REFERENCE SERVICE SLIP
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Date: 8/4/2025

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
Midgett, John, E.		1895 NC

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: 1982 NC

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature:

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)	
Lighthouse Service (NC)	
From: 1920	To: 1940
(Agency & Location)	
From:	To:
(Agency & Location)	
From:	To:

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

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Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number:

Attendant Signature:

CMRS Search Request Number(s):

Remarks:

SCREENING NOTES

- ☐ Reviewed and Nothing Removed
- ☐ Items Removed and User Informed

Hold Requested: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Total Requests:

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☐ Additional charge outs and signatures on reverse side

Time Out:

Final Return:

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(pc)

75

12 February, 1948

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-6)

Subj: Retirement of John E. Midgett, Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station, N. C.

1. In accordance with Headquarters' letter, 5 December, 1948, file CG-75, Headquarters is advised that the subject man was paid for his last (final) active duty on D. O. Voucher No. 408-5972, accounts of Paul D. Banning, symbol number 18-475. HQ is further informed that the period covered by the final payment was from 28 December, 1947 to 31 December, 1947, inclusive, and the amount thereof was $30.23.

2. Headquarters is advised that the total taxable income for the subject man for the current calendar year was $1,143.60. Lump-sum payment of $1012.62 is included in this amount.

LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

ADDRESS REPLY TO
THE COMMANDANT (PCP-6)
REFER TO FILE: CG-75

U.S. COAST GUARD
NEWS DIVISION

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December 8 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc)

Subj: Retirement of John E. Midgett, Keeper, Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C.

1. The inclosure is approval of retirement under the Lighthouse Service Retirement Law.

2. In order to preclude the possibility of overpayment, it is requested that Headquarters be advised as early as practicable by letter, in duplicate, as to the payroll (stating D. O. Voucher Number, name of disbursing officer, and symbol number) on which this person was paid for his last (final) active duty. In furnishing this information, state also the period covered by the final payment and the amount thereof.

3. It is also requested that Headquarters be advised as to this person's total taxable income for the current calendar year including the amount of lump-sum payment for annual leave.

H. L. Morgan

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

Incl
Form 2249, Department Notice of Retirement

A-5421

Name Nidgett, John E. Date of birth 5 May, 1895

Designation Assistant Keeper

RECORD OF ALL ACTIVE GOVERNMENT SERVICE

(Including military, naval, and civilian service. Each department, branch, or independent office in which applicant served in a civilian capacity should be listed separately)

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Total service	30 yrs, 3 mos, 8 days						28 30	22 27 3	158 8

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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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TO: MIDGETT, JOHN E.

Date Prepared 10-3-47

Name: Midgett, John E. (Mrs.)

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.:

Effective: Close 12-31-47

(Lump sum payment made for 30 days & hours annual leave from 1-1-48 through 4 hours on 5-20-48)

	FROM 65-533	TO
Position	Keeper	
Grade	Class 2-Grade 1 ($2168.28-2619.72)	
Salary	$2619.72 per annum (Per Diem)	
C. S. C. No.		
Bureau or Div.	U. S. Coast Guard	
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters	Norfolk, Virginia	
Post of Duty	Pualico Station, N. C.	
Appropriation	65, 20 Dept (Regular)	
Allotment		

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks:

Annual rate of retired pay is $1582.44.

Justification:

Total service: 30 years, 3 months, 6 days.

Computation: $2168.28 x 30 ÷ 40 = $1582.47.

Copy to Mr Midgett
12-20-47
HHJ

C.O.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 1-1-1893

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N. Carolina

SEX: Male

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE INFORMATION: Preference

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse ent

DATE OF OATH

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY: 12-19-47

ACCOUNTS AND COLLECTIONS, EXAMINING

(pc)
75

25 November, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-6)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper; disability retirement of

1. In compliance with Headquarters' letter dated 13 November, 1947, file CG-75, a recheck of subject employee's leave has been made and the following statement is submitted accordingly:

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208 hours	Accrued close of 12-31-47
856 hours	
68 hours	Granted during 1947
788 hours	Lump-sum payment for 98 days and 4 hours from 1-1-48 thru 4 hours on 5-20-48

S I C K L E A V E	
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120 hours	Accrued close of 12-31-47
806 hours	
6 hours	Deduction due to maximum accumulation of 720 hours at end of a month
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800 hours	Granted during 1947
0 hours	

2. It has been the practice of this District to compute annual and sick leave up to and including the last day of actual duty or the date Form 2523 is executed by the Public Health Service instead of to the date of actual retirement.

3. In view of the fact that Mr. Midgett is moving, his retirement checks should be sent to Buxton, North Carolina, rather than to 304 Pamlico Street, Belhaven, North Carolina.

LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

ADDRESS REPLY TO
THE COMMANDANT (PC-6) WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
REFER TO FILE: CG-75

COAST GUARD
NORFOLK DISTRICT
OFFICE SERVICES
1947 NOV 13 PM 1:57

13 November, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th CG District

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper; disability retirement of

1. Reference is made to your letter of 23 October, 1947, concerning the leave statement of subject employee whose retirement is effective at the close of 31 December, 1947.

2. You are advised that, since Mr. Midgett is being retired at the close of December, 1947, he will accrue 26 days annual leave for the calendar year 1947, which, added to his accumulated annual leave carried forward from 1946, minus the total leave used in 1947, would give him 98 days 1 hour for which lump sum payment should be made.

3. Headquarters' computation of Mr. Midgett's annual leave is as follows:

648 hours	Accumulated close of 12-28-46
208 hours	Accrued close of 12-31-47
856 hours	
71 hours	Granted during 1947
785 hours	Lump-sum payment for 98 days 1 hour from 1-1-48 through 1 hour on 5-20-48.

4. It is requested that a recheck be made of the leave in this case and a new leave statement submitted promptly to Headquarters. In connection with above see Civilian Personnel Memorandum No. 22-47, dated 23 October, 1947.

H. L. Morgan
H. L. MORGAN
By direction

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

ADDRESS REPLY TO
THE COMMANDANT (PC-6) WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
REFER TO FILE: CG-75

10 November, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc)

Subj: John E. Midgett, Keeper; disability retirement of

The application of Mr. Midgett for disability retirement has been examined and he has been found to be disabled for further useful and efficient service. The official notice of his retirement will be issued in due time.

H. L. Morgan

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

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3 November, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-6)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Keeper; disability retirement

Reference is made to HQ letter dated 30 October, 1947, file CG-75. In this connection there is forwarded herewith Form 2523 which was inadvertently omitted from letter dated 23 October, 1947.

LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

Incl
Form 2523

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

ESS REPLY TO
E COMMANDANT (PC-6) WASHINGTON 25, D. C.
ER TO FILE: CG-75

30 October, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc)

Subj: John E. Midgett, Keeper; application for disability retirement

1. Form 2523 (Certificate of Medical Examination, Disability Retirement) for the subject employee, referred to in your letter dated 23 October, 1947, was not received with that letter.

2. Since HQ is unable to take action toward Mr. Midgett's retirement due to disability prior to receipt of his medical certificate, it is requested that it be forwarded promptly.

H. L. Morgan

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

The Commandant
75 (pc)
23 October, 1947

720 hours
24 hours Granted to cover period 12-28-47 - 12-31-47
696 hours
696 hours Lump-sum payment for 87 days covering period 1-1-48 thru close of 5-4-48
0 hours

3. Nomination for filling the resulting vacancy will be submitted at a later date.

R. F. REA
By direction

Incls
1. Form 2521
2. Form 2523

NLD

File: 75 (pc)

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC)

23 October, 1947

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper; application for disability retirement

1. There is transmitted herewith application (Form 2521) of Mr. John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper of Pamlico Point Light Station, North Carolina, for retirement on account of disability, which is supported by Form 2523.

2. Mr. Midgett's last day of actual service was 16 August, 1947. A statement of his leave follows:

S I C K L E A V E

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88 hours	Accrued close of 9-25-47, the date Marine Hospital, Baltimore, Md., executed Form 2523
774 hours	
6 hours	Deduction due to maximum accumulation of 720 hours at end of a month
768 hours	
295 hours	Granted to close of 9-25-47
473 hours	
473 hours	Granted from 9-26-47 thru 1 hour on 12-22-47
0 hours	
29 hours	Accrued from 9-26-47 thru 12-22-47
29 hours	Granted commencing 7 hours on 12-22-47 thru 6 hrs. on 12-26-47
29 hours	
0 hours	

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152 hours	Accrued close of 9-25-47
800 hours	
45 hours	Granted to close of 9-25-47
755 hours	
52 hours	Accrued from 9-26-47 thru 12-22-47
807 hours	
2 hours	Granted 2 hours 12-26-47
805 hours	
85 hours	Forfeit close of 12-27-47 due to accumulation on 7-25-47 being in amount of 720 hours
720 hours	

The Commandant
75 (pc)
23 October, 1947

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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

304 Pamlico St.
Belhaven, N.C.
Oct. 15. 1947

From: John E. Midgett, Asst. Keeper
To Commander, 5th Coast Guard District

Subj: Proposed Disability retirement

It is requested that my retirement checks be mailed to 304 Pamlico St. Belhaven. N.C. untill further notice.

J. E. Midgett



(pc)

75

13 October, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper

Subj: Proposed disability retirement

In connection with your proposed retirement, it is requested that you advise this office the address to which your retirement checks are to be mailed.

LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

(pc)

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N. C. G. 2521
(Rev. Jan. 1942)

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on N. C. G. 2523)

Date 10/10/47

~~Senior Coast Guard Officer, Naval District,~~
Commander, Fifth Coast Guard District
Norfolk, Virginia
(City)

I hereby apply for retirement from active duty effective close of 31 December, 1947 on the basis of service shown hereon.

Mr. John E. Midgett
304 Pamlico Street
Belhaven, North Carolina

~~John E. Midgett~~ John E. Midgett
(Name)
Assistant Keeper
(Designation)

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75 (pc)

~~Officer in Charge, Senior Coast Guard Officer,~~
~~Naval District~~
Office of the Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
City Norfolk, Virginia *Date* 23 October, 1947

Submitted to the Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard, recommending retirement at $ 1582.47 per annum, effective at the close of 31 December, 1947

It is certified that the record of service and pay shown on page 2 is correct as shown by the records of this office, and that all Government service shown has been verified.

R. F. REA
By direction
Senior Coast Guard Officer, ... Naval District.

COAST GUARD HEADQUARTERS, *Washington, D. C.,* .....

Submitted to the Secretary of the Navy, recommending approval.

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Commandant.

FOR USE OF DEPARTMENT

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Annual Leave

648 hrs. accrued Close of 12-28-46

152 hrs. accrued Close of 9-25-47

800 hrs.

46 hrs. Granted to Close of 9-25-47

754 hrs.

52 hrs. accrued from 9-26-47 thru 12-22-47

807 hrs.

Granted 3 hrs. 12-26-47

3 hrs.

804 hrs.

84 hrs. Forfeit Close of 12-27-47 due to accumulation on 25 July 1947 being in excess of 720 hrs.

720 hrs.

Granted to Leave Period 12-28-47 — 12-31-47

84 hrs.

696 hrs.

Lump sum payment for 87 days Leave Period

696 hrs. 1-1-48 thru date of 4 May 1948

0

*

Last day of actual service
8-16-47.

John E. Nisyett

Sick Leave

686 hrs. Accrued Close of 12-28-46

88 hrs. Accrued Close of 9-25-47, thru date Naval Hospital, Okla. Limited Form 2520.

774 hrs.

6 hrs. Deduction due to maximum accumulation of 720 hrs. at end of a month

768 hrs.

295 hrs. Granted to Close of 9-25-47

473 hrs.

Granted from 9-26-47 thru

473 hrs. 1 hrs. on 22 Dec., 1947

0 hrs.

29 hrs. accrued from 9-26-47 thru 12-22-47

29 hrs.

Granted commencing 1 hr. on 12-22-47 thru

29 hrs. 6 hrs. on 24 Dec., 1947

0

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

POST OFFICE BOX 540

NORFOLK, VA.

FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

OFFICE OF
THE DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER
FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT (pc)
File: 75

8 October, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper

Via: Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station

Subj: Proposed disability retirement

1. This office plans to recommend your retirement on account of disability effective at the close of 31 December, 1947. You have sufficient sick leave to carry you in a pay status through 7 hours on 19 December, 1947, afterwhich you will be granted 57 hours annual leave to carry you through the close of that date. After Headquarters' approval of your retirement has been received in this office, you will be paid in a lump-sum for 87 days annual leave covering the period 1 January, 1948, through the close of 4 May, 1948.

2. There is transmitted herewith in triplicate Form 2521 with the request that the portions thereof indicated by an "X" mark be completed by you. The form should be returned to this office in duplicate at the earliest practicable date.

3. Please advise this office as to the address you wish your retirement checks sent.

Lester F. Braun
LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

Incl
Form 2521 (3)

(pc)
File: 75

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Incl
Form 2521 (3)

NLD

(pc)

File: 75

3 October, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-1)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station; physical condition

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R. F. REA
By direction

NLD

(pc)

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U. S. MARINE HOSPITAL
WYMAN PARK DRIVE AND 31ST STREET

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
BALTIMORE 11, MARYLAND

October 1, 1947

MEMORANDUM

To: District Coast Guard Officer
Fifth Naval District
Norfolk 1, Virginia

Subject: JOHN E. MIDGETT, Asst. Keeper of Pamlico Point Light Station, North Carolina.
Refer to File: (pc) 75.

1. In accordance with your letter of September 19th, there is enclosed completed Form 2523, Certificate of Medical Examination, Disability Retirement, Civilian Personnel, in duplicate.

By direction Medical Officer in Charge.

Luther L. Terry, Sr. Surgeon
Chief of Medical Service.

HTG
Enclosure

Form 2523
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION, DISABILITY RETIREMENT, CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

(Act of March 4, 1925)

NAME OF CLAIMANT MIDGETT, John E. DESIGNATION Assistant Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station

Height 723/4 in. Weight 167 lbs. pounds. Complexion Fair

Color of eyes Blue Color of hair Blond

Here give a complete personal description, together with permanent marks and scars other than those described below in physical examination: The patient was a tall 53 year old white male who appeared to be very tense and depressed. During the interview and examination his face frequently flushed and he cried several times.

Description of duties of position (to be filled in by district commander): Assists Keeper in cleaning station boat and making normal repairs thereto such as adjusting engine. Assists Keeper in recharging (removing empty acetylene tanks and replacing with full tanks; removing used batteries and replacing with fully charged ones and recharging low batteries) all electric and acetylene lights, scraping and painting structures under jurisdiction and making normal repairs thereto.

Claimant makes the following statement in regard to the origin, nature, and extent of the alleged disability: Illness began about 2 years ago with feelings of depression, difficulty in concentration, progressively increasing weakness and nervousness. He also complained of "a hurting in the top of the head and neck" of about one years duration. Frequent crying spells for no apparent reason. He has had suicidal ideas but has had no attempts at suicide.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Visual acuity (uncorrected): R. E. 20/40 L. E. 20/40

With correction in spectacles: R. E. 20/ L. E. 20/

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. 3 at 13 inches, without correction.

Reads Jaeger No. at 13 inches, with correction.

Central color vision (binocular) Normal (Name method used) Pseudo Isochromatic

Inspection Normal

Pupils Normal Pupillary reaction Normal

Hearing: Whispered voice (unaccentuated) heard with R. E. at 15 ft., L. E. at 15 ft.

Appearance of right drum Normal, left drum Normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? No If so, specify

[OVER]

Condition of nose and sinuses Normal

Condition of mouth and throat, including tonsils and teeth General condition good.

Bones, joints, muscles, including atrophies Normal
(Express limitation of motion, if any, in degrees and joint involved)

Respiratory system Normal

Cardiovascular system:

(a) Heart EKG shows low voltage limb leads and low ~~illegible~~ voltage T waves.

(1) Murmurs None (2) Arrhythmias None

(b) Pulse rate: (1) Sitting 88 (2) After exercise 100 (3) 2 minutes after exercise 90

(c) Blood pressure: (1) Sitting—Syst. 130 Diast. 80 (2) After ex.—Syst. 150 Diast. 90

(d) Condition of blood vessels Moderate arteriosclerosis.

Evidence of thyroid or other endocrine disturbance None

Abdomen and gastro-intestinal system, including hernia Left inguinal hernia.

Genito-urinary system:

Urinalysis—Sp. gr. 1.028 Reaction Acid Albumin Neg. Sugar Neg.

Sediment microscopic (required when albumin or sugar is found) Negative

Reflexes, motor disturbances, etc.:

(a) Station Normal (e) Gait Normal

(b) Tremor None (f) Coordination Normal

(c) Patellar reflexes Normal (g) Peripheral circulation Good

(d) Other motor disturbances None

Alcohol None Drugs None Syphilis No Epilepsy No

Other neurological findings None

General impression This individual is markedly depressed.

Here describe fully nature of disability: The patient has a manic depressive psychosis, depressive type. It is felt that he is incapable of working

Is disability to perform duty of a permanent character? Yes

Is it indicated that applicant may recover from disability and be fit for restoration to active duty? No Do you recommend reexamination with this in view? No

I HEREBY CERTIFY that upon examination I find the above-named claimant to be disabled for useful and efficient service by reason of the disability above described, which is not due to vicious habits, intemperance, or willful misconduct on his part.

The examining physician must be in the Federal Service

Baltimore, Md.
(Place of examination)

Stuart M. Sessoms
(Examining surgeon)

25 September, 1947
(Date)

Assistant Surgeon US PHS
(Title and branch of medical service)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16—17606

(pc)
75

19 September, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper

Via: Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station

Subj: Physical condition

1. Reference is made to your letter dated 6 September, 1947, in which you request authority for a physical examination with view toward retirement. In this connection, there is attached hereto a travel order authorizing your travel to the U. S. Marine Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland. When you arrive at the hospital, you should present the inclosed letter.

2. If the travel involved is performed by motor vehicle, submit to this office in triplicate Standard Form No. 1012-e. Four copies of this form are transmitted herewith. In the event the travel is performed by common carrier, a signed statement containing the following information should be submitted to this office:

Date and hour of departure from Belhaven, North Carolina.
Date and hour of arrival at Baltimore, Maryland.
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LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

Incls
1. Travel order
2. Letter to Marine Hospital, Baltimore, Md., dated 9-19-47
3. Std. Form 1012-e (4)

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NLD

(pc)
75

19 September, 1947

Medical Officer in Charge
U. S. Marine Hospital
Baltimore, Maryland

Sir:

The bearer, Mr. John E. Midgett, who is employed as Assistant Keeper of Pamlico Point Light Station, North Carolina, is an applicant for retirement on account of disability. He has had sufficient service to bring him within the purview of the Lighthouse Retirement Act of 4 March, 1925.

It will be appreciated if you will examine him and execute the attached Form 2523, forwarding same to this office in duplicate at the earliest practicable date.

Very truly yours,

R. F. REA
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard
Chief, Personnel Division

Incl
Form 2523

NLD

(pc)
75

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Incl
Form 2523

NLD

75 (pc)

FORM NO. 2
DCGO, 5ND(F)

REQUEST FOR PUBLICATION OF TRAVEL ORDER
(SUBMIT IN DUPLICATE-SEE INSTRUCTIONS)

PLEASE DELIVER TRAVEL ORDER TO CIVILIAN PERSONNEL SECTION INASMUCH AS IT IS TO BE AN INCLOSURE IN A LETTER.

19 September 1947

TO: DISTRICT PERSONNEL OFFICER, OR ASST. DCGO, 5ND (FOR TRAVEL BY DIVISION HEADS)

VIA: (1) DISTRICT BUDGET & ACCOUNTING OFFICER
(2) DISTRICT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER (IF GOVERNMENT CONVEYANCE OR PRIVATE AUTO SPECIFIED)

REQUEST TRAVEL ORDER BE ISSUED TO MIDGETT, John E. (NAME) Civilian (SERV.NO.) (Pamlico Point Light Station) Assistant Keeper (RANK OR RATE);

FOR TRAVEL FROM Belhaven, North Carolina TO U.S. Marine Hospital, Baltimore, Md., AND RETURN

PURPOSE Medical examination (NATURE OF DUTY; GOV'T. ACTIVITIES TO BE VISITED; ETC.);

TO BEGIN on or about 26 Sept., 1947; DURATION approximately one week;

TRANSPORTATION TO BE PERFORMED BY (CHECK ONE) OR (X) PRIVATE AUTO ( ) GOV'T. CONVEYANCE
(X) COMMON CARRIER ( ) GOV'T. AIRCRAFT
( ) COMMERCIAL AIRCRAFT

( ) DO, (X) DO NOT DESIRE TRANSPORTATION REQUEST. TRAVEL TO BE PERFORMED ON A ( ) MILEAGE
(X) PER DIEM, OR ( ) REIMBURSEMENT OF $0.03 PER MILE FOR USE OF PRIVATELY OWNED CONVEYANCE IN THE CASE OF ENLISTED MEN, BASIS.

IF TRAVEL IS TO BE PERFORMED BY PRIVATELY OWNED CONVEYANCE, STATE THE NECESSITY THEREFOR:

_____;

APPROXIMATE MILEAGE _____, MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE NUMBER AND STATE _____;

MAKE _____, YEAR _____; MODEL _____.

ESTIMATE OF TOTAL COST INVOLVED $ 25.00; (THIS FIGURE IS MANDATORY - SEE REVERSE SIDE FOR INSTRUCTIONS).

IND-1
DCGO, 5ND(FBA)

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LESTER F. BRAUN
Chief, Civilian Personnel Section
DIVISION OR SECTION HEAD

1. NUMBER _____ IS TO BE ASSIGNED TO ANY TRAVEL ORDER PUBLISHED IN CONNECTION WITH THE FOREGOING REQUEST.

2. FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE TO COVER THE COST OF TRAVEL REQUESTED AND A TENTATIVE ENCUMBRANCE HAS BEEN MADE AGAINST THE FUNDS ALLOTTED UNDER THE FOLLOWING:

(A) APPROPRIATION 17____0900, PAY AND ALLOWANCES, CG 19____; SUBHEAD CODE: ( ) 05-20
( ) 05-21

(B) APPROPRIATION: _____

_____
DISTRICT BUDGET & ACCOUNTING OFFICER

(USE THIS INDORSEMENT ONLY IF GOVERNMENT CONVEYANCE OR PRIVATE AUTO IS SPECIFIED)

IND-2
DCGO, 5ND(FT)

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( ) APPROVED.
( ) DISAPPROVED: _____

_____
DISTRICT TRANSPORTATION OFFICER

IND-3
DCGO, 5ND(P)

----------19-----.

( ) TRAVEL AUTHORIZED. PUBLISH NECESSARY TRAVEL ORDER.
( ) TO: DISTRICT BUDGET & ACCOUNTING OFFICER

TRAVEL NOT AUTHORIZED FOR REASON STATED BELOW. CANCEL TENTATIVE ENCUMBRANCE AND RETURN REQUEST TO INITIATING DIVISION OR SECTION HEAD.

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DISTRICT PERSONNEL OFFICER, OR ASST. DCGO, 5ND

NLD

(pc)
75

12 September, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-1)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station; physical condition

1. Reference is made to Headquarters' letter dated 1 July, 1947, file CG-75, and reply thereto from this office dated 9 July, 1947, concerning subject employee.

2. This office has now been advised by subject employee's physician that he is under treatment for angina pectoris and that he is in poor physical condition and should lead a very quiet life. In view of the above, this office will have Mr. Midgett report to the Marine Hospital at Baltimore, Maryland, for physical examination with view toward retirement, at such time as he is able to travel.

R. F. REA
By direction

LFB:nld

(pc)
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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Belhaven, N. C.
September 6, 1947

From: Assistant Keeper, Pamlico Point Group Lights

To: Commanger Fifth Coast Guard District

Subject: Physical Condition

1: I have been advised by my Physician to apply for retirement due to my health, therefore I request a medical board of Survey at once.

2: I am also inclosing you a letter from my physician in regards to this matter, also one from my Commanding Officer.

Very truly yours,

J. E. Midgett

John E. Midgett
Assistant Keeper

~~Approved:~~

True Keeper, Pamlico Point Group Lights
H. G. Dennery.



OFFICE PHONE 334-1

RESIDENCE PHONE 333-1

ELLIS G. WINSTEAD, M. D.
OFFICE GUARANTY BANK BUILDING
BELHAVEN, N. C.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

This is to certify that I have treated Captain J. E. Midgette of Belhaven, North Carolina during the following period and for the following conditions:

(1.) November, 1943-- Pneumonia
(2.) January, 1944--- Influenza
(3.) July, 1944------ Hypotension and Neurasthenia
(4.) March, 1946----- Hypotention
(5.) August, 1947---- Angina Pectoris

This man is in poor physical condition and does not need to do any arduous work. He should lead a very quiet life.

Signed: Ellis G. Winstead M.D.
Ellis G. Winstead, M. D.

EGW/ agw

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Belhaven, N. C.
5 Sept. 1947

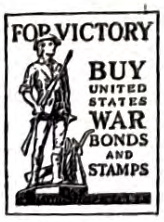
From; John E. Midgette, Asst. Keeper.
To; Commander, 5th. C. G. Dist.

Subject; Position of Keeper, Hoopers Island Lt. Sta.

1. I have no desire to be considered for transfer to position of keeper, Hoopers Island Light Station.

John E. Midgette,
Asst. Keeper.

J. E. Midgette



File: 75 (pc)

2 September, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper

Via: Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station

Advise this office promptly whether or not you desire to be given consideration for transfer to position of Keeper, Hooper Island Light Station, Maryland, with salary at the rate of $2619.72 per annum, which includes allowance of $60.00 for quarters. The pay range of subject position is $2318.76 - $2770.20, which, of course, includes the $60.00 quarters' allowance.

R. F. REA
By direction

File: 75 (pc)

2 September, 1947

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To: John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper

Via: Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station

Subj: Position of Keeper, Hooper Island Light Station

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By direction

NLD N. L. D.

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Belhaven, N. C.
29 August 1947

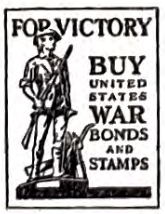
From; Keeper, Pamlico Point Group Lights.
To ; Whom it may concern.

Subject; Mr. Midgette.

I have been in charge of this unit for six and one half years, (6½) after being associated and working with him most every day, I am of the opinion he has been in failing health for the past three years. Apparently his dondition seems to grow worse instead of better.

My personal opinion is (with over twenty one years (21) of service) that Mr. Midgette is not able to perform his duties.

H. G. Brumsey,
Keeper.



(pc)
75

15 August, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-1)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Keeper; physical condition

Reference is made to District letter dated 9 July, 1947, file 75 (pc), on above subject. In this connection, there is transmitted herewith Form 1946-T which was furnished this office by the U. S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va.

LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

Incl
Form 1946-T

NLD

MEDICAL SECURITY AGENCY
U.S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
U. S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va.
August 14, 1947

(pc)
75

15 August, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-1)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Keeper; physical condition

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LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

Incl
Form 1946-T

MLD

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
U. S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va.
August 14, 1947

IN REPLYING, ADDRESS THE

Commander R. F. Rea
Chief, Personnel Division
U. S. Coast Guard
Norfolk, Virginia

Sir:

In accordance with your request, there is enclosed herewith an abstract from the Clincial Record in the case of John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper of the Pamlico Light Station, Belhaven, N. C.

By Direction, Medical Officer in Charge.

Respectfully,

B. Oliver Lewis, Senior Surgeon
USPHS
Chief of Medical Service

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Encl-1

orm 1946-T
AL SECURITY AGENCY
C HEALTH SERVICE
(June 1941)

ABSTRACT FROM CLINICAL RECORD

Name MIDGETT, John E. Occupation Assistant Keeper of Pamlico Point Light Station.

Age 53 years, Last Vessel Pamlico Point Light Station, Belhaven, N. C.

Furnished hospital care from June 10, 1946, to June 26, 1946 (1st admission);

Furnished hospital care from May 28, 1947, to June 9, 1947 (2nd admission);

Diagnosis 1. Osteo-arthritis (mild)
2. Fibrosis of lung following tuberculosis (healed tuberculosis)
3. Left direct inguinal hernia

CONDITION OF PATIENT UPON ADMISSION (1st admission) 6/10/46

Patient referred here by local Coast Guard District office to determine his fitness to continue on duty as Assistant Light Keeper. All studies were normal including EKG, barium enema, GI series, and hemogram. X-ray examination of the lung showed some fibrous tissue which was probably the remains of a previous subclinical inflammation, most likely minimal tuberculosis. X-ray examination of spine was normal but revealed calcification of the abdominal aorta.

It was concluded that he was fit to continue his duties.

CONDITION OF PATIENT ON (2nd admission) 5/28/47
(Date)

As before he was found physically fit to continue on duty. The only findings were a mild degree of osteo-arthritis (which was considered normal for his age) and a left inguinal hernia. The hernia was small and not believed of sufficient magnitude to be disabling. Herniaplasty was recommended but the patient refused to have this operation performed.

[Impression, Service Seal]

U.S. Marine Hospital
(Station)

Norfolk, Va.
(Address)

Surgeon, United States Public Health Service, in Charge.
B. Oliver Lewis, Senior Surgeon
USPHS
Chief of Medical Ser

16—11861-[illegible] MENT PRINTING OFFICE

(pc)
File: 75

16 July, 1947

Medical Officer in Charge
U. S. Marine Hospital
Norfolk, Virginia

Sir:

In accordance with the attached letter, it is requested that you forward to this office the medical history of the recent examination and also previous examination, if available, in the case of Mr. John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper of Pamlico Point Light Station. Forms 2523, which have heretofore been furnished this office covering the recent and previous examinations of Mr. Midgett, are dated 9 June, 1947, and 25 June, 1946, respectively.

Your prompt attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

R. F. REA
Commander, USCG
Chief, Personnel Division

Incl
Letter dated 7-13-47 from John E. Midgett
to Medical Officer in Charge, Marine Hospital,
Norfolk, Virginia

NLD

(pc)
File: 75

16 July, 1947

Medical Officer in Charge
U. S. Marine Hospital
Norfolk, Virginia

Sir:

In accordance with the attached letter, it is requested that you forward to this office the medical history of the recent examination and also previous examination, if available, in the case of Mr. John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper of Pamlico Point Light Station. Forms 2523, which have heretofore been furnished this office covering the recent and previous examinations of Mr. Midgett, are dated 9 June, 1947, and 25 June, 1946, respectively.

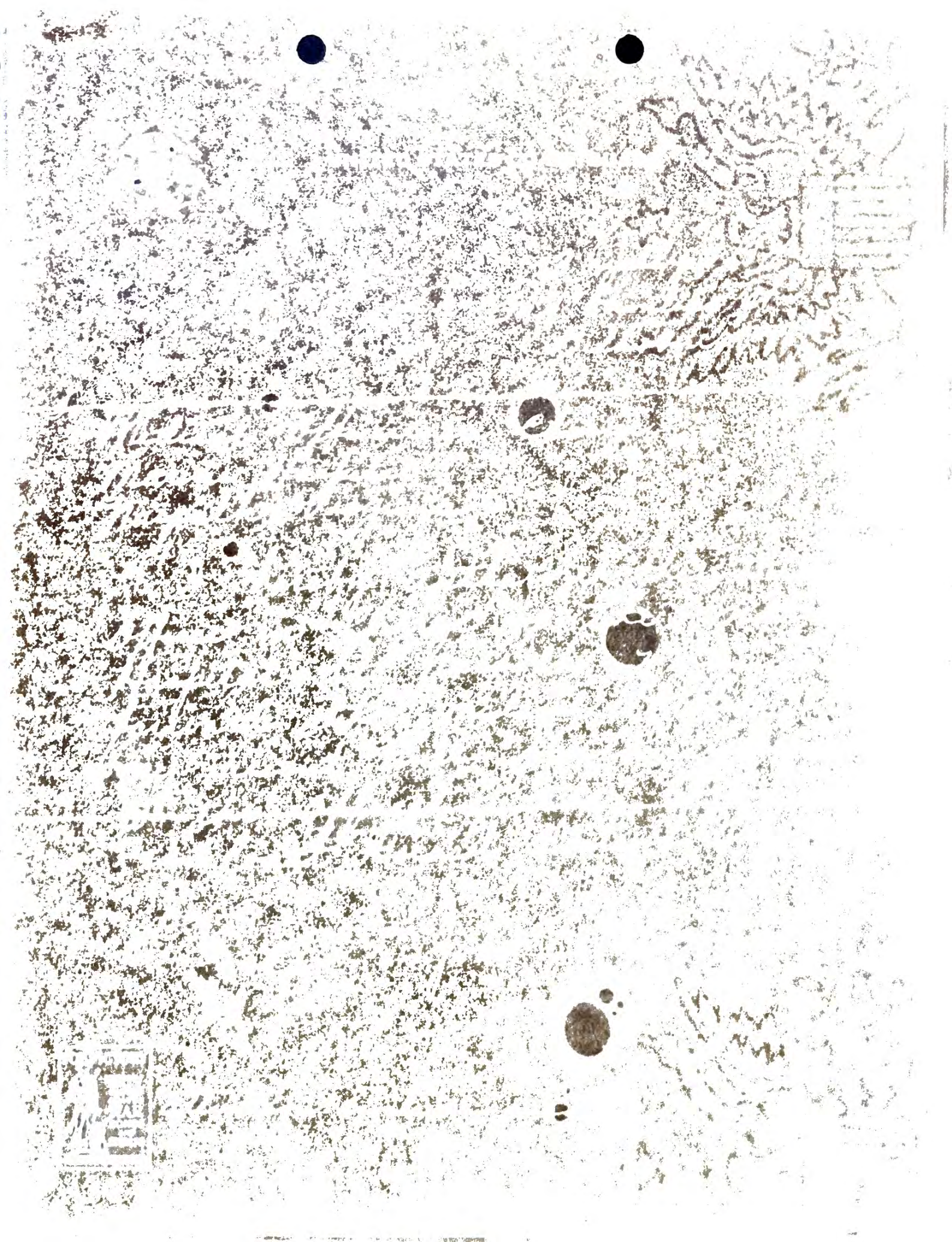
Your prompt attention to this matter will be greatly appreciated.

