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Date: 7/07/2025

REQUESTER INFORMATION

Name (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Researcher ID Card Number
Burns, Andrew	
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
Olivier, Joseph, J.		1890 LA

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: 1944 LA

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Andrew Burns

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service (LA/MS/TX)	From: 1917	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: C-0005966958

CMRS Search Request Number(s): submitted to archival search 7/16/25

Attendant Signature:

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Hold Requested: ☐ Yes ☐ No

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☐ Additional charge outs and signatures on reverse side

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Final Return:

SERVICE RECORD CARD (P-42)

NAME IN FULL (Surname First)..Olivier,.Joseph.J.....
APPOINTED FROM (STATE)...La. .....(COUNTY)St..Mary.....
WHERE BORN?...Morgan.City,.La.....(WHEN BORN).June.23,.1890.....
PREVIOUS SERVICE (CIVIL AND MILITARY):

Department	Organization	Position or Rank	Salary	Appointed or Enlisted	Separated or Discharged
Commerce	Lighthouse Service	Keyer	$1,560	Jan.18,1918	Nov. 4,1920
				Feb. 16, 1921	---

APPOINTED AS..Tide.Observer.....SERVICE AND GRADE.Exc.....
SALARY $.25.00...PER.....month.....FROM CERTIFICATE NO.....
E.O.DMay.2,.1925.....DATE OF OATH.June.8,1925.VICENew.position.....
FROM EXAMINATION HELD FOR...---.....
CHANGES IN SERVICE:

DESIGNATION	SERVICE, GRADE, or RANK.	PAY	DATE EFFECTIVE	VICE	STATUS
Tide Observer	Exc.	25.00 pm	July 1,1925	Self	Exc.

SEPARATIONS FROM THE SERVICE:

DESIGNATION	SERVICE? GRADE, or RANK	MANNER	LAST DAY OF SERVICE.
Services terminated without prejudice, Nov. 30, 1926.			

S-MER.

January 19, 1926.

The Secretary of Commerce:

This Bureau requests that Mr. J. J. Olivier, Tide Observer at the Galveston Jetty Tide Station, be placed on leave without pay, beginning December 1, 1925, for an indefinite period, to be determined by the resumption of operation of the tide gauge at the station named above.

The tide gauge at the Galveston Jetty Tide Station ceased to operate on December 1, but as soon as the gauge is again in operation, it is desired that Mr. Olivier resume his duties as tide observer. At the present time, however, that date is indefinite. The Department will be advised when Mr. Olivier resumes his duties.

(Signed) R. L. Faris

Acting Director.

RECEIVED

CARDED

APPROVED:

(SIGNED) E. W. LIBBEY

CHIEF CLERK AND SUPERINTENDENT.

S-HBR.

January 19, 1926.

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(Signed) R. L. Faris

Acting Director.

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ADDRESS THE DIRECTOR
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY
WASHINGTON

January 12, 1926.

To: The Director, U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

From: The Chief, Division of Tides and Currents.

Subject: Furlough without pay, Tide Observer, Galveston Jetty Tide Station.

The tide observer at Galveston Jetty Tide Station reports under date of December 31, 1925, that he was submitting no pay voucher for December because of the non-functioning of the tide gauge at that station. It is recommended that the Department be requested to place Mr. J. J. Olivier, Tide Observer, Galveston Jetty Tide Station, on furlough without pay from December 1st to some future date when the station again begins functioning.

G Rude

Chief, Division of Tides and Currents.

GPO

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
U.S.Coast and Geodetic Survey Date **January 7, 1927.**

Last Day Report on **J. J. Olivier, Tide Observer at $15 per month at Galveston, Texas.**

CHIEF, DIVISION of **Tides and Currents.**

Please report, immediately below hereon, the last day of service of the employee named above.

G. I Rude
Chief, Personnel Section

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The last day of service of the employee named above was at the close of

November 30, 1926.

Chief of Division.

Chief, Section of LIBRARY AND ARCHIVES: The records of this Section show that the property listed below is charged to the employee named above:

BOOKS
MAPS
RECORDS None
REGULATIONS BINDER NO.

Chief, Section of Library and Archives.

Chief, INSTRUMENT DIVISION: The records in this Division show that the property listed below is charged to the employee named above:

None

Chief, Instrument Division.

Chief, Section of SUPPLIES AND SHIPMENTS: The records of this section indicate that there is an unpaid telephone bill amounting to $_____ against the employee named above.

None

Chief, Section of Supplies and Shipments.

Chief, Division of ACCOUNTS: Deductions should be made as follows:

For time: days — hours — minutes —: Other deductions —

Chief, Personnel Section.

GPB
6/13/27

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY
WASHINGTON

January 3, 1927.

To: The Chief Clerk.

Through: The Director,
U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

From: The Chief,
Division of Tides and Currents.

Subject: Discontinuance of services of Mr. J. J. Olivier.

It is recommended that the services of Mr. J. J. Olivier, on furlough as tide observer at Galveston Jetty Light, be discontinued without prejudice as of November 30, 1926. It is not intended to take up tide observations at that station in the near future.

G Rude

Chief,
Division of Tides and Currents.

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

PERSONAL HISTORY

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

Bureau, division, or office U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey

1. Name in full Joseph Jules Ohrier

2. Legal (voting) residence Louisiana 3rd & St Mary Morgan City
(State and Congressional District) (County) (City or town)

3. Where born? Louisiana Morgan City When born? June 23, 1890
(State or foreign country) (City or town) (Date)

4. If foreign, state whether naturalized or alien

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

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

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

BRANCH OF SERVICE AND PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
			Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
Department of Comerce Light House Dept	Keeper	1560	Jan	18	1918	Nov	4	1920
			Feb	16	1921			

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

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

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

Organization .....

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

Organization .....

8.

EDUCATION (Circle number of years)	Common school								High school				College				Degrees, if any
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	None

9. State special qualifications Office Work

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

M. G. Ohrier (Name) Brother (Relationship)

404 - 3rd St. Morgan City La
(Post office address)

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

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

June 1 - 1925 (Date) 10—1659 Present address BX 327 Galveston Tex

Original to Dept 5/13/26.

Form A-30

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

REFERRED TO:
C. H. DIECK
PERSONNEL OFFICER
TIME CLERK
ACCOUNTS
PLEASE INITIAL

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 29, 1925.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Sir:

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

Tide Observer

in the service of the Coast and Geodetic Survey

at a salary of Twenty-Five dollars per month,

effective July 1, 1925.

Nature of appointment: Promotion from Tide Observer at $15 per month.

Civil Service authority: Schedule A, Subdivision I, Paragraph 6.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER.

H Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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

Vice: Increased compensation.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

The above named appointee entered on duty on July 1, 1925.

Oath July 25, 1925.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

Form A-30

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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PERSONNEL OFFICER
TIME CLERK
ACCOUNTS
PLEASE INITIAL

May 2, 1925.

Mr. J. J. Olivier,

Through the Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Sir:

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

Tide Observer

in the Coast and Geodetic Survey

at a salary of Fifteen dollars per month,

effective May 2, 1925, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty.

Nature of appointment: Excepted.

Civil Service authority: Schedule A, Section I, Paragraph 6 of the Rules.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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

Vice: New position.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

The above named appointee entered on duty on May 7, 1925.

June 8th, 1925.

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

HYDROGRAPHIC OFFICE
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J. J. Johnson
(Name.)

Cadet Observer
(Position.)

U. S. Coast & Geodetic Survey
(Bureau, Office, or Service.)

Date, June 12th 1925

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

S. T. P. B.

Galveston Tex
May 31 - 1925.

Director
U. S. Coast and Geodetic
Washington D.C.

Dear Sir:

Your letter May 22.
entered upon duty as tide observer
May 2nd @ 10 30 am.

J J Ahrier
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY
Form 265

PERSONAL INFORMATION.

Please fill out the following blank in full and return promptly to the Director of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, Department of Commerce, Washington, D. C.

1. Date June 1st U.S 1925
   Present post-office address Galveston Tex Bx 327.
   Home address 419½ 23rd Street
   Name and address of nearest of kin M. G. Olivier 404 3rd St Morgan City La
2. Name in full Joseph Jules Olivier
   Position Tide Observer Salary $1500 per an
   Date of birth June 23d 1890
   Place of birth Morgan City La
   Married or single Divorced
   Native born or naturalized Native
   If the latter, give date and place
   What is your race? (Answer "White," "Colored," or "Mongolian.") White
3. Present legal residence:
   Town Morgan City County ~~Parish~~ St Mary
   State Louisiana Congressional District 3rd
4. Military service, if any None
5. Relatives in Government service, if any None
6. Date of entry on duty under original appointment by the Secretary of Commerce
7. State any service in the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey before receiving an appointment from the Secretary of Commerce None
8. Give date of entry on duty under any temporary appointment in the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey. None
9. Give names of schools, colleges, or universities that you have attended, with the approximate dates of beginning and end of attendance at each
   St Stanislaus College Bay St Louis Mississippi 1902 to 1906.

