additional) Keeper — Former salary, $1140. p.a.

Location, Any station, 5th Dist.

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

Previous incumbent, Edward M. Hayman — Services terminated, January 15, 1926

Reason, Transferred to position of assistant keeper, Newport News Middle Ground, Va.

Members of family in Government Service, None

Date of birth, November 14, 1871

Remarks:

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JAN 16 1926 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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. JAN 8 1926

1-9-26

APPROVED: E W Libby
ACTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

H. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

PERSONAL HISTORY

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

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
CHIEF CLERK
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Bureau, division, or office Lighthouse Service

1. Name in full ✓Olaf Johnson

2. Legal (voting) residence Maryland (State and Congressional District) 3rd (County) Baltimore (City or town)

3. Where born? Sweden (State or foreign country) Kungsbacka (City or town) When born? Nov. 14, 1871 (Date)

4. If foreign, state whether naturalized or alien Naturalized

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

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

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

BRANCH OF SERVICE AND PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
			Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
U.S. Lighthouse Service	Asst Keeper	$ 456	Mar.	13	1916	Apr	30	1916
do	" "	720	Jan	25	1919	Oct	15	1920

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

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

Enlisted ____ Discharged ____ Enlisted ____ Discharged ____

Organization ____ Organization ____

8. EDUCATION (Circle number of years)

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

9. State special qualifications

CARDED

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

(Name) (Relationship)

To Bureau

(Post office address)

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

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

November 30, 1925 (Date)

Present address 829 S. Bond St.

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Form 111
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OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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APPOINTMENT DIVISION

CHIEF CLERK 30 1925
SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.
LIGHTHOUSE 5
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I, Olaf Johnson,

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.

Olaf Johnson
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 30th day of November, A. D. 1925.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) J. C. Ruffhead

(Official title) Chief Clerk, 5th L. H. Dist.

My commission expires ____

Supt.
1 A Supt.
Chief Cl.
2 A Supt.
3 A Supt.
4 A Supt.
1 Drafts
2 Drafts
Hydrog.
Accounts
Ordering
Personnel
Cost Kps.
File Clk.
Stenog.
Messenger
File

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Additional Kpr.	$1140. p.a.	Any station, 5th Lighthouse District
Former [5] ----------		

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

CARDED

Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 5th District

Baltimore, Md., (Address) December 1, 1925 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on December 1, 1925 (Date)

J. D. Ring
Superintendent of Lighthouses
(Signature, followed by title)

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

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

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

November 17, 1925.

Mr. Olaf Johnson,

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, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Eleven Hundred and Forty 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 Secretary, Fourth Civil Service District.

CARDED

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED NOV 18 1925 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Such appropriation to which under the provisions of Section 3678, R. S., the duties performed may be properly chargeable.

Vice: Christian Anderson.

Legal Residence: Maryland.

Form A-14 (See reverse side.) 11—5980

Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md., (City.) November 12, (Date.) 1925

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
Thru Secty., 4th Civil Service Dist., Wash., D. C.
Action recommended, Probationary appointment

Name, Johnson, Olaf — Legal residence, Maryland

Position, Keeper (Additional) — Salary, $1140. p. a.

Location, Any station, 5th District — Appropriation, Salaries, Kprs of L. H.

Effective December 1, 1925 — [1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, --- — Former salary,

Location,

Rank on eligible list, 1 — Rating, Keeper Percentage, 86.0 , Other eligibles considered:
(C) Harris 85.8
(C) Newton 85.4

Previous incumbent, Christian Anderson — Services terminated, September 4, 1925

Reason, Transferred to position of assistant keeper

Members of family in Government Service, None

Date of birth, Nov. 14, 1871

Remarks:

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, NOV 14 1925, 19

L. A. Fisher
Secretary, 4th Civil Service District.

W. D. King
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

P 11-17-25.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NOV 16 1925

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

October 12, 1920.

Mr. Olaf Johnson,
Through the
Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your resignation from the position designated below, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Bureau, to take effect at the close of business on October 15, 1920.

Bureau..... Lighthouse Service.

Station..... Seven Foot Knoll Light Station, Md.

Position..... Keeper.

Salary..... $720 per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

APPOINTMENT DIVISION OCT 19 1920

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BALTIMORE, MD.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 5 1920
BALTIMORE, MD.