Very truly yours,

R. F. REA
Commander, USCG
Chief, Personnel Division

Incl
Letter dated 7-13-47 from John E. Midgett
to Medical Officer in Charge, Marine Hospital,
Norfolk, Virginia

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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

POST OFFICE BOX 540

NORFOLK, VA.

FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

OFFICE OF
THE DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER
FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT (pc)
File: 75

9 July, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper

Via: Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station

Subj: Physical examination

1. This office desires to obtain more information regarding your recent physical examination at the Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Virginia. In order to obtain the complete medical history of this examination, it will be necessary for you to authorize the Marine Hospital to forward same to this office.

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Lester F. Braun
LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

(pc)

File: 75

9 July 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-1)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Keeper; physical condition

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2. Mr. Midgett has been requested to authorize the Marine Hospital to forward the complete history of his examination to this office if he has no objection to this procedure. In the event this medical history is received, it will be forwarded to Headquarters. In this connection it might be stated that this office has no information or knowledge to indicate that he should be referred to some other station of the Public Health Service.

R. F. REA
By direction

Incl
Copy of Form 2523

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By direction

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ADDRESS REPLY TO
THE COMMANDANT (PC-1)
REFER TO FILE: CG-75

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

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1 July, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc)

Subj: Mr. John E. Midgett, Keeper, physical condition

1. There are forwarded herewith copies of two letters, one from Mr. Midgett and the other from Representative Herbert C. Bonner.

2. Representative Bonner's office, as indicated in his letter, has also discussed Mr. Midgett's physical condition informally with the Civilian Personnel Division at Headquarters. In order that Headquarters may be able to make an intelligent reply, it is requested that you forward a statement from the Marine Hospital at Norfolk, showing the results of the examination given Mr. Midgett at the time of his most recent hospitalization, which he indicates was in May, 1947.

3. If on the basis of your knowledge of Keeper Midgett it is considered that he should have a further examination with a view to retirement on account of disability, it is suggested that he be referred to some other station of the Public Health Service in order that no injustice may be done him. In this connection this employee attached a note to his letter to Representative Bonner in which he stated that "the man that I am stationed with, being a good fellow and knowing my condition, did my work and his own is the reason why I was able to stay on the job the 12 months after leaving the hospital the first time".

H. L. Morgan

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

Incl

C O P Y

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U. S.
Washington, D. C.

June 27, 1947

The Commandant
U. S. Coast Guard
Washington 25, D. C.

Attention: Mr. Harry L. Morgan
Civilian Personnel Section

Dear Sir:

Following the conversation with Mr. Oglesby, my secretary, on June 26, 1947, and at your suggestion, I enclose a letter received from Mr. John Evans Midgett, which is self-explanatory.

I will greatly appreciate your having this case thoroughly investigated for the purpose of granting Mr. Midgett retirement, and advising me at the earliest practicable date.

Kindly return Mr. Midgett's letter with your reply.

Thanking you, and with best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

/s/ Herbert C. Bonner
Herbert C. Bonner, M. C.

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Enclosure

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Belhaven, North Carolina
June 23, 1947

Honorable Herbert C. Bonner, M. C.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Bonner:

I have your letter of June 18th relative to my securing a disability retirement.

I am a Coast Guard light house keeper (Civil Service) and stationed in Belhaven. I have had 30 years and 3 months of service. I was in the navy during the First World War and have been doing Coast Guard duties through out this last war.

I went to the Marine Hospital in Norfolk in June 1946 for the purpose of seeking retirement as I was having a lot of trouble with my back from rheumatism. After the examination the doctor said I had some arthritis in my back and joints and that he would like to recommend my retirement but couldn't do it at this time. He told me to go back to work and stay 6 months or a year and come back to the hospital and they would see what they could do for me. I went back to duty and stayed 12 months then went back to the hospital on May 29th of this year. After the examination one doctor told me I was going to be retired and sent home. Another doctor told me that any man with as much service as I had, had no business being in any service, and that he understood I was to be retired. On June 4th Dr. Lewis sent for me to come to his office and he told me I was able to work and he sent me back to duty. I also ruptured my side last November by trying to move some heavy gas tanks. Dr. Lewis wanted me to be operated on for it but I couldn't see why it was necessary (after serving 30 years and I'm 53 years old) that I should be patched up by operations for continued service. I am now unable for duty but still I was sent back to duty. I have put all my life in the service. I can't afford to quit but it seems to me they are trying to force me to. Dr. Swindell in Washington, N. C. knows my condition and I am sure he will tell you that I should be retired.

I wish to thank you in advance for all that you may do for me.

Yours very truly,

/s/John Evans Midgett
John Evans Midgett

IN REPLYING, ADDRESS THE

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
U. S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Virginia
June 10, 1947

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Commander R. F. Rea,
U. S. Coast Guard
Chief, Personnel Division
Norfolk, Virginia

RE: MIDGETT, John E.

Dear Sir:

Respectfully returned herewith is Form 2523 in duplicate, duly executed. You will note that we do not consider subject named incapacitated for his usual occupation. Also, that the minor disability (inguinal hernia) which could be corrected by surgical operation was refused by subject named.

Respectfully,

B. Oliver Lewis, Senior Surgeon
USPHS
Chief of Medical Service

BOL:hwj
Encl-

U. S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Virginia
June 10, 1947

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Form 2523
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION, DISABILITY RETIREMENT, CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

(Act of March 4, 1925)

NAME OF CLAIMANT John MIDGETT DESIGNATION Asst. Light Keeper
Pamlico Point Light Station, N. C.

Height 6 feet Weight 160 pounds. Complexion Ruddy

Color of eyes Blue Color of hair Brown

Here give a complete personal description, together with permanent marks and scars other than those described below in physical examination: A well developed and nourished white male patient, ambulant, in no acute distress. Nevus (mole) on left jaw just 1½ inches lateral from angle of mouth.

Description of duties of position (to be filled in by district commander): Assists Keeper in cleaning station boat and making normal repairs thereto such as adjusting engine. Assists Keeper in recharging (removing empty acetylene tanks and replacing with full tanks; removing used batters and replacing with fully charged ones and recharging low batteries) all electric and acetylene lights, scraping and painting structures under jurisdiction and making normal repairs thereto.

Claimant makes the following statement in regard to the origin, nature, and extent of the alleged disability: Patient has been having occipital type of headaches and arthritis of the back (spine) for about 3 to 4 years. Patient was in this hospital April 1946 for a survey for a retirement but was sent back to duty and told to try it for 6 to 12 months longer. He states he has tried to do his work but his back pains and headaches have been so severe as to prohibit same.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Visual acuity (uncorrected): R. E. 20/ 60 L. E. 20/ 30

With correction in spectacles: R. E. 20/ no glasses L. E. 20/

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. ..... at 13 inches, without correction R.E. - 14/141) near L.E. - 14/141) vision

Reads Jaeger No. ..... at 13 inches, with correction - no glasses.

Central color vision (binocular) Normal (Name method used) Ishihara test

Inspection Slight bilateral conjunctivitis

Pupils Equal and round Pupillary reaction react to light and accomodatio

Hearing: Whispered voice (unaccentuated) heard with R. E. at 15/15 ft., L. E. at 15/15 ft.

Appearance of right drum normal, left drum normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? No If so, specify None

[OVER]

Condition of nose and sinuses Normal

Condition of mouth and throat, including tonsils and teeth Normal

Bones, joints, muscles, including atrophies negative except for voluntary restriction upon attempted passive motion.
(Express limitation of motion, if any, in degrees and joint involved)

Respiratory system Normal

Cardiovascular system:

(a) Heart Normal

(1) Murmurs None (2) Arrhythmias None

(b) Pulse rate: (1) Sitting 82 (2) After exercise 112 (3) 2 minutes after exercise 88

(c) Blood pressure: (1) Sitting—Syst. 145 Diast. 95 (2) After ex.—Syst. 150 Diast. 100

(d) Condition of blood vessels Normal

Evidence of thyroid or other endocrine disturbance None

Abdomen and gastro-intestinal system, including hernia Left inguinal hernia (direct)

Genito-urinary system:

Urinalysis—Sp. gr. 1.022 Reaction acid Albumin negative Sugar negative

Sediment microscopic (required when albumin or sugar is found) —

Reflexes, motor disturbances, etc.:

(a) Station normal (e) Gait normal

(b) Tremor none (f) Coordination normal

(c) Patellar reflexes normal and equal (g) Peripheral circulation normal

(d) Other motor disturbances none

Alcohol none Drugs none Syphilis none Epilepsy none

Other neurological findings none

General impression Fit to continue present duties

Here describe fully nature of disability: Hernia is small and does not cause any disability. No objective signs of spinal arthritis except minimal X-ray signs of osteoid reaction of lumbo sacral joint; Not considered disabling.

Is disability to perform duty of a permanent character? No

Is it indicated that applicant may recover from disability and be fit for restoration to active duty? Yes Do you recommend reexamination with this in view? Recommend hernio-plasty

I HEREBY CERTIFY that upon examination I do not find the above-named claimant to be disabled for useful and efficient service by reason of the disability above described, which is not due to vicious habits, intemperance, or willful misconduct on his part.

The examining physician must be in the Federal Service

U.S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va.
(Place of examination)

6-9-47
(Date)

B. Oliver Lewis
(Examining surgeon)

B. Oliver Lewis, Senior Surgeon
U.S.P.H.S.
(Title and branch of medical service)

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CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION, DISABILITY RETIREMENT, CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

(Act of March 4, 1925)

NAME OF CLAIMANT John Evans Midgett DESIGNATION .....

Height 6' 1" Weight ..... pounds. Complexion Fair

Color of eyes Blue Color of hair Brown

Here give a complete personal description, together with permanent marks and scars other than those described below in physical examination: A well developed, well nourished, middle-aged, white male with no scars or permanent marks

Description of duties of position (to be filled in by district commander): .....

Claimant makes the following statement in regard to the origin, nature, and extent of the alleged disability: .....

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Visual acuity (uncorrected): R. E. 20/40 L. E. 20/15 -2

With correction in spectacles: R. E. 20/..... L. E. 20/.....

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. VI at 13 inches, without correction.

Reads Jaeger No. I at 13 inches, with correction.

Central color vision (binocular) Normal (Name method used) Pseudo-isochromatic (Am. Opt. Co.)

Inspection No abnormalities

Pupils Regular Pupillary reaction React well

Hearing: Whispered voice (unaccentuated) heard with R. E. at 10 ft., L. E. at 10 ft.

Appearance of right drum Normal, left drum Normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? No. If so, specify .....

[OVER]

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Condition of nose and sinuses Mild deflection nasal septum to right

Condition of mouth and throat, including tonsils and teeth Teeth dirty and slight

Negative-

Bones, joints, muscles, including atrophies none

(Express limitation of motion, if any, in degrees and joint involved)

Respiratory system Negative X-ray chest - fibrosis left apex, old tube

Cardiovascular system: -

(a) Heart Size within normal limits

(1) Murmurs Systolic, faint at apex (2) Arrhythmias none

(b) Pulse rate: (1) Sitting 84 (2) After exercise 96 (3) 2 minutes after exercise 84

(c) Blood pressure: (1) Sitting—Syst. 110 Diast. 70 (2) After ex.—Syst. 115 Diast. 85

(d) Condition of blood vessels Good

Evidence of thyroid or other endocrine disturbance none

Abdomen and gastro-intestinal system, including hernia Small bilateral inguinal hernias

Genito-urinary system:

Urinalysis—Sp. gr. 1.021 Reaction Acid Albumin negative Sugar negative

Sediment microscopic (required when albumin or sugar is found)

Reflexes, motor disturbances, etc.:

(a) Station Normal (e) Gait Good

(b) Tremor None (f) Coordination Good

(c) Patellar reflexes Normal (g) Peripheral circulation Good

(d) Other motor disturbances None

Alcohol None Drugs None Syphilis Epilepsy None

Other neurological findings None

General impression Fibrosis of lung due to tuberculosis - moderate osteoarthritis

Here describe fully nature of disability:

There is evidence of arrested old tuberculosis infection in left apex.

There is clinical evidence of a moderate amount of osteoarthritis of spine.

The disability is not such to prevent performance of duty.

Is disability to perform duty of a permanent character?

Is it indicated that applicant may recover from disability and be fit for restoration to active duty?

Do you recommend reexamination with this in view?

I HEREBY CERTIFY that upon examination do not find the above-named claimant to be disabled for useful and efficient service by reason of the disability above described, which is not due to vicious habits, intemperance, or willful misconduct on his part.

The examining physician must be in the Federal Service

U.S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va.
(Place of examination)

Robert M. McClendon
(Examining surgeon)

Robert Mc Clendon

June 25, 1946
(Date)

Assistant Surgeon (R), USPHS
(Title and branch of medical service)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16—17606

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(Act of March 4, 1925)

NAME OF CLAIMANT John Evans Midgett DESIGNATION .....

Height 6' 1" Weight ..... pounds. Complexion fair

Color of eyes Blue Color of hair Brown

Here give a complete personal description, together with permanent marks and scars other than those described below in physical examination: a w/d w/n middle aged w/o & no scars or permanent marks

Description of duties of position (to be filled in by district commander): .....

Claimant makes the following statement in regard to the origin, nature, and extent of the alleged disability: .....

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Visual acuity (uncorrected): R. E. 20/ 20/40 L. E. 20/ 20/15-2.

With correction in spectacles: R. E. 20/ ..... L. E. 20/ .....

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. VI at 13 inches, without correction.

Reads Jaeger No. I at 13 inches, with correction.

Central color vision (binocular) Normal (Name method used) Pseudoisochromatic (Am. Oil Z. Co.)

Inspection No abnormalities

Pupils Regular Pupillary reaction react well

Hearing: Whispered voice (unaccentuated) heard with R. E. at 10 ft., L. E. at 10 ft.

Appearance of right drum Normal, left drum Normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? No. If so, specify .....

[OVER]

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Condition of nose and sinuses Mild deflection nasal septum to right

Condition of mouth and throat, including tonsils and teeth teeth dirty + Sl carious Tonsils neg -

Bones, joints, muscles, including atrophies none

(Express limitation of motion, if any, in degrees and joint involved)

Respiratory system neg - X-ray chest fibrosis left apex old TBC

Cardiovascular system:

(a) Heart size & within normal limits

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Genito-urinary system:

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Sediment microscopic (required when albumin or sugar is found)

Reflexes, motor disturbances, etc.:

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(d) Other motor disturbances none

Alcohol none Drugs none Syphilis Epilepsy none

Other neurological findings none

General impression Fibrosis of lung due to TBC - moderate osteo arthritis

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There is evidence of arrested old tuberculous infection in left apex. There is clinical evidence of a moderate amt of osteo arthritis of spine - The disability is not such to prevent performance of duty

Is disability to perform duty of a permanent character? no

Is it indicated that applicant may recover from disability and be fit for restoration to active duty?

Do you recommend reexamination with this in view?

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The examining physician must be in the Federal Service

Norfolk VA Marine Hosp. (Place of examination)

R. D. M. Clendaniel (Examining surgeon)

6-25-46 (Date)

Asst Surgeon USPHS (Title and branch of medical service)

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Form approved
Budget Bureau No. 50-R012.
Approval expires Mar. 30, 1945.

REPORT OF EFFICIENCY RATING

ADMINISTRATIVE-UNOFFICIAL ( )
OFFICIAL:
REGULAR (X) SPECIAL ( )
PROBATIONAL or TRIAL PERIOD ( )

As of 31 March, 1946 based on performance during period from 1 April, 1945 to 31 March, 1946

MIDGETT, John E. (Name of employee)

Asst. Keeper (Title of position, service, and grade)

TREAS-USCG-Norfolk District-Pamlico Point Light Station
(Organization—Indicate bureau, division, section, unit, field station)

ON LINES BELOW MARK EMPLOYEE
V if adequate
– if weak
+ if outstanding

1. Study the instructions in the Rating Official's Guide, C. S. C. Form No. 3823A.
2. Underline the elements which are especially important in the position.
3. Rate only on elements pertinent to the position.
   a. Do not rate on elements in *italics* except for employees in administrative, supervisory, or planning positions.
   b. Rate administrative, supervisory, and planning functions on elements in *italics*.

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

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

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

STATE ANY OTHER ELEMENTS CONSIDERED.

_____ (A)
_____ (B)
_____ (C)

STANDARD
Deviations must be explained on reverse side of this form

	Adjective rating
Plus marks on all underlined elements, and no minus marks	Excellent
Plus marks on at least half of the underlined elements, and no minus marks	Very good
Check marks or better on a majority of underlined elements, and any minus marks overcompensated by plus marks	Good
Check marks or better on a majority of underlined elements, and minus marks not overcompensated by plus marks	Fair
Minus marks on at least half of the underlined elements	Unsatisfactory

Adjective rating
Rating official VG
Reviewing official VG

Rated by [signature] (Signature of rating official) Lt Comdr (Title) 1 April 1946 (Date)

Reviewed by [signature] (Signature of reviewing official) Capt. USCG (Title) 3 April 1946 (Date)

Rating approved by efficiency rating committee 5-7-46 (Date) Report to employee VG (Adjective rating)

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HQD Ohw [signature]

Standard Form 68
March 1944
U. S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
Dept. Cir. No. 474

Form approved.
Budget Bureau No. 50—R016.2.
Approval expires March 31, 1947.

NOTICE OF OFFICIAL EFFICIENCY RATING

REGULAR (X) SPECIAL ( )
PROBATIONAL or TRIAL PERIOD ( )

As of 3-31-47 based on performance during period from 4-1-46 to 3-31-47

Midgett, John E.
(Name of employee)

Assistant Keeper
(Title of position, service, and grade)

Treas., 5th CG Dist., Norfolk, Va. - Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C.
(Organization—Indicate bureau, division, section, unit, field station)

Efficiency rating: Good

2 May, 1947
(Date of notification)

R. F. REA (Signature
Comdr., USCG
Chief, Personnel Division
(Title)

Interpretation of Efficiency Rating

Excellent (E) means that performance in every important phase of the work was outstanding and there was no weakness in performance in any respect.
Very Good (VG) means that performance in at least half of the important phases of the work was outstanding and there was no weakness in performance in any respect.
Good (G) means that performance met requirements from an over-all point of view.
Fair (F) means that performance did not quite measure up to requirements from an over-all point of view.
Unsatisfactory (U) means that performance in a majority of important phases of the work did not meet job requirements.

Inspection and Appeals

If you have any question regarding your efficiency rating, it is suggested that you discuss the matter with your immediate supervisor. Your efficiency rating sheet (Standard Form 51, Revised), or a copy of it, will be made available to you for inspection, if you request it of your supervisor or the personnel officer. Such a request is not considered as an appeal. You are also entitled to see the final ratings (not the rating forms) of all employees in your office or station. Information on appeals may be secured from your supervisor or personnel office. There are time limits governing the filing of appeals.

Significance of Efficiency Ratings

The salary advancement act provides for successive salary advancements based on several factors, one of which is efficiency ratings. Ratings of "Good" permit periodic salary advancement by successive steps up to and including the middle rate for the grade (the fourth step in six rate grades), and ratings of "Very Good" and "Excellent" permit periodic salary advancement by successive steps above the middle rate of the grade.

The rate of compensation of an employee whose efficiency rating is "Fair" must be reduced one salary step if his rate of compensation is above the middle rate. If the rate of compensation is equal to or below such middle salary rate, it is not subject to reduction on that account.

An employee whose efficiency rating is "Unsatisfactory" is not permitted to remain in his position. He must be assigned to a position more nearly commensurate with his ability, either (1) in the same line of work, in which case the position must be in a lower classification grade and his rate of compensation must not be in excess of the middle rate for such grade, or (2) in some other line of work for which he is qualified, in which case he is considered as having received a new appointment to the extent that his rate of compensation must be at the minimum rate for such grade and he must begin a new probationary period; or if no suitable vacancy is available he must be separated from the service for inefficiency. A probationary employee, assigned to a position of lower classification grade, begins a new probationary period in the new position.

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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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TO: MIDGETT, JOHN E.

Date Prepared April 18, 1947

Name: Midgett, John E. (Mr.)

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.:

Administrative Pay Increase

Effective: April 20, 1947

	FROM 916	TO 916
Position		Keeper
Grade	Class 2-and-1($2160.28-2619.72)	Class 2-and-1($2160.28-2619.72)
Salary	$2544.48 per annum (No Gtee.)	$2619.72 per annum (No Gtee.
C. S. C. No.	2544.48	2619.72
Bureau or Div.		U. S. Coast Guard.
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters		Norfolk, Virginia
Post of Duty		Pamlico Pt.Lt. Sta., N. C.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees, C. G.
Allotment		

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks: You are hereby granted a one-step increase in rate of compensation.

Justification:

Position: Permanent
Last Increase: Prom., 4-7-46, $2160 to $2220
Conduct and Service: Satisfactory
Efficiency Rating: Very Good Approved 3-7-46

Copy to Mr. Midgett
4-25-47.

T. L. M.
a.b

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 8-3-1905

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N. Carolina

SEX: M

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE INFORMATION

Yes
Preference

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT?

Lighthouse Act
6-30-28

DATE OF OATH

ACCOUNTS AND COLLECTIONS, EXAMINING

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY

4-19-47

Standard Form No. 51
August 1946
U. S. CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION

Form approved.
Budget Bureau No. 50-R012.3.

REPORT OF EFFICIENCY RATING

ADMINISTRATIVE-UNOFFICIAL ( )
OFFICIAL:
REGULAR (X) SPECIAL ( )
PROBATIONAL ( )

As of 3-31-47 based on performance during period from 4-1-46 to 3-31-47

Midgett, John E. (Name of employee)

Assistant Keeper (Title of position, service, and grade)

Treas., 5th CG Dist., Norfolk, Va. - Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C. (Organization—Indicate bureau, division, section, unit, field station)

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

1. Study the instructions in the Rating Official's Guide, C. S. C. Form No. 3823A.
2. Underline the elements which are especially important in the position.
3. Rate only on elements pertinent to the position.
   a. Do not rate on elements in *italics* except for employees in administrative, supervisory, or planning positions.
   b. Rate administrative, supervisory, and planning functions on elements in *italics*.

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

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

____ (21) *Effectiveness in planning broad programs.*
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____ (24) *Effectiveness in laying out work and establishing standards of performance for subordinates.*
____ (25) *Effectiveness in directing, reviewing, and checking the work of subordinates.*
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____ (27) *Effectiveness in promoting high working morale.*
____ (28) *Effectiveness in determining space, personnel, and equipment needs.*
____ (29) *Effectiveness in setting and obtaining adherence to time limits and deadlines.*
____ (30) *Ability to make decisions.*
____ (31) *Effectiveness in delegating clearly defined authority to act.*

STATE ANY OTHER ELEMENTS CONSIDERED

____ (A) ____
____ (B) ____
____ (C) ____

STANDARD
Deviations must be explained on reverse side of this form

	Adjective Rating
Plus marks on all underlined elements, and check marks or better on all other elements rated	Excellent
Check marks or better on all elements rated, and plus marks on at least half of the underlined elements	Very Good
Check marks or better on a majority of underlined elements, and all weak performance overcompensated by outstanding performance	Good
Check marks or better on a majority of underlined elements, and all weak performance not overcompensated by outstanding performance	Fair
Minus marks on at least half of the underlined elements	Unsatisfactory

Adjective Rating
Rating official: Good
Reviewing official: ____

Rated by [signature] (Signature of rating official) Capt. USCG. (Title) 9 April 47 (Date)

Reviewed by ____ (Signature of reviewing official) ____ (Title) ____ (Date)

Rating approved by efficiency rating committee 4-14-47 (Date) Report to employee G (Adjective rating)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16—26177-5

John C. Midgett

Sick Leave

686 hrs. Accrued Close of 12-28-46

88 hrs. Accrued Close of 9-25-47

774 hrs.

303 hrs Granted to Close of 9-25-47

471 hrs.

9-26-47, Thru

Assists Keeper in cleaning station boat and making ~~s/c/n~~ normal repairs thereto ~~a/d/d/~~ such as adjusting engine. Assists Keeper in recharging all ~~l/a/n/t/e/r/n/s~~ electric and acetylene lights, scraping and painting structures under jurisdiction and making normal repairs thereto.

(removing empty acetylene tanks & replacing with full tanks; removing & ~~replacing~~ used batteries & ~~batteries~~ with fully charged ones & recharging low batteries.

John E. Midyett — Sick

686 hrs accu Dec. 1946
88 hrs accu 25 Sept., 1947
774
295 Granted prior to 25 Sept. 1947
479
479 Granted from 25 Sept., 1947, thru
0 7 hrs on 19 Dec., 1947.

Annual

648 hrs accu Dec., 1946
152 hrs accu 25 Sept., 1947
800
45 Granted prior to 25 Sept., 1947
755
33 Granted from 1 hr. 19 Dec. thru
27 Dec.
722
2 Forfeit of 2 hrs. due to 27/28 limit
720 of 90 days.
24 Granted from 12/28 thru 12/31/47
696 Lump sum payment for 87 days from
1/1/48 thru 5/4/48

Personnel 187D

Refer to file: 531
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13 November, 1946

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (OSS)
To: Howard G. Brumsey, Keeper Pamlico Point Light Station

Subj: Orders; Temporary duty; travel

1. As early as practicable after receipt hereof you will proceed in company with and in charge of the below named man to Norfolk, Virginia and report to the Commander, 5th Coast Guard District for the purpose of obtaining Picket Boat 38469 and returning with same to Belhaven, N. C.

John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper

2. Inclosures 1 and 2 are your authorization for per diem in lieu of subsistence during your period of travel in connection with this order.

3. You should obtain receipts for money paid for transportation in route from Belhaven, N. C. to Norfolk, Va.

I. E. ESKRIDGE
Chief of Staff

Incls:
1. Civilian travel orders to Howard G. Brumsey
2. Civilian travel orders to John E. Midgett

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STRIKING AGAINST THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

COAST GUARD
NORFOLK DISTRICT
OFFICE SERVICES

Treasury Department U. S. Coast Guard

1946 OCT 29 AM 8:41

Pamlico Point Light Station, Box 91, Belhaven, North Carolina
(Place of Employment)

I, John E. Midgett do hereby swear (or affirm) that I am not engaged in any strike against the Government of the United States and that I will not so engage while an employee of the Government of the United States; that I am not a member of an organization of Government employees that asserts the right to strike against the Government of the United States, and that I will not while a Government employee become a member of such an organization.

John E. Midgett
(Signature of Employee or Appointee)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of Oct., 1946 at Belhaven State of North Carolina.

G. T. Riddick
(Signature of person authorized to administer oath)

Notary Public
(Title)

My Comm. expir Nov. 12, 1946

STATUTORY PENALTY CLAUSE: "Any person who engages in a strike against the Government of the United States, or who is a member of an organization of Government employees that asserts the right to strike against the Government of the United States *** and accepts employment the salary or wages for which are paid from any appropriation contained in this Act shall be guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, shall be fined not more than $1,000 or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both: Provided further, that the above penalty clause shall be in addition to, and not in substitution for any other provision of existing law."

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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO: Midgett, John E

Date Prepared July 1, 1945

Name: Midgett, John E., Mr.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.:

Pay Adjustment

Effective: July 1, 1945

	FROM 716	TO 716
Position		Keeper
Grade	Range (1620-2040	Range (1296-1764
Salary	$1800 per annum	$1746 per annum
C. S. C. No.		9166
Bureau or Div.		U. S. Coast Guard
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters		Norfolk, Virginia
Post of Duty		Pamlico Pt. Li. Sta., N. C.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees, C. G.
Allotment		

FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks:

Justification:

M-L.B.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-4-1875

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N. C.

SEX: M

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

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

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act 6-20-10

DATE OF OATH

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

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10 June, 1946

Medical Officer in Charge
U. S. Marine Hospital
Hampton Boulevard
Norfolk, Virginia

Sir:

The bearer, John E. Midgett, who is employed as Assistant Keeper of Pamlico Point Light Station, North Carolina, is an applicant for retirement on account of disability. He has had sufficient service to bring him within the purview of the Lighthouse Retirement Act of 4 March, 1925.

It will be appreciated if you will examine him and execute the attached Form 2523, forwarding same to this Office in duplicate at the earliest practicable date.

Very truly yours,

J. R. STEWART
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard
Personnel Officer

Incl
Form 2523

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

REPORT OF EFFICIENCY RATING

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

Classification Symbols		
(Service)	(Grade)	(Class)

As of 31 March, 1945 based on performance during period from 1 April, 1944 to 31 March, 1945

Midgett, John E. (Name of employee) — Asst. Keeper (Title of position) — Navy Dept. (Bureau)

U.S.C.G. (Division) — Pamlico Point Light Station (Section) — (Subsection or unit) — Norfolk (Field office)

ON LINES BELOW MARK EMPLOYEE

V if adequate
— if weak
+ if outstanding

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

CHECK ONE

Administrative, supervisory, or planning ☐
All others ☒

✓ (1) Maintenance of equipment, tools, instruments.
+ (2) Mechanical skill.
(3) Skill in the application of techniques and procedures.
(4) Presentability of work (appropriateness of arrangement and appearance of work).
✓ (5) Attention to broad phases of assignments.
✓ (6) Attention to pertinent detail.
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STATE ANY OTHER ELEMENTS CONSIDERED

(A)
(B)
(C)

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

	Adjective rating	Numerical rating
Rating official	V.G.	
Reviewing official	V.G.	

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

Rated by [signature] (Signature of rating official) — Capt. USCG (Title) — 4/10/45 (Date)

Reviewed by [signature] (Signature of reviewing official) — do (Title) — do (Date)

Rating approved by efficiency rating committee 4/21/45 (Date) Report to employee V.G. (Adjective rating) ____ (Numerical rating)

[signature] MR

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Personal
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(pcp)

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7 April, 1945

To: John E. Midgett, Asst. Keeper
Pamlico Point Light Station
Box 91, Belhaven, North Carolina

Via: Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station

Subj: Periodic Pay increase

There is transmitted herewith Form 2249 under which you have been given a periodic pay increase effective 1 April, 1945.

J. R. STEWART
By direction

Incl
Form 2249

NLB:bsy

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 12-41

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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

TO: MIDGETT, JOHN E. Date Prepared April 5, 1946

Name: Midgett, John E. (Mr.)

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

Pay Increase (Administrative)

Effective: April 7, 1946

	FROM 916	TO 916
Position		Keeper
Grade	Range 1968-2364	Range $1968-2364
Salary	$2166 per annum	$2232 per annum
C. S. C. No.	2166	2232
Bureau or Div.		U. S. Coast Guard
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters		Norfolk, Virginia
Post of Duty		Pamlico Pt.Lt.Sta., N.C.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees, U. S.
Allotment		

FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks: You are hereby granted a one-step increase in rate of compensation.

Justification:

Position: Permanent
Last Increase: Prom. 4-1-45, $1800-1860
Conduct and Service: Satisfactory
Efficiency Rating: Very Good

N. L.D.

White copy mailed to Midgett on 6-1-46.

N. L.D.

O.O.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-9-1895

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N.Carolina

SEX: Male

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

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

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act 6-20-16

DATE OF OATH

DATE APR 5 1946

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 12-41

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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TO: 1870

Name: MIDGETT, JOHN L. Midgett, John L., Sr.

Date Prepared April 1, 1945

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.:

Pay Increase (Periodic)

Effective: April 1, 1945

	FROM 916	TO 916
Position		Keeper
Grade	Range $1620-2040	Range $1620-2040
Salary	$1800 per annum Bo Alwc. 1800	$1860 per annum Bo Clwc. 1860
C. S. C. No.		
Bureau or Div.		U. S. Coast Guard
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters		Norfolk, Va.
Post of Duty		Pauline Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees, U.S.
Allotment		

FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☑ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks: You are hereby granted a one-step increase in rate of compensation.

Justification: Mr. Midgett's last increase in rate of compensation was on October 1, 1943, in the amount of $60.

The position occupied by this employee is not temporary. His service and conduct are satisfactory. His current efficiency rating is very good.

Effective 1 April, 1945 D. L.B.

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SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

DATE APPROVED BY THE COMPTROLLER

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-5-1895

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N. C.

SEX: Male

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

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

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

DATE OF OATH

Personnel 1810

OCT 23 1944

30 SEPTEMBER, 1944

SIX NAVAL DISTRICT EFFICIENCY MARKS ASSIGNED FOR THE QUARTER ENDING 31 MARCH, 1945

UNIT PAMLICO POINT GROUP LIGHTS

NAME	SERVICE NO.	RATE
JOHN E. MIDGETTE		ASST. KEEPER

Proficiency in rating	Seamanship	Mechanical ability	Ability as leader of men	Conduct
4.0	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.0

M.B. Forrest

M.B. FORREST, C. BOS'N
Signature

COMMANDING OFFICER
Title

CGC LINDEN

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

POST OFFICE BOX 540

NORFOLK, VA.

OFFICE OF
THE DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER
FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT

OCT 17 1944

5TH NAVAL DISTRICT

Pamlico Pt. Group Lights
Belhaven, N.C.
Oct. 16, 1944

District Coast Guard Officer:—
Fifth naval District
Norfolk, Va.

Sir:—

I appriciate the offer of promotion to ~~Position~~ of Keeper of Great Hicomico Light, but if I cant get something better than the position I already have I am ~~pleased~~ satisfied with present position.

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett

File in personal jacket.

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

POST OFFICE BOX 540
NORFOLK 1, VA.