10. General or special courses of study in each ..... None

11. State if you are a graduate of any college or scientific school and what degrees you have taken ..... None

12. Mention any special studies that you have pursued bearing upon the work of the Coast and Geodetic Survey ..... None

13. Mention any articles that you have published on scientific or technical subjects ..... None

14. State what practical experience you have had in surveying, engineering, astronomical, or magnetic work. None

15. State what experience you have had in drafting or computing ..... None

16. State whether you have a practical knowledge of stenography or typewriting or of bookkeeping ..... No

17. State whether you have a knowledge of any foreign language and your proficiency in reading, writing, and speaking such language ..... No

18. State whether you have passed a Civil Service examination for admission to the classified service, and if so for what position, giving date and place ~ March 1918 Light House Service

19. State whether you have passed a physical examination for admission to the Service ..... If so, state when, where, and name of examining physician Examined June 1918 Light House Service

Height, 5 feet 11 1/4 inches; weight, 160 pounds; color of hair, Auburn; complexion, Fair; personal characteristics, marks, etc., Scar from apendix operation

20. State if you are in good physical condition, of temperate habits, and free from any defects or disease tending to impair your usefulness in field or office work Yes.

21. State the nature of your employment before receiving your appointment in the Coast and Geodetic Survey, and give the name and address of your last employer Light House service, am still so employed.

22. Personal testimonials and references:

	NAME.	ADDRESS.
1.	J. M. Waits	Morgan City La
2.	H. L. Lolley	Morgan City La
3.	Sty Lovell	Morgan City La.
4.	Capt J. M. J. Gilmore	Berwick La.

23. What experience have you had on board ship? None.

24. Do you hold a license as Master or Mate from the U. S. Steamboat-Inspection Service? No

(Signature.) J. J. Ahern

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July 18, 1925.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,
Tide Observer,
U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey,
Box 327,
Galveston, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Your appointment as Tide Observer at Galveston, Texas, at $25 per month, effective July 1, 1925, has been authorized by the Department of Commerce.

A blank oath of office is enclosed herewith for your use. Please take the oath of office before a notary public or other officer having an official impression seal.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) E. L. Stahlman

Acting Director.

GFPB

May 22, 1925.

Mr. J. J. Olivier,
Box 327,
Galveston, Texas.

Dear Sir:

You have been appointed Tide Observer at $15.00 per month in this Bureau for service at Galveston, Texas, to take effect May 2, 1925, or as soon thereafter as you enter upon duty, subject to taking the oath of office.

There are enclosed herewith a blank oath of office and other personal papers which you will please fill out and return to this Bureau as soon as possible after you have entered upon duty. The oath of office must be executed before a notary public or other county officer having an official impression seal, and the personal history sheet (blue) must be in duplicate.

With the return of these papers you will please advise this office what date you entered upon duty.

Very truly yours,

(Signed) E. Lester Jones

Director.

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
WASHINGTON

(Bureau) Coast and Geodetic Survey

(Date) May 2, 1925

The Secretary of Commerce:

The following recommendation is respectfully submitted for approval:

Nature of recommendation Excepted appointment (Schedule A, Section 1, Paragraph 6)

Name J. J. Olivier

From—

Position

Salary

Appropriation

To—

Position Tide Observer

Salary $15 per month

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

Vice New position

Official station Field

Effective May 2, 1925 or as soon thereafter as he shall enter on duty.

Remarks It is intended that Mr. Olivier shall serve as Tide Observer at the Galveston South Jetty Light. He has been recommended by an officer of this Bureau serving in that locality.

(Signed) E. Lester Jones

Director.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE
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ADDRESS THE DIRECTOR
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

AND REFER TO No.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY
WASHINGTON

April 29, 1925.

To: The Director, U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

From: The Chief, Division of Tides and Currents.

Subject: Appointment of Tide Observer, Galveston.

It is recommended that the Department be requested to appoint Mr. J. J. Olivier, Galveston, Tex., as Tide Observer at Galveston South Jetty Light at a salary of $15.00 per month, appropriation "Party Expense, Tides, Etc., 1925, U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey."

Mr. Olivier's present salary is less than $1800.00 per year.

G Rude

Chief, Division of Tides and Currents.

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Form 1204

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COAST SURVEY WASHINGTON DC

RECOMMEND J J OLIVIER FOR TIDE OBSERVER AT GALVESTON JETTY LIGHT AT FIFTEEN DOLLARS PER MONTH HIS PRESENT SALARY IS LESS THAN EIGHTEEN DOLLARS PER YEAR

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT.

RECEIVED JAN 19 1918

New Orleans, La., January 18 1918.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Temporary appointment for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of certification of eligibles for permanent appointment.

Name, Joseph J. Oliver. Legal residence, Louisiana.

Position, Laborer in the Lighthouse Service. Salary, $456 p.a. without rations.

Location, Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana. Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective January 18, 1918, [the actual date of entrance on duty, or ~~as soon thereafter as he enters on duty~~]

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Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

Former position, - - - Former salary, - - -

Location, - - -

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

Previous incumbent, New position. Services terminated, - - -

Reason, Pending certification of eligibles for the vacancy caused by resignation of 1st Assistant Keeper Joseph M. Tomasovich effective January 10, 1918.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Joseph J. Oliver has never served under any branch of the Department of Commerce. Due to the necessity for maintaining the full authorized complement at Ship Shoal Light Station, Mr. Oliver was assigned to duty on January 18, 1918.

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

TEMPORARY
Pending the establishment of a register of eligibles.

Secretary, 10 Civil Service District.

Inspector.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

JAN 23 1918

Acting Commissioner

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

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MUNICATIONS TO
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Joseph J. Olivier,
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT HOUSES MAR 20 1918

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

March 18, 1918.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Returned herewith, for correction, is Department letter dated January 25, 1918, appointing Joseph J. Oliver as temporary laborer at Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana, at $456 per annum, effective January 18, 1918.

Under date of March 16, 1918, Mr. Olivier advised this office that his correct surname is "Olivier" instead of "Oliver". His oath of office and personal question sheet have been forwarded to the Bureau, showing his surname to be "Olivier".

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

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Superintendent.

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3 inclosures.

Bureau of Lighthouses,
March 22, 1918.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information, there being inclosed, in triplicate, Department letter of January 25, 1918 for amendment.

Acting Commissioner

GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 25, 1918.

LIGHT JAN 25 1918 HOUSES

LIGHT MAR 23 1918 HOUSES

rM Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, Laborer at Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana, in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Four Hundred and Fifty-six dollars per annum, effective January 18, 1918.

Your appointment will continue for a period not to exceed thirty days from the date of establishment of a register of eligibles for the position of assistant keeper.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

C
N (Signed) Clifford Hastings.
Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: New position.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

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Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 22nd instant, the Department has amended its order temporarily appointing Joseph J. Oliver to the position of laborer at Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana, at $456 per annum, by changing the surname of the appointee from Oliver to Olivier.

The notice of appointment addressed to Mr. Olivier under date of January 25, 1918, has been amended accordingly and is returned herewith.

By direction of the Secretary:

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

AKT

Bureau of Lighthouses,
March 25, 1918.

Referred to Lighthouse Inspector, New Orleans, La., for his information, guidance and files, there being inclosed, in duplicate amended Department letter of Jan. 25, 1918

Acting Commissioner.

Enclosure 1064.
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Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., April 16, 1918.
(City.) (Date.)

LIGHT HOUSES APR 20 1918

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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Action recommended, **Probationary appointment.**

Name, **Joseph J. Olivier** Legal residence, **Louisiana.**

Position, **First Assistant Keeper in the Light-house Service.** Salary, **$600 per annum.**

Location, **Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana.** Appropriation, **Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.**

Effective **April 20, 1918,** Hydrog. / Engr. Cons. / Mar. Engr. / ~~Personnel~~ / Accounts. / Contracts / Chf. Clk. / Dep. Com. ~~Assistant~~ { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty,~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, - - - - Former salary, - - - - -

Location, - - - - -

Rank on eligible list, **Third.** Rating, **Assistant Keeper.** Percentage, **80** , Other eligibles considered:

Julius Snow, C; John C. Kraemer, C. (See remarks.)

Previous incumbent, **Joseph M. Tomasovich.** Services terminated, **January 10, 1918.**

Reason, **Resigned.**

Members of family in Government Service, **None.**

Remarks: **Owing to the isolation of this light station and the consequent difficulty this office has in maintaining the full authorized complement of keepers, selection has been made from among the three eligibles living nearest to the vicinity of the light who have signified their willingness to accept employment in any part of the 8th District. There is no suitable person in the Service who desires transfer to this position. Quarters are not provided for the family of the 1st Assistant Keeper. Joseph J. Olivier has been serving as temporary laborer at this station since January 18, 1918, pending the establishment of a register of eligibles for assistant keeper.**

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, April 17, 1918.