1920 OCT 7 AM 8 45
FIFTH DISTRICT

Seven foot Knoll Light Station.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

October 1th, 1920

Superintendent of Light houses Baltimore md

Sir. I Herewith Tender my Resignation
as Asst Keeper Seven foot Knoll Lt Station
My Service to end October 15th 1920

Respectfully Olaf Johnson
Asst Keeper Seven foot Knoll Lt Station

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Supt.
1 A Supt.
Chief Cl.
2 A Supt.
3 A Supt.
4 A Supt.
Mech.
1 Drafts
2 Drafts
Hydros.
Accounts
Ordering
Personnel
Cost Kpg.
File Clk.
Stenog.
Messenger
File

Form 93

MEM

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

LIGHTHOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1920 OCT 7 AM 8 45

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE ~~INSPECTOR~~ Supt. 5th DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md., October 6, 1920 , 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Olaf Johnson Position, Keeper

Legal residence, Md. Station, Seven Foot Knoll L.S.,Md.

Salary, $ 720.00 per annum

OTHER CLERK 5

1920 OCT 9 AM 9 32

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of October 15,1920.

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

Remarks: Letter of resignation attached. Nomination of successor will be made at the earliest practicable date.

APPOINTMENTS

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

1920 OCT 9 AM 10 47

Chief Clerk.

10-20

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

OCT 7 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN OCT 12 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1920 OCT 8 AM 9 24

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

5-4-21

Form 73a

MEM

APR 22 1919 8 50 AM

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

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LIGHT APR 22 1918 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Supt.

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Fifth DISTRICT.

APPOINTMENT CLERK

1919 APR 25 AM 8

Baltimore, Md. April 25, 1919, 191

1919 APR 24 PM 3 40

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee will be transferred as indicated, and will enter upon duty at his new station on May 1,1919

Name, Olaf Johnson

Position, Keeper (Asst.) 720.

From Baltimore Light Station, Md.

To Seven Foot Knoll Light Station, Md.

Previous incumbent, Roland M. Midgett

Services terminated, Close of April 19,1919

Reason, Temporary appointment expired.

Transfer made at request of Mr. Johnson.

Call up file of John W Gaither appr vice Midgett by trans from L.V. 72 D.L. apr 21/19

CARDED

Supt. of Lighthouses.

, 191

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

11—4598

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

APR 23 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

1919 APR 24 PM 2 11

E.C. Gillette

Acting Commissioner.

4/25/19 Free Asst

Blanks

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BALTIMORE, MD

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

MEM.

FEB 24 1919 [illegible] AM

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

APPOINTMENTS

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

1919 FEB 25 PM 3 26

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 5TH DISTRICT
LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

LIGHT
FEB 24 1919
5TH DIST.

February 21, 1919

1. Returned to the Commissioner of Lighthouses, Washington, D.C., with the request that same be amended to read "effective on the dated on which you entered upon duty", as Mr. Olaf Johnson has been on duty since the morning of January 25. Reference is made, in this case, to Form 73 dated January 23, nomination of Mr. Johnson.

Kpr 720 Balto Md
D. 7. Jan 29/19

U. S. REPORT DATE
ENTERED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
ENTERED
FEB 25 1919
DEPT. OF COMMERCE

1919 FEB 25 PM 2 57

Supt. of Lighthouses

2-25-19

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
ACTION TAKEN
FEB 25 1919
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

CARDED

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington.

FEB 24 1919

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval.

1919 FEB 25 PM 2 49

Acting Commissioner.

Cross Reference

May 12, 1920, the Bureau of Lighthouses reports, a list of persons with dates who served at Baltimore Light Station as Assistant keeper since December 25, 1918, the date of Mr. Kuhn's transfer from that Station.

Olaf Johnson	Jan. 25, 1919.
John W. Gaither	May 12, 1919.
John W. Higbee	Nov. 16. 1919.
James W. Simpson	April 6, 1920.

See file of Robert Kuhn for original report.

Form 111

MAR 4 1919 9 00 AM
MAR 5 1919 8 PM

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LIGHT MAR 4 1919 HOUSES

APPOINTMENTS MAR 4 1919

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES MAR 21 1919 BALTIMORE, MD.

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

APPOINTMENTS 1919 MAR 22 AM 11 00

CHIEF CLERK

I, Olaf Johnson

do solemnly[1] sweaf (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.