ODRESS REPLY TO THE
DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER
FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT (pcp)
REFER TO FILE: 75

9 October, 1944

To: John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper

Via: Keeper, Pamlico Point Group Lights

Subj: Position of Keeper, Great Wicomico River Light Station

1. Do you wish to be considered for transfer to position of Keeper, Great Wicomico River Light Station, Fleeton, Virginia, with pay at the rate of $1800. per annum plus $60.00 per annum quarters?

2. Reply promptly.

C. C. PADEN
By direction

(pop)

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9 October, 1944

To: John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper

Via: Keeper, Pamlico Point Group Lights

Subj: Position of Keeper, Great Wicomico River Light Station

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2. Reply promptly.

C. C. PADEN
By direction

NLB:bsy

Standard Form No. 51, Rev.
Approved Dec. 1943
C. S. C. Dept. Cir. No. 458

Form approved
Budget Bureau No. 50-R012
Approval expires Mar. 30, 1945.

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REPORT OF EFFICIENCY RATING

ADMINISTRATIVE-UNOFFICIAL ( )
OFFICIAL:
REGULAR (X) SPECIAL ( )
PROBATIONAL or TRIAL PERIOD ( )

As of 31 March, 1944 based on performance during period from 1 April, 1943 to 31 March, 1944

MIDGETT, John E. (Name of employee)

Assistant Keeper (Title of position, service, and grade)

Navy Dept. - USCG - DCGO, 5ND - Pamlico Point Group Lights - Norfolk
(Organization—Indicate bureau, division, section, unit, field station)

ON LINES BELOW MARK EMPLOYEE		CHECK ONE:
V if adequate – if weak + if outstanding	1. Study the instructions in the Rating Official's Guide, C. S. C. Form No. 3823A. 2. Underline the elements which are especially important in the position. 3. Rate only on elements pertinent to the position. *a.* Do not rate on elements in *italics* except for employees in administrative, supervisory, or planning positions. *b.* Rate administrative, supervisory, and planning functions on elements in *italics*.	Administrative, supervisory, or planning ☐ All others ☒

✓ (1) Maintenance of equipment, tools, instruments.
+ (2) Mechanical skill.
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(11) Industry.
(12) Rate of progress on or completion of assignments.
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(15) Effectiveness in meeting and dealing with others.
(16) Cooperativeness.
✓ (17) Initiative.
✓ (18) Resourcefulness.
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STATE ANY OTHER ELEMENTS CONSIDERED

(A)
(B)
(C)

STANDARD
Deviations must be explained on reverse side of this form

	Adjective rating
Plus marks on all underlined elements, and no minus marks	Excellent
Plus marks on at least half of the underlined elements, and no minus marks	Very good
Check marks or better on a majority of underlined elements, and any minus marks overcompensated by plus marks	Good
Check marks or better on a majority of underlined elements, and minus marks not overcompensated by plus marks	Fair
Minus marks on at least half of the underlined elements	Unsatisfactory

Adjective rating
Rating official V. S.
Reviewing official

Rated by (Signature of rating official) CAPTAIN, USCG (Title) 24 April 1944 (Date)

Reviewed by (Signature of reviewing official) (Title) (Date)

Rating approved by efficiency rating committee 4/26/44 (Date) Report to employee V. G. (Adjective rating)

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

REPORT OF EFFICIENCY RATING

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

Classification
(Service) (Grade)

As of 31 March, 1943 based on performance during period from 1 April, 1942 to 31 March, .

John E. Midgett (Name of employee) — Assistant Keeper (Title of position) — U. S. Coast Guard (Bureau)

5th Naval District (Division) — Pamlico Point Lights (Section) — (Subsection or unit) — Norfolk, Virginia (Field office)

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

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

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

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

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

STATE ANY OTHER ELEMENTS CONSIDERED
____ (A)
____ (B)
____ (C)

STANDARD
Deviations must be explained on reverse side of this form

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

	Adjective rating	*Numerical rating*
Rating official	V.G.	3
Reviewing official	V.G.	3

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

Rated by [signature] (Signature of rating official) — Captain (Title) — 31 March 43 (Date)

Reviewed by R. L. LUCAS, Captain, USCG (Signature of reviewing official) — Chief of Staff, DCGO, 5ND (Title) — 7 April, 1943 (Date)

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

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

REPORT OF EFFICIENCY RATING

REGULAR (✓); INTERI ( )
PROBATIONARY—1ST ( ) 2D ( )

Classification
(Service) (Grade)

As of 31 Mar., 1942 based on performance during period from 1 Apr., 1941 to 31 Mar.,

John E. Midgett (Name of employee) | Asst. Keeper (Title of position) | U. S. Coast Guard (Bureau)

Pamlico Point Lts. (Division) | 5th Naval District (Section) | (Subsection or unit) | Norfolk, Va. (Field office)

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

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

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

- ___ (1) Maintenance of equipment, tools, instruments.
- + (2) Mechanical skill.
- ___ (3) Skill in the application of techniques and procedures.
- ___ (4) Presentability of work (appropriateness of arrangement and appearance of work).
- ✓ (5) Attention to broad phases of assignments.
- ✓ (6) Attention to pertinent detail.
- ___ (7) Accuracy of operations.
- ___ (8) Accuracy of final results.
- ___ (9) Accuracy of judgments or decisions.
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STATE ANY OTHER ELEMENTS CONSIDERED

- ___ (A) ___
- ___ (B) ___
- ___ (C) ___

STANDARD
Deviations must be explained on reverse side of this form

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

	Adjective rating	*Numerical rating*
Rating official	V.G.	3
Reviewing official	V. G.	3.

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

Rated by [signature] (Signature of rating official) | [illegible] (Title) | 31 March 42 (Date)

Reviewed by W. J. KEESTER (Signature of reviewing official) | Captain, U.S.C.G. (Title) | 12 May, 1942. (Date)

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

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Form 3200—(April 1935)
U. S. Civil Service Commission

Classification Symbols		
Service	Grade	Class

SERVICE RATING FORM

(Read instructions on back of this form)

Check one:
Supervisory ☐
Nonsupervisory ☑

Name John E. Midgett Department Treasury

Coast Guard (Bureau) Norfolk District (Division) Pamlico Point Lt. Sta., N. C. (Section) (Subsection)

On lines below mark employee:
✓ if neither strong nor weak point.
– if weak point.
+ if strong point.

1. Underline the elements which are especially important in the position.
2. Mark nonsupervisory employees on all elements except those in *italics*.
3. Mark supervisory employees on all elements.

In boxes below rate employee:
1 or 2 if Excellent.
3 or 4 if Very Good.
5 or 6 if Good.
7 or 8 if Fair.
9 or 10 if Unsatisfactory.

I. QUALITY OF PERFORMANCE

		Rating Officer	Reviewing Officer
✓	(a) Acceptability of work; thoroughness.	6	
✓	(b) General dependability; accuracy.		
✓	(c) Neatness and orderliness of work.		
✓	(d) Skill with which the important procedures, instruments, or machines are employed in performing his duties.		
	(e) *Effectiveness in getting good work done by his unit.*		

II. PRODUCTIVENESS

Base rating primarily on element (a), if known; otherwise on (b) and (c).

✓	(a) Amount of work accomplished.	6
✓	(b) Application of time, interest, and energy to duties; industry.	
✓	(c) Promptness in completing assignments; speed.	
	(d) _____ (State any other elements of this class considered)	
	(e) *Effectiveness in securing adequate output from his unit.*	

III. QUALIFICATIONS SHOWN ON JOB

✓	(a) Knowledge of duties and related information.	6
✓	(b) Ability to learn and to profit from experience.	
✓	(c) Judgment, sense of proportion, common sense.	
✓	(d) Initiative and resourcefulness.	
✓	(e) Cooperativeness; ability to work with and for others.	
	(f) _____ (State any other elements of this class considered)	
	(g) *Effectiveness in developing and training employees.*	
	(Custodial only) Ability to perform such physical work as the job requires.	

Sum of ratings . . . 18

Rated by N. C. Manyon (Rating officer) 25 Sept. '41 (Date)

Reviewed by W. J. Keester (Reviewing officer) 25 Sept. '41 (Date)

Report to employee Good

On the whole, do you consider the deportment and attitude of this employee toward his work to be satisfactory? . . Yes (Answer "Yes", "No", or "Fairly so")

Sum of Ratings	Report to Employee	Significance
3 – 7	Excellent.	Promotable within grade if below top salary.
8 – 13	Very Good.	Promotable within grade if below top salary.
14 – 19	Good.	No salary change if receiving middle salary or above; if below middle, promotable not beyond middle salary.*
20 – 24	Fair.	Reduce one step if above middle salary.*
25 – 30	Unsatisfactory.	Dismiss from present position.

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* For Cu-2 and Cu-3, the fourth salary rate will be considered the middle salary.

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8 January, 1944

To: Keeper, Pamlico Point Group Lights

Subj: Brumsey, Howard G.)
Midgett, John E.) increase in salary

1. There is transmitted herewith Form 2249 under which the Keeper has been given an administrative increase in salary in the amount of $60. per annum, effective 1 January, 1944.

2. There is also transmitted herewith Form 2249 for John E. Midgett under which his pay has been increased to $1800 per annum, effective 1 October, 1943.

C. C. PADEN
By direction

Incls
1. Form 2249 for Howard G. Brumsey
2. Form 2249 for John E. Midgett

NLB

[illegible] (amp)

3 December, 1963

To: The Commandant

Subj: Alternate Lawrence to pay Midgett, John E., Assistant Keeper, Pamlico Point Group Lights

It appears that Headquarters overlooked subject employee when automatic promotions were made as of 1 October, 1963. It is also an oversight by Headquarters will check this case at the earliest.

E. E. [illegible]
By direction

[illegible]

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 12-41

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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TO:

Date Prepared 1 October, 1943

Name: Midgett, John E., Jr.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.: 916

Promotion

Effective: October 1, 1943

	FROM	TO
	7465	7465
Position		Keeper
Grade		
Salary	Range $1620-2040 $1740 per annum. No Ctrs.	Range $1620-2040 $1800 per annum. No Ctrs.
C. S. C. No.		
Bureau or Div.		U. S. Coast Guard
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters		Norfolk, Virginia
Post of Duty		Fowlies Point, N. C.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees, C. G.
Allotment		

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CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-5-1895

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N. C.

SEX: M

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

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

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act.

DATE OF OATH

Remarks:

The action herein represents an administrative increase in salary effective as indicated above.

Justification:

Mr. Midgett was last promoted April 1, 1942, in the amount of $60. His service and conduct are satisfactory. The position occupied by this employee is not hazardous. His current efficiency rating is Very Good - 3.

Effective 1 October 1943

Entered 1/24/44 Kbp D.L.B.

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY

SUBORDINATE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE

DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER

FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT

5/14/43
(Date)

Routing Slip *(Do Not Detach)*

From	To (Routing Order)		Information	Comment	Action	Initials	Remarks
							Mr. Rebbel —
							I agree with Captain Mangon in this matter but am not sure Midgett will do well if we force him to go to Smith Point. How about a temporary assignment until we can train a relief?
							Lilet

To Personnel

The reason this man was to be transfered are hereafter -

1- The Keeper of Smith Point was inducted into the Coast Guard as a Boatswain -

2- Smith Point is a very important station, and should be well manned -

3- The man has served at the station, and is familar with the requirments,

4- The position he now is filling can easily be filled by a less skilled man and an inducted man is suggested (MM 2c)

5- Therefore unless good reasons are given I would push it. Mangon
14 May 43

If: Secret ( )
Confidential ( )
Restricted ( )

DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER

FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT

5/14/43
(Date)

Routing Slip *(Do Not Detach)*

From	To (Routing Order)		Information	Comment	Action	Initials	Remarks
		C.G. Officer					Mr. Rebbel —
		to DCGO					I agree with Captain Manyon in this matter but am not sure Midgette will do well if we force him to go to Smith Point. How about a temporary assignment until we can train a relief?
		lic Relations					
		tions Chief					
		ds to Nav.					
		ach Patrol					
		ommunications					
		COTP, Norfolk					
		COTP, Baltimore					
		COTP, Morehead City					
		Mer. Marine Insp.					
		Vessel Operations					
		Intelligence					
		Office Services					
		Mail					
		Personnel - Chief	✓				
		Medical					
		Military Morale					
		Spar Officer					
		Pers'l. Procurement					
		Records & Assign.					
		Training					
		Civilian Personnel			✓		
		Law					
		Finance					
		Budget & Acct.					
		Clothing					
		Mess					
		Pay & Disbursing					
		Supply					
		Transportation					
		Engineer - Chief					
		Civil Eng.					
		Comm. Eng.					
		Marine Eng.					
		Ordnance					
		Coast Guard Reserve					
		Coast Guard Auxiliary					
		Crit'l Mat'l & Priorities					
		File					

Check if: Secret { }
Confidential { }
Restricted { }

8 May, 1943.

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Fifth Naval District.
To: John B. Midgett, Assistant Keeper.

Via: Keeper, Pamlico Point Lights, Belhaven, North Carolina.

Subject: Proposed transfer.

1. This office proposes to nominate you for transfer to position of Keeper, Smith Point Light Station, Virginia, at your present rate of pay, effective upon a date to be later determined. We shall recommend payment of expenses incident to moving your household effects from Belhaven, North Carolina, to a location you might select in vicinity of the lightstation, if you so desire. Advise this office promptly if you desire your household effects moved. Your traveling expenses will also be allowed.

C. C. PADEN,
By direction.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

COAST GUARD STATION

May, 12,1943

From: John E. Midgette, Asst. Keeper, Pamlico Pt. Light Station, Belhaven, North Carolina
To: C. C. Paden, Dist. Coast Guard Officer, Fifth Naval District.

Dear Sir:

I appreciate the offer of promotion to Keep er of Smith Point, L H, but I beg that I may not be considered for transfer to that Station, as I was there seven years ago and was transferred by Mr. Hopkins Supt. of Lighthouses away from there because of ill health. Being recommended for the transfer by McCain of the T B Sanatorium at Sanatonium, N. C. I only have near three years Service to do to finish my thirty years and I would like very much to remain at my present Station. It was recommended by Dr. McCain that I be transferred to a shore Station, because of my health. That is why I am here. I can not get the necessary nourishment ans treatment at Smith Point. I still have a record of this if you wish to see it.

Respectfully,
John E. Midgette, Asst. Keeper

John E. Midgette

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N.C.G. No. 2599
U. S. COAST GUARD
(Revised 1937)

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

Midgett,	John	E.	--	Keeper (Asst.)
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

5th Naval District - U. S. Coast Guard -	Norfolk, Virginia -	30 April, 1942.
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

Administrative promotion effective 1 April, 1942:

	FROM	TO
Position:	Keeper (Asst.)	Keeper (Asst.)
Range:	$1680-2040	$1680-2040
Salary:	$1680 per annum	$1740 per annum
Station:	Pamlico Point Lights, N. C.	Pamlico Point Lights, N. C.

AUTHORITY: Headquarters' letter 1 April, 1942 (CP-75).

C. J. SULLIVAN,
(Commanding)

By direction.
(Title)

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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

WASHINGTON

1 April, 1942.

om: Commandant.
): District Coast Guard Officer, Fifth Naval District.

ubject: Administrative promotions for certain lighthouse keepers.

1. The Secretary of the Navy, under date of 1 April, 1942, has approved within-grade administrative promotions of the lighthouse keepers listed below under your jurisdiction, effective 1 April, 1942. These promotions are not made under the provisions of Public Law No. 200, approved 1 August, 1941.

2. It will not be necessary to give these employees an official notification of this promotion, but this data should be typed on their Form 2806.

3. In the event that any of the employees named herein have received salary increases subsequent to 1 April, 1942, they are not entitled to and should not receive this promotion. They are, however, entitled to receive this additional compensation from 1 April, 1942 up to and including the day before they received a promotion.

Name	Range	Present Salary	Increase	Location
White, Hiram T.	$1560-1920	$1560	$60	Bloody Pt. Bar
Newton, James A.	1380-1740	1380	60	Cape Lookout
Somers, James T.	1620-1980	1620	60	Choptank River
Sturgis, Zadock W.	1200-1560	1200	60	Cove Point
Newcomb, James M.	1380-1740	1500	60	Cove Point
Edwards, John R.	1620-1980	1680	60	Deep Water Shoal
Cropper, Thomas J.	1440-1800	1560	60	Deep Water Shoal
McDorman, Walter F.	1620-1980	1680	60	Great Shoals
Parks, John W.	1500-1860	1500	60	Great Wicomico
Austin, Julian H.	1620-1980	1680	60	Holland I. Bar
Dickerson, Kendrick H.	1500-1860	1500	60	Hooper Island
Kelly, William J.	1680-2040	1680	60	Hooper Straits
Messick, Harold M.	1500-1860	1500	60	Hooper Straits
Dawson, Samuel C.	1560-1920	1560	60	Love Point
Matthews, Henry L.	1680-2040	1680	60	Lower Cedar
Barnes, Franklin S.	1500-1860	1560	60	Lower Cedar
Hanberry, Henry R.	1620-1980	1620	60	Maryland Point
Oliver, Joseph T.	1440-1800	1440	60	Mathias Point
Rollinson, George S.	1620-1980	1740	60	Old Plantation Flat
Johnson, George G.	1260-1620	1380	60	Old Point Comfort
Lewis, Frank R.	1560-1920	1740	60	Pages Rock
Midgett, John E.	1680-2040	1680	60	Pamlico Point
Fulcher, Robert W.	1560-1920	1680	60	Point Lookout

District Coast Guard Officer,
Fifth Naval District,
CP-75,
1 April, 1942.

	Range	Present Salary	Increase	Location
r, Herman F.	$1380-1740	$1380	$60	Point Lookout
e, Unaka B.	1680-2040	1800	60	Roanoke Marshes
y, Dallas E.	1500-1860	1500	60	Roanoke Marshes
n, Lewis R.	1800-2160	1800	60	Sandy Point
, Wilson D.	1620-1980	1620	60	Sandy Point
rs, Raymond C.	1560-1920	1560	60	Sharkfin Shoals
lace, Thomas L.	1680-2040	1680	60	Sharps Island
row, Clyde M.	1500-1860	1500	60	Solomons Lump
omas, Barney	1680-2040	1740	60	Tangier Sound
ng, Earl B.	1500-1860	1560	60	Tangier Sound
attee, Gatha F.	1440-1800	1440	60	Tangier Sound
Clark, William J.	1500-1860	1500	60	Thimble Shoal
Wilkinson, George G.	1440-1800	1440	60	Thimble Shoal
Harris, Earl C.	1500-1860	1620	60	Thomas Pt. Shoal
Mills, Flavel J.	1440-1800	1440	60	Tuc Marshes
Salter, Fannie M.	1260-1620	1440	60	Turkey Point
Harper, Edgar J.	1560-1920	1560	60	Turkey Point
Barnes, Thomas H.	1380-1740	1500	60	Upper Cedar Point
Tillett, Stephen B.	1680-2040	1680	60	Wade Point
Midgett, Dosson D.	1440-1800	1440	60	Wade Point
Preston, Benjamin D.	1560-1920	1740	60	Windmill Point
Lewis, Nelson H.	1680-2040	1680	60	Wolf Trap
Goodwin, Elmer M.	1500-1860	1500	60	Wolf Trap

N. R. STILES,
By direction.

ADDRESS REPLY TO:
SENIOR COAST GUARD OFFICER
FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT
POST OFFICE BUILDING
NORFOLK, VA., AND REFER TO FILE No. 75-531

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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

OFFICE OF THE
SENIOR COAST GUARD OFFICER
FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT

Norfolk, Virginia,
28 March, 1942.

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Fifth Naval District.
To : John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper - PAMLICO GROUP LIGHTS.

Subject: Orders; temporary duty; travel.

1. You are directed to proceed to Elizabeth City, North Carolina, on official business of the Coast Guard. Upon completion of this temporary duty, return to your regular station and resume your regular status.

2. You will be allowed per diem in lieu of subsistence as follows: $4.50 including time on commercial vessels where price of passage includes subsistence, subject to the provisions of the Standardized Travel Regulations and Headquarters' Personnel Bulletin 29-42, dated 23 March, 1942. Travel will be performed by Government conveyance.

3. The travel necessary to the execution of this order is required by the public interests.

4. The expense incident to the travel herein authorized is chargeable to Norfolk District's travel allotment, Symbol No. 20.

C. J. SULLIVAN,
By direction.

Copy to: Headquarters.

COAST GUARD OFFICE-51 1st Indorsement Norfolk,Va.

1. Voucher for the above travel in the amount of $27.45, paid on MAY 22 1942, by T.L.Ryan, SDA.,USN, Symbol 55-081.

T.L.Ryan.

Form 73 TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard

Personnel

NOMINATION

Norfolk District Norfolk, Va. 11 October, 1941

COMMANDANT:

Action recommended Transfer.

N ame John E. Midgett Da te of birth 5 May, 1895 Legal Res. N. C.

	From --	To --
Position	(Asst.) Keeper	(Asst.) Keeper
Pay and grade	$1680 p.a. ($1680-2040)	$1680 p.a. ($1680-2040)
Station	Charleston District Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C.	Norfolk District Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C.
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C. G.	Civilian Employees, C. G.
Effective	1 September, 1941	~~or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

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

Vice -- Pay -- Services terminated --

Reason --

Remarks:

Selection regular, _____, 19___

T. E. MIDGETT,
By direction.

Manager, 4th Civil Service District

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

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

Midgett, (Surname) John (First name) E. (Middle initial) ___ (Service No.) Asst. Keeper (Rank or rating)

NORFOLK DISTRICT (Unit) Pamlico Point Lt. Sta., N. C. (Place) 18 Sept., 1941. (Date)

Effective 1 September, 1941, transferred from Charleston District:

Position: Asst. Keeper
Salary: $1680 per annum
Grade: None
Station: Pamlico Point Lt. Sta., N. C.

AUTHORITY:

C. J. SULLIVAN, (Commanding),

By direction. (Title)

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15 September, 1941

From: Commander, Norfolk District.
To: John E. Midgette, Assistant Keeper
Pamlico Point Group Lights
Belhaven, North Carolina.

Thru: The Keeper.

Subject: Application for transfer to Hobucken, N. C.

References: (a) Your letter 12 September, 1941.

1. In answer to above reference, you are informed that upon the retirement of Mr. Quidley your application for transfer to Hobucken, N. C, will be given due consideration with others.

C. J. SULLIVAN,
By direction.

W.L.R./jm

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NORFOLK DISTRICT

U. S. COAST GUARD
SEP 15 1941
NORFOLK DISTRICT

Pamlico Pt. Group Lights,
Bellhaven, N.C.
Sept. 12, 1941

Commander Norfolk Dist.
Norfolk, Va.

Sir:-

I hear Mr Quidley is to be retired in the very near future, I made application for promotion to Keeper at Hobucken, N.C. while this Station was in Charleston Dist. please advise me if it will be necessary for me to make a new application. being that we are transfered back in Norfolk Dist.

Still surtenly appriciate all that you may do for me in this matter.

Respectfully,
John E. Midgette Asst.

approved
H.G. Brumsey
Keeper.

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

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

[redacted] (Surname) John (First name) E (Middle initial) [redacted] (Service No.) Asst. (Rank or rating)

PAMLICO POINT LT. STATION (Unit) Belhaven, N. C. (Place) 1 September (Date) 1941.

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1 September, 1941 - transferred to Norfolk District.

Position: Asst. Keeper
Salary: $1680 p.a.
Range: $1680-$2040
Station: PAMLICO POINT LT. STATION.

AUTHORITY:

(a) Headquarters dispatch 031704 (Sept.)

(Commanding)
R. V. MAHRON, Lieut. Commander, USCG
Chief of Staff, Charleston District.
(Title)

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
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REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

Midgett, (Surname)	John (First name)	E. (Middle initial)	— (Service No.)	Asst. Keeper (Rank or rating)

NORFOLK DISTRICT (Unit)	Norfolk, Va. (Place)	11 March, 1941 (Date)

Transferred to Charleston District, 1 March, 1941.

From:

Position: Asst. Keeper
Salary: $1680 per annum
Range: $1680-2040
Station: Pamlico Point Lt. Sta., N. C.

AUTHORITY: H. Q. letter 27 Feb., 1941, File PA-10-521.

C. J. SULLIVAN, (Commanding)

By direction. (Title)

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Norfolk, Va., 26 Nov., 1940.

From: Commander, Norfolk District.
To: John E. Midgett, Asst. Keeper,
Pamlico Point Lights,
Belhaven, N. C.,
(Thru the Keeper)

1. In reply to your letter of 14 November requesting consideration for promotion to position of keeper at your station, you are advised that someone else has already been nominated for that position.

C. J. SULLIVAN,
By direction.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

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ommander, Norfolk District
U.S. Coast Guard,
Norfolk. Va,

Sir:-

I understand Mr. Barnette is to be transfered to Hatteras Island if so I wish to call your attention to the fact that a short time ago I asked for Keepers place here on my application for transfers & promotion form, if there should be a change here in that position. I realize that if you have me in mind for this place I will get it without me asking you any more about it, but if there is someone else you have nominated for this place. please pardon me for writing this letter but if you should give me a chance at this place it worthily would be appriciated I am sure this Group would be in excellent condition. I have

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

STATION

24 years service with nothing against my record that I know of. I wish to thank you for all that you might do for me.

Respectfully,

John E. Midgette Asst. Kpr.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

U. S. COAST GUARD
MAR 29 1940
NORFOLK DISTRICT

Norfolk, Virginia

18 March, 1940.

From: Commander, Norfolk District.
To: All Keepers and Asst. Keepers.

1. You are directed to fill in below the place of your birth and return this letter to District Office by return mail.

Place of Birth Buxton, N.C.

Name John, E. Midgette.

N. C. MANYON,
By direction.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NORFOLK, VA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES U.S.
JUN
23
1939
NORFOLK, VA.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Pamlico Pt. Group, Bellhaven, N.C.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 22, 1937.

Supt. of Lighthouses
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed you will find my navy discharge as requested. I also wish to state that I served one year on the Revenue cutters, Onondago, & Itasca in 1914 & 1915- but my discharge has been lost.

I have had as much service as Mr. Barnett my present Keeper, & was principal Keeper at Love Pt. Light Station Md. before I was transfered to N.C. If Mr. Barnett should be transfered to the Washington Buoy Depot, I would appriciate it very much if I were permoted to Keeper of Pamlico Pt. Group of Lights. I might add that I am experienced in this line of work & would take great pleasure in working for the interest of L.H. Service or C.G. Service.

I am very Respectfully,
John E. Midgett Asst. Keeper

(Approved) J.D. Barnett Keeper

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

Office of Superintendent, 5th
District, Norfolk, Va.

WLR:MCB

June 21, 1939.

John E. Midgett, Asst. Keeper,
Pamlico Point Light Station,
312 Pamlico St., Belhaven, N. C.

1. Please furnish the following information at the earliest possible date and if you have an official discharge send it along and it will be returned after it has served our purpose.

Statement of Previous Military Service

Branch	Service Number	Originally Enlisted: Date	Originally Enlisted: Place	Last Discharge: Date	Last Discharge: Place
Army					
Navy		Aug 18, 1917	at Norfolk Va.	Dec. 29, 1918	at Norfolk Va.
Marine Corps					
Coast Guard					
Coast & Geodetic Survey					

2. Fill in above and return this letter to us. Do not fill in attached form but only sign it and return it to this office. We will fill in the data on it over your signature. Read this letter carefully so you do not misunderstand what we want, as there is not sufficient time to return the form to you for correction.

N. C. MANYON,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Verified 7/12/39
Jm T.

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WLR:MCB

March 3, 1939.

John E. Midgett,
506 Pungo Street,
Belhaven, N. C.

Dear Mr. Midgett:

1. Answering your letter of the 21st, I will advise you concerning your transfer to your present position as I recall the matter. When Pamlico Point Lighthouse was discontinued as a resident station, you were transferred to the only vacancy we had, which was at Smith Point. It was unfortunate for you, of course, that the Service decided to discontinue the personnel at Pamlico Point. I have no recollection concerning your transfer to Janes Island. Again, unfortunately, you were in a position which was necessarily discontinued. It was not in the program of this office to authorize an assistant keeper at Pamlico Point Group but, as in other groups, we expected to authorize part-time laborers to assist the keeper. The position of Assistant Keeper was planned to take care of you personally, when your position at Janes Island was abolished. There is no connection between the pay of your present position and that which you occupied on Pamlico Lighthouse. The reason the keeper's pay is the same now as when he was on Pamlico Light is due to the fact that his title was never changed when he took over the new job and he was allowed $5.00 per month for house.

2. Right now it is impossible to increase any pay due to the fact that our funds are insufficient. The Bureau of Lighthouses is endeavoring to secure increased appropriations next year for the purpose and I hope they succeed.

Respectfully,

W. L. Robbel,
Chief Clerk.

506 Pungo
Belhaven N.C.
Feb 21st 1939.

L. Ribbel.
Norfolk, Va.

ear Sir,

Hile I was stationed at Pamlico
st. Lt. Sta. my salary was #140.00 per mo.
I was transferd against my will to
Smith Pt. Lt. Sta. and later was trans-
ferd back to my same old job, with
a little promotion to 1st. Asst. Kuper
and was placed ashore at Belhaven.
with the promise of #5.00 addition for
house rent which I got.

Mr Barnett the Kuper here got #150.00
per. mo. while on station now he gets #15-5-00
including the #500 for house rent,
while I still only get #140.00 including
the #500 for rent. I was explaining
this to Mr T. D. Dudley, Kpr. of Habuchen
Buoy yard. and he advised me to
write to you about it. If I am
correct about this I am still #500
short. Would you please advise me
in this matter. all you do for me
will be highly appreciated.

Respt.
John E. Midgett asst Kpr.
Pamlico Pt. Group

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Form 76

SHORE LIBERTY OR LEAVE OF ABSENCE OF KEEPERS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RECEIVED BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES JUL 25 1938

REQUEST

Roanoke Pt. Lgt., July 7, 1938
(Station.)

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 5 DISTRICT:

I respectfully request that I be granted 15 days of shore liberty or leave, from July 7 to July 21, inclusive, 1938. I have had ..... days shore liberty or leave to date during this calendar year.

This application for shore liberty or leave is made in accordance with regulations governing this subject for this class station and with the understanding that I furnish, if required, at my own expense, a substitute competent in all respects to perform my duties and who will be satisfactory to you.

The name and address of the substitute I propose to furnish follow:

Substitute not required
(Name.) (P. O. Address.)

If leave is granted, my address during absence will be as follows, and any change will be reported to the keeper in charge of the station:

....., Burlington, N. C.
(Street or R. D. Route.) (City.) (State.)

Forwarded. Approval recommended.
Proposed substitute is considered satisfactory and competent.

J. D. Barnett
Keeper.

John E. Midgette
(Applicant's signature.)

Asst Keeper
(Title.)

AUTHORITY

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5th DISTRICT, July 7, 1938, 19

The above application for shore liberty or leave is hereby approved for twelve days, from July 7 to July 21, inclusive, 1938.

Substitute need not be furnished during this absence.
(Insert "must" or "need not.")

Return this form upon your return to duty.

N. C. Manyon,
Superintendent, 5th *Lighthouse District.*

FINAL REPORT

Absence begun: At 7 a. M. July 7, 1938.
(State nearest hour.)

Returned to duty: At 2 p. M. July 21, 1938.
(State nearest hour.)

Period of absence: 15 days.

Period charged: 15 days.

Certified correct and forwarded.

J. D. Barnett
Keeper.

J. E. Midgett
(Applicant's signature.)

Asst Keeper
(Title.)

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REQUEST

Ocracoke Pt Group July 7, 1938
(Station.)

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 5 DISTRICT:

I respectfully request that I be granted 12 days of shore liberty or leave, from July 7 to July 21, inclusive, 1938 I have had ..... days shore liberty or leave to date during this calendar year.

This application for shore liberty or leave is made in accordance with regulations governing this subject for this class station and with the understanding that I furnish, if required, at my own expense, a substitute competent in all respects to perform my duties and who will be satisfactory to you.

The name and address of the substitute I propose to furnish follow:

Substitute not required
(Name.) (P. O. Address.)

If leave is granted, my address during absence will be as follows, and any change will be reported to the keeper in charge of the station:

....., Burton, N. C.
(Street or R. D. Route.) (City.) (State.)

Forwarded. Approval recommended.
Proposed substitute is considered satisfactory and competent.

J. D. Barnett,
Keeper.

John E. Midgette
(Applicant's signature.)

Asst Keeper
(Title.)

AUTHORITY

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5th DISTRICT, July 7, 1938, 19

The above application for shore liberty or leave is hereby approved for twelve days, from July 7 to July 21, inclusive, 1938.

Substitute need not be furnished during this absence.
(Insert "must" or "need not.")

Return this form upon your return to duty.

N. C. Manyon,
Superintendent, 5th *Lighthouse District.*

FINAL REPORT

Absence begun: At ..... M. ....., 19 .
(State nearest hour.)

Returned to duty: At ..... M. ....., 19 .
(State nearest hour.)

Period of absence: ..... days.

Period charged: ..... days.

Certified correct and forwarded.

.....
(Applicant's signature.)

.....
Keeper.

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.....
(Title.)

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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Pamlico Point Light Station N.C.

Apr 6 1938

Supt. of Lighthouses
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Sir:-

In reference to your letter of March 31 regarding promotion of Asst. Kpr. to position of Kpr. of Blood's Pt. Bar Light.

I wish to state that if there is any possibility of my present position being discontinued, I would gladly accept the promotion & transfer to Blood's Pt. Bar. But had rather remain here unless I could get a promotion to some place in the sounds of Carolina or near Norfolk, which would be highly appreciated, when vacancies occur.

Respectfully,
J. E. Midyette Asst. Kpr.