E. H. Bennett
Secretary, 10 Civil Service District.

Inspector.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON APR 20 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

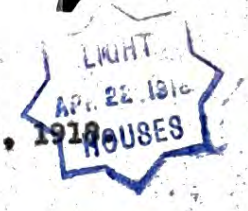
Acting Commissioner

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

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON



April 20, 1918.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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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, First Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Six Hundred dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

M
C

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Joseph M. Tomasovich.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

(See reverse side.)

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

1923 DEC 8 AM 11 53

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
December 6, 1923.

WJB.

J.J.Olivier, Keeper,
E.K.Wakefield, 1st Asst.Kpr.
COMMENDATION:

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Comm. Dept. Commerce
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Dept Commerce Rec'd
Nov 7 1923

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Transmitted herewith is letter dated Nov.30th, received from J. J. Olivier, Keeper of Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas, reporting the assistance rendered by himself and Earl K. Wakefield, 1st Asst. Keeper, on Nov.9th, to a party of three fishermen.

2. It is recommended that Keeper Olivier and 1st Asst. Keeper Wakefield be commended for the assistance rendered.

E. S. Kaufhold
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

C O P Y.

Galveston Jetty,
Nov. 30, 1923.

Superintendent,
New Orleans, La.

Sir:

For your information on Nov. 9th launch 1057, with a party of three fishermen aboard, anchored on south side of light and was fishing on jetty, wind sprang up from S.E. and party were unable to get back to boat. Kept them on station night of 9th, on morning of 10th 1st Asst. Wakefield and myself succeeded in towing launch on North side of station with station launch so party could get aboard.

(Signed) J. J. Olivier,

Keeper.

LGJ

LIGHTHOUSES

1923 DEC 13 PM 2 12

December 12, 1923.

My dear Mr. Olivier:

I have read with interest your report of November 30, 1923 forwarded from the Superintendent at New Orleans, with reference to the assistance rendered to a party of three fishermen who were unable to regain their launch after a sudden high wind from the Southeast overtook them. I am sincerely pleased to commend you for the assistance rendered and in caring for the men overnight, which commendation will be noted on official records.

Cordially yours,

J. WALTER DRAKE.

Acting Secretary of Commerce.

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Mr. Joseph J. Olivier, Keeper,
Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

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J. WALTER DRAKE.

LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files.

Exact copy as signed by.....

Mailed .....by.....

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1924 MAY 19 PM 12 02 ...HOUSES

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J.J.Olivier, Keeper,
H.B.Jackson, 2nd A.K.,
Galveston Jetty L.S.,Tex.
(Commendation)

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Dep. Comr.
Comr.

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

May 17, 1924.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Transmitted herewith is letter dated May 8th,1924, received from J. J. Olivier, Keeper, Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas, and a supplemental letter dated May 14th,1924, reporting the assistance rendered by himself and H.B.Jackson, 2nd Assistant Keeper, in towing the disabled launch E-630 which was anchored about a mile and a half west of the station, to the shore.

2. It is recommended that Keeper Olivier and 2nd Asst.Keeper Jackson be commended for the service performed.

OK
HM
May 19

E. S. Lamphier.
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
[redacted]RLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAY 15 1924
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
1924 MAY 19 PM

EIGHTH DISTRICT
Galveston
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)
May 12 02, 1924

Superintendent
New Orleans
La

Sir:

Your letter May 10th in regards to Launch E630, This launch was about 30ft long. Cabin all the way. Failed to ascertain owners name. nature of disability engine trouble, Boat was anchored out all night of 7th and on morning 8th Man aboard put up distress flag. If necessary will try and find out owners name

Respectfully
J J Lowes
Keeper

Command

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
[redacted]RLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAY 10 1924
NEW ORLEANS.

Are their size of launch
Name of man
Nature of disability of launch

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Galveston Jetty
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

May 8th, 1924

Superintendent
New Orleans
La

Sir:

For your information 2nd Asst Jackson and myself backed up Launch E630. nine A.M this date disable about mile and half west of station with one man aboard and towed same to town, left First Asst Mahfood in charge of station, until 2:30 PM when returned to station with station boat

J J Ahrens
Keeper

LIGHTHOUSES

1924 MAY 31 PM

LGJ

May 21, 1924.

Mr. J. J. ~~Oliver~~ Olivier, Keeper,
Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

My dear Mr. Oliver:

I have read with interest your reports of May 6 and 14, 1924 forwarded from the Superintendent at New Orleans, regarding the assistance rendered by the 2nd assistant and yourself in towing the disabled launch E-630 to shore, when that vessel was discovered flying a distress signal after being anchored throughout the night of May 7 in the vicinity of the light station on account of engine trouble. I am sincerely pleased to commend you for the assistance rendered in this instance which will be made a part of your official record.

Cordially yours,

HERBERT HOOVER.

Secretary of Commerce.

LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files. HERBERT HOOVER

Exact copy as signed by ---------- by ----------

Dated ---------- MAY 29 1924

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

ADDRESS THE DIRECTOR
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

AND REFER TO No. 41/CAL

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY
WASHINGTON

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1925 APR 30 PM 12 20

April 29, 1925.

5/4/25 note Survey
copy to 8th.

The Commissioner,
Bureau of Lighthouses,
Department of Commerce.

Referring to your letters dated August 28 and August 31, 1923, relative to the installation of a portable automatic tide gauge, on Galveston South Jetty Light, in which you kindly granted permission for the installation of such a tide gauge, your permission is requested for appointing Mr. J. J. Olivier as Tide Observer at $15.00 per month.

The gauge is now being installed by one of the field officers of this Survey. The functioning of the gauge will in no way interfere with the purposes of the lighthouse, and the duties of the tide observer likewise will in no way interfere with Mr. Olivier's primary duties as light-keeper. It is noted, too, that the additional salary of $15.00 per month as Tide Observer will not serve to make the total of the combined salaries Mr. Olivier will receive in excess of $2,000 per annum.

Chester Jones
Director.

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May 4, 1925.

The Director,
U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey,
Washington, D. C.

1. With reference to your letter of April 29 (41/CAL), regarding the appointment of Keeper J. J. Olivier as a tide observer:

2. The Bureau is pleased to advise that it has no objection to the Keeper Olivier's appointment in this capacity.

S. R. PUTNAM

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Inclosure

Bureau of Lighthouses, Wash., Copy to 8th Dist inclosed is copy of Coast and Geodetic Survey letter referred to above.

1925 MAY 9 PM 12 10

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
May 7th, 1925.

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Galveston Jetty Light Station,
P. O. Box 327,
Galveston, Texas.

1. It is with pleasure that this office commends you for the assistance rendered on May 2, 1925, in towing the 50-ft. steel launch "Camelia" which became disabled in the vicinity of the station, from the station to Bolivar Roads.

2. This commendation will be recorded as part of your official history and a copy of this letter is being forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

(Signed) E. S. Lanphier,

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy to Commissioner of Lighthouses.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Rec'd in Washington, June 1, 1925.

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Noted 5/11
Rec note
for Hdqrs rpt
J Bull

5/16/25 wire sent.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

May 12, 1925.

LIGHTHOUSES
1925 MAY 13 AM 11 16

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The Department has received a recommendation from the Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey, for the appointment of J. J. Olivier as Tide Observer at $15.00 per month at Galveston South Jetty Light. It appearing from the records that Mr. Olivier is serving as Keeper at $1560 per annum in the Lighthouse Service at Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas, information will be appreciated as to whether your Bureau will interpose objection to this additional assignment of Mr. Olivier.

By direction of the Secretary:

Clifford Harding
Chief of Appointment Division.

Rec advice no objection, Bu hitherto so advised
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All appts
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May 16, 1925.

Secretary of Commerce:

1. Referring to Department letter of May 12, 1925, regarding the appointment of Keeper J. J. Olivier as a tide observer in the Coast and Geodetic Survey at a compensation of $15 per month:

2. The Department is advised that the Bureau has no objection to Mr. Olivier's appointment as indicated.

J. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Inclosure

Bureau of Lighthouses, Wash., Copy to 8th Supt. Inclosed is copy of letter from Department referred to above.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Galveston Jetty L.S., Tex.,
Commendation.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
February 1, 1928

2/9/28 let Olivier & copies 8th & Dept.

Rec'd in Bulletin March, 1928

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. J. J. Olivier, Keeper, Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas, advises this office by letter of January 30, 1928, that on January 29th he towed the disabled launch M1654, owned by Wilkinson, with six men aboard from Buoy 7A to Galveston, Texas, the launch being disabled from engine trouble.

2. It is recommended that Mr. Olivier be commended for the assistance rendered.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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Engr. Const.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Finance
Law & Prop.
Adm. Asst.
Dep. Commr.
Commissioner.

All Recommendations
MCF 2/3

RLG:EMP

February 9, 1928.