LIGHT MAR 22 1919 HOUSES

1919 MAR 22 PM

Supt.
1 A Supt.
Chief Cl.
2 A Supt.
3 A Supt.
4 A Supt.
Mech.
1 Drafts
2 Drafts
Hydrog.
Accounts
Ordering
Personnel
Cost Kpg.
File Clk.
Stenog.
Messenger
File

Olaf Johnson
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 27th day of

Jan, A. D. 1919

(Affix official seal here)

[4](Name) J. W. Pulford

Chief Clerk, 5th L. H. Dist.
(Official title)

My commission expires

Official Title	Rate of Pay (base)	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper	$ 720. p.a.	Baltimore Light Station, Md.
Former[5] None	-------	

Ret'd for completion & return to Bureau. Rec'd 3/20

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

CARDED

Office of ~~Lighthouse Inspector~~, Fifth District

Baltimore, Md. (Address), February 21, 1919 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on January 25, 1919 (Date)

1919 MAR 22 AM 10 20

Original Rec'd

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

J. P. Decon

(Signature, followed by title)

Asst. Supt. of Lighthouses

ENDORSED REPORT DATA

[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.

11—944

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON January 29, 1919.

Mr. Olaf Johnson,

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, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Seven Hundred and Twenty 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 Secretary, 4th District, Lighthouse Service.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JAN 30 1919 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

D
C (Signed) Clifford Harris
Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Robert Kuhn.

Legal Residence: Maryland.

(See reverse side.)

11—8080

5th district

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

MEM

SPECIAL

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Fifth DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md. (City.) January 23, 1919 (Date.), 191

FOURTH DISTRICT JAN 24 1919 Received

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Thro' Sec'y 4th Civil Service District) APPOINTMENTS

1919 JAN 29 AM 9 24

Action recommended, Probationary appointment

Name, Olaf Johnson — Legal residence, Maryland

Position, Keeper — Salary, $ 720. p.a.

Location, Baltimore Light Station, Md. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective January 23, 1919 — {[1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

LIGHT JAN 28 1919 HOUSES

Former position, None — Former salary, JAN 28 1919

Location,

Rank on eligible list, 1 Rating, Kpr Percentage, 87. , Other eligibles considered:

~~Wm. E. Williams - C - 87.~~

~~(no other eligibles available for this position at present)~~

Alex. B Curtis - C - 89.4

Archie C. Marshall - C - 84.8

Previous incumbent, Robert Kuhn — Services terminated, Close of Dec. 825.52.

Reason, Transferred

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Appt. of Messick to this position cancelled by letter to Bureau thro' 4th Civil Service District this date. Effective date is due to urgency of filling vacancy, as it is not considered practicable to have Keeper alone at station for any longer period than can be helped. Delay has already been caused on account of the necessity of cancelling appointments of two eligibles nominated for Balto. Lt. Mr. Johnson was in the office today and has advised that he will report for duty on effective date of appointment.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, 1/24/19, 191

L. H. Fisher 4th
Secretary, Civil Service District.

H. D. King
Supt. of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JAN 28 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1919 JAN 28 PM 3 20

JAN 29 19

Conway
Acting Commissioner

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

11—2314

April 14, 1916.

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your resignation, dated April 11, 1916, as second assistant keeper of Thimble Shoal Light Station, Virginia, at $456 per annum, in the Lighthouse Service, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses, to take effect at the close of April 30, 1916.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

Mr. Olaf Johnson,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

CARDED.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED APR 14 1916

CHANGE REPORTED APR 1916 L. H. COMMISSION

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

L. H. INSPECTOR APR 12 1916 BALTIMORE, MD.

LIGHT APR 13 1916 HOUSES

FIFTH DISTRICT

Thimble Shoal Va
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

April 11th, 1916

Light House Inspector Baltimore md

Sir

I Respectfully ask the Light House Inspector to accept my resignation as 2d assistant Keeper Thimble Shoal Light Station Va the Same to take affect april 30th 1916

Very Respectfully Olaf Johnson
2d assistant Keeper Thimble Shoal Va

H. C. Groom
Keeper

Rec. accpt
Nom from list

Inspector ✓
Chief Clerk
Superintendent
1 A. Supt.
2 A. Supt.
3 A. Supt.
Draftsman
Mechanician
Accounts
Hydrographer
Ordering
Personnel ✓
Cost Keeping
File Clerk
When Avail
File

Form 93

LETTER TRANSMITTING RESIGNATION

LIGHT APR 13 1916 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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One inclosure.