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

24 November 1937.
Belhaven, N. C.

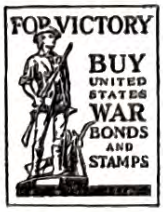
From; Asst. John E. Midgette
To; Commander, C. G. District.

Subject: Change of Address.

I. I am moving from Belhaven, N. C. to Buxton, N.C, Please forward my check in the future to Buxton, N. C.

John E. Midgette

John E. Midgette



Nikgeotz, Jos. E.

Annual Leave

648 hrs. accumulated close of 12-28-46

208 hrs. accrued close of 12-31-47

856 hrs.

68 hrs Granted during 1947

788 Lump sum payment for 98 days & 4 hrs from 1-1-48 thru 4 hrs on 5-20-48

788

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Sick Leave

686 hrs. accumulated close of 12-31-46

120 hrs. accrued close of 12-31-47

806

6 hrs deduction due to maximum accumulation of 720 hrs. at end of a month.

800

800 Granted during 1947

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 23 1937
NORFOLK, VA.

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FIFTH DISTRICT

Pamlico Pt. Group Belhaven, N. C.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Oct. 21, ..., 1937

Supt. of Lighthouses,
Norfolk Va.

In refrance to your letter of Oct. 20th regarding medical treatment I recived from Dr. John Nicholson of Washington, N.C. I wish to state that I will see Dr. Nicholson as early a possable and whatever he claimes I owe him I will pay it as soon as I am financially able

Respectfully.

John E. Midgette Asst. Keeper

Approved

J. D. Barnett
Keeper.

October 20, 1937

J. E. Midgette, Asst. Keeper,
Pamlico Point Light Station,
312 Pamlico Street,
Belhaven, North Carolina.,
(Thru the Keeper)

1. Your attention is called to letter from this Office dated October 12 to Dr. John L. Nicholson, copy of which was furnished you. You are informed that Dr. Nicholson, is not employed by the U. S. Public Health Service, but by the U. S. Employees' Compensation Commission. He is authorized to render medical treatment to employees only for injury received in the line of duty. This Office has received no report from you of any such injury, and therefore, has no authority to recommend that Dr. Nicholson's bill for treatment rendered you be paid by the U. S. Employees' Compensation Commission. You will, therefore, have to settle this account with him yourself.

2. When you seek medical treatment for causes other than injury in the line of duty, you should report to the U. S. Public Health Service Relief Station, 519 West Main Street, Washington, North Carolina.

N. C. Manyon,
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy to Dr. John L. Nicholson,
Riverview Hospital,
Washington, North Carolina.

DR. JOHN L. NICHOLSON
RIVERVIEW HOSPITAL
WASHINGTON, N. C.

Oct 15 - 1937

DEPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT
15
NORFOLK

Sirs -
Ass. Dept. Lighthouses -
Norfolk Va

My dear Sir - Yours of ack 12th to hand - Three lighthouse men came to me for this work & I assured them that I had no authority to treat them - They insisted that they had notice from Washington D.C. to come to me - I explained to them that I was a regularly appointed doctor of the U.S. Employees Compensation Commission (Sec. 9. act of Congress approved 1916) & they claimed to come under that act - They claim that is true If you can give me any other information that might clear up this matter I will appreciate it deeply - Yours truly Yours. John Nicholson

DR. JOHN L. NICHOLSON
RIVERVIEW HOSPITAL
WASHINGTON, N. C.

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
OCT 9 1937
NORFOLK, VA.

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Department of Commerce
Lighthouse Service
Office of Supt., 5th Dist.
Norfolk, Va.

Supt.
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Chief Clk
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Dear Sir:

Please send me Application Blanks form 207, also some forms for Bills. And where to send Application Blanks after they have been filled out.

Yours Truely
Dr. J. L. Nicholson

WLR:LL

April 8, 1936

J. E. Midgett, Asst. Keeper,
Pamlico Point Lights,
405 Water Street,
Belhaven, N. C.
Thru the Keeper.

1. In reply to your letter of the 7th, you are informed that authority has been requested to pay both keepers of the Pamlico Group an additional $5.00 per month, which had formerly been deducted while they were resident at the station. The keeper, Mr. Barnett, has for several months been paid the additional $5.00, but it was discovered that Departmental authority was lacking, and this has been requested. You will be advised when it is received.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Pamlico Pt. Lights, 5th Dist. Ocracoke, N.C.

Apr. 1, 1934

Supt. of Lighthouses,
Norfolk, Va.

Sir:-

As I am having to rent a home in Atlantic, will you please allow me $4.00 per mo. rent, the same that you are allowing Mr. Barrett?

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett Asst Kpr.

Approved
D. Barrett
Keeper.

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

April 2, 1936.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1500

To: $1680

Service and grade: Field

Appropriation (unit):

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Office of Supt. of Lighthouses,
Norfolk, Virginia, April 13, 1936.

HVS

1. Forwarded to J. E. Midgett, Thru the Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station. This change will be effective as of April 5, 1936.

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L. M. Hoffman

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9051

Pinnacle
S+L Co.

March 20, 1936.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue,
Sorting Section,
Washington, D. C.

SUBJECT: Information return for calendar year 1935.

1. Information return forwarded to you several days ago for John E. Midgett, 506 Pungo Street, Belhaven, North Carolina, showed payment of $1644. during 1935.

2. The actual pay of this employee was $1519. and it is requested that the attached information return be substituted for the one previously forwarded.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

GI/jjs
Encl.

Pamlico Pt.
Lt.

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Norfolk, Va.

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Norfolk, Va.

March 20, 1936.

John E. Midgett,
506 Pungo Street,
Belhaven, North Carolina.
Thru Keeper, Pamlico Point Lt. Sta.

SUBJECT: Pay for 1935.

1. Herewith is forwarded corrected report of salary paid you during the calendar year 1935. Referring to your statement that you received less than $1500. during the year, the records of this office indicate that your pay from January 1 to April 30, 1935 at Smith Point Light Station was at the rate of $1620. per annum.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

GI/jjs
Encl.

John E. Midgett
506 Pungo St.
Belhaven, N. C.

1,644.00

The above amount was reported to Commissioner of Internal Revenue as salary paid you during 1935.

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Norfolk, Va.

In answer to your letter of March 11, regarding the report of my salary to the commissioner of Internal Revenue, I know that you are aware of what was paid me in ~~that~~ 1935 but I wish to state that I received less than $1500.00 in that year. So please advise me what I should do regarding this.

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett Asst Keep.
Pamlico Pt Light

J. D. Burnett
Keeper.

Form 73

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Norfolk, Va. (City), March 5 (Date), 19 36

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and Promotion — Legal residence, North Carolina

Name, John E. Midgett — Proposed salary, $1680. per.

Position, Assistant Keeper — Proposed range, $1680-2040. per.

Location, Pamlico Point Light Station, N. C. — Appropriation, Sal. Kprs. of L.H.

Effective, March 25, 1936 — {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, 2nd Assistant Keeper — Former salary, $1500. per. plus $60. per. for quarters.

Location, James Island Light Station, Md. — Former range, $1380-1740. per. plus $60. per. for quarters.

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, J. D. Barnett — Services terminated, December 31, 1935.

Reason, Promotion

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 5, 1895

Remarks: See letters of even date in this connection.

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

4/5/36

_____
Secretary, Civil Service District.

L. M. Hopkins
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

Pamlico Pt

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
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NORFOLK, VA.

FIFTH DISTRICT

405 Water street
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)
Belhaven N.C.
Feb. 28th, 1936

Supt of Light-houses.
Norfolk. Va.

Sir: yours of 26th recived in regards to Mr J.E. midgett as assistant Keeper of Pamlico Point Group.
I wish to state that Mr midgett is willing to permanent locate in Belhaven.

Very Respectfully.
J.D. Barnett.
Keeper.

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Asst Supt.
Chief Clk
Asso Engr.
Asst Engr. (1)
Asst. Engr. (2)
Junior Engr.
Draftsman
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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO SUPERINTENDENT

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February 26, 1936

J. D. Barnett
Keeper, Pamlico Pt. Lights
405 Water St., Riverside Drive
Belhaven, North Carolina

1. This office has in mind the permanent transfer of Mr. Midgett, second assistant keeper at James Island to assistant keeper of Pamlico Point Group, provided some arrangement can be made whereby Mr. Midgett will live close enough to you to efficiently fit into the position.

2. Please discuss this matter with Mr. Midgett and advise this office as to what permanent arrangement along these lines can be made.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



FIFTH DISTRICT

Ramlico Point Light-sta
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)
405 water st. Belhaven, N.C.
Feb 24th, 1936

Supt of Light-houses
Norfolk. Va.

Sir: Mr J.E. Midgett reported for duty Feb 24th he was unable to report before on account of bad weather,
I remain very Respectfully,
J.B. Barnett.
Keeper.

Supt
Asst. Supt.
Chief Clk
Asso Engr.
Asst Engr. (1)
Asst. Engr. (2)
Junior Engr.
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HVS

Pamlico Pt

February 14, 1936.

J. E. Midgett,
Buxton, N. C.

1. You are directed to report to J. D. Barnett, Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station, for temporary duty until further notice.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy to J. D. Barnett, Pamlico Point Light Station, N. C.
Copy to L. E. Bozman, Keeper, Janes Island Light Station, Md.

Note to Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station, N. C.
While Mr. Midgett is employed at your station, you may dispense with the services of the temporary laborer.

HVS

January 18, 1936.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
James Island Light Station,
Crisfield, Md.

1. Replying to your letter of January 16th regarding transfer to Pamlico Point Light Station, this position is filled temporarily at the present time. If and when it is filled permanently, you will be considered among other applicants for transfer.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

James Island Lt. Crisfield, Md.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Jan. 16, 1936

Supt of Lighthouses,
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Sir:-

Will you please advise me if there is any possible chance of me getting my old place back at Pamlico Pt. as Asst. Keeper, should the present vacancy there be filled?

Respectfully,
J. E. Midgett 2nd Asst Keeper

Approved / Luther E Bizzell
Keeper.

Position not expected to be permanent. Will be considered among other applicants at proper time. 1/17/36

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

HVS

1870

FIFTH DISTRICT

James Island Light Station, Md.

January 8, 1936.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
James Island Light Station,
Crisfield, Md.
Thru the Keeper.

1. Replying to your letter of January 3: consideration will be given you at the time this position is filled permanently.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

FIFTH DISTRICT

James Island Lt. Sta. Crisfield, Md.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Jan 3, 1936

Supt. of Lighthouses,
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Sir:-

I have been informed that there is a vacancy at my Sd Station Pamlico Pt. N.C. & was promised the first consideration in the event of a vacancy to some place more convenient. Will you please give me the opertunity to fill this vacancy if it should be filled? Mr Farrow the retiring Keeper said he would recommend me for the place. I'd would appreciate all that you do for me.

Very Respectfully,
John E. Midgett 2nd Asst.

Consideration will be given his request if position is made permanent.
(Approved) 1/6/36
For and in the absence of Keeper.

1 Asst K 2 Parts

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



FIFTH DISTRICT

James Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

July. 15th., 1935

Supt. of Light Houses

Sir

I take great pleasure of recomending Mr John E. Midgette asst Kpr at James Island for promotion to position to Wich he seeks. And, I now he is worthy of the Job he seeks. In every Respect

Respectfully
Luther E Bozman
Keeper James Island L. S.

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Norfolk, Va.
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Norfolk, Va.
December 11, 1935.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Janes Island Light Station,
Crisfield, Md.
Thru the Keeper.

1. I have your letter of December 9th requesting consideration for transfer in the event of a vacancy at Old Plantation Flats Light Station. Your application will be filed for future reference and consideration among other applicants.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

James Island L.H. Crisfield Md
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Dec. 9, 1935.

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
DEC 10 1935
NORFOLK, VA.

Supt. of Lighthouses,
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Sir:-

In the event of a vacancy as principal Keeper at Old Plantation Flats Light Station, I would appreciate it very much if I were given consideration for same.

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett 2nd Asst. Keeper

Supt
Asst. Supt.
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Asso. Engr.
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Asst. Engr. (2)
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(Approved)
For and in the absence of Keeper.

1 Asst Keeper Cordy J Parks

* Application will be filed for future reference and consideration among others

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
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NORFOLK, VA.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Smith Point
(Station, ~~Depot, or Vessel~~)

July 5th, 1935

Supt of Lighthouses
Norfolk Va

Sir:

I respectfully state that Mr J. E. Midgette former asst. keeper at this Station is as fine a man as I ever worked With in every respect and in my opinion is fully competent to perform the duties of asst. or Principal keeper at any Station in this District

Respectfully
R. V. Sweeten

Supply
Annual Supply
Chief Clk
Assist Pages
Asst Keepers (1)
Asst Keepers (2)
Junior Keepers
Painting
Carpenter
Ordering
Personnel
Dept Kpg.
Prop. Clk.
Storing
Lieutenant
Misc

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington

Superintendent of Lighthouses:

June 26, 1935

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

Norfolk, Va.

NAME AND DESIGNATION John E. Midgett--2d asst kpr. Janes Island

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

Department authorized change to $1500 by letter dated 5/30/35. Report effective date by indorsement hereon in duplicate.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division.

H-M

R. J. GROSS

District Date

eturned to Commissioner of Lighthouses: Fifth June 27, 1935

John E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper, Janes Island Light Station, Va., entered on duty effective May 1, 1935.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

DEPT. OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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Norfolk, Va.
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FIFTH DISTRICT

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Norfolk, Va.,
May 20, 1935.

John E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Janes Island Light Station,
Crisfield, Md.
Thru the Keeper.

1. Replying to your letter of May 16th and Mr. Bozman's letter of May 15th regarding eight days per month annual leave, this is to advise that Janes Island Light Station is entitled to 72 days leave per year, which averages six days per month. However, if you prefer to take eight days at one time, it is agreeable with this office provided you do not exceed the total of 72 days in any one year. Your leave at the present time stands as follows:

4 months at Smith Point L.S. (which station is granted 96 days per year)	32 days	
8 months at Janes Island L.S. (which station is granted 72 days per year)	48 "	
Total granted for year 1935	80 "	
Accrued from 1934 leave	15 "	
Total accrued leave	95 "	
Leave taken to and including April 30, 1935		29 days, 13 hrs.
Balance of leave granted for year 1935		65 days 11 hrs.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

James Island S. C. Feb. 16 1875

Light. of Lighthouse,
Norfolk, Va.

Dear Sir:-

Can it take me just six day to make one trip home and back, I wonder if you would be so kind as to grant me eight days furlough instead of six? This would be highly appreciated.

Respectfully,
John E. Bridges Jr.

Luther E. Bigman
Keeper.



James Island

Dept 15th 1851

(1) Supt of Light Houses

Please send this letter to Boston Bay possible for engine and oil steer

(2) The Widow Hewett that he be granted 8 days a month leave as he lives a long way from here. And only for one month 3 months. Please grant him his request as he is a fine man and like it here very much and we can get along very well here when he take his leave. He will attend to the Beacons before he goes on his leave.

Respectfully
Your Ob Servt
James Island Lt S.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
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BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES APR 1935 NORFOLK, VA.

FIFTH DISTRICT

James Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

April 29th, 1935

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Supt of Light Houses

Sir

Yp1. J. E. Midgett reported for duty April 21st at 8 PM

Resp.
Luther E. Bozeman
Kpr.

Supt
Asst Supt.
Chief Clk
Asso Engr.
Asst Engr. (1)
Asst. Engr. (2)
Junior Engr.
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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES APR 29 VIRGINIA, VA.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Smith Point
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Apr 26, 1933

Supt of Lighthouses
Norfolk Va

Sir:-

I respectfully report that Mr J. E. Bridgett is leaving today for Jones Island Light Sta

Respectfully
R. W. Tucker

Supt.
Asst. Supt.
Chief Clk.
Asso Engr.
Asst Engr. (1)
Asst. Engr. (2)
Junior Engr.
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Norfolk, Va.
HVS

Norfolk, Va.
April 12, 1935.

John E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Smith Point Light Station,
Sunny Bank, Va.
Thru the Keeper.

1. Enclosed herewith is notice of your change in station. You will report for duty at Janes Island Light Station as soon as practicable.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy to Keeper, Smith Point Light Station, Va. You are directed to have J. E. Midgett report for duty at Janes Island Light Station as soon as practicable, advising this office when he leaves Smith Point. This office is today nominating Merritt Hudgins for temporary appointment at 2nd Asst. Keeper at Smith Point pending the establishment of an eligible register. As soon as appointment is received for M. Hudgins, he will be advised to report for duty.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

[redacted]

Smith Point Light, Va. [illegible] County, Va.

March 1 [illegible]

Supt. of Lighthouses.
Norfolk. Va.

Dear Sir:-

I wish to thank you for transfering me away from Smith Pt. for the benefit of my health. I will accept the position at Jones Island, and respectfully request that I be given consideration for a better place. Preferable a shore station, or river light. should Jones Island not agree with my condition.

Respectfully.
John E. Midgett 2nd Asst. Keeper

Recommended that his [illegible] as per
Reg. Ltr. [illegible]

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Norfolk, Va.
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Norfolk, Va.
April 12, 1935.

Keeper, Janes Island Light Station,
Crisfield, Md.

1. J. E. Midgett has been permanently appointed as 2nd Assistant Keeper at your station. He has today been notified to report for duty as soon as practicable. When Mr. Midgett arrives at your station you will release Mr. McGrath, advising Mr. McGrath that we have nominated him for temporary 2nd Assistant Keeper at Hooper Straits Light Station, Md., pending the establishment of an eligible register. As soon as his appointment has been received, he will be notified direct.

2. Please advise this office when Midgett arrives at your station for duty.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Form A-55

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 30, 1935.

Mr. John H. Kilgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective April 1, 1935, or entrance on duty date, if later.

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,

[redacted], J. [redacted]
Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1620 per annum.

To: $1500 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Norfolk, Virginia (City), March 20 (Date), 1935

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and Demotion

Name, John E. Midgett

Position, 2nd Assistant Keeper

Location, James Island Light Station, Md.

Effective, April 1, 1935

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1500. p.a. exclusive of $60. p.a. for quarters

Proposed range, $1380-1740. "

Appropriation, Sal. Keepers of L.H.

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

Former position, 2nd Asst.Kpr.

Location, Smith Point Light Station, Va.

Former salary, $1620.p.a.exclusive of $60. p.a. for quarters

Former range, $1500-1860. "

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Robert Bradshaw Services terminated, Sept. 15, 1934

Reason, Deceased

Members of family in Government service, Brother

Remarks: The action recommended is in accord with Mr. Midgett's desires and will not violate Civil Service rule relative to religious or political opinions or affiliations

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

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Secretary, Civil Service District.

L. M. Hoskins

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Norfo lk, Va.
HVS

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Norfolk, Va.
March 19, 1935.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Smith Point Light Station,
Sunny Bank, Va.
Thru the Keeper.

1. Returned herewith is your letter of March 16th which should be submitted thru the keeper in the usual manner.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 27
NORFOLK, VA.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Smith Point Light Station Sunny Bank Va
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 16, 1915

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 19
NORFOLK, VA.

Supt of Lighthouses,
Norfolk Va

Dear Sir:-

Refering to your letter of March 11th concerning my indebtidness to Mr. C. J. Fulcher, I wish to state that I sent Mr. Fulcher a payment on Feb. 25th also one on March 11th will continue so, untill debt is paid.

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett 2nd Asst. Keeper
T. W. Fulcher
Keeper

Supt
Asst. Supt
Chief Clk
Asso Engr.
Asst Engr. (1)
Asst. Engr. (2)
Junior Engr.
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Rpt to be forwarded thru Supt.
as per Reg. L.H.S.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OF LIGHTHOUSES
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NORFOLK, VA.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.
Norfolk, Va.
March 19, 1935.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Smith Point Light Station,
Sunny Bank, Va.
Thru the Keeper.

1. Returned herewith is your letter of March 16th which should be submitted thru the keeper in the usual manner.

L. M. Hopkins
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

MR

Supt.
Asst. Supt.
Chief Clk.
Asso Engr.
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Norfolk, Va.
March 11, 1935.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Smith Point Light Station,
Sunny Bank, Va.
Thru the Keeper.

Subject: Indebtedness to A. J. Fulcher.
Reference: My letter February 20, 1935.

1. Please advise this office what action has been taken toward liquidating this account.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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HVS

xxxxxxxxxxxNorfolk, Va.
February 20, 1935.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Smith Point Light Station,
Sunny Bank, Va.
Thru the Keeper.

Subject: Indebtedness.

1. This office is in receipt of information that you are indebted to A. J. Fulcher, 3118 Cottage Toll Road, Norfolk, Va., formerly at Frisco, N. C., in the amount of $9.43 which has been outstanding for some time.

2. The Lighthouse Service expects its employees to pay their just and honest debts and it is requested that you make arrangements to settle this account, as this office does not desire to be annoyed by dunning letters.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Norfolk, Va.
WLR:HVS

Norfolk, Va.,
March 6, 1935.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Smith Point Light Station,
Sunny Bank, Va.
Thru the Keeper.

1. I have your letter of March 1 in which you express a wish to be transferred to Wade Point Light Station. There is no vacancy there at this time. At the time a vacancy existed in position of first assistant keeper, this office could not give you consideration inasmuch as a position was discontinued in North Carolina and it was necessary to transfer the incumbent thereof to Wade Point. I have given your case thorough consideration and would like very much to be in position to transfer you to a more suitable station. However, at the present time the only vacancies existing are as follows:

2nd Assistant, Tangier Island Light Station, at which your pay would be $1620. p.a.

2nd Assistant, Janes Island Light Station, at which your pay would be $1500. p.a.

2. While the pay at Janes Island would be less, it is my personal belief that the work would be much lighter and the position more suitable for your physical condition. However, if you do not desire consideration at either of these places, I shall be pleased to give you consideration for transfer elsewhere when a vacancy exists.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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OF LIGHTHOUSES
ORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR
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NORFOLK

FIFTH DISTRICT

Smith Point Light Sta. Sunny Bank Va.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 4, 1935

Supt. of Lighthouses,
Norfolk, Va.
Dear Sir:-

Pliase allow me to try to explain why Smith Point is the worst station I could possibly be stationed at, evin worse than Pamlico Bint was, altho I had twenty six beacons to work, but I was improving because the work I had to do wasnt exrting, I explained my work at both stations to Dr. McCain Supt. of T.B. Sanatorium N.C. & he showed me where the work at stations like Pamlico Point were much more suitable for my condition than Smith Point, when I had to lift those gas tanks I did it by leaning it against my hip and tipping it, which didnt exrt me at all. I had three pictures (X.Ray) taken at the Sanatorium. two months apart

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Asst Supt
Chief Clk
Asso Engr.
Asst Engr. (2)
Asst. Engr. (2)
Accounts

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

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(Station, Depot, or Vessel) NORFOLK, VA., 192

the last one showed an improvement over the first one, but I havn't felt that well since. it is true that the Keepers here are very willing to assist me all they can, but even then I can't expict them to take my watch in the engine room nite and day. they must have rest to, & when one man is on leave, that only leaves two on board to carry on watches of six hrs. on & six hrs. off, in cases like this I am compelled to be starting these diesel engines, & which you already know we have to spin them for considerable time at times before they will fire under there own compression, then I'm exausted. and there is the danger to an arrested case of T.B. lungs working rapidly, causing the healed parts to open. And the Dr. specially warned m

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FIFTH DISTRICT

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about breathing this crude oil smoke, sometime the engine room is so filled with it, that one can hardly breathe that has got good lungs. + starting this fog signal engine is awfully hard on a sick man. I asked for the 1st Asst. Kupers place at Hades Point, N.C. which was vacant at the time, if I could have gotten that, I know it would have been much better for me, for I know the duties at both places. I hope I have made this clear Sir as I have tried to write it so you will see my position, Please do all you can for me Sir and your kind efforts will be highly appriciated.

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett 2nd Asst Kuper.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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WLR:HVS

FIFTH DISTRICT

xxxxxxxxxx Norfolk, Va.
February 19, 1935.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Smith Point Light Station,
Sunny Bank, Va.,
Thru the Keeper.

Sir:

1. I have your letter of February 15th. This office is giving consideration to assigning you to light duty but is unable to locate any station where the duties might be lighter than at Smith Point. It is believed the other two keepers will cooperate and see that you are assigned to the lighter duties on the station. Were you to be placed on a two keeper station, obviously your duties would be heavier. We have available no positions to which you might be transferred where the duties would be lighter than at your present place.

2. However, should this office locate any station more suitable to your condition, we will gladly give you consideration for appointment thereto.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
IDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
ALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
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NORFOLK, VA.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Smith Pt. Lt. Sta. Sunny Bank Va.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Feb. 15, 1935

Supt. of Lighthouses,
Norfolk Va

Dear Sir:-

In the middle of January I was sent back to the station (by the Medical Officer of the Marine Hospital at Norfolk) for light duty.

I have been waiting since then to hear from you regarding this,

Please advise me what this light duty consist of at this station? And what your orders are concerning this?

Respectfully,
J. E. Midgett 2nd Asst. Keeper
P. Wheeler
Keeper

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Smith Pt. Lt. Station Sunny Bank Va.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Feb. 17, 1915

Supt. of Lighthouses,
Norfolk Va

Sir:-

I am returning leave slip for completion, as the blank spaces wasn't filled in.

Respectfully,
J. E. Midgett 2nd Asst. Keeper.
W. W. Fulcher
Keeper

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES
PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

OFFICE OF

U. S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va.
January 11, 1935.

DEPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
JAN 15 1935
BALTIMORE, MD.

The Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Fifth District,
Baltimore, Maryland.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of January 8, 1935, re J. E. Midgett, 2nd Assistant Keeper, I have to advise you that medical observation and treatment in his case will be completed within a week, at which time he will be discharged. Diagnosis of tuberculosis, pulmonary, arrested had been made. He is considered fit for light duty and it is suggested that he be given a station where manual labors will not be too strenous and where he will be able to observe periods of rest. Under these conditions his pulmonary tuberculosis should remain arrested.

His condition is similar to that of a person who has recovered after sanatorium care. He has no tubercle bacilli in his sputum and does not cough and is, therefore, a safe associate for others.

Respectfully

F. C. Smith,
Medical Director,
In Charge.

AHL.

Medical Officer in Charge,
U.S. Marine Hospital,
Norfolk, Va.

January 8, 1935.

Sir:

Subject: Hospitalization - J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper.

1. It is the understanding of this Office that the subject-employee has been a patient at the Marine Hospital since December 7th. If your examination of this employee has been completed, it would be appreciated if you will advise what his present condition is and the probable length of time he will be required to remain under treatment.

Respectfully,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

SUPT. OF LIGHT HOUSES
DEC 24 1934
BALTIMORE, MD.

Marine Hospital
Norfolk Va
Dec. 20, 1934

Supt. of Lighthouses:
Baltimore. Md.

Dear Sir:-

I wish to state that I was unable to report to the Hospital for treatment at the time of the examination, because the 1st Asst. Mr. Gray was on leave. So I reported to the Hospital Dec. 7th I hope this will met with your approval.

Sir:- If there should be a vacancy as first Asst. Keeper at Hades Pt. Light Station, N.C. anytime in the near future, I would appriciate it very much if you would consider me for the place.

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett 2nd Asst. K/pr.
Smith Pt. Light Sta. Va

Could not be considered in view of physical disqualification for Light duty
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AHL.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES
PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

U. S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va.
November 28, 1934.

The Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Maryland.

November 27, 1934.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Smith Point Light Station,
Sunny Bank, Va.
Thru the Keeper.

Subject: Hospital treatment.

1. This Office is in receipt of a communication from the Medical Officer in Charge, U.S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va., that at the time of your examination on October 28th, you were advised to return to the hospital for further examination and observation, which you have failed to do, up to November 26th.

2. You are directed to return to the hospital at the earliest possible date, advising this Office when you have done so.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

OFFICE OF

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES
PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
U. S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va.
November 28, 1934.

The Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Maryland.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of November 24, 1934, I have to state that John S. Midgett, 2nd assistant keeper, Smith Point Light Station, Virginia, was advised to enter the hospital, but up to date he has not done so. It is advised that he be directed to return to the hospital for admission for observation.

Respectfully,

R. W. Smith,
Medical Director,
In charge.

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November 24, 1934.

Medical Director in Charge,
U.S. Marine Hospital,
Norfolk, Va.

Sir:

1. In connection with your letter of October 29th, reporting result of examination of John E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper, Smith Point Light Station, Va., this Office would appreciate information as to Mr. Midgett's present condition, if he is still a patient at the Hospital. If, however, he has been discharged, please advise if you consider that his return to duty, where he is in daily contact with two other employees in close quarters, would jeopardize the health of his fellow-employees.

Respectfully,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

[redacted]

[redacted]

Medical Officer in Charge,

[redacted]

The Superintendent of Lighthouses,
6th District, U.S. Lighthouse Service,
Baltimore, Maryland.

Sir:-

In reference to your request for report of the examination of John B. Shugart, keeper, U.S. Lighthouse Service, you are advised that this man reported at [redacted] on the 6th instant and was examined by P. A. Surgeon C. B. Ryan who has report as follows:-

"Physical examination of patient's chest shows normal type, good action on both sides, movement of diaphragm is left out as follows six on right. Dorsally normal note over both sides. There is impaired resonance 3rd dorsal spine on superficialness right and over fifth to 3rd dorsal spine left with bronchovesicular breathing over area. Dorsal shows small crackles left upper.

Sputum has tuberculous bacteria upper left second type, entirely to be determined by bacteria classification. Advised to hospital has been advised him for further examination and observation."

Respectfully,

[redacted]

[redacted]

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

October 25, 1934.

Medical Officer in Charge,
U.S. Public Health Service,
U.S. Marine Hospital,
Norfolk, Va.

Sir:

1. Under date of October 20th, this office directed John E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper, Smith Point Light Station, Va., to report to your hospital for examination, indicating on the application Form 207 that he is a tubercular suspect.

2. If you have completed your examination of this employee, it will be appreciated if you will advise this Office your findings in the matter.

Respectfully,
For and in the absence of the Superintendent,

Asst. Superintendent of Lighthouses.

U.S. Marine Hospital — 1st Indorsement — Norfolk, Virginia. October 27, 1934.

Respectfully returned to the Supintendent of Lighthouses, Baltimore, Maryland with the information that the above-named employee has not as yet reported at this hospital for examination as directed.

F.C. Smith, Medical Director,
In Charge.

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Buxton N. C.
Sept. 26, 1934

Supt. of Lighthouses
Baltimore, Md.

Dear Sir:-

Please send my next check to me at Buxton N.C. and I will appriciate it very much.

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett 2nd Asst. Keeper
Smith Point Lt. Station, Va

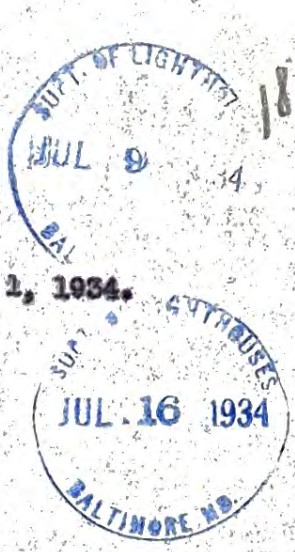
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON



July 1, 1934.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1680 per annum.

To: $1620 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9051

Form 78

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md. (City) June 26, (Date) 19 34

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and Demotion

Name, John E. Midgett

Position, 2nd Asst. Keeper

Location, Smith Point Light Station

Effective, July 1, 1934

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1620.p.a.

Proposed range, $1500-1860.

Appropriation, Sal. Keepers of L. H.

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

Former position, Same

Location, Pamlico Point Light Station

Former salary, $1680.p.a.

Former range, $1560-1920.

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

Previous incumbent, his pay: C. L. Brumfield- $1500.p.a. Services terminated, Close of June 17, 1934.

Reason, Resigned to take another Government position.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 5, 1895

Remarks: The action recommended is for the good of the Service and in line with the proposed discontinuance of Pamlico Point Light Station; Civil Service rule relative to political or religious affiliations or opinions will not violated thereby.

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

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L. M. Hoffman

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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August 8, 1933.

J. E. Midgett,
Second Assistant Keeper,
Pamlico Point Light Station,
Buxton, North Carolina.
Thru the Keeper.

Subject: Leave

1. The records of this office show that from July 1, 1932 to June 30, 1933 you had taken 119 days, 14 hours of leave, which is considerably over the accrued rate. Your pay for the month of July will therefore be withheld until sufficient leave has accrued.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

Assistant Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Baltimore, Maryland,
April 25, 1933

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Kpr.
Pamlico River N.C.
Thru The Keeper

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 5 1933
BALTIMORE, MD.

Subject: Record of service.

You are directed to furnish this office the information called for below as to your length of Government service. This data is desired for retirement purposes. Be sure you understand what is desired before filling out the form below. If you have not enough space to answer on the front of this sheet, the remainder of the answer may be written on the back of the sheet.

L. M. Hopkins,
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Superintendent of Lighthouses, Baltimore, Md.

1. Below is furnished the information desired by your office on above subject:

Date started	Position	Sta. or Vessel	Date left	Length Yrs.	Service Mos.	Reason for leavin
Feb. 15, 1916	Seaman	Lt. Vessel 46	Sept. 6, 1916		7	Request
Sept. 4, 1917	"	U.S. Tender Arbutus	Oct. 10, 1917		1	Transfrd to Navy
Jan. 22, 1920	"	Lt. Vessel 72	July 30, 1920		6	Request
Aug. 1920	"	U.S.L.H. Tender Columbine	Nov. 15, 1920		3	Transfrd to Love Pt. L.H. Md.
Nov. 14, 1920	Keeper	Love Point Lt. House Md.	June 1933	12	7	
		Total length of lighthouse service.....		14 years.		