Rec'd in Bulletin March 8 1928

Mr. J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas,
(Thru Superintendent of Lighthouses, New Orleans, La.)

The Bureau has read with interest a report submitted by the Superintendent relative to assistance rendered by you on January 29 in towing the disabled launch "E 1654" with six men aboard to Galveston, Texas, and is pleased to commend you for this assistance which will be recorded as a part of your official record.

R. R. PUTNAM

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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Copy to 8th Supt.

Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES 1928 DEC 31 AM 9 34

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La. (City) December 28 (Date), 1928

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer — Legal residence, Louisiana

Name, Jules Joseph Olivier — Proposed salary, $1260 per annum

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Proposed range, $1140-$1440 per annum

Location, Bolivar Point Light Station, Texas — Appropriation, Sals.L.H.Keepers

Effective, January 16, 1929 — ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $1800 per annum

Location, Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas — Former range, $1680-$1980 per annum

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

Previous incumbent, Earl K. Wakefield — Services to be terminated, about January 15, 1929

Reason, To be transferred as Keeper of Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of birth, June 23, 1890

Remarks: Letter attached from J. J. Olivier accepting this transfer.

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

E. J. Lamphier.
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

DEC 31 1928

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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LIGHTHOUSES
1928 DEC 31 AM 9-34

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Eighth District
Dec.17, 1928

Superintendent Lighthouses
New Orleans
La

Sir

Your letter Dec. 12th, will accept transfer to Bolivar Light as 1st Assistant.

(Signed) J. J. Olivier
Keeper

Form 73

LIGHTHOUSES
1929 JAN 30 PM 12 13

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La. (City) January 28 (Date), 1929

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer — Legal residence, Louisiana

Name, Joseph Jules Olivier — Proposed salary, $1560 p.a.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Proposed range, $1560-$1860 p.a.

Location, Sabine Pass Light Station, La. — Appropriation, Sals.L.H.Keepers

Effective, February 10, 1929 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $1260 p.a.

Location, Bolivar Point Light Station, Texas — Former range, $1140-$1440 p.a.

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

Previous incumbent, Thomas Broxson — Services to be terminated, about January 31, 1929

Reason, To be transferred to the keepership of Mobile Point Light Station, Ala.

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of birth, June 23, 1890

Remarks:

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

E. S. Rankin.

Secretary, Civil Service District. — Superintendent of Lighthouses

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JAN 30 1929

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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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	
	My duties cover following work. Am in general charge of lighthouse station and have charge of all government property. Have two assistant keepers in summer time and three in winter under my supervision. Answer all correspondence and render all reports:
10%	Correspondence and preparing following reports: Form 65, Keeper's monthly report of light station; Form 66, Monthly fog signal report also monthly of radiobeacon; Report of motor boat operations; Form 30, Keeper's annual property report and receipt; Form 36, Requisition for annual supplies.
25%	Standing watch at night. Have oil vapor light, to look after and revolving lens. This lens is operated by clockwork machinery and mercury float.
25%	Operating and caring for fog signals. Have diaphone fog signal, which consists of two kerosene engines and two air compressors which require continuous watch during foggy or heavy weather. Also have radio fog signal to operate continuously during thick and foggy weather, and, in clear weather four times daily in periods of thirty minutes. This signal requires the upkeep of three kerosene motor generators and 56 storage batteries from which it draws its power.
10%	Taking care of motor launch and going ashore for mail and provisions.
30%	Cleaning, scraping, sealing and painting station.

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.

Joseph J. Olivier
(Signature of Employee)

25. TO THE PREPARING OFFICER: Write your own description of the employee's work. If in describing the work of the position you would cover the same subject matter and use the same language and expressions, indicate your concurrence in the employee's statement and utilize the rest of the space below by giving further and broader information regarding the position, such as the kind and degree of responsibility involved, the ultimate purpose of the work, its place in your organization, its working conditions, etc. If more space is needed, attach a separate sheet. See instructions in Form No. 16.

Cares for third order incandescent oil vapor revolving light. Operates compressed air fog signal. Operates radiobeacon. Station isolated and exposed, reached by boat seven miles from post office.

26. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? Since July 22, 1923

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.

SEP 14 1928, 1928 — E. S. LANPHIER — SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
(Date) (Signature of Preparing Officer) (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 $ 1680 to $ 1980

SEP 14 1928, 1928 — E. S. LANPHIER — SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
(Date) (Signature of head of field office or station) (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 $ 1680, to $ 1980

SEP 20 1928, 1928 — H. B. BOWERMAN — Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.
(Date) (Signature of head of bureau or his representative) (Title)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1928

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. Lt. 156 Sheet No. 8(b)-1h

Space reserved for the use of the Board

1. Olivier (Surname) Joseph (Given name) J. (Initial)

2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouses
4. Field service Lighthouse Service
5. (a) Field station Galveston Jetty Light Station
(b) Subdivision Eighth Lighthouse District
(c) City or town ____ State Texas

6. Pay roll title Light Keeper
7. Customary office title Keeper
8. Present administrative allocation $1620-1980
9. Present gross rate of pay $ 1800
10. Deduction for allowances $ ____
11. Net rate paid in cash $ 1800

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 ____

15. (a) Regular hours of work: From On duty a.m. to station m. (b) How many hours per week excluding unusual or irregular overtime work? 24 hours each day
Summer ____ Winter ____ (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 ____

16. (a) Rate of pay for overtime ____ (b) Amount of overtime pay in last 12 months ____

17. (a) Does the employee in any way direct or supervise other employees? Yes (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering) ____
(c) How many? Two

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.

Luther Pumphrey 8(b)-73
Robert J. LeBlanc 8(b)-88

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.)
Follows regulations, also instructions of Superintendent of Lighthouses

20. What is the name, official position, and sheet number of the employee's immediate superior?
E. S. Lamphier, Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8(a)-1

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	X 8	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	X 3	4	1	2	3	4	(Kind)

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?
Five years previous experience as lighthouse keeper in the district.

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1930 FEB 1 AM 9:37

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
New Orleans, La. January 30, 1930

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Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Finance
Law & Proc.
Chief Clerk
Adm. Assist.
Dep. Comptr.
Commissioner

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Sabine Pass Light Station,
Sabine, Texas

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of January 29 reporting that, on the night of January 28, at 9:30 o'clock, four hunters from Port Arthur tried to cross from the station side of the Pass to Sabine and went adrift in their skiff and landed about a mile southeast of the station; that you went to their assistance taking them to the station where you kept them over night, and that you took them to Sabine next morning in the station launch.

2. This office takes pleasure in commending you for your actions in this matter.

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

(Signed) E. S. Lanphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses

2 copies to Commissioner

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
FEB 1 - 1930

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

W. P. HARMAN
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1929 AUG 7 AM 7:35

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

August 5, 1929

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Mar. Engr.
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Adm. Assist.
Dep. Commr.
Commissioner

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Sabine Pass Light Station,
Sabine, Texas

copy on file. 8/7

1. This office desires to commend Toney Ryan, Second Assistant Keeper, and yourself for recovering the acetylene gas cylinder No. 6487 which was dropped overboard from the station launch and later recovered by Second Assistant Keeper divind and making lines fast to the cylinder.

2. This commendation will be made part of the official records of the Second Assistant Keeper and yourself.

(Signed) E. S. Lanphier

Superintendent of Lighthouses

2 copies to Commissioner

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1930 JUN 30 AM 9:19

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Personnel
Finance
Law & Prop.
Chief Clerk
Adm. Assist.
Dep. Comm.
Commissioner

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA., June 28, 1930

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Sabine Pass Light Station,
Sabine, Texas

R.C.S.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of June 26, 1930, reporting that on the morning of June 25, you and Third Assistant Keeper, Joseph A. Ryan, went to the assistance of the shrimp boat "Isabel" which was aground northwest of the station wharf; that you pulled the boat off the mud flat and towed it into channel.

2. This office takes pleasure in commending you and the Third Assistant Keeper for your actions in this matter.

3. A copy of this letter will be forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses, and this commendation will be made of the official records of yourself and the Third Assistant Keeper.

(Signed) E. S. Lamphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

2 copies to Commissioner

EMF Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C., July 14, 1930.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

W. P. HARMAN.
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1930 SEP 27 AM 9:05

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
September 25, 1930.

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Sabine Pass Light Station,
Sabine, Texas.

Noted 9/27

Reference in file

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 18, 1930, reporting that on the morning of September 17, 1930, with the First Assistant, T. Ryan, and Third Assistant, J. A. Ryan, you went to the assistance of Launch L-787 which had gone aground on Oyster Reef east of #2 beacon due to breaking down of engine.

2. This office takes pleasure in commending you and the First and Third Assistant Keepers for your actions in this matter.

3. Copy of this letter will be forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses and this commendation will be noted on the official records of each keeper concerned.