APR 14 1916 REC'D COMMERCE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 5th DISTRICT,
Baltimore, Md.,
April 12, , 1916

CHIEF CLERK APR14 1916 5

APPOINTMENTS APR14 1916 10,

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, Olaf Johnson — Position, 2nd Assistant Keeper

Legal residence, Maryland — Station, Thimble Shoal L.S., Va.

Salary, $456. per an.

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of April 30, 1916.

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

Remarks:

Nomination of a successor to Mr. Johnson will be made as soon as practicable.

King
Lighthouse Inspector.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR 13 1916

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

Conway
Acting Commissioner

L. H.
INSPECTOR
MAR 21 1916
BALTIMORE, MD.
LIGHT
MAR 22 1916
HOUSES
CHIEF CLERK
MAR 22 1916
APPOINTMENTS
MAR 24 1916

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

March 5, 1913.

To the Chiefs of Bureaus of the Department of Commerce:

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 information given in Part I should be reviewed and approved in accordance with instructions. The information in Part II should be supplied as indicated and the form forwarded to the Department.

William C. Redfield
Secretary.

CARDED.

PART I.

(Part I should be filled out 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. If name itself is merely a letter, it should be so stated.)

Olaf Johnston

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

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

Baltimore	Maryland	Baltimore	3d
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? Sweden

6. When were you born? November 14 1871
Month. Day. Year.

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

Alfred Johnson (Name) — 130 Oak Street (Number and street.)

Ashtabula (City or town.) — Ohio (State or Territory.)

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.
No.	Brom			

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.)

by application October 1915

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.)

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
no					

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

no

13. 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.)

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

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

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

15. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Name under which service was rendered no

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

16. 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 11, 12, 13, and 14.)

Seaman

17. 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 Schools

18. 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.")

Seaman, handy with tools — Strong

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

"Asst. Kpr." Dec. 14, 1915 — Strong

20. 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

21. State the date upon which the above blanks were filled. March 18, 1916

Witness:

(Signature) Olaf Johnson

P. O. Address: Fortress Monroe Va
City or town.

Number and street.

State or Territory.

In case signature is by mark.

(Where the appointee is to be employed outside of the District of Columbia the information given in Part I should be reviewed and approved by the officer in immediate charge before forwarding to the Bureau. Where he is to be employed in the District of Columbia, Part I should be reviewed and approved by the officer who executes Part II.)

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded March 18th, 1916

(Signature) G. W. Adams

(Official title) Acting Keeper

11—1434

Received, approved and forwarded, Mar. 21. 1916.
H. D. King.
Lighthouse Inspector.

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

Alfred Johnson (Name) — 130 Oak Street (Number and street.)

Ashtabula (City or town.) — Ohio (State or Territory.)

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.
No.	Brom			

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.)

by application October 1915

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.)

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
no					

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

no

13. 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.)

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

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

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

15. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Name under which service was rendered no

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

16. 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 11, 12, 13, and 14.)

Seaman

17. 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 Schools

18. 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.")

Seaman, handy with tools — Strong

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

"Asst. Kpr." Dec. 14, 1915 — Strong

20. 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

21. State the date upon which the above blanks were filled. March 18, 1916

Witness:

(Signature) Olaf Johnson

P. O. Address: Fortress Monroe Va
City or town.

Number and street.

State or Territory.

In case signature is by mark.

(Where the appointee is to be employed outside of the District of Columbia the information given in Part I should be reviewed and approved by the officer in immediate charge before forwarding to the Bureau. Where he is to be employed in the District of Columbia, Part I should be reviewed and approved by the officer who executes Part II.)

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded March 18th, 1916

(Signature) G. W. Adams

(Official title) Acting Keeper

11—1434

Received, approved and forwarded, Mar. 21. 1916.
H. D. King
Lighthouse Inspector.

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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:

Lighthouses (Bureau or Service.) | Thimble Shoal L.S., Va., (Place (city, town, station, or vessel.)) | 5th (District.)

2. To what position has he been appointed? 2nd Asst. Keeper

3. State the date of appointment. March 4, 1916

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

The date of entry on duty

5. State the date of the oath. March 18, 1916

6. State the date the employee entered on duty. March 13, 1916

7. What is his salary? $456. per an.

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

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 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.)