2. Following is Government service other than in the Lighthouse Service near as you can.

Date started	Position	Sta. or Vessel	Date left	Length Service Yrs.	Mos.	Reason for leaving
Oct. 15, 1917	machinist mate 2nd class	U.S. Sub Chaser 122	Dec. 29, 1918	1	2	Close of war
Jan. 1919	Deck mate	U.S. Army Tug Perseverance	Nov. 1919		7	Request
Aug. 1914	Mess Attendant	U.S. Rev. Cutter Onondaga	Jan. 1915		5	Medical discharge
		Total length of other service.....		2 yrs.	2 mos.	

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3. Give correct date of your birth May (Month) 5, (Day) 1895 (Year)

Name John Evans Midgett
(Write first and middle name in full)

Station Pamlico Pt. Light Station

Title Assistant Keeper
(State keeper, asst.keeper, mate, etc.)

Dated June 1, 1933

Cornell Steamboat Company

Pier Foot West 53rd St.
New York

Fredk Coykendall, President
Robt. Oliver, Jr.
Superintendent of Operation

June 18th 1934

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Baltimore, Maryland

Gentlemen:

Attention: Mr. L M Hopkins

We have your inquiry concerning the service of one John E Midgett tug PERSEVERANCE from April 1919 to November 1919.

This tug did not enter our service until 1921. The hull was built at Fall River, Mass. in 1919.

Very truly yours,
CORNELL STEAMBOAT COMPANY

John Oliver
Sup't of operation

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Pamlico Pt Light Sta. Buxton N.C.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

May 23, 1934

Supt. of Light-houses
Baltimore Md

Dear Sir:-

Enclose you will find my Honorable Discharg as you requested. I am sorry but I am not able to give you any more information about the time I had on the Tug Perseverance, only the captains name was Andrew Palmer and we were employed by the Army & stationed at Army Base Norfolk Va

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett

ADDRESS THE COMMANDANT, U.S. COAST GUARD
AND REFER TO No. PR-73

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

HEADQUARTERS

WASHINGTON 5 June, 1934.

SUPT. OF LIGHT HOUSES
JUN 6 1934
BALTIMORE, MD.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Department of Commerce,
Baltimore, Md.

Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter, dated 31 May, 1934, by reference from the Commander, U. S. Coast Guard Norfolk Division.

In reply, you are advised that the records at Coast Guard Headquarters show that John Evan Midgett enlisted 18 September, 1914, in the Revenue Cutter Service (now U. S. Coast Guard) on the Cutter ONONDAGA, Norfolk, Va., transferred to the Cutter ITASCA 19 October, 1914, and that he was discharged 7 January, 1915, from the Cutter ITASCA, Norfolk, Va., with an ordinary discharge on account of physical disability, not recommended for reenlistment. He served in the rating of second class boy.

The records further show that John Evan Midgett was born in Buxton, N. C., 5 May, 1895.

By direction:

Very truly yours,

W. B. Scheibel

W. B. SCHEIBEL,
Assistant Chief,
Personnel Section.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Pambico Pt. Light Sta. Frisco N.C.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

May 15. 1933

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAY 16 1933
BALTIMORE, MD.

Supt. of Lighthouses
Baltimore Md.

Sir:-

After getting my discharge from the Marine Hospital in Norfolk Va. I reported for duty at Pambico Pt. Lt. Sta. as soon as possable owing to weather conditions which was May 6th.

Respectfully,

J. E. Midgett 2nd Asst Kpr.

Approved Joseph W. Farrow.
Keeper

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IN REPLYING ADDRESS
MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE
U. S. MARINE HOSPITAL
HAMPTON BOULEVARD, LARCHMONT
NORFOLK, VA.

Pamlico Point Light Station

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES
PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

NORFOLK, VA.
May 8, 1933.

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAY 9 1933
BALTIMORE, MD.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Maryland.

Sir:-

Replying to your letter of May 5, 1933, I have to state that John E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station, was a patient in this hospital from April 6, 1933 to April 27, 1933, diagnosis Indigestion, nervous type. At the time of his discharge he was considered able to return to his usual duties.

Respectfully,

W. L. Smith

W. L. Smith,
Surgeon,
In temporary charge.

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May 5, 1933.

Medical Officer in Charge,
U. S. Marine Hospital,
Norfolk, Va.

1. This office has been informed that John E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station, N.C., is a patient at the Marine Hospital and it will be appreciated if you will advise what his present condition is and the probable length of incapacitation.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
SEP 21 1932
BALTIMORE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta. Frisco, N. C.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sept. 17, 1932

Supt. of Lighthouses
Baltimore, Md.

Sir:-

I wish to report that I have been called home to my sick wife, who isn't reputed to live but a very few days. will return to duty as soon as possible.

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett 2nd Asst. Keeper

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June 6, 1932.

J. E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper,
Pamlico Point Light Station,
Frisco, N. C.
Thru the Keeper.

1. Your letter of June 1, 1932, reporting your absence on account of sickness of your wife, is returned herewith to be forwarded thru the Keeper in accordance with Art. 69, sec. (f) of the "Instructions to Employees, Lighthouse Service, 1927".

2. Be guided accordingly in the future.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Ltr letter
d/ approval
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Bankies Point Lt. Sta.
Frisco N.C.
July 4, 1931

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 11 1931
BALTIMORE MD.

Supt. of Lighthouses,
Baltimore Md.

Sir:-

Approved 7/11/31 I respectfully request permission to take my wife and child on board the Lighthouse for a period of 8 days beginning July 15;

Respectfully,
John E. Midgett 2nd Asst.

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(Approved) J. D. Farrow, Keeper.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON



October 13, 1930.

LIGHTHOUSES
1930 OCT 15 AM 10 18

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective October 15, 1930, or entrance on duty.(change of station).

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER
Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1260 per annum.

To: $1680 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9051

Form 73
Ed. April, 1929

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Baltimore, Md. (City) September 30, 1930 (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and Promotion — Legal residence, North Carolina

Name, John E. Midgett — Proposed salary, $1680. P.A.

Position, 2nd Asst. Keeper — Proposed range, $1560-1860.

Location, Cunlis Point Light Station — Appropriation, Sal. L.H. Keepers

Effective, October 15, 1930 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Same — Former salary, $1260.

Location, Cape Hatteras Light Station — Former range, $1140-1440.

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

Previous incumbent, John H. Stowe — Services to be terminated, on or about Oct. 14, 1930.

Reason, To be transferred and demoted.

Members of family in Government service, Yes

Date of birth, May 5, 1895.

Remarks:

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

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Secretary, Civil Service District.

L. M. Hopkins
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

MAR 13 1929
BALTIMORE, MD.
1929 MAR 12 PM 1 05
LIGHTHOUSES

March 7, 1929.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective April 1, 1929, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty (change of station).

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1740 per annum.

To: $1260 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

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NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Baltimore, Md., March 5, 1929
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and demotion.

Name, John E. Midgett

Position, 2nd Asst. Keeper

Location, Cape Hatteras L.S., N.C.

Effective, April 1, 1929

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1260. p.a.

Proposed range, $1140-1440

Appropriation, Sal. L.H. Keepers

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

Former position, 2nd Asst. Kpr.

Location, Brand Island L.H., N.C.

Former salary, $1740. ~~$1260.~~ p.a.

Former range, $1620-1920

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

Previous incumbent, Julian H. Austin

Services terminated, March 31, 1929

Reason, Transferred

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 5, 1885

Remarks: This demotion is at the request of Mr. Midgett and Civil Service rule relative to political or religious opinions or affiliations will not be violated by the action recommended.

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

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Secretary, Civil Service District.

M. Hopkins

Acting Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

1920

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
AUG 1 1928
BALTIMORE, MD.

July 1, 1928.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

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: $1620

To: $1740

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Form 206 FILE No. S

RECORD OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION OF LIGHT KEEPER OR ASSISTANT LIGHT KEEPER

IN CONNECTION WITH MEDICAL RELIEF BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES, BALTIMORE, MD. NOV 26 1920

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 5th DISTRICT,

PLACE, Baltimore, Md.

DATE, November 26,1920, 191

To the MEDICAL OFFICER IN CHARGE,
U. S. Public Health Service,
Custom House, Baltimore, Md.

SIR:
Please examine John E. Midgett

nativity, North Carolinian; age, 25; height, 6 feet, -- inches;

weight, 160 pounds; color of hair, light; color of eyes, blue

distinguishing marks, tattooed cross on right arm.

as to eyesight, hearing, and physical condition.

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

Respectfully,

H. D. King

Lighthouse ~~Inspector~~ Supt.

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(Signature of applicant:) John E. Midgett

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

Custodian

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE, Baltimore, Md.

DATE, November 26th, 1920.

TO LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR,

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

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

Daniel H. Sands

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

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

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REPORT OF PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

PLACE, Baltimore, Md.

DATE, November 26th. 1920

Name of applicant, John Evan Midgett

Eyes: Color, Gray; exophthalmus, None

chronic inflammation, none; other anbormality, none

Eyelids: Ptosis, none; condition of conjunctiva on eversion, normal

other conditions, none

Eyesight:

Vision of right eye, without glasses, 20/20; with glasses, xxxx

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

Is applicant partially or wholly color-blind? no

If color-blind, state which color he confuses xxxx

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

Ears:

Abnormalities, none; shape, normal

Position, correct; condition of drums normal

Evidence of mastoid disease, none

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

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

Distance whispered speech can be heard: Right ear, 15 feet; left ear, 15 feet.

Lungs: normal

Heart: normal

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

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Reasons for certification of disqualification: _____

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

(Signature of applicant:) John E. Midgett,

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

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Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

JUL 12 1927

July 1, 1927.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1927.

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,

CLIFFORD BALLOU

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1560 per annum.

To: $1620 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

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Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

BUR. OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 5 1926
BALTIMORE, MD.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

February 25, 1926.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1500 per annum to $1560 per annum, effective March 1, 1926.

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,

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUL 10 1925
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 25, 1925.

Mr. John E. Midgett, Brant Island

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $1440 per annum to $1500 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,
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

DEPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
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January 31, 1925.

Mr. John E. Midgett, Brant Isl

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,

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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

Position: Keeper.

Salary: $1440. OK

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

EK

5th OK

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
NOV 23 1920
BALTIMORE

LIGHTHOUSES

November 18, 1920.

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Mr. John E. Midgett,

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 Secretary, Fourth Civil Service District.

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File Clk.
Stenog.
Messenger
File

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

end Nov. 25

Ploc Nov. 23/20

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: William W. Bozman.

Legal Residence: North Carolina.

(See reverse side.)

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Pamlico Point 70

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

INDIVIDUAL RECORD OF ABSENCE FOR THE YEAR 1943

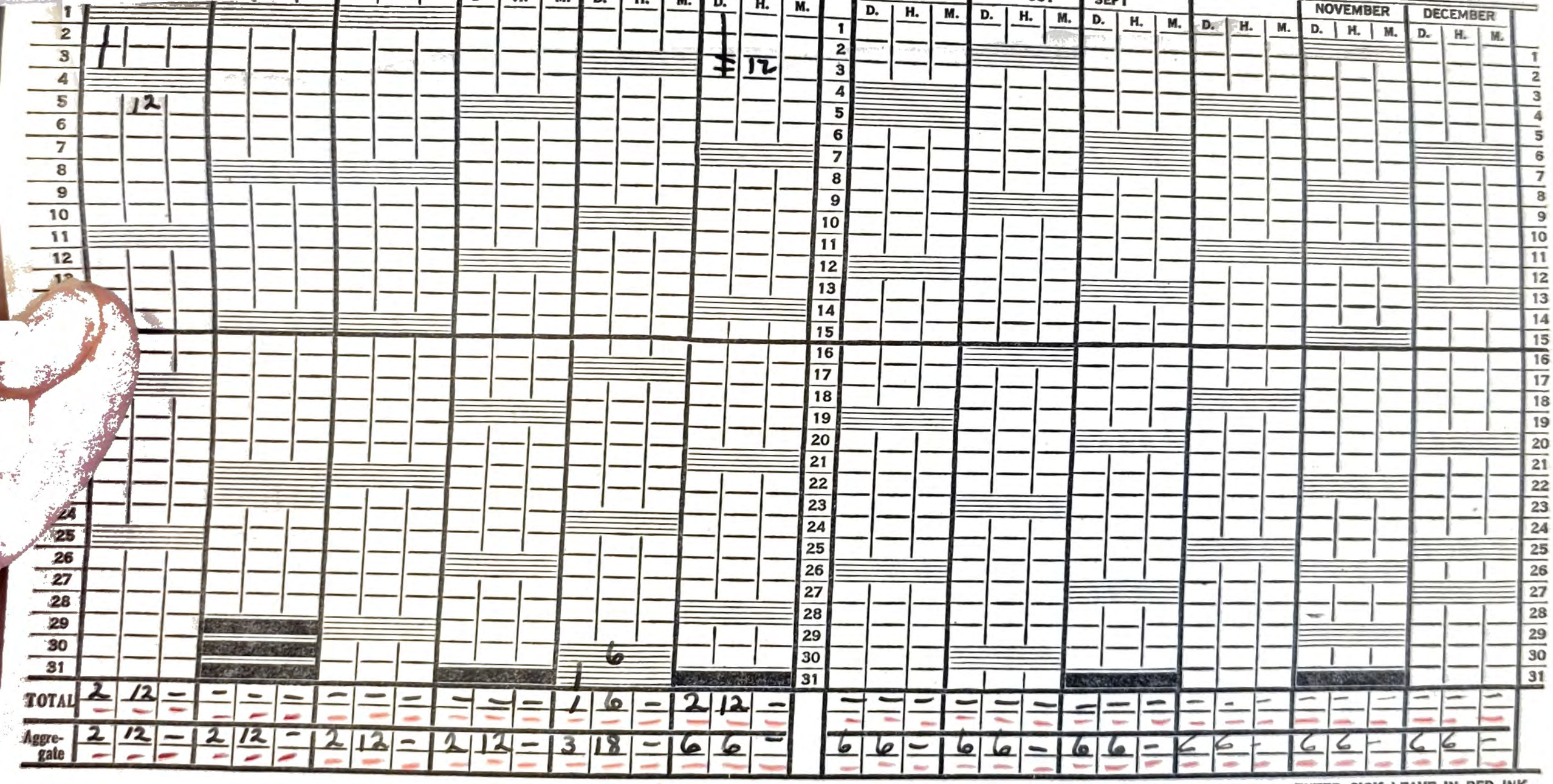
EMPLOYEE: MIDGETT, John E. OATH _____, 19__ SALARY: $_____

ACCUMULATED LEAVE
ANNUAL: 69 DAYS 2 HRS. — MIN.
SICK: 90 DAYS — HRS. — MIN.

Day of Month	JANUARY D.	H.	M.	FEBRUARY D.	H.	M.	MARCH D.	H.	M.	APRIL D.	H.	M.	MAY D.	H.	M.	JUNE D.	H.	M.	JULY D.	H.	M.	AUGUST D.	H.	M.	SEPTEMBER D.	H.	M.	OCTOBER D.	H.	M.	NOVEMBER D.	H.	M.	DECEMBER D.	H.	M.
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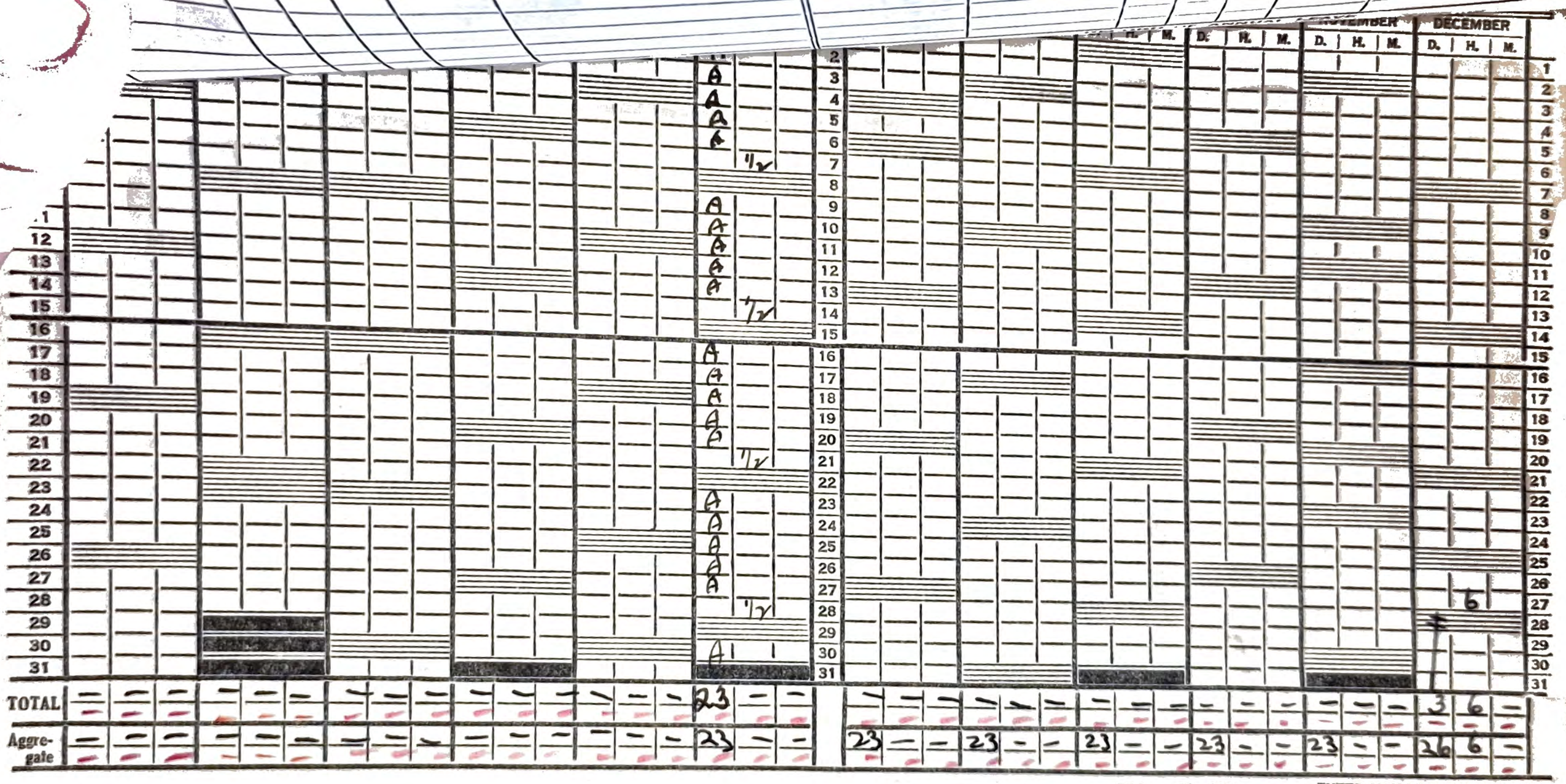
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ENTER SICK LEAVE IN RED INK



GPO 16—8896-1

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APPLICANT OR EMPLOYEE MUST FILL THE FOLLOWING

Name (in full) John Evans Midgett Sex

Present address Belhaven N.C. Date of birth May 6 1896

Give below all places of residence during the past FIVE years

From-- (Month and year)	To-- Month and year)	Number and Street	City and State
Oct. 1934	Feb 1936		Buxton, N.C.
Feb 1936	to present time		Belhaven N.C.

Give, in your own handwriting, the information requested below

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

Date of Arrest	Age	Charge	Court and Location	Judge	Disposition

No Reply Received From F. B. I.
Apparently No Criminal Record.

Have you ever been fingerprinted? yes Where? Norfolk Va.

When? 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

John E. Midgett
Customary payroll signature of employee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 6 day of Oct. 1939.

G. T. Riddick
Notary Public

My commission expires Nov. 14, 1940

July 1, 1939. Lighthouse Districts No. FIFTH

consolidated with NORFOLK Coast Guard District,

Headquarters NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

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

John E. Midgett (Name) N.C. (Legal Residence)

STATUS

11—8940

DESIGNATION	ACTION	SALARY	BUREAU—SERVICE—STATION	DATE OF EFFECT
Keeper	Prob.	720	LH Love Pt L.S. Md.	Nov. 24, 1920
"	Prom.	900	" "	July 21, 1921
"	Trans.	780	" "	Nov. 1, 1922
"	Read of Pay	1020	" "	July 1, 1924
"	"	1440	" "	Feb 1, 1925
"	Inc in Comp	1500	" "	July 1, 1925
"	Over	1560	" Brant Isle L. Stn. N.C.	Mar. 1, 1926
"	INCREASE IN COMPENSATION Act. May 28, 1928	1620	" " "	JUL 1 1927
"		1740	" " "	JUL 1 1928
Keeper	Transfer	1260	L.H. - Cape Hatteras L.S.	April 1, 1929.
"	"	1680	" Pamlico Point L.S.	Nov 1, 1930
"	"	1620	" Smith Point L.S.	July 1, 1934
"	"	1500	" Jones Island L.S.	May 1, 1935
"	"	1680	" Pamlico Pt. L.S.	April 5, 1936

PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATION BOARD FORM NO. [redacted] FIELD QUESTIONNAIRE
(To be filled out in accordance with the instructions given in P. C. B. Forms Nos. 15 [redacted] 16)

Bureau No. [redacted] *Sheet No.* 5(b)-18

Space reserved for the use of the Board

1. Hildreth (Surname) John (Given name) E. (Initial)

2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouses
4. Field service Lighthouse Service
5. (a) Field station Burnt Island Light Station
   (b) Subdivision
   (c) City or town State

6. Pay roll title Light Keeper
7. Customary office title [redacted] Assistant Keeper
8. Present administrative allocation [redacted]
9. Present gross rate of pay $ 1740.
10. Deduction for allowances $ None
11. Net rate paid in cash $ 1740

12. Indicate by an "X" in the proper box or boxes the kind of allowances, if any, received by the employee:
☐ House ☒ Room { ☐ Furnished ☒ Unfurnished } ☐ Heat ☒ Light ☒ Fuel ☐ Laundry ☐ Uniform ☐ Subsistence or rations in kind Meals per day: ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3

13. Describe any other allowance, privilege, or perquisite of value

14. If any special equipment or a bond is required by law or regulation to be furnished at the employee's expense, state kind and annual cost
Uniform, approximately $25.00

15. (a) Regular hours of work: From Time m. to m. (b) How many hours per week excluding unusual or irregular overtime work?
Summer 66 Winter 66 (c) If not a full time and all-the-year-round position, state number of hours per day;
number of days per { week / month / year } (d) If certain hours of availability for duty, outside of regular working hours, are required, state hours and type of such duty Subject to call at all times

16. (a) Rate of pay for overtime None (b) Amount of overtime pay in last 12 months

17. (a) Does the employee in any way direct or supervise other employees? No (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering)

(c) How many?

18. If the employee supervises other persons through immediate contact, give the name and the sheet numbers of such persons. (For such of these as may not be covered by questionnaires, give number and kinds by occupations.) If the employee exercises supervision through section or division heads, give the title of such sections or divisions and the names and sheet numbers of their heads.

19. (a) Is the employee in any way directed, supervised, or instructed, or his work reviewed? Yes (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering.)
My principal keeper with whom I work side by side at watch and watch. He is instructed by example and supervised by direct personal contact with the Principal Keeper and by periodic inspections of stations by district superintendent or his representative.

20. What is the name, official position, and sheet number of the employee's immediate superior? H.E.Gilley, Keeper 5(b)16

21. Employee's education: Strike an "X" over the number representing the highest grade or year completed in each type of school:

Elementary								High				Normal				College				Postgraduate or professional				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	(Kind)
							X	X																

Other education (describe):

22. What length and kind of experience or other training did the employee possess upon original entrance into this position which was most qualifying or pertinent?
14 months as Seaman on light vessel, 8 months as quartermaster and Seaman on buoy tender. 2 years in U.S.Navy. 8 Months Tug Boating. 6 months in Revenue Cutter Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Lighthouse Service.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APR 16 1936
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
LIGHTHOUSES

District Fifth

Date April 13, 1936.

CHANGE IN STATUS OF EMPLOYEE

1936 APR 15 AM 8 32
CHIEF CLERK
1936 APR 15 PM 2 33
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Name John E. Midgett

Nature of Action Change in Compensation (change of station and duties)

Effective Date April 5, 1936

	FROM	TO
Position	2nd Asst. Keeper	Assistant Keeper
Pay	$1500 ($1380-1740)	$1680 ($1680-2040)
Station	Janes Island Light Station, Va.	Pamlico Point Light Station, N.C.

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department letter dated April 2, 1936.

L. M. Hoppins
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington

APR 15 1936
ENTERED ON CLERICAL FORCE OF PERSONNEL JOURNAL
Date 4/30/36
CANCELED

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

April 2, 1936.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

APR - 6 1936

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1500

To: $1680

Service and grade: Field

Appropriation (unit):

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Form 73
HVS

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE LIGHTHOUSES 1936 MAR 4 AM 8 29

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Norfolk, Va., March 3, 1936
(City) (Date)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE 1936 APPOINTMENT

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and Promotion — Legal residence, North Carolina

Name, John E. Midgett — Proposed salary, $1680. p.a.

Position, (Assistant) Keeper — Proposed range, $1680-2040. p.a.

Location, Pamlico Point Light Station, N. C. — Appropriation, Sal. Kprs. of L.H.

Effective, March 15, 1936 — {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, 2nd Assistant Keeper — Former salary, $1500. p.a. plus $60. p.a. for quarters.

Location, Janes Island Light Station, Md. — Former range, $1380-1740. p.a. plus $60. p.a. for quarters.

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

(Lt.#916)

Previous incumbent and his pay, J. D. Barnett / $1800 — Services terminated, December 31, 1935.

Reason, Promotion

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, ~~May~~ 5, 1895

Remarks: ~~See letters of even date in this connection.~~

1936 MAR 28 AM 10:25 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

L. M. Hoppins
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

March 25, 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. The present cash range of this position is $1620-1980. The individual quarters are no longer provided, and therefore it is proposed to give the nominee an appointment at $1680 per annum, which will be the minimum of the new range.

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THIS IS A CIVIL SERVICE POSITION.
ACTION U. A.

Asst. Asst. to Secy.

W. P. Gorman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington

June 26, 1935

Superintendent of Lighthouses: Norfolk, Va.

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

NAME AND DESIGNATION John E. Midgett--2d asst kpr. Janes Island

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

Department authorized change to $1500 by letter dated 3/30/35. Report effective date by indorsement hereon in duplicate.

For the Commissioner:

H-M

R. J. GROSS
Chief of Personnel Division.

District Fifth Date June 27, 1935

Returned to Commissioner of Lighthouses: John E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper, Janes Island Light Station, Va., entered on duty effective May 1, 1935.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

CARDED JUN 28 1935

Forwarded to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner,

Chief, Personnel Division

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

March 30, 1935.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective April 1, 1935, or entrance on duty (change of station).

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER APR -9 1935

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1620 per annum.

To: $1500 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 25 1935
APPOINTMENT
DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE 1935 MAR 21 AM 9:01

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

1935 MAR 25 AM 9:48 Norfolk, (City) Virginia, March 20 (Date) 1935

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 30 1935
APPOINTMENT
DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, CHIEF CLERK Transfer and Demotion — Legal residence, North Carolina

Name, John E. Midgett — Proposed salary, $1500. p.a. exclusive of $60. p.a. for quarters

Position, (2nd Assistant) Keeper — Proposed range, $1380-1740. "

Location, Janes Island Light Station, Md. — Appropriation, Sal. Keepers of L.H.

Effective, April 1, 1935 — {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, (2nd Asst.) Kpr. — Former salary, $1620.p.a.exclusive of $60. p.a. for quarters

Location, Smith Point Light Station, Va. — Former range, $1500-1860. "

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Robert Bradshaw (Lt.#1211) / Services terminated, Sept. 15, 1934

Reason, Deceased

Members of family in Government service, Brother

Remarks: The action recommended is in accord with Mr. Midgett's desires and will not violate Civil Service rule relative to religious or political opinions or affiliations

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

L. M. Hoppins

Secretary, Civil Service District. Superintendent of Lighthouses.

3/25/35

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

March 21, 1935

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, transfer being agreeable to the employee.

THIS IS A CIVIL SERVICE POSITION

Action O. K.

Adm. Asst. to Secy.

A. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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LIGHTHOUSES 1934 JUL-17-AM 8:54

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL 18 1934
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

1934 JUL 17 PM 2:41

CHIEF CLERK

District Fifth

Date July 16, 1934.

CHANGE IN STATUS OF EMPLOYEES

7/21/34

Name John E. Midgett

Nature of Action Transfer and Demotion

Effective Date July 1, 1934.

	FROM	TO
Position	2nd Asst. Keeper	2nd Asst. Keeper
Pay	$1680.p.a. - $1560-1920.	$1620.p.a. - $1500-1860.
Station	Pamlico Pt. L.S., N.C.	Smith Pt. L.S., Va.

Remarks:

The above change was made under authority of Department Form A-38, dated July 1, 1934.

JUL 17 1934

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner,

Chief, Personnel Division

L. M. Hoffman
Signature
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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

...EL COMMUNICATIONS TO
...NTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

A.L.
Encl.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
...IGHTHOUSES

1934 JUL - 10 - AM 8 : 52

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL 11 1934
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

...COMMERCE

1934 JUL 11 AM 10 : 11

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

CHIEF CLERK

July 9, 1934.

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

1. Form A-38, dated July 2, 1934, covering change of compensation of John E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper, from $1680. p.a. to $1620.p.a., effective upon entrance on duty (by change of station) is returned herewith.

2. Under direction of the Bureau, this employee's position at Pamlico Point Light Station was discontinued as of the close of June 30, 1934, making it necessary to enter him on duty at his new station beginning July 1, 1934, in order that there may be no lapse in his service.

3. It is recommended that amended Form A-38 be prepared, showing effective date as July 1, 1934.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
ENTERED ON JOURNAL
JUL 21 1934
SHEET NO. 1670
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

L. M. Hoppins
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington July 10, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce with recommendation that the effective date of this change be fixed as July 1, for the reasons given by the Superintendent.

CARDED

W P Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

H-M

Form A-88

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

July 1, 1934.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

JUL - 8 1934

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1680 per annum.

To: $1620 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
ENTERED ON JOURNAL
JUL 7 1934
SHEET NO. 4559

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1934 JUN-27- AM 8:49

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 28 1934
12:31 PM
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Baltimore, Md. June 26, 1934
(City) (Date)

1934 JUN 28 PM 12:31

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL - 2 1934
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Action recommended, Transfer and Demotion

Name, John E. Midgett

Position, 2nd Asst. Keeper

Location, Smith Point Light Station

Effective, July 1, 1934

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1620.p.a.

Proposed range, ~~$1500-1860.~~ $60 quarters

Appropriation, Sal. Keepers of L. H.

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

Former position, Same

Location, Pamlico Point Light Station

Former salary, $1680.p.a.

Former range, $1560-1920. $60 quarters

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

Previous incumbent; his pay: C. L. Brumfield- $1500.p.a. (Lt.#932) / Services terminated, Close of June 17, 1934.

Reason, Resigned to take another Government position.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 5, 1895

Remarks: The action recommended is for the good of the Service and in line with the proposed discontinuance of Pamlico Point Light Station; Civil Service rule relative to political or religious affiliations or opinions will not violated thereby.

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

6/27/34

Secretary, Civil Service District.

L. M. Hopkins
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

June 27, 1934

THIS IS A CIVIL SERVICE POSITION

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, for the reason given by the Superintendent under remarks. It is recommended that the effective date be July 1 or date of entrance on duty.

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

W. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

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CROSS REFERENCE

J. E. Midgett — Dec. 2, 1930

For effective date of promotion to $1680
see file of J. M. Stowe (11/1/30)

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

AHL.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

NOV 10 1930
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
CHIEF CLERK

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

1930 NOV 6 AM 9:21
1930 NOV 10 AM 10 47

November 5, 1930.

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

1. The Bureau is informed that under Department notice of October 13, 1930, John E. Midgett reported for duty on November 1, 1930, as 2nd Asst. Keeper at Pamlico Point Light Station with pay at the rate of $1680. per annum.

L. M. Hopkins
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
NOV 7 1930
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information
U. S. REPORT DIVISION
ENTERED

W. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

CARDED

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

October 13, 1930.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective October 15, 1930, or entrance on duty.(change of station).

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER OCT 14 1930

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1260 per annum.

To: $1620 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION OCT 18 1930 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE 2162

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Form 73
Ed. April, 1929

LIGHTHOUSES
1930 OCT 1 AM 9 13

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE OCT 3 1930 ART. DIVISION

CHIEF CLERK
1930 OCT 3 AM 10 54

OCT 13 1930
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Baltimore, Md. (City) September 30, 1930 (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and Promotion

Name, John E. Midgett — To fill Expected Vac.

Position, 2nd Asst. Keeper

Location, Pamlico Point Light Station

Effective, October 15, 1930

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1680. p.a. — same step ✗

Proposed range, $1560-1860. — no go - (Bu)

Appropriation, Sal. L.H. Keepers

[1] ~~on the date of his transfer from duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Same

Location, Cape Hatteras Light Station

Former salary, $1260.

Former range, $1140-1440. — go at 1260 - (Bu)

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

Previous incumbent, John M. Stowe - (LT. #917) — 1680 — to be

Services terminated, on or about Oct. 14, 1930.

Reason, To be transferred and demoted. — reform

Members of family in Government service, Yes

Date of birth, May 5, 1895.

Remarks:

✗ Net increase in comp. of $180. Transfer at same step provided by art 416 of L.H. Regs. Jad

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

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Secretary, Civil Service District.

L. M. Hopkins
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

OCT 2 1930
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN
OCT 13 1930
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Action [illegible]
Chief Clerk

W. P. Starman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

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Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

March 7, 1929.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective April 1, 1929, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty (change of station).

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER.

MAR 1 1 1929

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1740 per annum.

To: $1260 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAR 7 1929 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAR 9 1929 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Baltimore, Md., March 5, 1929
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and demotion.