E. S. Lamphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

2 copies for the Commissioner.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
SEP 27 1930

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for information

W. P. HARMAN
Asst. Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

1934 JAN - 5 - AM 11 - 21

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
January 3, 1934

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Sabine Pass East Jetty Fog Bell

1. Inclosed herewith are two copies of a letter addressed to the Keeper of Sabine Pass Light Station, La.

2. The CO_2 fog bell on the Sabine Pass East Jetty Light has been out of commission since December 21, 1933 (See local Notice to Mariners No. 38), due to the exhaustion of the gas supply. The Keeper reports that he has been unable to land on the structure on account of rough seas since that date. In the opinion of this office, the Keeper has not used due diligence nor has taken sufficient precaution in advance to prevent the exhaustion of the gas supply.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.,
January 10, 1934.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

IGHTHOUSES

1934 JAN 5 AM 11

Enclosure

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
January 3, 1934

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Sabine Pass Light Station,
Sabine, Texas

1. The care of the Sabine Pass East Jetty CO_2 fog signal has not been satisfactory to this office. It is well understood that it is very difficult to make a landing on the East Jetty Light structure, therefore you should have bent every effort towards the proper maintenance of the automatic light and the automatic fog bell on the jetty. Whenever weather conditions were favorable, a landing should have been made without fail, and the CO2 cylinders changed when the opportunity presented itself.

2. From your experience with the exhaustion of the gas supply, hereafter you will connect up the new cylinders at least two weeks in advance of the date which past experience shows the gas supply will be exhausted. If, in your opinion, fully charged cylinders should be connected up a greater length of time than two weeks in advance of the period which the gas supply is supposed to last, such action will be approved.

3. This will be considered a letter of caution to you and a copy of same will be forwarded to the Bureau of Lighthouses for its files.

(Signed) E. S. Langhier

Superintendent of Lighthouses

2 copies to Commissioner

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.,
January 11, 1934.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

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NEW ORLEANS, LA.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

November 27, 1934

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Sabine Pass Lighthouse,
Sabine, Texas

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of November 23, reporting that, on November 19, at 2:30 P.M., Seaplane NC 9378, named "Marion", in command of Captain Whitehead, with one passenger aboard, bound from New York to South America, was forced to land in front of the station dock on account of shortage of gasoline; that you and the assistant keepers got the plane to the dock and transported the men to Sabine so they could secure gasoline in Port Arthur; that they were returned to the plane by you and the assistants, and that the plane left the dock at 6:00 P.M.

2. This office takes pleasure in commending you for your actions in this matter.

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

(Signed) E. S. Lanphier

Superintendent of Lighthouses

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2 copies to Commissioner

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D.C.
December 4, 1934.

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

Chief, Personnel Division.

Eighth District
Sabine Pass
Nov.23rd, 1934

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
New Orleans,
La.

Sir:

1. On Nov. 19th at 2:30 P.M. Seaplane NC 9378 - named Marion in command of Cap't Whithead, with one passenger aboard, bound from New York to South America, was forced to land in front of station dock account shortage of gasoline.

2. Myself and assistants got plane to dock and transported men to Sabine and back so they could secure gasoline for plane from Port Arthur. Plane left dock 6 P.M.

(Signed) J. J. Olivier

Keeper

Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La. (City), January 22 (Date), 19 35

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, Joseph Jules Olivier

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Location, Round Island Light Station, Miss.

Effective, March 1, 1935

Legal residence, Louisiana

Proposed salary, $1440 p.a.

Proposed range, $1440-$1800
$240 quarters

Appropriation, Sals.L.H.Keepers

[1] ~~the second day after confirmation by the Civil Service Commission, if necessary~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Location, Sabins Pass Lighthouse, La.

Former salary, $1620 p.a.

Former range $1620-$1980
$240 quarters

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Louis Buras (Lt.#158) $1500 p.a. / to be

Services terminated, February 28, 1935

Reason, To be transferred

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of birth, June 23, 1890

Remarks: Letter, dated January 18, 1935, from Mr. Olivier, accepting this transfer, is inclosed.

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

E. J. Langlinais
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

January 28, 1935

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved., transfer at reduction being agreeable to the employee.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

Sabine Pass Lighthouse, La.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

January 17, 1935

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
New Orleans, La.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of January 15, in which it is stated that it is expected that there will be a vacancy in the position of Keeper at Round Island Light Station, the pay of which in my case would be $1400 per annum, and inquiring whether I would wish to be considered for this transfer, you are advised that I wish to be considered for this position.

Respectfully,

J. J. Oliver
Keeper

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

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1935 MAR 11 AM 9:19

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
March 8, 1935

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Joseph J. Olivier - Effective date of Change in Pay.

1. Referring to Department letter of February 7, 1935, in the case of Joseph J. Olivier, who was transferred from the position of Keeper of Sabine Pass Light Station, La., with pay at the rate of $1620 per annum, to the position of Keeper of Round Island Light Station, Miss., with pay at the rate of $1440 per annum, effective March 1, 1935, or upon entrance on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of this change in pay is March 1, 1935.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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Secretary of Commerce Department

For the Commissioner,

Chief Personnel Division

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

1935 OCT 10 AM 11:28

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
October 8, 1935

Copy to Dept
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J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Round Island Light Station
Pascagoula, Miss.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of October 5th stating that at midnight on October 1st, the shrimp boat "Sea Raider" got aground on a flat off north end of island; that you went to the assistance of the boat at seven o'clock on the morning of October 2nd, but that you were unable to get to boat on account of low tide, and that you then went out in the skiff but the captain stated that you could not render any assistance. It is noted, also, that the boat was finally pulled off of flat by the Coast Guard at 6:30 o'clock on the evening of the second when tide had again risen.

2. Your action in rendering what assistance you could in this matter is approved by this office, and you are hereby commended for same.

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

(Signed) E. S. Lanphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses

2 copies to Commissioner

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D.C.,
October 11, 1935.

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

Chief, Personnel Division.

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

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEC 5 AM 11 26

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
December 3, 1935

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Round Island Light Station
Pascagoula, Miss.

Copy to Dept. 12-6-35

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of November 30, stating that, on the morning of November 25, a large amount of lumber was found on the island, and that you and the assistant keeper stacked the lumber on high ground to keep it from drifting back into the sound. It is also noted that the gasoline boat "Flapper" came looking for this lumber and that you turned same over to them as it belonged to the Dantzler Lumber Company of Pascagoula, and they will remove it as soon as the tide will enable them to get a barge to the beach.

2. This office takes pleasure in commending you for your action in this case. This commendation will be made part of your official record, and a copy is being forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

E. V. Lanphier.
Superintendent of Lighthouses

2 copies to Commissioner

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.,
December 6, 1935.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division.

Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La. (City) July 25 (Date), 1936

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

JUL 27 8 58 AM '36

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, Joseph Jules Olivier

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Location, Pascagoula River Entrance, etc., Round Island LS, etc., Miss.

Effective, August 1, 1936

Legal residence, Louisiana

Proposed salary, $1560 p.a. + family quarters

Proposed range, $1560-$1920

Appropriation, Sals.L.H.Keepers

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

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Location, Round Island L.S., Miss.

Former salary, $1440 p.a. + family qr

Former range, $1440-$1800

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Himself (Lt.#158) Services terminated, - - -

Reason, - - -

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of Birth: June 23, 1890

Remarks: See accompanying letter

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

E. S. Rauglier
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

August 4, 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, attention being invited to separate letter of this date in the matter of consolidation of these two stations.

W. W. FARNUM
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

Form A-88

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

August 11, 1936.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective upon entrance 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,

[illegible]

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1440 per annum

To: $1560 per annum

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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LIGHTHOUSES

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NEW ORLEANS, LA.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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

September 30, 1936

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

J. J. Olivier - Effective Date of Change in Pay

1. Referring to Department letter of August 11, 1936, in the case of J. J. Olivier, formerly Keeper of Round Island Light Station, Miss., with pay at the rate of $1440 per annum, who was transferred to the keepership of Pascagoula River Entrance Lights, etc., and which was consolidated with Round Island Light Station, with pay at the rate of $1560 per annum, effective upon entrance on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of this change in pay is September 1, 1936.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington

October 3, 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

Administrative Assistant

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
February 3, 1937

LIGHTHOUSE
FEB 5 8 31 AM '37

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Pascagoula River Entrance Lights
Pascagoula, Miss.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of January 29th, reporting that, at 4:30 P.M., January 27th, the two-masted Schooner "F. L. Collier", loaded with oysters, ran aground in making the turn in channel abreast of Beacon #; that you went to the assistance of the boat but you were unable to pull it back into the channel, and that you took the captain up to the plant of the Mexican Canning Company, the owners of the boat, to get assistance in getting boat back into the channel.

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

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

(Signed) E. S. Lappier

Superintendent of Lighthouses

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.,
February 6, 1937.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for information.

2 copies to Commissioner

For the Commissioner:

Chief, Personnel Division.