From "Asst. Kpr." exam. of Dec. 14, 1915, Local Civil Ser. Bd. of the 5th Lighthouse District.

12. Is the employee required to give bond? No

13. When the legal residence given in answer to question 3, Part I, differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

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

Issued by the Balto. City Court of 8th Jud. Circuit on May 7, 1897.

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded to the Department.

(Signature) W. D. King

(Official title) Lighthouse Inspector

Date: March 21, 1916

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

L. H. INSPECTOR MAR 21 1916 BALTIMORE, MD.

LIGHT MAR 22 1916 HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK MAR 23 1916

APPOINTMENT MAR 23 1916

I, Olaf Johnson

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.

Olaf Johnson
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 18 day of March, A. D. 1916

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Frank Sparrow

(Official title) Notary Public

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present 2nd Asst. Keeper	$456. per an.	Thimble Shoal L.S., Va.
Former None; appointee's original entry into this service, under appointment.		

CARDED

Inspector
Chief Clerk
Superintendent
1 A. Supt.
2 A. Supt.
3 A. Supt.
Draftsman
Mechanician
Accounts
Hydrographer
Ordering
Personnel
Cost Keeping
File Clerk
When Answ'd.
File

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

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 5th DISTRICT

Baltimore, Md., (Address) March 21, 1916 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on March 13, 1916 (Date)

H. D. King
(Signature, followed by title) Lighthouse Inspector.

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

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

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

[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs, as he has no power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk.

[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.

11—944

Encl

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 4, 1916.

M. Olaf Johnson,

Throughthe Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. - - - -) issued by the local Civil Service Board for the Fifth 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: James E. English.

Legal Residence: Maryland.

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 5th DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md., (City.) Feb. 29, (Date.) 191 6

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name,* Olaf Johnson — Legal residence, Maryland

Position, Second Assistant Keeper — Salary, $456. per an.

Location, Thimble Shoal L.S., Va. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective March 9, 1916 — {[1]the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Nominee has not had prior appointive service. — Former salary,

Location,

Rank on eligible list, 2 — Rating, "Asst. Kpr." — Percentage, 92. , Other eligibles considered:
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R. C. Farrow (F.R.)
W.V.Gayle (D.)

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Previous incumbent, James E. English — Services terminated to be determined.

Reason, Transferred and promoted to asst. kpr., $600. p.a., Brant Island Shoal L.S. and Brant Island Slue Light, N.C. eff e.o.d.

Relatives in Government Service, None

Remarks: Declination of Mr. Harris attached. Declination of Gayle attached. On account of proximity to his place of residence this position was offered to W.V. Gayle although his eligibility appears on the register limited to New Point Comfort L.S., Va. Mr. Johnson, nominee, has had about 6 years service as a seaman in the Lighthouse Service.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. March 2, 1916.

L. H. Fisher
Secretary, 4th Civil Service District.

King
Lighthouse Inspector.

Inclosures.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON
MAR 8 1916

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

S. Conway
Acting Commissioner

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION
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March 4, 1916.

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Chief of Appointment Division.

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Vice: James E. English.

Legal Residence: Maryland.

(See reverse side.)

MAR 6 1916

LIGHT
APR 15 1916
HOUSES

April 14, 1916.

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your resignation, dated April 11, 1916, as second assistant keeper of Thimble Shoal Light Station, Virginia, at $456 per annum, in the Lighthouse Service, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses, to take effect at the close of April 30, 1916.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