Name, John E. Midgett (898) Request

Position, (2nd Asst.) Keeper

Location, Cape Hatteras L.S., N.C.

Effective, April 1, 1929

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1260. p.a. Same Step

Proposed range, $1140-1440

Appropriation, ~~Sal. L.H.~~ Keepers Such etc.

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

Former position, 2nd Asst. Kpr.

Location, Brand I Island L.H., N.C.

Former salary, $1740. ~~$1260~~. p.a.

Former range, $1620-1920

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

Previous incumbent, Julian H. Austin (Lt.#898) 1266 Services terminated, March 31, 1929

Reason, Transferred (Recom. herewith)

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 5, 1895

Remarks: This demotion is at the request of Mr. Midgett and Civil Service rule relative to political or religious opinions or affiliations will not be violated by the action recommended.

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

M. Hopkins
Acting Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

March 6, 1929.

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting C. K.
Chief Clerk

MAR 11 1929
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

H. D. King
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 1, 1928.

MR. John E. Midgett

Through the Chief, Bureau of Lighthouses

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,

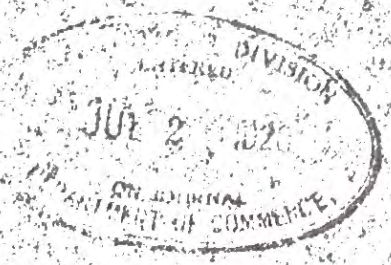
Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1620

To: $1740

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August 16, 1927.

The Superintendent, 5th District, Lighthouse Service, Baltimore, Maryland, submits report for month of July of transfers, promotions, and demotions, giving effective date of change.

NAME	POSITION	SALARY	NATURE OF CHANGE	LETTER DATE	EFFECTIVE DATE
JOHN E. MIDGETT	KEEPER	$1620 ~~$xxx~~	Increase	7-1-27	7-1-27

See letter dated August 1, 1927, in file of Lewis McD. Hopkins.

CROSS REFERENCE.

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

July 1, 1927.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1927.

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,

CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1560 per annum.

To: $1620 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION JUL 1 1927

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(COPY)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAY 19 1926
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

May 17, 1926

John E. Midgett, Second Assistant Keeper,
Brant Island Light Station, N. C.
(Through Superintendent of Lighthouses, Baltimore, Md.)

The Bureau is in receipt of a report from the keeper forwarded by the Superintendent, regarding assistance you rendered in floating the yacht "ANNA MARIE II" which went ashore in the vicinity of the station on April 27, 1926. The Bureau is pleased to commend you for the assistance rendered on this occasion and to note the matter on the records as part of your official history.

(Signed) G. R. PUTNAM

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division files
Exact copy signed by _____
Mailed _____ by _____

April 8, 1926.

COPY

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

Subject: Transfers and promotions.

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

Name	Position	Salary	Nature of Change	Letter date	Effec.d of ch.
Charles H. Fulcher	Keeper	1680 p.a.	promotion	2-25-26	3-1-2
John E. Midgett	Keeper	1560 p.a.	promotion	"	"

For original letter of April 8, 1926 see file of David E. Quidley.

CROSS REFERENCE

SEE FILE--464/16/D#1

NAME Bridgett, John E. POSITION Keeper

BUREAU BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES STATION 5th Dist.

CIRCULAR #11----9/15/23

BASE PAY	Bonus	Total	Allowances Items	Allowances Value	Allowances Aggregate	As Classified for estimate purposes Service	Grade	Pay	Recommendations regarding differential from standard rates: Is differential recommended	Amt. per annum to be Added	Amt. per annum to be Subtracted
780	240	1020	CR	164.25	1184.25	LHS	1	1200	yes	300	

CIRCULAR #13----11/13/23

approx $1440

GRADE RECOMMENDED 6

RANGE OF COMPENSATION RECOMMENDED FROM $1440 TO $1680

16. Indicate what special equipment, if any, the employee is required by law or regulation to furnish at his own expense, and the approximate annual maintenance cost to the employee:

Kind of equipment Uniform; annual cost, $ Est. $20.00

17. Extent of employee's education. (Place an "X" in the box before the highest grade or year.)

(a) Elementary school; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☒ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☐ 8

(b) High school; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4

(c) Business school; years ☐ ½ ☐ 1 ☐ 1½ ☐ 2 ☐ 2½ ☐ 3

(d) College: Name ; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4

(e) Post graduate work: Kind ; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3

(f) Correspondence courses: Kind ; number of lessons ; number completed

18. Description of work. (Describe the various tasks performed, making the description of each as detailed as space will permit. Use a paragraph for each task and number the paragraphs. In the column at the right state the estimated percentage of the total time—in the course of a day, month, or year—given to each task.)

Percentage of total time given to each task

Water Station

1. Operating fifth order light and beel fog signal,
2. Keeping the station painted and clean,
3. Keeping the machinery and small boats in order,
4. Keeping station records and preparing reports,
5. Going for mail and provisions,
6. Observing aids to navigation and conditions of weather,
7. Preparing meals and keeping rooms clean.

* This employee is located at a Water Station and allowances marked X do not apply to his family who must live a shore.

CLASSIFICATION BOARD FORM NO. 1
(Filled out in accordance with detailed instruction sheet, Form No. 2)

Sheet No. 76

2—12758

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

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1. Midgett (Surname) John (Given name) D. (Initial)
2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouse
4. Field Service Lighthouse
5. (a) Field Station Fifth Lighthouse Dist.
   (b) Subdivision Love Point Lt. Sta., Md.
   (c) City or town Md. State
6. Pay-roll title Light Keeper
7. Customary office title Ass't. Keeper

8. (a) Number of regular working hours of the position, per day Avg. about 15; per week 105
   (b) If this is not a full-time position, state percentage of time employed per day ; or per week
   (c) If night work, wholly or in part, state the hours: From 1/2 of time from sunset to sunrise. m. to m.
9. If this is not an all-year-round position, state approximate number of days employed each year
   During what months
10. If the employee receives compensation from any other branch of the Federal Government, or from any city, county, or State government, state the position held and the compensation
11. Present rate of pay, exclusive of bonus $ 720. per annum; bonus, $ 240. per annum.
12. Rate of pay, exclusive of bonus, on January 1, 1923, $ 720. per annum; bonus, $ 240. per annum.
13. If the employee receives overtime pay, state the rate None.
14. Title of appropriation or fund from which basic compensation is paid Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses
15. Indicate by an "X" in the proper box any of the following allowances received, in addition to salary or wages: ☐ Quarters; ☐ 3 meals per day; ☐ 2 meals per day; ☐ 1 meal per day; ☐ Subsistence or rations in kind; ☐ Uniform; ☐ Laundry; ☒ Fuel; ☐ Light; ☐ Heat. If cash allowances are made for any of these items, state which items and the amounts per annum $164.25
    45 cents per diem commutation of rations.
16. Indicate what special equipment, if any, the employee is required by law or regulation to furnish at his own expense, and the approximate annual maintenance cost to the employee:
    Kind of equipment Uniform; annual cost, $ Est. $20.00
17. Extent of employee's education. (Place an "X" in the box before the highest grade or year.)
    (a) Elementary school; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☒ 8
    (b) High school; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4
    (c) Business school; years ☐ ½ ☐ 1 ☐ 1½ ☐ 2 ☐ 2½ ☐ 3
    (d) College: Name ; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4
    (e) Post graduate work: Kind ; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3
    (f) Correspondence courses: Kind ; number of lessons ; number completed

18. Description of work. (Describe the various tasks performed, making the description of each as detailed as space will permit. Use a paragraph for each task and number the paragraphs. In the column at the right state the estimated percentage of the total time—in the course of a day, month, or year—given to each task.)

Percentage of total time given to each task

Water Station

1. Operating fifth order light and beel fog signal,
2. Keeping the station painted and clean,
3. Keeping the machinery and small boats in order,
4. Keeping station records and preparing reports,
5. Going for mail and provisions,
6. Observing aids to navigation and conditions of weather,
7. Preparing meals and keeping rooms clean.

* This employee is located at a Water Station and allowances marked X do not apply to his family who must live a shore.

19. Does employee work under immediate supervision, or to a large extent upon his own responsibility? (Describe fully.)

Asst. Keeper is under immediate supervision of keeper except when keeper is absent from station, when assistant keeper takes charge of station and assumes responsibilities of keeper. Stations are usually in isolated localities where the personnel must act in emergency without reference to superior officers.

20. Do the duties involve direction or supervision of the work of other employees? _____
If so, describe the nature of the direction or supervision and give the number and classes of employees directed or supervised.

This employee ranks second at this station and he regularly has no employees under him.

21. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? Since May 16, 1922.

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

May 25, 1923. (Date) — H. D. Ling (Signature of Preparing Officer) — Supt. of Lighthouses (Title)

23. I have read the foregoing and I agree to it except as follows:

_____ (Signature of Employee)

THE FOLLOWING TO BE FILLED OUT BY THE HEAD OF THE FIELD OFFICE OR STATION

24. Indicate by an "X" in the proper spaces below the qualifications and personal traits considered important for the satisfactory performance of the duties of this position:

	High Degree	Average	Not Essential
Judgment		X	
Accuracy		X	
Initiative (originality and resourcefulness)	X		
Trustworthiness (dependability)	X		
Speed (quickness)		X	
Physical Qualities (strength and endurance)	X		

Educational Training		
	Essential	Desirable But Not Essential
College		
High School		X
Common School	X	

Technical Education: If essential, kind and extent _____

Experience: If essential, kind and extent _____

25. I hereby certify that I have read the foregoing and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made are accurate and complete. In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $1020 to $1260 exclusive of allowances mentioned in Question 17.

May 25, 1923. (Date) — H. D. Ling (Signature of head of field office or station) — Supt. of Lighthouses. (Title)

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—12758

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

February 25, 1926.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1500 per annum to $ 1560 per annum, effective March 1, 1926.

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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APPOINTMENT DIVISION
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APPROVED BY THE ACTING SECRETARY 2/25/26

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Form 73
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LIGHTHOUSES
1926 FEB 17 AM 8 47

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 27 '26
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

FEB 25 1926

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Baltimore, Md. (City.) February 16, (Date.) 19 26

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion

Name, John E. Midgett

Position, (2nd Asst.) Keeper

Location, Brant Island Shoal L.H., N.C.

Effective March 1, 1926

Legal residence, North Carolina

Salary, $1560. p.a. $1500 - $1740. Range

Appropriation, Sal.Kprs. Lighthouses

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

Former position, (2nd Asst.) Keeper

Location, Brant Island Shoal L.H., N.C.

Former salary, $1500. p.a. $1440 - $1680 Range

Feb. 23/26: Bu. recomms. incr. 60 on Range this pos. (add'l duties)

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

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
MAR 1 1926
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Previous incumbent, Himself Services terminated, February 28, 1926

Reason,

Members of family in Government Service, Father in Coast Guard

Date of birth, May 5, 1895

Remarks: Keepers of Brant Isl. Shoal L.H. have been given charge of 4 add'l. lights- Sheep Isl. Slue, Cedar Isl. Bay, Inner Middle Gr. & Great Isl. Lts., in addition to S.W. Pt. Royal Shl., Harbor Isl. Bar and Brant Isl. Slue which they now have. Positions of Lamplighter, Sheep Isl. Slue and Cedar Isl. Bay Lts. discontinued February 28. It is for this additional labor that recommendation is made to increase keeper's salary. See Bureau endorsement on Dep't. letter of Jan. 30, 1926.

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

It is also recommended that range of salary be increased $60. in the case of each keeper at Brant Island due to this additional labor.

W. D. Lamp

Secretary, Civil Service District. Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

FEB 25 1926

2-25-26

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. Attention is invited to Bureau recommendation of this date for adjusting the range of the position.

H. B. Bowerman

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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February 1, 1926.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Referring to the communications from the Fifth Superintendent dated January 21, and January 23, 1926, relative to absence in excess of the leave authorized in the cases of certain employees under his supervision, the Department has approved the action indicated in the following statement:

Name and Position	Excess Absence Days	Hours	Action Approved
Alexander Anderson, Master Pennick Island, L. S. #52	6	3½	Waiver of regulation
John L. Dennis, Keeper, Greenbury Point Light Station	14	19½	Waiver
Aubrey S. Hudgins, Asst. Keeper, Sandy Point Light Station	18		Charge against 1926 leave
Arthur M. Hudson, Master L. S. # 80	6		Waiver
W. J. Kelly, Asst. Keeper, James Island Light Station	11 2/3/		Deduction of Pay.
Arthur M. Manning, 1st Asst. Keeper Thimble Shoal L. Sta.	1 2/3		Deduction of Pay.
John E. Midgett, 2d Asst. Keeper Brant Island Light Sta.	2½		Waiver.
P. S. Midgett, Asst. Keeper, Hammond River L. Sta.	4		Waiver
Thomas D. Quidley, Keeper Neuse River L. Sta	3		Waiver
Edgar T. Somers, Keeper Somers Cove L. Sta.	2½		Waiver
Edwin C. Tyler, Keeper Keeper Island L. Sta.	3	15	Waiver
Wm. Wilson, Asst. Eng. Pennick Isl L'ship	13		Waiver
Caleb W. Evans, Keeper, Craighill Channel Fr. L.H.	17½		10½ days charge against 1926 leave & 7 days deduction of pay.

SEE LETTER DATED FEB. 1, 1926, IN FILE 2[illegible]
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CROSS REFERENCE.

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 25, 1925.

Mr. John E. Midgett,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $1440 per annum to $1500 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,

ADW J. GARDNER.
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 16 1925 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 31, 1925.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

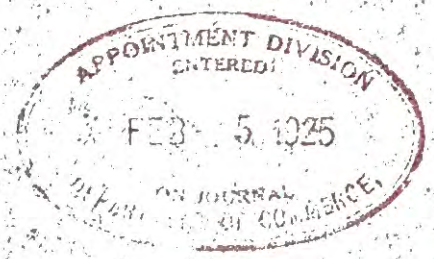
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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,



Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

Position: Keeper.

Salary: $1440.

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

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FEB 1925

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(CROSS REFERENCE)

Midgett John E In accordance with authority of the Director of the Budget dated June 27, 1924, the salary is re-adjusted to $ 1020, effective July 1, 1924.

For authorization see letter dated JUL 2 1924 File No. 1095/21.

(Cross reference.)

March 29, 1923, The Department advises the Bureau of Lighthouses that no report of date of effect has been received for John E. Midgett covering the change of salary dated Oct. 12, 1922

See file 1137.

(Cross reference.)

December 14, 1922, the Bureau of Lighthouses advises the Department of the date of effect of the following changes:

Name	Position	Salary	Nature of Change	Effective Date
John E. Midgett	Keeper	$780pa.	Decrease	Nov. 1, 1922

See file Charles H. Fulcher.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

October 12, 1922.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 900 per annum to $ 780 per annum, effective November 1, 1922, 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 HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1922 OCT 11 AM 8 46

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md., (City.) October 10, 1922 (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK

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Action recommended, Transfer and demotion.

Name, **John E. Midgett** Legal residence, **Buxton, N. C.**

Position, **Keeper** Salary, **$780. p. a. (base)**

Location, **Brant Island Shoal L. S., N. C.** Appropriation, **Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses**

Effective **November 1, 1922** {'~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper Former salary, **$900. p. a. (base)**

Location, **Love Point L. S., Md.**

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE OCT 1922 APPOINTMENT

Previous incumbent, Charles H. Fulcher Services **will be** terminated, **October 31, 1922.**

Reason, **Promoted to 1st assistant**

Members of family in Government Service,

Remarks:
This demotion was made by the request of Mr. Midgett.

CIVIL SERVICE DIVISION RECORD ONLY ACTION TAKEN OCT 12 1922 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

H. D. King

Secretary, Civil Service District. **Superintendent of Lighthouses.**

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

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OCT 11 1922

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

10-12-22

J. S. CO[illegible]
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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July 20, 1922.

Sir:

Upon recommendation of the Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses, the Department has removed the temporary limitation from your notice of increase in salary as keeper from $720 to $900 per annum, dated July 20, 1921.

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.

Mr. John E. Midgett,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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APPOINT. DIV. JUL 20 1922 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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1922 JUN 29 AM 7 33

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Supt.

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE ~~INSPECTOR~~, 5 DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md. (City.) June 28, 1922 (Date.) 191

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THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Permanent promotion

Name, John E. Midgett — Legal residence, N.C.

Position, Keeper — Salary, $ 900. p.a.

Location, Love Point L.S., Md. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective July 1, 1922 — {'the actual date of entrance on duty, or ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

Former position, Keeper (Additional) — Former salary, $900. p.a.

Location, Love Point L.S., Md.

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

Previous incumbent, Charles A. Larsen — Services terminated, Close of June 30, 1922

Reason, Services discontinued a/c lapse of 1 yr. leave without pay. ~~Disc. not rec'd.~~ Recd 7/17/22

Members of family in Government Service, Cousin - Navy Dept. Father, Coast Guard Ser Uncle, Lighthouse Ser.

Remarks: Effective date due to discontinuance of services of Chas. A. Larsen on June 30/22. No actual change is made, except transfer from a temporary to permanent status.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 191

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE LIBRARY ACTION TAKEN JUL 20 1922 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

6/11/22

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

JUN 29 1922

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

H. B. BOWERMAN

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Cross reference.

September 7, 1921, The ~~Department~~ Bureau of Lighthouses advises the Department of the date of effect of the following change.

Name	Position	Salary	Nature of Change	Letter Date	Effective Date of Change.
John E. Midgett	Keeper	$900 pa.	Temp. Prom	7/20/21	7/21/21

Seefile Walter J. Kephart.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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July 20, 1921.

r. John E. Midgett,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $720 per annum to $900 per annum, effective July 20, 1921, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty, and to continue for a period not to exceed one year.

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,

Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 21 1921 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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MEM

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1921 JUL 9 AM 8 39

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 5th DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md. (City.) July 8, 1921 (Date.) 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1921 JUL 16 AM 7 57

Action recommended, Temporary promotion

Name, John E.Midgett — Legal residence, N.C.

Position, (Additional) Keeper — Salary, $ 900. p.a.

Location, Love Point L.S.,Md. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective July 20,1921 — {'the actual date of entrance on duty, or / as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper — Former salary, $720. p.a.

Location, Love Point L.S.,Md.

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

APPOINTMENTS

Previous incumbent, New position — Services terminated, 1921 JUL 16 AM 8 1

Reason,

Members of family in Government Service, Cousin, Capt. Navy Colier; Father, surfman, Coast Guard Ser.; Uncle, L.H.S.

Remarks: Chas. A. Larsen is at Marine Hospital for treatment and will probably not be able to return to duty. He has been placed on a leave without pay status for period not to exceed one year. See letter this date. John E.Midgett is now in charge of the station and it is recommended that he be promoted for period not to exceed one year. Should Larsen be retired under pending legislation for disability retirement, further recommendation will be made for filling position held by him, permanently.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the

U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 19

7/19/21

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

July 13, 1921.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. Attention is invited to Bureau indorsement of this date recommending authorization of this position.

J. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

{ Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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LIGHT DEC 31 1920 HOUSES

APPOINTMENTS JAN 3 1921

LIGHT DEC 18 1920 HOUSES

DEC 20 1920

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

CHIEF CLERK.

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PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

1921 JAN 3 AM 9 25

This form shall be furnished for each person appointed in the service of the Department immediately upon entrance on duty.

The information called for in Part I shall be filled in by the Bureau or Office to which the employee is assigned, after which the form shall be transmitted to the employee for answers to the questions in Part II. The completed form shall be indorsed by the proper Bureau officer and forwarded to the Department for file.

PART I.

1. Name of employee John E. Midgett

2. Position to which appointed Keeper

3. Bureau or Service Lighthouse Service, District 5th

4. Place of duty Love Point L.S., Md.
(City, town, station, or vessel.)

5. Salary $ 720. p.a.

6. Appropriation from which paid Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Supt.
1 A Supt.
Chief Cl.
2 A Supt.
3 A Supt.
4 A Supt.
Mech.
1 Drafts
3 Drafts
Hydro.
Accounts
Orders
Perso.
Cost
Fur.
Steno.
Messenger
Files

7. Manner of appointment. (Examples: "From stenographer and typewriter examination, ———, 19—;" "Without examination;" or "By reinstatement;" or "By transfer from ———," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known).

Thro' Civil Service Exam.

PART II.

THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ARE TO BE ANSWERED BY THE EMPLOYEE:

The statement should be signed by the employee, or, 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, so state.)

John Evans Midgett,

CARDED

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

John E. Midgett

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

North Carolina, Dare, Buxton,
(State or Territory.) (County.) (City or town.) (Congressional district.)

4. If the legal residence given in answer to question 3 is not the same as that stated in the certificate of appointment, the difference should be explained.

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

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6. Where were you born? Rustburg, N. C.

7. When were you born? May (Month) 5 (Day.) 1895 (Year.)

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

9. What is your marital condition? (Answer "single," "married," "widowed," or "divorced.") Single

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

Edward J. Midgett (Name.) (Number and street.)

Rustburg (City or town.) North Carolina (State or Territory.)

11. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? (Answer "yes" or "no.") yes If so, state 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.
Clarence Midgett	Black Mts N.C.	Position Captain Navy Coln	Cousin	single
~~Father~~ Edward J. Midgett	Rustburg N.C.	Position Lighthouse Department or office C. Guard	Father	married
Thomas Midgett	Ocracoke N.C.	Position Lieut. Keeper Department or office L. H. S.	Uncle	married

12. Have you any physical disabilities? (Answer "yes" or "no.") no If so, describe fully. (If you have defective eyesight, state whether corrected by glasses.) no

13. Do you hold any State or municipal office? (Answer "yes" or "no.") no If so, state name of such office and compensation attached.

14. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during any war? (Answer "yes" or "no.") yes If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
U.S. Sub. Chacer	Aug. 18, 1917	Dec. 29, 1918	on request

15. 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.

16. Have you ever held any other position in the civil service of the United States? (Answer "yes" or "no.") yes If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
L. H. S.		Surfman	$85.00		

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17. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? (Answer "yes" or "no.") No. If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service.	Relationship to you.

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

18. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States 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 13, 14, 15, and 16.)

My occupation was fishing and was employed as sailer on board the U.S.S. Columbine

19. What education have you received? (State the grades of schools you have attended, and, if 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., 1910; Columbia University, LL. B., 1913.)

Have had a high school education I have also had one year in the Washington Collegate Institute, Washington, N.C.

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

None

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

Keeper Oct. 1920.

22. Were the answers to the foregoing questions written by you? (Answer "yes" or "no.") yes If not, state the name and address of the person who wrote them for you.

Date, Nov. 24, 1920

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) John E. Midgett

(Present address) Buxton
(Number and street.)

N. C.
(City or town.) (State or Territory.)

INDORSEMENT.

(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.)

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded December 17, 1920

(Signature) F. D. King

(Official title) Superintendent of Lighthouses

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1921 JAN 3 AM 9 25

I, John E. Midgett

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.

John E. Midgett,
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 26th day of Nov., A. D. 1920

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (*Name*) J. C. Stafford

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

My commission expires ----------

Official Title	Rate of Pay (base)	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper	$ 720. p.a.	Love Point L.S., Md.
Former [5] ------	------	---------

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

Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 5th District

Baltimore, Md. (Address), December 30, 1920 (Date)

CARDED

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on November 24, 1920 (Date)

H. D. King

Superintendent of Lighthouses (Signature, followed by title)

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

[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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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

November 18, 1920.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

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 Secretary, Fourth Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary.

CARDED

Respectfully,

P Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: William W. Bozman.

Legal Residence: North Carolina.

(See reverse side.)

5th

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 5 DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md. November 13, 1920 19
(City.) (Date.)

Received NOV 15 1920 Fifth District LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
(Thro' Sec'y, 4th Civil Service Dist.)

Action recommended, Probationary appointment

Name, John E.Midgett

Position, Keeper

Location, Love Point L.S., Md.

Effective November 20, 1920

Legal residence, N.C.

Salary, $ 720 p.a.

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

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

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN NOV 17 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1920 NOV 17 PM 3 46

CHIEF CLERK

Former position, -------

Location,

Former salary,

Rank on eligible list, 1 Rating, Kpr Percentage, 84.2 , Other eligibles considered:
Jos. D.Barnett - 81.8 *C
John E.Stubbs - 92.6 -C

Previous incumbent, William W.Bozman Services terminated, Nov. 15,1920

Reason, To be transferred to Craighill Channel Rr L.S.

Members of family in Government Service, Father - Coast Guard Ser.
Cousin - Navy Collier.

Remarks: It is desired that appointment be issued effective not later than Nov.20, so that appointee may enter on duty by that date, as vacancy will exist in the interim - Nov. 16 to Nov. 20 .

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

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

H. D. King
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

NOV 16 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1920 NOV 17 PM 3 26

P. S. Bond
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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FA-1
11 January 1951
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From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc-75)
Post Office Box 540
Norfolk 1, Virginia

Subj: John E. Midgett, Keeper, Retired

1. Forwarded for a direct reply is a letter from the Collector of Internal Revenue, Greensboro, North Carolina, which is self explanatory.

2. Mr. Midgett was retired as of 1 January, 1948 from Pamlico Point Light Station, North Carolina.

R. L. EDMANDS
By direction

Incl: Collector of Internal Revenue
Ltr. dated 1/9/51

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FA-1
11 January 1951
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Collector of Internal Revenue
Guilford Building
Greensboro, North Carolina

Gentlemen:

Reference is made to your letter dated January 9, 1951, Special Suspense, IT:AS:CAR:1947/IR:AP relative to total wages paid and tax withheld from the retired pay of John E. Midgett, Keeper, Retired, for the calendar years 1947 and 1948.

For your information, Mr. Midgett was in receipt of retired pay in the amount of $131.87 per month or $1,582.44 for the calendar year 1948. No tax was withheld due to the fact that Mr. Midgett had claimed 4 exemptions.

You are advised that this office is forwarding to the Commander, 5th Coast Guard District, Norfolk 1, Virginia for direct reply for the information relative to the calendar year 1947.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

R. L. EDMANDS, LTJG, USCG
Chief, Pay and Audit Section

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Form 44-A

SETTLEMENT CERTIFICATE

GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE
CLAIMS DIVISION

Claim No. 3088164 WASHINGTON, FEB 21 1949 (Date)

In correspondence please refer to above claim No.

CERTIFICATE No.

John E. Midgett,
Buxton, North Carolina.

GPO 16—54241

Sir:

Your claim for additional amounts believed to be due for retired pay, as a former employee of the United States Lighthouse Service, has been carefully examined and it is found that no part thereof may be allowed for the reasons hereinafter stated.

Your claim is for the difference between amounts alleged to be due based on gross salary, including the value of quarters furnished, received while employed in active service, and amounts paid based on net salary received, excluding the value of quarters furnished. You cite in support of your claim decision of the Comptroller General of the United States under No. B-70029, dated October 23, 1947.

The record shows that you did not occupy quarters for any portion of the last five years of active duty in the Lighthouse Service, the period upon which your annual rate of retired pay was based under the provisions of section 6 of the Lighthouse Retirement Act of June 20, 1918, 40 Stat. 608. The above-cited decision of the Comptroller General of the United States is, accordingly, not applicable to the computation of retired pay received by you.

I therefore certify that no balance is found due you from the United States.

Respectfully,

LINDSAY C. WARREN

Comptroller General
of the United States.

By: E. B. HILLEY

cc: Commandant,
United States Coast Guard,
Headquarters,
Washington 25, D. C.

Re: Letter dated
December 14, 1948

c/vw

12 January, 1949
(PC-6)
CG-75

Acting Adjudication Officer
Veterans Administration
310 W. 4th Street
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your lettergram, dated December 16, 1948 (18R8CH), in which you requested certain information concerning Mr. John E. Midgett, Claim No. 7,599,295. We have no record of previous correspondence, either to or from you, on this case.

You are advised that the record of this office shows that Mr. Midgett served in the former Lighthouse Service, Department of Commerce, as a seaman and quartermaster intermittently on various tenders and lightships from July 5, 1912 to the close of November 23, 1920. On November 24, 1920 he was appointed as lighthouse keeper, and he served in that capacity at various light stations to the close of December 31, 1947, when he was placed in retirement due to disability.

During the periods of World Wars I and II Mr. Midgett did not serve in a military capacity with the U. S. Coast Guard. There is information on file in this office that shows that he served in the U. S. Navy during World War I.

By direction of the Commandant:

Very truly yours,

H. L. MORGAN
Chief, Civilian Personnel Division

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VETERANS ADMINISTRATION LETTERGRAM

R-3018

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Your file reference:

In reply refer to : 18R8CH

Office : VARO, 310 W. 4th Street
Winston-Salem, North Carolina

Date : December 16, 1948

Subject : Request for Service Information.

To : Chief Personnel Officer
U. S. Coast Guard Headquarters
1300 E. Street, N. W.
Washington 25, D. C.

This lettergram may be used instead of a telegram for urgent communications when it can reach its destination in time to effect its object. Dispatch language may be used. Forward, first-class mail, using lettergram envelope. NOT TO BE USED FOR ROUTINE CORRESPONDENCE.

C-7 599 295
MIDGETT, John E.

COAST GUARD
MAIL & FILES
RECEIVED DEC 22 1948

Dear Sir:

On April 26, 1948 request was made for verification of service information in the case of the above-named veteran, service number 142 72 84, who alleged service with the United States Coast Guard from November 15, 1920 to November 15, 1947. Reply was received from your office dated June 25, 1948 stating this veteran served from August 18, 1917 to October 18, 1917, and reentered active duty December 29, 1918 from which he was honorably discharged from Headquarters, 5th Naval District, Hampton Roads, Virginia, September 29, 1921.

The report also stated "Information on file indicates subsequent service in the U.S. Coast Guard." Therefore a second request was released to your office under date of September 9, 1948, for service information covering this veteran's latter period of service which he indicates was from November 5, 1920 to November 15, 1947, when it is stated he was retired on Disability, service number (unknown), Subsequent requests have been made for verification of this veteran's latter period of service under dates of October 11, 1948 and November 16, 1948, to which no response has been made.

Inasmuch as this request for eligibility to entitlement under the Readjustment allowance Act has been pending since April 26, 1948, it is necessary that immediate action be taken to expedite this report in order that a determination may be made as to the veteran's entitlement.

Very truly yours,

A. H. Scales

A. H. SCALES,
Actg. Adjudication Officer

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Apr 1946
Replaces Form 3238 which may be used.

16—48020-1 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

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File 22

14 December 1948
FA-PA 75

General Accounting Office
Claims Division
Washington 25, D. C.

Gentlemen: RE: Misc-3088164-OJMcN.

Reference is made to your letter dated November 15, 1948, transmitting claim of John E. Midgett, Buxton, North Carolina, for an amount alleged to be due for retirement pay, covering the difference between the amount due based on gross salary over that paid based on net salary in accordance with Comptroller General's decision B-70029 dated October 23, 1947.

After an examination of our records, it is disclosed that at the time of Mr. Midgett's retirement on January 1, 1948, his retired pay was computed on the basis of his regular Lighthouse Service pay including quarters allowance. Accordingly, there will be no change in his retired pay as a result of the above mentioned decision. Mr. Midgett's letter inclosed with your letter is returned herewith.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

14 DEC 1948

A. [illegible] MACKAY
Lieutenant, USCG
Chief, Pay and Audit Section

Incl: Claimant's ltr dated 10-20-48

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GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE
WASHINGTON 25

November 15, 1948

QUOTE
34-OJMcN

Already receiving increased rate of pay for

The Commandant,
United States Coast Guard,
Washington 25, D. C.

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for administrative examination and report is the claim of John E. Midgett, Buxton, North Carolina, for the difference between retirement pay received based on net salary and that alleged to be due based on gross salary, as a former employee of the United States Lighthouse Service.

In connection therewith, it is requested that this office be furnished with copies of claimant's appointment, promotions, or any other personnel action taken while he was in a pay status for the five year period immediately prior to the date he became separated from the service and placed on retirement, together with a copy of his notice of retirement, showing the date retired and last day of duty.

It is also requested that a payroll voucher be furnished, showing the basis on which his retirement pay was computed and the amount he would have received if his retirement pay had been based on his gross salary, together with any other pertinent facts relative thereto. The payroll voucher should include complete citation to the appropriation or appropriations from which paid during the period for which adjustment is to be made by this office.

The enclosure should be returned with your report.

Respectfully,

P. E. SOURS
Chief of Section.

By: J. E. Davis

(PC-1)

29 October 1948
CG-75

Honorable Herbert C. Bonner, M.C.
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Bonner:

Reference is made to your letter of October 22, 1948, together with a letter from Mr. John E. Midgett, former Lighthouse Keeper now retired because of disability.

The method of computing retired pay under the Lighthouse Retirement Act was changed in 1947 as the result of a Court of Claims action and a ruling of the Comptroller General. The new method provides for including in the computation the value of quarters occupied during the employee's last five years of active service.

However, since Mr. Midgett did not occupy quarters for any portion of the last five years of service, the period upon which his annual rate of retired pay was based, he does not receive an increase in retired pay as a result of the change in method of computation. It is pointed out, however, that if quarters are not provided for a keeper, the cash salary while on active duty is increased to the extent of the valuation of the quarters. Therefore, Mr. Midgett's salary on which his retired pay was computed was the same as if he had occupied quarters.

As to Mr. Midgett's statement that those who retired on or after July 1, 1947 were not to file claims with the General Accounting Office, this is because Coast Guard made the computation of annuity on the new basis at time of retirement. Hence, it was unnecessary to have claims from such persons.