Copy

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Division of Personnel
Washington

February 6, 1937.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

With reference to the Bureau's promotion list of December 23 involving 87 positions in the field service, the Department withheld approval in the cases of four individuals who received a promotion within the past year, as follows:

Name	Position	District
J. J. Oliver	Keeper	Eighth
J. A. Konkel	Keeper	Twelfth
Daniel J. Lucinski	Asst. Lighthouse Engr.	Fourth
Forrest I. Phippeny	Assoc. Lighthouse Engr.	At Large

By direction of the Secretary:

Edw. J. Gardner
Chief, Division of Personnel

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT

APR 12 8 52 AM '37 NEW ORLEANS, LA.

April 10, 1937.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:-

Biloxi Lighthouse, Mississippi.

1. Referring to the retirement of F. A. Schrieber, Keeper of Biloxi Light Station and Biloxi Channel Lights Nos. 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 16, 36, 42, 48 and 52, Mississippi:

2. After canvassing the situation it has been decided to offer the position to J. J. Olivier, Keeper of Pascagoula River Range Lights, etc., Mississippi. Mr. Olivier has been advised in accordance with copy of letter attached hereto and information is desired as to whether or not his pay would be at the rate of $1560 per annum (in the range $1260-$1620), the present compensation received by him (in the range $1560-$1920).

3. Referring to whether or not the position of Assistant Keeper at Biloxi Light Station and Biloxi Channel Lights should be discontinued, it is believed that the small saving involved, $1320 per annum, less the amount which would be expended for the hire of a laborer, say twice a week, would be so unimportant that it would be to the best interest of the Service not to discontinue the position of Assistant Keeper.

4. In this District it is insisted that all unwatched lights should be patrolled at least twice a week in order that defects might be observed by those in charge and corrected, rather than to await complaints and reports in regard to defects from those outside of the Service. A round trip of 12-1/2 miles is necessary for this purpose.

5. There is also the matter of the amount of the duty required of the Keeper and the Assistant Keeper in showing the tower to visitors. This is constant the year round and it is believed that the employment of one man for these manifold duties would be rather onerous and would be undesirable for anyone to attempt.

6. It is therefore recommended that, if practicable, the Bureau should permit the position of Assistant Keeper to remain and not discontinue same.

7. An early reply is requested to this letter in order that arrangements may be made for the care of the Station on May 1st.

4/14-37
You may have discussed with E. S. [illegible]
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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NEW ORLEANS, LA.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
APR 12 8 52 AM '37
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

April 10, 1937.

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Pascagoula River Entrance Lights,
Pascagoula, Miss.

1. You are advised that there will be a vacancy as Keeper of Biloxi Light Station and Biloxi Channel Lights, 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 16, 36, 42, 48 and 52. The pay of this Station is in the range $1260-$1620.

2. If you desire the position an effort will be made to secure your present pay in the lower range. In other words, recommendation will be made to pay you $1560 per annum. It is not known whether or not this will be approved.

3. At the present time there is an Assistant Keeper for Biloxi Lights and Beacons but consideration is being given to discontinuing the position of Assistant Keeper and only permitting the Keeper to employ a laborer whenever it is necessary for him to change the storage batteries on the minor lights. Ordinary patrolling of the lights will have to be done by the Keeper alone. Advise this office by return mail whether you desire to be considered for this position and whether your acceptance is based on receiving not less than you now receive. In other words, would you decline the position if you were not appointed at your present rate of pay? Would you accept the position if only $1260 per annum were fixed as the compensation for the Keeper?

(Signed) E. S. LANPHIER,

Superintendent of Lighthouses

Copy for information of the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

AIR MAIL

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

LIGHTHOUSES
APR 13 9 02 AM '37

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, April 12, 1937

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Biloxi Lighthouse, Miss.

1. Referring to letter of April 10th relative to filling the vacancy as Keeper of Biloxi Lighthouse, Miss., the Bureau is advised that J. J. Olivier, Keeper of Pascagoula River Entrance Lights, etc., has informed this office that he would not accept the job at a salary less than $125.00 per month, $1500 per annum.

2. In view of Mr. Olivier's reply to letter of April 10th, copy of which was forwarded to the Bureau, it is requested that this office be advised by telegraph as soon as practicable whether or not it will be feasible to transfer Mr. Olivier at his present pay, or at not less than $1500 per annum, in addition to the use of the dwelling.

3. Prompt reply is desired in order that other arrangements may be made in the event that Mr. Olivier is not recommended for transfer.

E. S. LAPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Sent thru to your office today 4/13

This is less than present pay, hence written recommendation by Pers. Div

4/16/37
Wrote 8th

April 16, 1937.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
New Orleans, La.

1. The Bureau has received your letter of April 10, 1937, with regard to personnel at Biloxi Lighthouse, and has noted the retirement of Mr. Schrieber, present keeper.

2. Further consideration has been given to the various conditions set forth with regard to the question of continuance or discontinuance of the assistant keeper position. As this may be somewhat involved with the pay which can be allowed Mr. Olivier whom you have nominated to succeed Mr. Schrieber, it is for full consideration even though the saving involved may appear small.

3. The Bureau finds it necessary to raise the question as to whether the requirement which you mention, that all unwatched lights be patrolled at least twice a week, is or at least ought to be essential to insure reasonably adequate service. Patrols twice a week were doubtless quite essential and fully necessary in connection with kerosene lights, but it would seem that present day automatic electric or gas lights could hardly justify themselves unless they are of sufficient reliability to give adequate service with less frequent patrols, especially in localities where the lights may be seen from shore without great inconvenience. The Bureau suggests, therefore, that you arrange for the present to try the operation of this station with a single keeper, employing additional local labor in connection with patrol and recharging trips three or four times a month.

4. The attendance upon visitors at the station is recognized as a somewhat special local problem on account of the proximity of the station to the roadside and the very considerable amount of tourists passing. It is questioned, however, if the employment of an additional keeper especially to serve this purpose can be considered fully justified, more especially since the entire lighthouse appears to be of a very much reduced importance as a navigational aid than in former years. Would it not be entirely practicable to rather strictly limit the visiting hours in this tower to an amount which would not be onerous to a single keeper or interfere with his other and necessary duties? On the whole it is believed best to try procedure along these lines, as, of course, there always remains the possibility of reauthorization of the position of assistant keeper.

H. D. King
Commissioner of Lighthouses.

HDK:EBF

Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La. (City), April 23 (Date) 19 37

LIGHTHOUSES APR 26 8 42 AM '37
LIGHTHOUSES APR 26 8 42 AM '37

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, Joseph J. Olivier

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Location, Biloxi Light Station, Miss.

Effective, May 1, 1937

Legal residence, Louisiana

Proposed salary, $1500 p.a.

Proposed range, $1260-$1620

Appropriation, Sals.L.H.Keepers

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

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Location, Pascagoula River Ent., Round Island Light Stations, Miss.

Former salary, $1560 p.a.

Former range, $1560-$1920

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Frederick A. Schrieber $1500 p.a. (LT.#170) to be Services terminated, April 30, 1937

Reason, To be retired

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of birth, June 23, 1890

Remarks: Letter, dated April 11, 1937, from Mr. Olivier, accepting this transfer, is inclosed.

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

E. J. Lamphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR 28 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
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NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

C O P Y

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Pascagoula River
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

April 11, 1927

Superintendent Lighthouses

New Orleans

La.

Sir:

1. Referring to your letter of April 10th in regards to vacancy as Keeper of Biloxi Light Station.

2. I will accept above position only at my present rate of pay, or at a salary not less than $125.00 per month.

Respectfully,

(Signed) J. J. Olivier

Keeper

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

WASHINGTON

April 29, 1937

M. Joseph J. Olivier,

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).

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,

E. J. GARDNER

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1560 per annum

To: $1500 per annum

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field

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NEW ORLEANS, LA.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED
LIGHTHOUSES

APR 22 8 AM '37

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
April 20, 1937

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

4/22/37 tel 8th

Biloxi Lighthouse, Miss.

1. Referring to Bureau letter of April 16, 1937, the instructions contained therein as to the discontinuance of the position of assistant keeper will be carried out by this office.

2. Please furnish the information requested in paragraph 2 of letter from this office of April 10, 1937, as to whether or not Mr. Olivier can be transferred as Keeper of Biloxi Lighthouse with pay at the rate of $1560 per annum. This information is necessary in order that an effort may be made to secure a suitable person to be transferred to this position, if Mr. Olivier is not transferred.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Papers attached
See par. 2 of Commis letter of 4/16 to 8th.
In view of 8th's letter of apr. 12 indicating Olivier would accept $1500, appears unnecessary to exceed that figure
Hmst/2r

OK but advise 8th specifically of action taken which was not included in letter of Apr 16, this being written on a different aspect of the question
WSK 4/22

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES

hlm/see LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON D C April 22 1937

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REURLET TWENTIETH YOU MAY SUBMIT NOMINATION TRANSFER JOSEPH J OLLIVER BILOXI FIFTEEN HUNDRED ANNUM

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Via RCA

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
May 28, 1937

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Joseph J. Olivier - Effective Date of Change in Pay.