Mr. Olaf Johnson,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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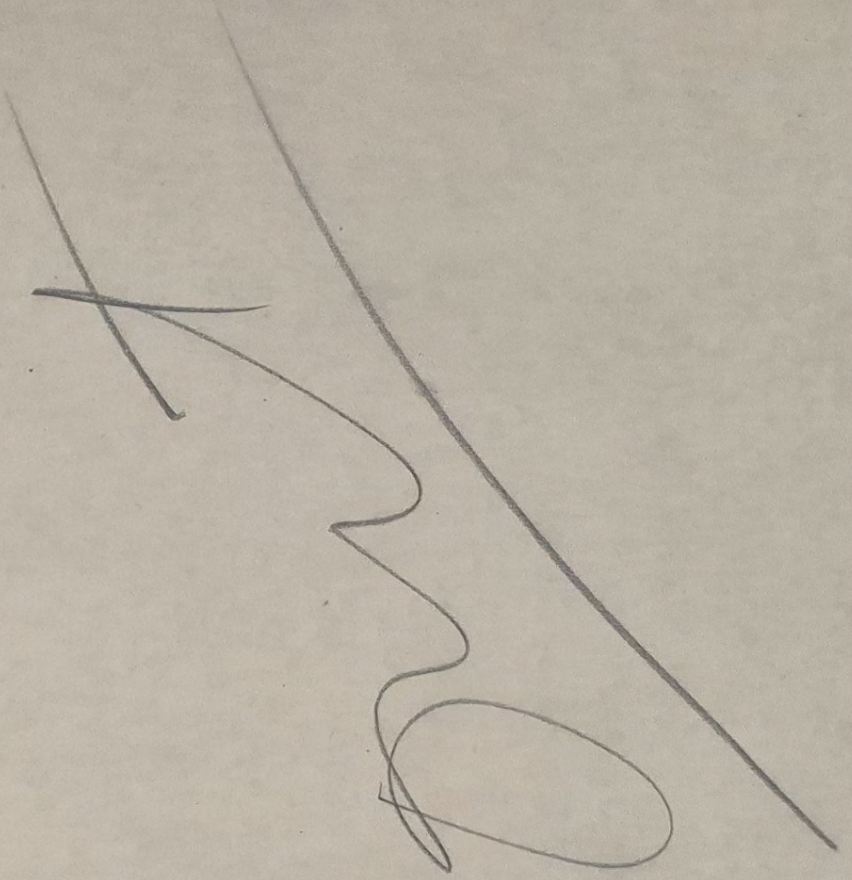

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BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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1926 APR 28 AM 11 42

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

April 27, 1926

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

Subject: Probationary appointment, Olaf Johnson, Assistant Keeper.

1. There is forwarded herewith Report on Probationary Appointee in the case of Olaf Johnson, made out by the Keeper, Hooper Island Light Station and qualified by his letter of April 24, 1926. There are also enclosed letters from keepers of the various stations at which Mr. Johnson has served since his entrance on duty December 1, 1925. From the tenor of these letters, it is considered that Mr. Johnson has a somewhat erratic temper which makes him unfit for general duty as keeper in the Lighthouse Service, although it is thought that he might serve satisfactorily at certain stations. It is therefore recommended that authority be granted to discontinue his services effective at the close of May 27, 1926.

2. Please return enclosures for the files of this office.

H. D. King

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
APR 29 1926

Inclosure
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for approval

The return of the keepers reports is requested when their purpose has been served.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

SUBJECT: Dept's. letter of May 6, discontinuance services of Olaf Johnson, Keeper/

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C. May 11, 1926.

Incls. To Superintendent of Lighthouses, Baltimore, Md., with request that the Bureau be furnished copies of attached reports, in duplicate, in order to complete the Department's and Bureau files. Be guided accordingly in submitting cases in the future to see that sufficient copies are furnished.

J. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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1926 MAY 15 AM 8 52

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

May 14, 1926.

Subject: Charges, Olaf Johnson.
Reference: Bureau endorsement, May 11th on Department letter, May 6th.

1. Returned to Commissioner of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C. Copies of reports in above matter are forwarded herewith in compliance with above reference.

H. D. King

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
MAY 15 1926

Inclosure
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Appointment Division

WASHINGTON

May 6, 1926.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In order to comply with your request of April 29, 1926, that the Keeper's reports in the case of Olaf Johnson, whose services have been discontinued during probation, when their purpose has been served, the Department requests that it be furnished with copies thereof for its files.

By direction of the Secretary:

(S'd.) Edward J. Gardner,
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Hooper Island Lt.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 18, 1926

To Superintendent of Lighthouses,

Sir:

Subject: Personal conduct of Mr. Johnson, Asst. Keeper of Hooper Island Light Station.

At this time I have not any complaint to make against Mr. Johnson only to say he is a good man and qualified to fill the position. Will say of late I would not want to be with a better man than he is, a man you can trust at all times. I think we will get along all right together, the more I see of him the better I like him.

Respectfully,

(S'd.) E. C. Tyler, Keeper.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Hooper Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

April 24, 1926

To Superintendent of Lighthouses,

Sir:

Mr. Olaf Johnson - final report while at this station being that he is a good clean man and knows how to keep things in good shape by letting him do as he wants to do it, but will say I am not satisfied with him and do not want any trouble with him. I have signed these papers, yes, thinking he may get a more suitable place and get along fine.