Very truly yours,

Jno. B. HARLEE
Admiral, U. S. Coast Guard
Commandant

359 H.L.MORGAN:ema

Date mailed: 11/2

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U. S.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

COMMITTEE:
MERCHANT MARINE AND FISHERIES

SUBCOMMITTEES:
MARITIME AFFAIRS
PANAMA CANAL
COAST GUARD — COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY AND PUBLIC HEALTH
CONSERVATION OF WILD LIFE RESOURCES

Washington, North Carolina
October 22, 1948

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Rear Admiral Merrill O'Neal
Assistant Commandant
U. S. Coast Guard
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Admiral:

I enclose you a letter received from Mr. John E. Midgett retired light-house keeper and would appreciate your office advising me just why Mr. Midgett is not entitled to benefits under legislation he speaks of.

At the same time, I would like for your report to show the advantages pro and con between those who receive benefit under this act and those who did not.

Thanking you in advance, I am

Sincerely,

Herbert C. Bonner, M. C.

HCB:aj

(PC-6)
CG-75

DEC 18 1947

Mr. John E. Midgett
Buxton, North Carolina

Dear Mr. Midgett:

My attention has been called to the fact that you are retiring from the position of Keeper in the Coast Guard at the close of 31 December, 1947, after rendering more than thirty years of honorable service in the former Lighthouse Service and the Coast Guard.

It is noted that your retirement is on account of disability and I wish to express to you at this time my sincere appreciation of your long service, and the hope that your relief from active duty will result in an improvement in your health.

Very truly yours,

J. F. FARLEY
Admiral, U. S. Coast Guard
Commandant

U. S. COAST GUARD
MAIL SECTION
MAILED DEC 19 1947

Prepared 12-12-47
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INITIALS OF RESPONSIBLE OFFICERS														
INTRA-OFFICE OR DIVISION INITIALS														

(PC-1)

CG-75

DEC 1 1 1947

Hon. Herbert C. Bonner
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Bonner:

In June 1947 your office took up by telephone and subsequently by letter the case of Mr. John E. Midgett, Keeper at Pamlico Point Light Station. Mr. Midgett felt that he was disabled to the extent that he could not satisfactorily perform his duties.

At the time I last reported to you on this case Mr. Midgett had not been found to be disabled by the U. S. Marine Hospital at Norfolk, Virginia. However, the Coast Guard later had him examined by the U. S. Public Health Service at Baltimore, Maryland, and he was found to be disabled for further useful and efficient service. On the basis of that examination Mr. Midgett's retirement has been approved effective at the close of December 31, 1947.

Very truly yours,

J. F. FARLEY
Admiral, U. S. Coast Guard
Commandant

MAIL DIVISION

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ADDRESS REPLY TO
THE COMMANDANT (PCP-6)
REFER TO FILE: CG-75



5 December, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc)

Subj: Retirement of John E. Midgett, Keeper, Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C.

1. The inclosure is approval of retirement under the Lighthouse Service Retirement Law.

2. In order to preclude the possibility of overpayment, it is requested that Headquarters be advised as early as practicable by letter, in duplicate, as to the payroll (stating D. O. Voucher Number, name of disbursing officer, and symbol number) on which this person was paid for his last (final) active duty. In furnishing this information, state also the period covered by the final payment and the amount thereof.

3. It is also requested that Headquarters be advised as to this person's total taxable income for the current calendar year including the amount of lump-sum payment for annual leave.

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

Incl
Form 2249, Department Notice of Retirement

Mailing Address:
Buxton, North Carolina

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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL Date 12-3-47

Name: Midgett, John E. (Mr.)

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

Nature of Recommendation

Retirement (Disability) (Lump sum payment made for 98 days 4 hours annual leave from 1-1-48 through 4 hours on 5-20-48)

Effective: Close 12-31-47

	FROM 05-533	TO
Position	Keeper	
Grade	Class 2-a&d-1($2168.28-2619.72)	
Salary	$2619.72 per annum (No Qtrs.)	
C. S. C. No.		
Bureau or Div.	U. S. Coast Guard	
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters	Norfolk, Virginia	
Post of Duty	Pamlico Pt.Lt.Sta., N. C.	
Appropriation	S&E, CG 1948 (Civ.Emp.)	
Allotment		

FIELD [X] DEPRTMTL. [ ] FIELD [ ] DEPRTMTL. [ ]

Remarks:

Annual rate of retired pay is $1582.47.

Justification:

Total Service: 30 years, 3 months, 6 days.

Computation: $2109.96 x 30 ÷ 40 = $1582.47.

Consideration given all other eligible employees
Certified as to sufficiency of Appropriated Funds
Certified as to validity of recommended vice vacancy or additional identical action

H. L. Morgan
H. L. MORGAN
Chief, Civilian Personnel Division
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

DATE APPROVED [illegible]

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-5-1895

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N. Carolina

SEX: Male

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE INFORMATION: Preference

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Act 3-4-25

DATE OF OATH

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12-3-47 20 Medical 11-4-47

Name MIDGETT, John E.

Designation Assistant Keeper Date of birth 5 May, 1895

RECORD OF ALL ACTIVE GOVERNMENT SERVICE

(Including military, naval, and civilian service. Each department, branch, or independent office in which applicant served in a civilian capacity should be listed separately)

	Beginning			Ending			Remarks
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year	
~~Army~~ Coast Guard	Sept.	18	1914	Jan.	7	1915	
Navy	Oct.	15	1917	Dec.	29	1918	
Marine Corps							
Civilian employment, LH & CG	July	5	1912	Oct.	2	1912	
	Sept.	1	1914	Sept.	13	1914	
	Feb.	16	1916	Sept.	6	1916	
	Apr.	1	1919	May	23	1919	
	Jan.	22	1920	July	31	1920	
	Oct.	4	1920	Dec.	31	1947	
Total service	30 years, 3 months, 6 days						30 3 6

Does applicant receive or has he applied for a pension from the Government under any law? no If so, give number of pension certificate or of claim:

Does applicant receive or has he applied for compensation under the War Risk Insurance Act? no If so, give number of claim:

Does applicant receive or has he applied for compensation under the Federal Compensation Act, as amended? no If so, state the compensation received:

STATEMENT BY FISCAL YEARS OF BASIC PAY RECEIVED DURING LAST FIVE YEARS OF ACTIVE SERVICE IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING EFFECTIVE DATE OF RETIREMENT

(Compute service on basis of 30 days a month. Do not include periods of leave without pay, rations, quarters, or other allowance)

Designation	Beginning			Ending			Number Days in Pay Status (P. D. or P. H. personnel)	Rate of Pay	Pay Received
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year		Per Annum	
	Jan.	1	1943	June	30	1943	-6-	$1740.00	$ 870.00
	July	1	1943	Sept.	30	1943	3	1740.00	435.00
	Oct.	1	1943	June	30	1944	9	1800.00	1350.00
	July	1	1944	Mar.	31	1945	9	1800.00	1350.00
	Apr.	1	1945	June	30	1945	3	1860.00	465.00
	July	1	1945	Apr.	6	1946	9 6	2166.00	1666.00
	Apr.	7	1946	June	30	1946	(6) x 24	2232.00	515.04
	July	1	1946	Apr.	19	1947	(20) 9 19	2544.48	2055.06
	Apr.	20	1947	June	28	1947	(5) x 9	2619.72	503.75
	June	29	1947	Dec.	31	1947	6	2619.72	1339.97

no quarters involved.

Total compensation for last five years of active service $10549.82

Average compensation for last five years of active service $2109.96

Annual rate of retired pay ($ 2109.96 × years 30 (Not exceeding 30) ÷ 40) = $1582.47

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Retirement (Dis) effective 4 transfer 31. 1947. Paid in lump sum for 98 days 4 hrs. from 1-1-48 thru 5-20-48.

N. C. G. 2521
(Rev. Jan. 1942)

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on N. C. G. 2523)

Date 10/10/47

~~Senior Coast Guard Officer, Naval District,~~
Commander, Fifth Coast Guard District
Norfolk, Virginia
(City)

I hereby apply for retirement from active duty effective close of 31 December, 1947 on the basis of service shown hereon.

Mr. John E. Midgett
~~304 Pamlico Street~~
~~Belhaven, North Carolina~~
Buxton, North Carolina } per ltr 11-25-47
75 (pc)

John E. Midgett
(Name)
Assistant Keeper
(Designation)

~~Officer, Senior Coast Guard Officer~~
~~Naval District~~
Office of the Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
City Norfolk, Virginia *Date* 23 October, 1947

Submitted to the Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard, recommending retirement at $ 1582.47 per annum, effective at the close of 31 December, 1947

It is certified that the record of service and pay shown on page 2 is correct as shown by the records of this office, and that all Government service shown has been verified.

R. F. REA
By direction
Senior Coast Guard Officer, ... *Naval District.*

COAST GUARD HEADQUARTERS, *Washington, D. C.,* .....

Submitted to the Secretary of the Navy, recommending approval.

Commandant.

FOR USE OF DEPARTMENT

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Submitted to the Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard, recommending retirement as of 31 December, 1947

It is certified that the chose of 31 December, 1947 office, and that all Government service and pay shown has been

Due 23 October, 1947

Commander, 5th Coast Guard District

Office of the Commander
Norfolk, Virginia

Chief Yeoman

Assistant Keeper

John E. Midgett

(Signature)

(Grade)

I hereby apply for retirement from active duty effective close of 31 December, 1947 on the basis of service shown hereon.

Mr. John E. Midgett
304 Pamlico Street
Belhaven, North Carolina

Commander, Fifth Coast Guard District
Norfolk, Virginia

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1949

(In lieu of Standing Retirement Letter dated Jan. 1949)

Date 10/1/47

(pc)
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FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

IN REPLY REFER TO THE
DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER
FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT (pc)
REFER TO FILE: 75

25 November, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-6)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper; disability retirement of

1. In compliance with Headquarters' letter dated 13 November, 1947, file CG-75, a recheck of subject employee's leave has been made and the following statement is submitted accordingly:

A N N U A L L E A V E

648 hours	Accumulated close of 12-28-46
208 hours	Accrued close of 12-31-47
856 hours	
68 hours	Granted during 1947
788 hours	Lump-sum payment for 98 days and 4 hours from 1-1-48 thru 4 hours on 5-20-48

S I C K L E A V E

686 hours	Accumulated close of 12-31-46
120 hours	Accrued close of 12-31-47
806 hours	
6 hours	Deduction due to maximum accumulation of 720 hours at end of a month
800 hours	
800 hours	Granted during 1947
0 hours	

2. It has been the practice of this District to compute annual and sick leave up to and including the last day of actual duty or the date Form 2523 is executed by the Public Health Service instead of to the date of actual retirement.

3. In view of the fact that Mr. Midgett is moving, his retirement checks should be sent to Buxton, North Carolina, rather than to 304 Pamlico Street, Belhaven, North Carolina.

Lester F. Braun
LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

(PC-6)
CG-75

13 November, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th CG District

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper; disability retirement of

1. Reference is made to your letter of 23 October, 1947, concerning the leave statement of subject employee whose retirement is effective at the close of 31 December, 1947.

2. You are advised that, since Mr. Midgett is being retired at the close of December, 1947, he will accrue 26 days annual leave for the calendar year 1947, which, added to his accumulated annual leave carried forward from 1946, minus the total leave used in 1947, would give him 98 days 1 hour for which lump sum payment should be made.

3. Headquarters' computation of Mr. Midgett's annual leave is as follows:

648 hours	Accumulated close of 12-28-46
208 hours	Accrued close of 12-27-47
856 hours	
71 hours	Granted during 1947
785 hours	Lump-sum payment for 98 days 1 hour from 1-1-48 through 1 hour on 5-20-48.

4. It is requested that a recheck be made of the leave in this case and a new leave statement submitted promptly to Headquarters.

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

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(PC-6)
CG-75

30 October, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc)

Subj: John E. Midgett, Keeper; application for disability retirement

1. Form 2523 (Certificate of Medical Examination, Disability Retirement) for the subject employee, referred to in your letter dated 23 October, 1947, was not received with that letter.

2. Since HQ is unable to take action toward Mr. Midgett's retirement due to disability prior to receipt of his medical certificate, it is requested that it be forwarded promptly.

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

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ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER
FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT (pc)
REFER TO FILE: 75



to Mrs R

3 November, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-6)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Keeper; disability retirement

Reference is made to HQ letter dated 30 October, 1947, file CG-75. In this connection there is forwarded herewith Form 2523 which was inadvertently omitted from letter dated 23 October, 1947.

Lester F. Braun
LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

Incl
Form 2523

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FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT

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3 October, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-1)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station; physical condition

Referring to District letter dated 12 September, 1947, file 75 (pc), on above subject, Headquarters is advised that Form 2523 executed by the Marine Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland, under date of 25 September, 1947, indicates subject employee is disabled for useful and efficient service. In view of this, Treasury Department Forms 2521 and 2523 will be forwarded to Headquarters in the near future.

R. F. Rea

R. F. REA
By direction

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FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

12 September, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-1)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station; physical condition

1. Reference is made to Headquarters' letter dated 1 July, 1947, file CG-75, and reply thereto from this office dated 9 July, 1947, concerning subject employee.

2. This office has now been advised by subject employee's physician that he is under treatment for angina pectoris and that he is in poor physical condition and should lead a very quiet life. In view of the above, this office will have Mr. Midgett report to the Marine Hospital at Baltimore, Maryland, for physical examination with view toward retirement, at such time as he is able to travel.

R. F. Rea

R. F. REA
By direction

(PC-6)
CG-75

10 November, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc)

Subj: John E. Midgett, Keeper; disability retirement of

The application of Mr. Midgett for disability retirement has been examined and he has been found to be disabled for further useful and efficient service. The official notice of his retirement will be issued in due time.

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

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...ief, Office of Personnel

: Chief, Medical Division

to Mrs R

DATE: 5 November, 1947

SUBJECT: MIDGETT, John E., Civilian Keeper; retirement, recommendation

The medical evidence contained in Form 2523 (Certificate of Medical Examination, Disability Retirement, Civilian Personnel), dated 25 September, 1947, has been reviewed and found satisfactory. It is recommended that subject-named man be retired by reason of physical disability.

Paul M. Stewart

PAUL M. STEWART
Rear Admiral, USPHS

Visual acuity (uncorrected): R. E. 20/ 40 L. E. 20/ 40

With correction in spectacles: R. E. 20/ L. E. 20/

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. 3 at 13 inches, without correction.

Reads Jaeger No. at 13 inches, with correction.

Central color vision (binocular) Normal (Name method used) Pseudo Isochromatic

Inspection Normal

Pupils Normal Pupillary reaction Normal

Hearing: Whispered voice (unaccentuated) heard with R. E. at 15 ft., L. E. at 15 ft.

Appearance of right drum Normal, left drum Normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? No If so, specify

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Born May 5, 1895
Now over 27 years Service

...IFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION, DISABILITY RETIREMENT, CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

(Act of March 4, 1925)

NAME OF CLAIMANT MIDGETT, John E. DESIGNATION Assistant Keeper, Pamlico Point Light Station

Height 72 3/4 in. Weight 167 lbs. pounds. Complexion Fair

Color of eyes Blue Color of hair Blond

Here give a complete personal description, together with permanent marks and scars other than those described below in physical examination: The patient was a tall 53 year old white male who appeared to be very tense and depressed. During the interview and examination his face frequently flushed and he cried several times.

Description of duties of position (to be filled in by district commander): **Assists Keeper in cleaning station boat and making normal repairs thereto such as adjusting engine. Assists Keeper in recharging (removing empty acetylene tanks and replacing with full tanks; removing used batteries and replacing with fully charged ones and recharging low batteries) all electric and acetylene lights, scraping and painting structures under jurisdiction and making normal repairs thereto.**

Claimant makes the following statement in regard to the origin, nature, and extent of the alleged disability: Illness began about 2 years ago with feelings of depression, difficulty in concentration, progressively increasing weakness and nervousness. He also complained of "a hurting in the top of the head and neck" of about one years duration. Frequent crying spells for no apparent reason. He has had suicidal ideas but has had no attempts at suicide.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Visual acuity (uncorrected): R. E. 20/ 40 L. E. 20/ 40

With correction in spectacles: R. E. 20/ L. E. 20/

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. 3 at 13 inches, without correction.

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Appearance of right drum Normal, left drum Normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? No If so, specify

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Condition of nose and sinuses Normal

Condition of mouth and throat, including tonsils and teeth General condition good.

Bones, joints, muscles, including atrophies Normal

Respiratory system Normal (Express limitation of motion, if any, in degrees and joint involved)

Cardiovascular system:

(a) Heart EKG shows low voltage limb leads and low ~~limb leads~~ voltage T waves.

(1) Murmurs None (2) Arrhythmias None

(b) Pulse rate: (1) Sitting 88 (2) After exercise 100 (3) 2 minutes after exercise 90

(c) Blood pressure: (1) Sitting—Syst. 130 Diast. 80 (2) After ex.—Syst. 150 Diast. 90

(d) Condition of blood vessels Moderate arteriosclerosis.

Evidence of thyroid or other endocrine disturbance None

Abdomen and gastro-intestinal system, including hernia Left inguinal hernia.

Genito-urinary system:

Urinalysis—Sp. gr. 1.028 Reaction Acid Albumin Neg. Sugar Neg.

Sediment microscopic (required when albumin or sugar is found) Negative

Reflexes, motor disturbances, etc.:

(a) Station Normal (e) Gait Normal

(b) Tremor None (f) Coordination Normal

(c) Patellar reflexes Normal (g) Peripheral circulation Good

(d) Other motor disturbances None

Alcohol None Drugs None Syphilis No Epilepsy No

Other neurological findings None

General impression This individual is markedly depressed.

Here describe fully nature of disability: The patient has a manic depressive psychosis, depressive type. It is felt that he is incapable of working

Is disability to perform duty of a permanent character? Yes

Is it indicated that applicant may recover from disability and be fit for restoration to active duty? No Do you recommend reexamination with this in view? No

I HEREBY CERTIFY that upon examination I find the above-named claimant to be disabled for useful and efficient service by reason of the disability above described, which is not due to vicious habits, intemperance, or willful misconduct on his part.

The examining physician must be in the Federal Service

Baltimore, Md. (Place of examination)

Stuart M. Sessoms (Examining surgeon)

25 September, 1947 (Date)

Assistant Surgeon US PHS (Title and branch of medical service)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 16—17606

(PC-6)
CG-75

10 November, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc)

Subj: John E. Midgett, Keeper; disability retirement of

The application of Mr. Midgett for disability retirement has been examined and he has been found to be disabled for further useful and efficient service. The official notice of his retirement will be issued in due time.

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

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30 October, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc)

Subj: John E. Midgett, Keeper; application for disability retirement

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2. Since HQ is unable to take action toward Mr. Midgett's retirement due to disability prior to receipt of his medical certificate, it is requested that it be forwarded promptly.

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

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(PC-6)
CG-75

13 November, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th CG District

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper; disability retirement of

1. Reference is made to your letter of 23 October, 1947, concerning the leave statement of subject employee whose retirement is effective at the close of 31 December, 1947.

2. You are advised that, since Mr. Midgett is being retired at the close of December, 1947, he will accrue 26 days annual leave for the calendar year 1947, which, added to his accumulated annual leave carried forward from 1946, minus the total leave used in 1947, would give him 98 days 1 hour for which lump sum payment should be made.

3. Headquarters' computation of Mr. Midgett's annual leave is as follows:

648 hours	Accumulated close of 12-28-46
208 hours	Accrued close of 12-31-47
856 hours	
71 hours	Granted during 1947
785 hours	Lump-sum payment for 98 days 1 hour from 1-1-48 through 1 hour on 5-20-48.

4. It is requested that a recheck be made of the leave in this case and a new leave statement submitted promptly to Headquarters. In connection with above see Civilian Personnel Memorandum No. 22-47, dated 23 October, 1947.

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

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23 October, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Assistant Keeper; application for disability retirement

1. There is transmitted herewith application (Form 2521) of Mr. John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper of Pamlico Point Light Station, North Carolina, for retirement on account of disability, which is supported by Form 2523.

2. Mr. Midgett's last day of actual service was 16 August, 1947. A statement of his leave follows:

S I C K L E A V E

686 hours	Accrued close of 12-28-46
88 hours	Accrued close of 9-25-47, the date Marine Hospital, Baltimore, Md., executed Form 2523
774 hours	
6 hours	Deduction due to maximum accumulation of 720 hours at end of a month
768 hours	
295 hours	Granted to close of 9-25-47
473 hours	
473 hours	Granted from 9-26-47 thru 1 hour on 12-22-47
0 hours	
29 hours	Accrued from 9-26-47 thru 12-22-47
29 hours	Granted commencing 7 hours on 12-22-47 thru 6 hrs. on 12-26-47
29 hours	
0 hours	

A N N U A L L E A V E

648 hours	Accrued close of 12-28-46
152 hours	Accrued close of 9-25-47
800 hours	
45 hours	Granted to close of 9-25-47
755 hours	
52 hours	Accrued from 9-26-47 thru 12-22-47
807 hours	
2 hours	Granted 2 hours 12-26-47
805 hours	
85 hours	Forfeit close of 12-27-47 due to accumulation on 7-25-47 being in amount of 720 hours
720 hours	

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October, 1947

720 hours	
24 hours	Granted to cover period 12-28-47 - 12-31-47
696 hours	
696 hours	Lump-sum payment for 87 days covering period 1-1-48 thru close of 5-4-48
0 hours	

3. Nomination for filling the resulting vacancy will be submitted at a later date.

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R. F. REA
By direction

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1. Form 2521
2. Form 2523 — not rec'd
cl with medical + adm not rec'd 10-29-47.

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FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

15 August, 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-1)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Keeper; physical condition

Reference is made to District letter dated 9 July, 1947, file 75 (pc), on above subject. In this connection, there is transmitted herewith Form 1946-T which was furnished this office by the U. S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va.

Lester F. Braun
LESTER F. BRAUN
By direction

U.S. COAST GUARD TRANSPORTATION MAIL & FILE SECTION RECEIVED AUG 19 1947 (8)

does not change information previously furnished

Incl
Form 1946-T

A 1946-T
SECURITY AGENCY
HEALTH SERVICE
(June 1941)

ABSTRACT FROM CLINICAL RECORD

Name MIDGETT, John E. Occupation Assistant Keeper of Pamlico Point Light Station.

Age 53 years, Last Vessel Pamlico Point Light Station, Belhaven, N. C.

(1st admission):
Furnished hospital care from June 10, 1946, to June 26, 1946

(2nd admission):
Furnished hospital care from May 28, 1947, to June 9, 1947

Diagnosis 1. Osteo-arthritis (mild)
2. Fibrosis of lung following tuberculosis (healed tuberculosis)
3. Left direct inguinal hernia

CONDITION OF PATIENT UPON ADMISSION (1st admission) 6/10/46

Patient referred here by local Coast Guard District office to determine his fitness to continue on duty as Assistant Light Keeper. All studies were normal including EKG, barium enema, GI series, and hemogram. X-ray examination of the lung showed some fibrous tissue which was probably the remains of a previous subclinical inflammation, most likely minimal tuberculosis. X-ray examination of spine was normal but revealed calcification of the abdominal aorta.

It was concluded that he was fit to continue his duties.

CONDITION OF PATIENT ON (2nd admission) 5/28/47
(Date)

As before he was found physically fit to continue on duty. The only findings were a mild degree of osteo-arthritis (which was considered normal for his age) and a left inguinal hernia. The hernia was small and not believed of sufficient magnitude to be disabling. Herniorrhaphy was recommended but the patient refused to have this operation performed.

[Impression, Service Seal]

U.S. Marine Hospital
(Station)

Norfolk, Va.
(Address)

Surgeon, United States Public Health Service, in Charge.
B. Oliver Lewis, Senior Surgeon
USPHS
Chief of Medical Service

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JUL 31 1947

Hon. Herbert C. Bonner
House of Representatives
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Bonner:

This has reference to the conversation of your Secretary, Mr. Oglesby, with Mr. Morgan of our Civilian Personnel Division, and your letter of June 27, 1947, regarding Mr. John E. Midgett, a Keeper at Pamlico Point Light Station in the Fifth Coast Guard District.

In an effort to determine whether or not Mr. Midgett was disabled for further useful and efficient service I obtained the form completed by the U. S. Marine Hospital at Norfolk, Virginia, in connection with Mr. Midgett's request to be retired. The hospital report was made on June 9, 1947, and refers to the fact that Mr. Midgett was a patient in that hospital in April 1946 at which time he was examined for retirement but was advised to return to duty for another six to twelve months. In the report of June 9, 1947, the Marine Hospital stated that he was fit to continue present duties; also that the hernia was small and did not cause any disability.

In view of the examinations above referred to and the fact that Mr. Midgett has been instructed by the Marine Hospital on both occasions to return to duty it appears that his case has had appropriate attention. Under the circumstances I am unable to suggest any further action in his case until a sufficient time has elapsed to warrant bringing it up again with a view to a further examination for retirement purposes.

Very truly yours,

J. F. FARLEY
Admiral, U. S. Coast Guard
Commandant

Encl. Mr. Midgett's letter

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Prepared 29 July, 1947

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1 July, 1947

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District (pc)

Subj: Mr. John E. Midgett, Keeper, physical condition

1. There are forwarded herewith copies of two letters, one from Mr. Midgett and the other from Representative Herbert C. Bonner.

2. Representative Bonner's office, as indicated in his letter, has also discussed Mr. Midgett's physical condition informally with the Civilian Personnel Division at Headquarters. In order that Headquarters may be able to make an intelligent reply, it is requested that you forward a statement from the Marine Hospital at Norfolk, showing the results of the examination given Mr. Midgett at the time of his most recent hospitalization, which he indicates was in May, 1947.

3. If on the basis of your knowledge of Keeper Midgett it is considered that he should have a further examination with a view to retirement on account of disability, it is suggested that he be referred to some other station of the Public Health Service in order that no injustice may be done him. In this connection this employee attached a note to his letter to Representative Bonner in which he stated that "the man that I am stationed with, being a good fellow and knowing my condition, did my work and his own is the reason why I was able to stay on the job the 12 months after leaving the hospital the first time".

Sincerely yours,

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

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MEMORANDUM

COMMITTEES:
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To

Date 7-29-47

ESENTATIVES, U. S.
GTON, D. C.
27, 1947

From: Chief, Civilian Personnel Division

To: ~~Adm. Stewart~~

Will you please review the Form 2523 and correspondence and tell me whether you concur in the findings with regard to non-disability

H L Morgan

Station 3-2

Reply OK
Looks fine.

ıtion: Mr. Harry L. Morgan
Civilian Personnel Section

said no acknowledgment desired - only a reply with information about CAA

ı with Mr. Oglesby, my secretary, ;estion, I enclose a letter received ı is self-explanatory.

your having this case thoroughly 'anting Mr. Midgett retirement, and cable date.

s letter with your reply.

Thanking you, and with best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Herbert C. Bonner, M. C.

HCB:ewg
Enclosure

...BONNER
...DISTRICT, N. C.

HENRY C. OGLESBY
SECRETARY

EDITH W. GORDON
ASST. SECRETARY

COMMITTEES:
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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U. S.
WASHINGTON, D. C.

June 27, 1947

The Commandant
U. S. Coast Guard
Washington 25, D. C.

Attention: Mr. Harry L. Morgan
Civilian Personnel Section

Dear Sir:

Following the conversation with Mr. Oglesby, my secretary, on June 26, 1947, and at your suggestion, I enclose a letter received from Mr. John Evans Midgett, which is self-explanatory.

I will greatly appreciate your having this case thoroughly investigated for the purpose of granting Mr. Midgett retirement, and advising me at the earliest practicable date.

Kindly return Mr. Midgett's letter with your reply.

Thanking you, and with best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,

Herbert C. Bonner, M. C.

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Enclosure

Belhaven, Northe Carolina
June 23, 1947

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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Belhaven, Northe Carolina
June 23, 1947

Honorable Herbert C. Bonner, M. C.
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Bonner:

I have your letter of June 18th relative to my securing a disability retirement.

I am a Coast Guard light house keeper (Civil Service) and stationed in Belhaven. I have had 30 years and 3 months of service. I was in the navy during the First World War and have been doing Coast Guard duties through out this last war.

I went to the Marine Hospital in Norfolk in June 1946 for the purpose of seeking retirement as I was having a lot of trouble with my back from rheumatism. After the examination the doctor said I had some arthritis in my back and joints and that he would like to recommend my retirement but couldn't do it at this time. He told me to go back to work and stay 6 months or a year and come back to the hospital and they would see what they could do for me. I went back to duty and stayed 12 months then went back to the hospital on May 29th of this year. After the examination one doctor told me that any man with as much service as I had, had no business being in any service, and that he understood I was to be retired. On June 4th Dr. Lewis sent for me to come to his office and he told me I was able to work and he sent me back to duty. I also ruptured my side last November by trying to move some heavy gas tanks. Dr. Lewis wanted me to be operated on for it but I couldn't see why it was necessary (after serving 30 years and I'm 53 years old) that I should be patched up by operations for continued service. I am now unable for duty but still I was sent back to duty. I have put all my life in the service. I can't afford to quit but it seems to me they are trying to force me to. Dr. Swindell in Washington, N. C. knows my condition and I am sure he will tell you that I should be retired.

I wish to thank you in advance for all that you may do for me.

Yours very truly,

John Evans Midgett
/s/

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THE DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER
FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT (pc)
File: 75

9 July 1947

From: Commander, 5th Coast Guard District
To: The Commandant (PC-1)

Subj: MIDGETT, John E., Keeper; physical condition

1. Reference is made to Headquarters' letter dated 1 July, 1947, file 75 (PC-1). In this connection there is forwarded herewith a copy of Form 2523, "Certificate of Medical Examination", concerning the physical examination of subject employee.

2. Mr. Midgett has been requested to authorize the Marine Hospital to forward the complete history of his examination to this office if he has no objection to this procedure. In the event this medical history is received, it will be forwarded to Headquarters. In this connection it might be stated that this office has no information or knowledge to indicate that he should be referred to some other station of the Public Health Service.

R. F. Rea
R. F. REA
By direction

Incl
Copy of Form 2523

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CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION, DISABILITY RETIREMENT, CIVILIAN PERSONNEL

(Act of March 4, 1925)

NAME OF CLAIMANT John MIDGETT DESIGNATION Asst. Light Keeper
Pamlico Point Light Station, N. C.

Height 6 feet Weight 160 pounds. Complexion Ruddy

Color of eyes Blue Color of hair Brown

Here give a complete personal description, together with permanent marks and scars other than those described below in physical examination: A well developed and nourished white male patient, ambulant, in no acute distress. Nevus (mole) on left jaw just 1½ inches lateral from angle of mouth.

Description of duties of position (to be filled in by district commander): Assists Keeper in cleaning station boat and making normal repairs thereto such as adjusting engine. Assists Keeper in recharging (removing empty acetylene tanks and replacing with full tanks; removing used batters and replacing with fully charged ones and recharging low batteries) all electric and acetylene lights, scraping and painting structures under jurisdiction and making normal repairs thereto.

Claimant makes the following statement in regard to the origin, nature, and extent of the alleged disability: Patient has been having occipital type of headaches and arthritis of the back (spine) for about 3 to 4 years. Patient was in this hospital April 1946 for a survey for a retirement but was sent back to duty and told to try it for 6 to 12 months longer. He states he has tried to do his work but his back pains and headaches have been so severe as to prohibit same.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Visual acuity (uncorrected): R. E. 20/ 60 L. E. 20/ 30

With correction in spectacles: R. E. 20/ no glasses L. E. 20/

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. ..... at 13 inches, without correction R.E. - 14/141) near L.E. - 14/141) vision

Reads Jaeger No. ..... at 13 inches, with correction. - no glasses.

Central color vision (binocular) Normal (Name method used) Ishihara test

Inspection Slight bilateral conjunctivitis

Pupils Equal and round Pupillary reaction react to light and accomodation

Hearing: Whispered voice (unaccentuated) heard with R. E. at 15/15 ft., L. E. at 15/15 ft.

Appearance of right drum normal, left drum normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? No If so, specify None

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Condition of nose and sinuses Normal

Condition of mouth and throat, including tonsils and teeth Normal

attempted passive motion.

Bones, joints, muscles, including atrophies negative except for voluntary restriction upon /
(Express limitation of motion, if any, in degrees and joint involved)

Respiratory system Normal

Cardiovascular system:

(a) Heart Normal

(1) Murmurs None (2) Arrhythmias None

(b) Pulse rate: (1) Sitting 82 (2) After exercise 112 (3) 2 minutes after exercise 88

(c) Blood pressure: (1) Sitting—Syst. 145 Diast. 95 (2) After ex.—Syst. 150 Diast. 100

(d) Condition of blood vessels Normal

Evidence of thyroid or other endocrine disturbance None

Abdomen and gastro-intestinal system, including hernia Left inguinal hernia (direct)

Genito-urinary system:

Urinalysis—Sp. gr. 1.022 Reaction acid Albumin negative Sugar negative

Sediment microscopic (required when albumin or sugar is found) —

Reflexes, motor disturbances, etc.:

(a) Station normal (e) Gait normal

(b) Tremor none (f) Coordination normal

(c) Patellar reflexes normal and equal (g) Peripheral circulation normal

(d) Other motor disturbances none

Alcohol none Drugs none Syphilis none Epilepsy none

Other neurological findings none

General impression Fit to continue present duties

Here describe fully nature of disability: Hernia is small and does not cause any disability. No objective signs of spinal arthritis except minimal X-ray signs of osteoid reaction of lumbo sacral joint; Not considered disabling.

Is disability to perform duty of a permanent character? No

Is it indicated that applicant may recover from disability and be fit for restoration to active duty? Yes Do you recommend reexamination with this in view? Recommend hernio-plasty

I HEREBY CERTIFY that upon examination I do not find the above-named claimant to be disabled for useful and efficient service by reason of the disability above described, which is not due to vicious habits, intemperance, or willful misconduct on his part.