1. Referring to Department letter of April 29, 1937, in the case of Joseph J. Olivier, who was transferred from the position of Keeper of Pascagoula River Entrance Lights, Round Island L.S., etc., Miss., with pay at the rate of $1560 per annum, to the position of Keeper of Biloxi L.S., etc., Miss., with pay at the rate of $1500 per annum, effective upon entrance on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of this change in pay is May 1, 1937.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES - WASHINGTON

June 3, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

see

March 8, 1939

Superintendent of Lighthouses
New Orleans, Louisiana

In reference to letter from your office dated April 20, 1937, in connection with the transfer of Joseph J. Olivier to the position of principal keeper at Biloxi Light Station, Mississippi, to the effect that the position of assistant keeper at this station would be discontinued pursuant to Bureau letter in the matter dated April 16, 1937:

The Bureau has noted incidentally in connection with an inquiry from Senator Harrison with regard to a position at this station, that while the position of assistant keeper has lapsed since the retirement of the incumbent at the close of July 1937, the position has never been discontinued formally from the records. In order that the matter may be submitted to the Department for the formal discontinuance of this position, recommendation of your office to this effect is requested.

Commissioner of Lighthouses

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U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D MAY 3 1940

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ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75-706

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

1 May, 1940.

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D MAY 3 1940 BY
MEDICAL SECTION

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

Subject: OLIVIER, Joseph J., Keeper, Biloxi Light Station; physical condition.

Reference: (a) Report of Medical Examining Board, 30 April, 1940.

Inclosure: (1) Reference (a).

1. Inclosure (1) is forwarded with the recommendation that a Coast Guard Retiring Board be convened in the case of subject named man.

R. L. JACK

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IN REPLYING, ADDRESS THE

UNITED STATES
PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
U. S. Marine Hospital
New Orleans, Louisiana
April 30, 1940

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U. S. COAST GUARD
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Commander,
U. S. Coast Guard,
Custom House Bldg.,
New Orleans, La.

Sir: Re: Joseph J. Oliver

In compliance with your request of April 12, 1940, you are advised that the above named man reported to the Out-Patient Department, U. S. Marine Hospital, New Orleans, La., for examination. Findings are as follows:

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Abdomen:- Moderately obese, no tenderness, rigidity, or masses. Scar, right lower quadrant.

Extremities:- Left - far advanced varicose veins. Right - early varicosities.

It is our opinion that Joseph J. Oliver is physically unfit to perform his present duties of Light Station Keeper.

By direction of the Medical Officer in Charge.

Respectfully,

S.J. Hall, Surgeon, USPHS
Executive Officer

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New Orleans, Louisiana,
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Executive Officer.

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8 May, 1940.

FILE
C. Le. B.

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

Subject: OLIVIER, Joseph J., Keeper, Biloxi Light Station; physical condition.

Reference: (a) four letter, 1 May, 1940 (75-706) with attached papers.

1. Replying to reference (a), you are advised that civil personnel of the Coast Guard are not considered by Coast Guard retiring boards for retirement on physical disability. In the case of subject-named man, proper Civil Service forms should be executed, reporting on his physical condition, and transmitted to Headquarters for consideration.

By direction.

N. R. STILES,
Chief, Detail Section.

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U. S. COAST GUARD

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ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

NEW ORLEANS, LA.
5 June, 1940

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

Subject: J. J. Olivier, Keeper, Biloxi Light Station.

Reference: (a) Form 9, 28 May, 1940, recommending retirement subject-named man on account of disability.

1. At the time recommendation was submitted on Form 9 for the retirement of subject-named man on account of disability, he could not advise as to what his permanent address would be after his retirement, therefore this information could not be furnished. Letter, dated 1 June, 1940, has been received from Mr. Olivier advising that his address will be: P. O. Box 229, Morgan City, La.

R. L. JACK

OFFICE OF THE CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER

COAST GUARD HEADQUARTERS

Date 10 June, 1940.

Memorandum for— Chief, Personnel Records Section.

Subject: OLIVER, Joseph J., Lighthouse Keeper; physical condition.

Reference: (a) Certificate of medical examination dated 15 May, 1940.

1. Paper returned.

2. Medical evidence contained in reference (a) has been reviewed and found satisfactory. It is recommended that subject-named man be retired for physical disability.

T. LE BLANC,
Chief Pharmacist.

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Form 9626
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
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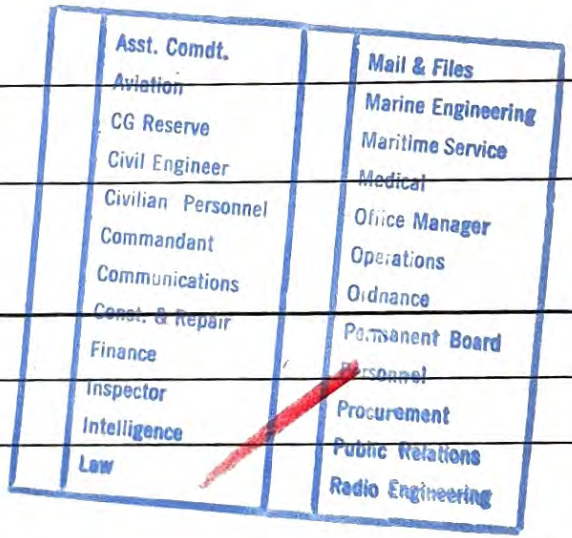
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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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PERSONNEL ACTION

June 12, 1940.

Date Prepared:

Name: Olivier, Joseph J.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Nature of Action: Retirement, Disability, Lighthouse Law of March 4, 1925

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	writ'dick
Grade	Field (Range $1260-1620)	
Salary	$1500 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Subs.	
Bureau	U. S. Coast Guard	
Office	New Orleans, Louisiana	
Unit		
Division		
Section		
Sub-Section	New Orleans, Louisiana	
Headquarters	Biloxi Lt. Sta., Miss.	
Post of Duty	Sal., Kprs. of Lhs., Coast Guard	
Appropriation	x	
Allotment		

EFFECTIVE: Close of June, 1940. FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks:

The annual rate of retired pay is $824.92

BUREAU OR DIVISION NO.

DATE OF BIRTH: 6-23-1890

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Louisiana

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE

NATURE OF POSITION NEW:

ADDITIONAL IDENTICAL

VICE VACANCY:

VICE: /

CIVIL SERVICE AUTHORITY:

DATE OF EFFECT: ~~Lighthouse Act~~

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT 3-4-25

Justification:

Total service: 22 years, 1 month, and 1 day

Computation: ($1494 x years 22.0861 ÷ 40) $824.92.

W. H. DEMEY,
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard,
Assistant Personnel Officer.

DATE APPROVED

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Form 9

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Date May 14, 1940

~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~ Commander

New Orleans District

New Orleans, La.
(City)

I hereby apply for retirement from active duty in the Lighthouse Service effective July 1, 1940, on the basis of service shown hereon.

J. J. Olivier
(Name)

J. J. Olivier
Lighthouse Keeper
(Designation)

OFFICE OF ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~ Commander, New Orleans District

City New Orleans, La. *Date* 28 May, 1940

Submitted to ~~Commissioner of Lighthouses~~ Commandant Washington, D. C., recommending retirement at $~~55.50~~ 24.92 per annum, effective at the close of June 30, 1940

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. L. JACK ~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~

~~Bureau of Lighthouses~~, *Washington, D. C.*,

Submitted to the Secretary of ~~Commerce~~, recommending approval.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

FOR USE OF DEPARTMENT

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Name Joseph Jules Olivier Date of birth June 23, 1890

Designation Lighthouse 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)

	Beginning			Ending			Remarks
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year	
Army							
Navy							
Marine Corps							
Civilian employment				Nov.	3	1920	
Lighthouse Service-Coast Guard	1	18	1918	~~6~~	~~30~~	~~1940~~	
	Feb.	16	1921	June	30	1940	
							(January, 1922)
		2	1				
	(22 yrs.	~~5~~ mos.	~~17~~ das.	- 1 mo. L.W.O.P./to be deducted			
	)			leaving -			
Total service		1	1				
	(22 yrs.	~~4~~ mos.	~~17~~ das.				