Respectfully,

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Cove Pt. Lt.,
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Feb. 23, 1926

Supt. Lighthouses

Sir:

Your letters of Feb. 17 & 20 received today and I am enclosing you a copy of Survey Form 25, dated Oct. 27, 1924, and survey Nov. 7, 1924, sign by you & myself, Olaf Johnson Additional Keeper.

This man was here from Dec. 2nd to Dec. 8th, and did not stand any watch at night but work in daytime I ask Johnson to come on watch one night during a fog with Asst. Midgett and learn all he could about the fog signal so he come on Mr. Midgett but did not take any interest in the fogsignal but sit in chair and sleep, that is what Mr. Midgett told me and I call him one night to help me with fogsignal he done what I told him but did not take and interest diden seem to care seem to think there was two much work here to do. He diden want to work and was a very unpleasant man to do work with in that he would want all hands in same job I had him cleaning up grounds of station would allways be saying this is work but I kept him to it and never stood any watch but one night with Asst. Midgett. It is the earnest conviction of both of us Keepers that had he stayed here he would of cause trouble sooner or later or whereever he goes I am glad he is not here. He would not suit here for Asst. Kpr. for I dont believe he ever would learn the working of this station. It seems to us keepers that the sooner the service is rid of this man the better. For when a man wont take any interest in anything one can never learn them anything personal. I have nothing against this man but am talking for the best interest of the service and this I try to impress on every man that goes with me. It is the nite the man that comes on the watch 12.30 a.m. Will stand this watch and put lt. in order for that night and work till 12 that day and then knock off and go to sleep but on one occasion Mr. Midgett had been on this watch and that Mr. Johnson want to know where Midgett was and why he didnt work when he had made 11½ hrs. straight. I said he asleep and I am running this station.

In regard to our conversation over the telephone from Annapolis I told you there was nothing wrong with the fog signal at this station when Asst. Kpr. Midgett said he was having trouble with same. In the air tank of the fog signal at the bottom is a valve or outlet that you open to let off water or oil or air when ever one thinks there is water or air in the tank this valve was open and the air went out this valve as fast as the compressor would pump it in. Therefore not leaving any air to blow the horn. Soon as the Asst. Kpr. closed this valve everything was o.k. I mention this to show what I told you was correct. It was simply a neglect or oversight in the Asst. Kpr. not to look the fog signal over and try to detect what valves was open before putting signal in operation. I always go over everything before I leave here any time to convince myself that the station is in good working order all around.

Please send me some official envelopes.

Respectfully,
(Sd.) C. B. Gray, Keeper.

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LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Newport News M.C. Light Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

February 19, 1926

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Md.

Subject: Mr. Olaf Johnson.

Dear Sir:

For 4 days Mr. Johnson was as fine a man as I wish to be with, after that he walked floor for 3 days and never spoke only when I would speak to him, then I ask him what the trouble was, then he cursed back at me and threatened me with his razor wich he was shaving with at the time and said when he got to Hoopers Island and the (d) man was as mean as myself he would do away with him. And I will have to say that I am not a swareing man but willing to sware that Mr. Johnson and myself never had the least bit of argument cross words nor trouble in any way, shape or form, so I must say that the man must of bin insane at times.

Respectfully,

(S'd.) H. T. Austin,
Keeper.

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FIFTH DISTRICT

Cobb Point Bar - Md.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

February 19, 1926

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Md.

Sir:

In reply to communication of Feb. 16th, 1926, regarding character of Mr. Olaf Johnson's services while on duty at this station I beg to advise that Mr. Johnson acted like a gentleman, and was very conscientious and efficient in work and duty.

Respectfully,

(S'd.) O. O. Johnson,
Keeper.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Hooper Island Lt.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

February 11, 1926

To Superintendent of Lighthouses,

Sir:

I am very sorry to report to this office in regard to Asst. Keeper as he and myself will not be fit to stay here together, it seems as nothing at this station pleases him it is dam this and dam that. I am a man who does not like to hear it. I have been informed that he threatened the keeper life at Newport Newslight st. My request is one or the other be moved at once.

Respectfully,

(S'd.) E. C. Tyler,
Keeper.