The examining physician must be in the Federal Service

U.S. Marine Hospital, Norfolk, Va.
(Place of examination)

6-9-47
(Date)

B. Oliver Lewis
(Examining surgeon)

B. Oliver Lewis, Senior Surgeon
U.S.P.H.S.
(Title and branch of medical service)

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PAY ADJUSTMENTS FOR KEEPERS AND LIGHT ATTENDANTS
EFFECTIVE July 1, 1946, IN ACCORDANCE WITH TREASURY
DEPARTMENT APPROVAL OF June 25, 1946

NORFOLK DISTRICT

Name	No.	Station	Class	From Range	From Pay	From Qtrs.	To Range	To Pay	To Qtrs.
LEWIS, John C.	#1219	Mathias Pt. Shoal, Md.	2-a&d	$2034-2430	$2232	$60	$2318.76-2770.20	$2544.48	$60
McDORMAN, Walter F.	1201	Grt. Sheals, Md.	2-a&d	1968-2364	2232	60	2243.52-2694.96	2544.48	[redacted]
MAYOR, Harvey E.	920	Ragged Pt., Md.	2-a	1902-2298	2034	60	2168.28-2619.72	2318.76	[redacted]
MESSICK, Harold M.	1188	Choptank Riv., Md.	2-a&d	1968-2364	2100	60	2243.52-2694.96	2394.00	60
MIDGETT, John E.	916	Pamlico Pt., N. C.	2-a&d-1	1902-2298	2232		2168.28-2619.72	2544.48	
MILLS, Randolph W.	1247	Thimble Shoal, Va.	4-a	2034-2430	2100	60	2318.76-2770.20	2394.00	60
MOLLYCHECK, Frante	49	Lwr. Cape Fear Riv., N. C.		1968-2364	2232	240	2243.52-2694.96	2544.48	240
MOORE, John R.	930AI	Smith Pt., Va.	4-b	2100-2496	2232	60	2394.00-2845.44	2544.48	[redacted]
OLIVER, Joseph T.	1233	Tue Marshes, Va.	2-a&d-1	1836-2232	1968	60	2093.04-2544.48	2243.52	60
PANNELL, David E.	1232	Tue Marshes, Va.	2-a&d	2034-2430	2232	60	2318.76-2770.20	2544.48	60
PARKES, Bertrand H.	1252	Pages Rock, Va.	2-a	1902-2298	2100	60	2168.28-2619.72	2394.00	60
PARKS, Gordy Z.	927	Sharkfin Shoal, Md.	2-b&d	2100-2496	2100	60	2394.00-2845.44	2394.00	60

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PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date April 18, 1947

Name: Midgett, John E. (Mr.)

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

Nature of Recommendation

Administrative Pay Increase

Effective: April 20, 1947

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	FROM 916	TO ~~916~~
Position		Keeper
Grade	Class 2-a&d-1($2168.28-2619.72)	Class 2-a&d-1($2168.28-2619.72)
Salary	$2544.48 per annum (No Qtrs.)	$2619.72 per annum (No Qtrs.
C. S. C. No.		
Bureau or Div.		U. S. Coast Guard
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters Post of Duty		Norfolk, Virginia
Appropriation		Pamlico Pt.Lt. Sta., N. C.
ent		Civilian Employees, C. G.
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marks: You are hereby granted a one-step increase in rate of compensation.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-5-1895

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N. Carolina

SEX: M

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE INFORMATION

Yes
Preference

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT?

Lighthouse Act
6-20-18

DATE OF OATH

Justification:

Position: Permanent
Last Increase: Prom., 4-7-46, $2166 to $2232
Conduct and Service: Satisfactory
Efficiency Rating: Very Good approved 5-7-46

Consideration given all other eligible employees
Certified as to sufficiency of Appropriated Funds
Certified as to validity of recommended vice vacancy or additional identical action

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E. L. Kangas, Admin. Asst.
Civilian Personnel Division
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

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PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date April 5, 1946

Name: Midgett, John E. (Mr.)

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

Nature of Recommendation Pay Increase (Administrative)

Effective: April 7, 1946

	FROM 916	TO 916
Position	1902-2298	Keeper 1902-2298
Grade		
Salary	Range ~~1968-2364~~ $2166 per annum	Range ~~$1968-2364~~ $2232 per annum
C. S. C. No.		
Bureau or Div.		U. S. Coast Guard
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters		Norfolk, Virginia
Post of Duty		Pamlico Pt.Lt.Sta., N.C.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees, C. G.
Allotment		

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Remarks: You are hereby granted a one-step increase in rate of compensation.

Justification:

Position: Permanent
Last Increase: From. 4-1-45, $1800-1860
Conduct and Service: Satisfactory
Efficiency Rating: Very Good

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-5-1895

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N.Carolina

SEX: Male

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

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

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
Certified as to validity of recommended vice vacancy or additional identical action

E. L. KANGAS, Admin. Asst., Civilian Personnel Division
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

DATE 4-5-46

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL, TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

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PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date ~~July 1, 1945~~

Name: Midgett, John E., Mr.

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

Nature of Recommendation

Pay Adjustment

Effective: July 1, 1945

	FROM 916	TO 916
Position	1620-1980	Keeper 1902-2298
Grade	Range ~~$1680-2040~~	Range ~~$1968-2364~~
Salary	$1860 per annum	$2166 per annum
C. S. C. No.		
Bureau or Div.		U. S. Coast Guard
Organizational Subdivisions		
Headquarters		Norfolk, Virginia
Post of Duty		Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees, C. G.
Allotment		
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CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-5-1895

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N. C.

SEX: M

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

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

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

DATE OF OATH

Remarks:

Justification:

Consideration given all other eligible employees
Certified as to sufficiency of Appropriated Funds
Certified as to validity of recommended vice vacancy or additional identical action

Paul H. [illegible]
Comdr. U.S.C.G.
Chief, Civilian Personnel Division
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL, ~~TREASURY~~ DEPARTMENT)

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PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date April 1, 1945

Name: Midgett, John E., Mr.

From: U. S. Coast Guard
(BUREAU OR DIVISION)

Bureau No.:

Nature of Recommendation

Pay Increase (Periodic)

Effective: April 1, 1945

	FROM 916	TO 916
Position		Keeper
Grade		
Salary	Range $1680-2040 $1800 per annum No Qtrs.	Range $1680-2040 $1860 per annum No Qtrs.
C. S. C. No.		
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions		U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters Post of Duty		Norfolk, Va.
Appropriation		Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C.
Allotment		Civilian Employees, C.G.
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Remarks: You are hereby granted a one-step increase in rate of compensation.

Justification: Mr. Midgett's last increase in rate of compensation was on October 1, 1943, in the amount of $60.
The position occupied by this employee is not temporary. His service and conduct are satisfactory. His current efficiency rating is Very Good.

Consideration given all other eligible employees
Certified as to sufficiency of Appropriated Funds
Certified as to validity of recommended vice vacancy or additional identical action

E. L. KANGAS, Admin. Asst.,
Civilian Personnel Division
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-5-1895

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N. C.

SEX: Male

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW	ADDTL. IDENT.
VICE VACANCY	VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

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

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

DATE OF OATH

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TO:

Date Prepared 1 October, 1943

Name: Midgett, John A., Jr.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Bureau No.: 916

Effective: October 1, 1943

Promotion

	FROM	TO
Position	7465	7465
Grade		Keeper
Salary	Range $1620-2040	Range $1620-2040
C. S. C. No.	$1740 per annum. No Chrs.	$1860 per annum. No Chrs.
Bureau or Div.		
Organizational Subdivisions		U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters		Norfolk, Virginia
Post of Duty		Pamlico Point, N. C.
Appropriation		Civilian employees, C. G.
Allotment		

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Remarks:

The action herein represents an administrative increase in salary effective as indicated above.

Justification:

Mr. Midgett was last promoted April 1, 1942, in the amount of $60. His service and conduct are satisfactory. The position occupied by this employee is not temporary. His current efficiency rating is Very Good - 3.

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 5-5-1895

LEGAL RESIDENCE: N. C.

SEX: M

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

NAME:

C.S.C. NO.:

ACTION NO.:

DATE:

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

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT? Lighthouse Svc.

DATE OF OATH

BENJAMIN HERMAN, Lt., USCG-Ret.,
Chief, Recruitment, Placement, and Personnel Utilization Division

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY

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ADDRESS REPLY TO THE
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FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT (pcp)
REFER TO FILE: 75

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3 December, 1943

To: The Commandant

Subj: Automatic increase in pay; Midgett, John E., Assistant Keeper, Pamlico Point Group Lights

It appears that Headquarters overlooked subject employee when automatic promotions were made as of 1 October, 1943. It will be appreciated if Headquarters will check this case on its records.

C. C. PADEN
By direction

Name	Range	Present Salary	Proposed Salary	E.R.	Date and Amt. Last Promotion	Location
		PHILADELPHIA				
Magee, Orrie B.	$1500-1860	$1500	$1560	G	9-20-37 630	Brandywine
Warrington, Edw.F.	1740-2100	1740	1800	Ex	7-1-40 60	Brandywine
Wilson, Harry T.	1560-1920	1560	1620	G	7-1-40 60	Brandywine
Dennis, Greensbury	1740-2100	1740	1800	VG	7-1-40 120	Fourteen Ft. Bank
Walker, George T.	1560-1920	1560	1620	G	7-1-40 60	Fourteen Ft. Bank
Spencer, Harry E.	1320-1680	1560	1620	Ex	6-16-39 60	Listons Range Front
Davidson, Robert B.	1380-1740	1440	1500	VG	3-1-39 60	Mahon River
Smith, Lee R.	1560-1920	1560	1620	VG	10-1-37 60	Miah Maull Shoal
Mitchell, Felix H.	1320-1680	1620	1680	VG	2-2-38 60	OldReedy I.
Richter, George	1500-1860	1500	1560	G	9-1-40 60	ShipJohnSh.
		NORFOLK				
White, Hiram T.	1560-1920	1560	1620	G	5-1-40 180	Bloody Pt.Bar
Newton, James A.	1380-1740	1380	1440	G	1-1-34 300	C.Lookout
Somers, James T.	1620-1980	1620	1680	VG	2-1-39 60	Choptank R.
Sturgis, Zadock W.	1200-1560	1200	1260	G	3-13-39 120	Cove Pt.
Newcomb, James M.	1380-1740	1500	1560	G	3-13-37 EOD	Cove Pt.
Edwards, John R.	1620-1980	1680	1740	G	7-16-38 60	Deep Water Sh.
Cropper, Thomas J.	1440-1800	1560	1620	Ex	3-1-39 60	Deep Water Sh.
McDorman, Walter F.	1620-1980	1680	1740	G	6-16-39 60	Gr.Shoals
Parks, John W.	1500-1860	1500	1560	G	10-1-38 60	Gr.Wicomico
Austin, Julian H.	1620-1980	1680	1740	VG	2-1-37 60	Holland I.Bar
Dickerson, Kendrick H.	1500-1860	1500	1560	G	3-5-36 EOD	Hooper I.
Kelly, William J.	1680-2040	1680	1740	G	3-1-37 60	Hooper St.
Messick, Harold M.	1500-1860	1500	1560	G	3-11-37 EOD	Hooper St.
Dawson, Samuel C.	1560-1920	1560	1620	Ex	5-16-39 180	Love Pt.
Matthews, Henry L.	1680-2040	1680	1740	G	6-30-39 60	Lower Cedar
Barnes, Franklin S.	1500-1860	1560	1620	VG	3-1-39 60	Lower Cedar
Hanberry, Henry R.	1620-1980	1620	1680	G	5-1-38 60	Maryland Pt.
Oliver, Joseph T.	1440-1800	1440	1500	VG	7-10-38 180	Mathias Pt.
Gaskill, Lloyd V.	1680-2040	1740	1800	VG	6-16-39 60	N.Landing R.
Rollinson, George S.	1620-1980	1740	1800	G	1-1-31 60	Old Plantation Flats
Johnson, George G.	1260-1620	1380	1440	Ex	3-1-39 60	OldPt.Comfort
Lewis, Frank R.	1560-1920	1740	1800	VG	6-16-39 60	Pages Rock
Midgett, John E.	1680-2040	1680	1740	G	4-5-36 120	Pamlico Pt.
Fulcher, Robert W.	1560-1920	1680	1740	G	6-30-39 60	Pt.Lookout

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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
FIFTH NAVAL DISTRICT
POST OFFICE BOX 540
NORFOLK, VA.

75-531

1 February, 1943

To: John H. Midgette - Assistant Keeper

Subj: Orders; temporary duty; travel

1. You are directed to proceed to Elizabeth City, N.C., on official business of the Coast Guard. Upon completion of this official duty, return to your regular station and resume your regular status.

2. You will be allowed per diem in lieu of subsistence as follows: $4.50 including time on commercial vessels where price of passage includes subsistence subject to the provisions of the Standardized Travel Regulations, and Personnel Bulletin No. 11 43, dated 26 January, 1943. Travel will be performed by government conveyance.

3. The travel necessary to the execution of this order is required by the public interests.

4. The expense incident to the travel herein authorized is chargeable against Nor folk District Symbol No.0 3-20.

GLENN C. PONGER
By direction

CC: Hdqtrs.

STANDARD FORM NO. 6
(Approved by the President 5/28/24)
Revised Dec. 5, 1928

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment Pamlico Pt. Group of Lights Date Sept. 11, 1939

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss or Mrs.~~) Midgett (Surname) John (Given name) Evans (Middle name)
2. Present address 104 (Number) Edward (Street) Bellhaven (City) N.C. (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence N.C. (State and Congressional District) first Beaufort (County) Bellhaven (City or town)
4. Where born N.C. (State or foreign country) Buxton (City or town) When born 5-5-1895 (Month Day Year)
5. If foreign-born, state whether naturalized or alien
6. Indicate sex, marital condition, and race by check, thus: √ If Mrs., state other names under which previously employed.

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

7. Number and ages of dependents domiciled with you 3 dependents 3 yrs, 14 yrs, 10 yrs.
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 Vessel #46	Cape Henry	Seaman	$30.00 per mo.	Feb.	16th	1916	Sept.	6th	1916
" " 72	Diamond Shoal	Seaman	$85.00 per mo.	Jan.	22nd	1920	July	31st	1920
U.S. Tender Columbine	Portsmouth Va.	Seaman	$85.00	Sept	15	1920	Nov.	15th	1920
Lighthouse Ser.	Love Pt. Md.	Asst. Keeper	$105.00	Nov.	15	1920	To the present		

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
no	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:

no. (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 Aug. 18, 1917	Discharged Dec. 29, 1918	Enlisted	Discharged
Rank Oiler	Rank Engine Man	Rank	Rank
Organization	Organization	Organization	Organization

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

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

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	POSITION AND CHARACTER OF WORK	LENGTH OF SERVICE
none		

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. Blanch B. Midgett

Relationship Wife Post office address Bulhaven N.C.

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

John E. Midgett
(Name as usually written and which will be used as official signature)

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Copy of this form not sent to Department

Form 73 TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard

NOMINATION

Norfolk District Norfolk, Va. 11 October, 1941

COMMANDANT:

Action recommended Transfer.

Name John E. Midgett Date of birth 5 May, 1895 Legal Res. N. C.

	From --	To --
Position	(Asst.) Keeper	(Asst.) Keeper
Pay and grade	$1680 p.a. ($1680-2040)	$1680 p.a. ($1680-2040)
Station	Charleston District Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C.	Norfolk District Pamlico Pt. Lt. Sta., N. C.
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C. G.	Civilian Employees, C. G.

Effective 1 September, 1941 ~~or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

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

Vice -- Pay -- Services terminated --

Reason --

Remarks:

Selection regular, _____, 19___

T. E. MIDGETT,
By direction.

Manager, 4th Civil Service District

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Norfolk, Virginia,
28 March, 1942.

U. S. COAST GUARD (10)
APR 23 1942

From: District Coast Guard Officer, Fifth Naval District.
To : John E. Midgett, Assistant Keeper - PAMLICO GROUP LIGHTS.

Subject: Orders; temporary duty; travel.

1. You are directed to proceed to Elizabeth City, North Carolina, on official business of the Coast Guard. Upon completion of this temporary duty, return to your regular station and resume your regular status.

2. You will be allowed per diem in lieu of subsistence as follows: $4.50 including time on commercial vessels where price of passage includes subsistence, subject to the provisions of the Standardized Travel Regulations and Headquarters' Personnel Bulletin 29-42, dated 23 March, 1942. Travel will be performed by Government conveyance.

3. The travel necessary to the execution of this order is required by the public interests.

4. The expense incident to the travel herein authorized is chargeable to Norfolk District's travel allotment, Symbol No. 20.

C. J. SULLIVAN,
By direction.

Copy to: Headquarters.

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Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Norfolk, Va. (City), March 3 8 4 AM 2 (Date), 1936

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and Promotion

Name, John E. Midgett

Position, Assistant Keeper

Location, Pamlico Point Light Station, N. C.

Effective, March 15, 1936 { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, 2nd Assistant Keeper

Location, James Island Light Station, Md.

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1680. p.a.

Proposed range, $1680-2040. p.a.

Appropriation, Sal. Kprs. of L.H.

Former salary, $1500. p.a. plus $60. p.a. for quarters.

Former range, $1380-1740. p.a. plus $60. p.a. for quarters.

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

(Lt.#916)

Previous incumbent and his pay, J. D. Barnett / Services terminated, December 31, 1935.

Reason, Promotion

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 5, 1895

Remarks: See letters of even date in this connection.

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

L. M. HOPKINS

_____ Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

March 25, 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. The present cash range of this position is $1620-1980. The individual quarters are no longer provided, and therefore it is proposed to give the nominee an appointment at $1680 per annum, which will be the minimum of the new range.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

April 2, 1936.

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1500

To: $1680

Service and grade: Field

Appropriation (unit):

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Lighthouse Service.

LIGHTHOUSES

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District Fifth

Date April 13, 1936.

CHANGE IN STATUS OF EMPLOYEE

Name John E. Midgett

Nature of Action Change in Compensation (change of station and duties)

Effective Date April 5, 1936

	FROM	TO
Position	2nd Asst. Keeper	Assistant Keeper
Pay	$1500 ($1380-1740)	$1680 ($1680-2040)
Station	Janes Island Light Station, Va.	Pamlico Point Light Station, N.C.

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department letter dated April 2, 1936.

L. M. Hoffins

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington

Secretary of Commerce

For the Commissioner,

Chief, Personnel Division

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington

June 26, 1935

Superintendent of Lighthouses:

Norfolk, Va.

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

NAME AND DESIGNATION John R. Midgett--2d asst kpr. James Island

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

Department authorized change to $1500 by letter dated 5/30/35. Report effective date by indorsement hereon in duplicate.

For the Commissioner:

H-M Chief, Personnel Division.

District Date

Returned to Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Norfolk, Virginia (City), March 20 (Date), 1935

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and Demotion

Name, John E. Midgett

Position, 2nd Assistant Keeper

Location, Janes Island Light Station, Md.

Effective, April 1, 1935

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1500. p.a. exclusive of $60. p.a. for quarters

Proposed range, $1380-1740. "

Appropriation, Sal. Keepers of L.H.

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

Former position, 2nd Asst.Kpr.

Location, Smith Point Light Station, Va.

Former salary, $1620.p.a.exclusive of $60. p.a. for quarters

Former range, $1500-1860. "

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Robert Bradshaw (Lt.#1211) / Services terminated, Sept. 15, 1934

Reason, Deceased

Members of family in Government service, Brother

Remarks: The action recommended is in accord with Mr. Midgett's desires and will not violate Civil Service rule relative to religious or political opinions or affiliations

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

L. M. HOPKINS

Secretary, Civil Service District. Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

March 21, 1935

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, transfer being agreeable to the employee.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
NORFOLK, VA.
March 19, 1935.

SCHEDULE OF REPLACEMENTS TO FILL VACANT POSITIONS

DESIGNATION	LOCATION (Station or vessel)	SALARY AND RANGE	REASON FOR SEPARATION OF LAST INCUMBENT.	DATE VACANCY OCCURRED
2nd Asst. Keeper	James Island Light Station, Md.	$1380.p.a. exclusive of $60.p.a. for quarters $1380-1740.	Deceased	9/16/34

L. M. Hoppins
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

March 30, 1935.

M r. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective April 1, 1935, or entrance on duty (change of station).

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1620 per annum.

To: $1500 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE.

District Fifth

Date July 16, 1934.

CHANGE IN STATUS OF EMPLOYEES

Name John E. Midgett

Natue of Action Transfer and Demotion

Effective Date July 1, 1934.

	FROM	TO
Position	2nd Asst. Keeper	2nd Asst. Keeper
Pay	$1680.p.a. - $1560-1920.	$1620.p.a. - $1500-1860.
Station	Pamlico Pt. L.S., N.C.	Smith Pt. L.S., Va.

Remarks:

The above change was made under authority of Department Form A-38, dated July 1, 1934.

JUL 17 1934

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner,

Chief, Personnel Division

L. M. HOPKINS
Signature
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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

Ltr.
Encl. Received

July 9, 1934.

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Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

1. Form A-38, dated July 2, 1934, covering change of compensation of John E. Midgett, 2nd Asst. Keeper, from $680. p.a. to $1620.p.a., effective upon entrance on duty (by change of station) is returned herewith.

2. Under direction of the Bureau, this employee's position at Pa lico Point Light Station was discontinued as of the close of June 30, 1934, making it necessary to enter him on duty at his new station beginning July 1, 1934, in order that there may be no lapse in his service.

3. It is recommended that amended Form A-38 be prepared, showing effective date as July 1, 1934.

L. M. HOPKINS

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington July 10, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce with recommendation that the effective date of this change be fixed as July 1, for the reasons given by the Superintendent.

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W. P. HARMAN

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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Mar. Engr.
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Law & Prop.
Chief Clerk
Adm. Assist.
Dep. Comdr.
Commissioner

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

November 5, 1930.

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

1. The Bureau is informed that under Department notice of October 13, 1930, John E. Widgett reported for duty on November 1, 1930, as 2nd Asst. Keeper at Pamlico Point Light Station with pay at the rate of $1680. per annum.

L. M. Hopkins
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
NOV 7 1930

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

W. P. HARMAN
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md. (City) June 26, (Date) 1934

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and Demotion

Name, John E. Midgett

Position, 2nd Asst. Keeper

Location, Smith Point Light Station

Effective, July 1, 1934

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1620.p.a.

Proposed range, $1500-1860.
$60 quarters

Appropriation, Sal. Keepers of L. H.

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

Former position, Same

Location, Pamlico Point Light Station

Former salary, $1680.p.a.

Former range, $1560-1920.
$60 quarters

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

(Lt.#932)

Previous incumbent: his pay: C. L. Brumfield- / Services terminated, Close of June 17, 1934.
$1500.p.a.

Reason, Resigned to take another Government position.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 5, 1895

Remarks: The action recommended is for the good of the Service and in line with the proposed discontinuance of Pamlico Point Light Station; Civil Service rule relative to political or religious affiliations or opinions will not violated thereby.

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

L. M. HOPKINS

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Secretary, Civil Service District. Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

June 27, 1934

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, for the reason given by the Superintendent under remarks. It is recommended that the effective date be July 1 or date of entrance on duty.

W. P. HARRISON

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

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June 27, 1934

Superintendent of Lighthouses, Baltimore, Md.

In reference to your nomination of June 26 for the transfer of John E. Midgett from second assistant keeper at Pamlico Point Light-station to a similar position at Smith Point:

It is indicated in your remarks that the Pamlico station is to be discontinued. If this is the case and the position to be vacated by Midgett will not be filled after his transfer on July 1, it is requested that your office submit recommendation for the discontinuance of this and any other positions which are now vacant and will not be needed hereafter effective at the close of June 30.

For the Commissioner:

Administrative Assistant

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Form L-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHTHOUSES
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LIGHTHOUSES

Mr. John E. Midgett,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1680 per annum.

To: $1620 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md. (City) September 30, 1930 (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and Promotion

Name, John E. Midgett

Position, 2nd Asst. Keeper

Location, Pamlico Point Light Station

Effective, October 15, 1930

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1680. p.a.

Proposed range, $1560-1860. no go - (Bu)

Appropriation, Sal. L.H. Keepers

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

Former position, Same

Location, Cape Hatteras Light Station

Former salary, $1260.

Former range, $1140-1440. go - (Bu)

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

Previous incumbent, John M. Stowe - (LT. #917) Services to be terminated, on or about Oct. 14, 1930.

Reason, To be transferred and demoted.

Members of family in Government service, Yes

Date of birth, May 5, 1895.

Remarks:

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

L. M. Hopkins

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

OCT 2 - 1930

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

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May 17, 1926

John R. Midgett, Second Assistant Keeper,
Brant Island Light Station, N. C.
(Through Superintendent of Lighthouses, Baltimore, Md.)

in file 3397

The Bureau is in receipt of a report from the keeper forwarded by the Superintendent, regarding assistance you rendered in floating the yacht "ANNA MARIE II" which went ashore in the vicinity of the station on April 27, 1926. The Bureau is pleased to commend you for the assistance rendered on this occasion and to note the matter on the records as part of your official history.

G. R. PUTNAM

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Rec'd in Bulletin June 1, 1926.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Wash., Copy to 5th

PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATION BOARD FORM NO. 14—FIELD QUESTIONNAIRE
(To be filled out in accordance with the instructions given in P. C. B. Forms Nos. 15 and 16)

Bureau No. [illegible]893 *Sheet No.* 5(b)-18

Space reserved for the use of the Board

1. [illegible] (Surname) [illegible] (Given name) [illegible] (Initial)
2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouses
4. Field service Lighthouse Service
5. (a) Field station Mount Island Light Station
   (b) Subdivision
   (c) City or town State
6. Pay roll title Light Keeper
7. Customary office title [illegible]
8. Present administrative allocation [illegible]Assistant Keeper
9. Present gross rate of pay $ 1340.
10. Deduction for allowances $ None
11. Net rate paid in cash $ 1340

12. Indicate by an "X" in the proper box or boxes the kind of allowances, if any, received by the employee:
☐ House ☒ Room { ☐ Furnished ☒ Unfurnished } ☐ Heat ☒ Fuel ☒ Light ☐ Laundry ☐ Uniform Meals per day: ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ Subsistence or rations in kind

13. Describe any other allowance, privilege, or perquisite of value

14. If any special equipment or a bond is required by law or regulation to be furnished at the employee's expense, state kind and annual cost
Uniform, approximately $15.00

15. (a) Regular hours of work: From None m. to m. (b) How many hours per week excluding unusual or irregular overtime work?
Summer 66 Winter 66 (c) If not a full time and all-the-year-round position, state number of hours per day;
number of days per { week / month / year } (d) If certain hours of availability for duty, outside of regular working hours, are required, state hours and type of such duty Subject to call at all times

16. (a) Rate of pay for overtime None (b) Amount of overtime pay in last 12 months

17. (a) Does the employee in any way direct or supervise other employees? No (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering)
(c) How many?

18. If the employee supervises other persons through immediate contact, give the name and the sheet numbers of such persons. (For such of these as may not be covered by questionnaires, give number and kinds by occupations.) If the employee exercises supervision through section or division heads, give the title of such sections or divisions and the names and sheet numbers of their heads.

19. (a) Is the employee in any way directed, supervised, or instructed, or his work reviewed? Yes (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering.)
By Principal Keeper with whom he works side by side or watch and watch. He is instructed by example and supervised by direct personal contact with the Principal Keeper and by periodic inspections of stations by district Superintendent or his representative.

20. What is the name, official position, and sheet number of the employee's immediate superior? D.E.Guidley,Keeper 5(b)16

21. Employee's education: Strike an "X" over the number representing the highest grade or year completed in each type of school:

Elementary								High				Normal				College				Postgraduate or professional				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	(Kind)
								X																

Other education (describe):

22. What length and kind of experience or other training did the employee possess upon original entrance into this position which was most qualifying or pertinent?
14 months as seaman on light vessels, 8 months as quarter master and seaman on buoy tender. 2 years in U.S.Navy. 6 Months Tug Boating 6 Months in Revenue Cutter Service

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23. TO THE EMPLOYEE: Describe in detail the work you do. Put each distinct duty, task, or process in a separate paragraph. Explain first those that require most of your time. Explain occasional duties last. In the column at the left opposite each paragraph enter the approximate percentage of your time devoted to the work described in that paragraph. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO COMPOSE THIS STATEMENT WITHOUT FOLLOWING THE INSTRUCTIONS OF P. C. B. FORM NO. 15.

Percentage of working time	
	I am located at an isolated station having a personnel of 2 men.
	My duties consist of my regular watch, and the several other things necessary to the upkeep of the station, as described below.
50 %	I am on watch duty twenty two days in each month, standing an alternating watch with another man. This requires ½ my time while at the station, or approximately one third my entire time. Other duties at the station consist of cleaning,
10 %	painting, and chipping iron.
	We have in our charge two oil burning beacons which must
10 %	be visited 4 times each month each visit requiring about 5
20 %	hours. Also 7 gas burning beacons which require attention once each month, and oftener when necessary. Each trip requiring 12 hours. Two of these are mounted on screw pile
5 %	construction which must be chipped and painted to be kept in order.
	My station is one of the most isolated stations in U.S. waters
	requiring a motor boat trip of 44 miles to secure mail and
5 %	provisions. This trip must be made across the roughest part
	of Lake Ponchartrain, and often under very hazardous conditions.
100 %	I judge that my average daily time devoted to official duties is 10 to 11 hours.

24. I hereby certify that the foregoing was composed by me after reading P. C. B. Form No. 15, and that it is a true statement of my duties.

John E. McGaffee
(Signature of Employee)

Answer to Question 25, P.C.B. Form No. 15

The duties of this employee are to share the watches with principal keeper in care of light and fog signal and the labor of keeping same in state of perfect cleanliness and efficiency, and in cleaning, painting and minor repairs of the entire station, which is a 2-story frame house on interbraced iron piles on a submarine foundation, surmounted by a glazed lantern in which is mounted a fresnel lens for display of light, which may be either a kerosene wick lamp or incandescent oil vapor light. The fog signal is a bell operated by clockwork machinery. Communication with shore is by motor launch. Each of two keepers is allowed 5 days ashore per month and during absence of principal keeper, the assistant is in full charge of station.

The attendance upon minor lights grouped under this station is an important duty and requires skill and considerable risk in operating motor launch oftentimes under stormy conditions, and knowledge of the care and operation of acetylene gas apparatus.

and complete, except as indicated in attached memorandum, marked ———; as my judgment may recommend from time to time.

from $ 1620, to $ 1920

OCT - 8 1928, 1928
(Date)

J. S. CONWAY
(Signature of head of bureau or his representative)

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses
(Title)

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Percentage of working time	
	I am located at an isolated station having a personnel of 3 men.
	My duties consist of my regular watch, and the several other things necessary to the upkeep of the station, as described below.
5	I am on watch duty twenty two days in each month, standing an alternate watch with my another man. This requires ½ my time while on the station, or approximately one third my entire time.
10	Other duties at the station consist of cleaning, painting, and chipping iron.
	We have in our charge two oil burning beacons which must
12	be visited 4 times each month each visit requiring about 5
20	hours. Also 7 gas burning beacons which require attention once each month, and oftener when necessary. Each trip requiring 10 hours. Two of these are mounted on screw pile
5	construction which must be chipped and painted to be kept in order.
	My station is one of the most isolated stations in N.C. Waters requiring a motor boat trip of 40 miles to secure mail and
5	provisions. This trip must be made across the most exposed part of Pamlico Sound, and often under very dangerous conditions.
10	I have to add my average daily time devoted to official duties is 1 to 1½ hours.

24. I hereby certify that the foregoing was composed by me after reading P. C. B. Form No. 15, and that it is a true statement of my duties.

John E. Mallett
(Signature of Employee)

Answer to Question 23, P.C.B.Form No.14

of this employee are to share the watches with principal keeper for signal and the labor of keeping same in state of perfect [illegible] and in cleaning, painting and minor repairs of the [illegible] frame house on interbraced iron piles on a [illegible] pattern in which is mounted a fresnel [illegible] kerosene wick lamp or incandescent [illegible] machinery. Com- [illegible] is enclosed [illegible] is in full

26. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? November 24,1920

27. I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the statements made by me on both sides of this sheet are accurate and complete.

September 27 (Date), 1928 — H. D. King (Signature of Preparing Officer) — Supt. of Lighthouses (Title)

28. I hereby certify that I have read all of the foregoing and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made on both sides of this sheet are accurate and complete, except as indicated in attached memorandum, marked ——— In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $ 1620 to $ 1920

——— (Date), 1928 — H. D. King (Signature of head of field office or station) — Supt. of Lighthouses (Title)

29. I hereby certify that I have read all of the foregoing and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the statements made on both sides of this sheet are accurate and complete, except as indicated in attached memorandum, marked ——— In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $ 1620 to $ 1920

OCT -8 1928 (Date), 1928 — J. S. CONWAY (Signature of head of bureau or his representative) — Asst Commissioner of Lighthouses (Title)

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Baltimore, Md., March 5, 1929
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and demotion.

Name, John E. Midgett

Position, 2nd Asst. Keeper

Location, Cape Hatteras L.S., N.C.

Effective, April 1, 1929

Former position, 2nd Asst. Kpr.

Location, Brand Island L.H., N.C.

Legal residence, North Carolina

Proposed salary, $1260. p.a.

Proposed range, $1140-1440

Appropriation, Sal. L.H. Keepers

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

Former salary, $1740. $1260. p.a.

Former range, $1620-1920

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

Previous incumbent, Julian H. Austin - (Lt#898) Services terminated, March 31, 1929

Reason, Transferred

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, May 5, 1895

Remarks: This demotion is at the request of Mr. Midgett and Civil Service rule relative to political or religious opinions or affiliations will not be violated by the action recommended.

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

L. M. Hopkins

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Secretary, Civil Service District. Acting Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

March 6, 1929.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

H. D. KING
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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