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			
Lighthouse Keeper	July	1	1935	June	30	1936		$1440	$1440 ✓
	July	1	1936	Aug.	31	1936		1440	240 ✓
	Sept.	1	1936	Apr.	30	1937		1560	1040 ✓
	May	1	1937	June	30	1937		1500	250 ✓
	July	1	1937	June	30	1938		1500	1500 ✓
	July	1	1938	June	30	1939		1500	1500 ✓
	July	1	1939	June	30	1940		1500	1500 ✓

Total compensation for last five years of active service $7470 ✓

Average compensation for last five years of active service 1494 ✓

Annual rate of retired pay ($ 1494 × years (Not exceeding 30) ~~22-133/360~~ ÷ 40) = $835.50 $824.92

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION, DISABILITY RETIREMENT

(Act of March 4, 1925)

NAME OF CLAIMANT OLIVER, Joseph J. Joseph J. Olivier DESIGNATION Lighthouse Keeper Lighthouse Keeper

Height 70½ Weight 170 pounds. Complexion Fair

Color of eyes Blue Color of hair Light Brown

Here give a complete personal description, together with permanent marks and scars other than those described below in physical examination: Scar 6" long rt. lower abdomen. Scar 4" long inner surface of left knee. Scar 1" in diameter lower 1/3rd left post. thigh (gun shot) Capillary hermangioma extending from left foot to left hip.

Description of duties of position (to be filled in by Superintendent of Lighthouses): Keeper is in charge of Biloxi Light Station and ten electric minor lights in Biloxi Channel, requiring trips by motor boat for servicing. Biloxi Lighthouse is 61 feet high, and the light is reached by spiral stairs in tower. Biloxi Channel electric minor lights have battery houses 16 feet above water on platforms on which are mounted pyramidal structures with lanterns 35 feet above water. The keeper is required to climb to battery house deck and raise and lower batteries for light; also to renew electric lamps in lanterns. He has to operate an engine generator in the event of power failure, and has to keep storage batteries for minor lights charged with charging facilities at station, and to carry storage batteries to and from battery charging house to boathouse, a distance of approximately 500 feet.

Claimant makes the following statement in regard to the origin, nature, and extent of the alleged disability: Shortness of breath for 2 yrs. Pains precordial for 6 months. Varicose veins of left leg 22 yrs., Rt. leg 6 months. Pain in region of kidneys since 1926.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

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

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

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. 7 at 13 inches, without correction.

Reads Jaeger No. 4 at 13 inches, with correction.

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

Inspection Normal

Pupils Normal Pupillary reaction Normal

Hearing: Whispered voice (unaccentuated) heard with R. E. at 20 ft., L. E. at 20 ft.

Appearance of right drum Normal, left drum Normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? None If so, specify

[OVER]

Condition of nose and sinuses Septum deviated to right

Condition of mouth and throat, including tonsils and teeth Tonsils small
Teeth: All teeth missing and replaced by artificial dentures

Bones, joints, muscles, including atrophies Normal - No atrophies
(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 96 (2) After exercise 136 (3) 2 minutes after exercise 100

(c) Blood pressure: (1) Sitting—Syst. 140 Diast. 84 (2) After ex.—Syst. 170 Diast. 96

(d) Condition of blood vessels Far advanced varicose veins of left leg & thigh. Rt. leg early varicosities

Evidence of thyroid or other endocrine disturbance None

Abdomen and gastro-intestinal system, including hernia No hernia - Abdomen- No masses. No tenderness. Scar 6" long rt. lower abdomen.

Genito-urinary system:

Urinalysis—Sp. gr. 1011 Reaction Acid Albumin Heavy trace Sugar None

Sediment microscopic (required when albumin or sugar is found) Casts: 1 to 4 finely granular, cellular and coarsely granular casts are present per LPF. Pus: Occasional cell.

Reflexes, motor disturbances, etc.:

(a) Station Normal (e) Gait Normal

(b) Tremor None (f) Coordination Normal

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

(d) Other motor disturbances None

Alcohol No Drugs No Syphilis No Epilepsy No

Other neurological findings None

General impression Is not physically fit for duty as Lighthouse Tender.

Here describe fully nature of disability: Hypertension - Severe varicose veins of left leg & thigh. Heavy trace of albumin in urine. EKG reports myocarditis, chr.
X-ray findings of chest: Heart and aorta: Chest negative. Aorta slightly widened. Heart slightly enlarged possibly because of increased blood pressure. Cardiac measurements: A 6.5. R.A. 4.9; L.V. 10.2, total 15.1. Chest 29.3.
EKG: Auricular 73; Ventricular 73; Rhythm Regular; Intervals: P-R .20; Q-R-S .08; Graphic interpretation: Slight slurring R-1,2; R-3, low, slurred; Low T-1,3. Leav IV-not abnormal
Clinical conclusions: Electrocardiogram suggests some myocardial change.

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

U.S.Marine Hospital, New Orleans, La.
(Place of examination)

H. V. Stroupe
(Examining surgeon)

May 15th, 1940
(Date)

P.A.Surgeon (R) USPHS.
(Title and branch of medical service)

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DEPARTMENT FORM 208

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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PERSONNEL ACTION

Date Prepared: June 12, 1940.

Name: Olivier, Joseph J.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Nature of Action: Retirement, Disability, Lighthouse Law of March 4, 1925

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	
Grade	Field (Range $1260-1620)	
Salary	$1500 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Wtrs.	
Bureau	U. S. Coast Guard	
Office	New Orleans, Louisiana	
Unit		
Division		
Section		
Sub-Section		
Headquarters	New Orleans, Louisiana	
Post of Duty	Biloxi La. Sta., Miss.	
Appropriation	Sal., Expns. of Lhs., Coast Guard	
Allotment		

EFFECTIVE: Close 30 June, 1940. ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks:

The annual rate of retired pay is $824.92

BUREAU OR DIVISION NO.

DATE OF BIRTH: 6-23-1890

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Louisiana

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE: No

NATURE OF POSITION NEW:

ADDITIONAL IDENTICAL

VICE VACANCY:

VICE:

CIVIL SERVICE AUTHORITY:

DATE OF EFFECT:

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT: Lighthouse Act 3-4-25

Justification:

Total service: 22 years, 1 month, and 1 day

Computation: ($1494 x years 22.0861 ÷ 40) $824.92.

DATE APPROVED 6-13-40

BUREAU OR DIVISION PERSONNEL FILES

DATE

ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. 75

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

NEW ORLEANS, LA.
18 June, 1940

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D JUN 20 1940

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

Subject: J. J. Olivier, Keeper, Biloxi Light Station, retirement for disability,

Reference: (a) Form 9, dated 14 May, 1940.

1. Headquarters is informed that subject man has advised this office that, subsequent to his retirement, his address will be 1100 - 4th Street, Morgan City, La.

R. L. JACK

Form 78
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REPORT OF DAMAGE TO PROPERTY OR INJURY TO PERSONS

U. S. COAST GUARD 1
REC'D JUL 1 1939
ANS. 4063-8

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., June 28, 1939

Name of vessel, station, or other aid to navigation involved: - - - -

Date of accident: May 15, 1939

Nature and cause of accident: While cranking Westinghouse engine generator, engine backfired and crank hit hand.

Estimated cost of damage { to property of the Department: $ - - - -
to private property: $ - - - -

What steps have been taken to recover cost of damage to Department property?- - - -

Where accidents result in injury to, or death of, any employees, or others, furnish following information for each person injured:

NAME	OFFICIAL TITLE, IF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE	NATURE OF INJURY	HAS WORK TIME BEEN LOST BY EMPLOYEE
Joseph J. Olivier	Keeper, Biloxi L.S., Miss.	Bruised and excoriated back of middle and ring fingers, left hand	No time lost

Reports will be duly submitted to the Employees' Compensation Commission in case any medical or other charges are involved under the Employees' Compensation Act.

Remarks or recommendations:

S. Ammen
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Date .....

Submitted, in duplicate, to the Secretary of Commerce, for his information.

For the Commissioner.

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P-75

6 July, 1940

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

Subject: Retirement of Joseph J. Olivier, keeper, at close of 30 June, 1940.

Inclosure: 1. Form 2249, Department Notice of Retirement.

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 as to the pay roll (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.

By direction,

N. R. STILES,
Assistant Personnel Officer.

MAIL
JUL 8 1940
MAIL

E.M.K. PSTOR

To Mr. Webb
Room 436

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ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER, NEW [redacted]LEANS DISTRICT
AND REFER TO No. CP-75

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

NEW ORLEANS, LA.

OFFICE OF COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT

11 July, 1940

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D JUL 15 1940

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

Subject: Retirement of Joseph J.Olivier, Keeper, at close of 30 June,1940.

Reference: (a) Headquarters letter 6 July, 1940 (CP-75).

1. In compliance with second paragraph of reference (a), Headquarters is advised that the subject man was last paid for active duty, on payroll voucher No.14-99970 (27816) for the full month of June, 1940, in the amount of $125.00 net. Disbursing Officer, G.F.Allen, symbol 101-114.

J.L. Ahern
J.L. AHERN

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

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D JUL 15 1940

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

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

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT	New Orleans, La.	11 July, 1940
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

Retired for physical disability effective at close of 30 June, 1940.

Position Held: Keeper, Biloxi Light Station, Biloxi, Miss.

Annual Salary: $1500.

AUTHORITY: Department notice 6-15-40

Ley Awalt
(Commanding)
T. Y. AWALT, Lt.Comdr.
Commander, New Orleans District
By direction:
(Title)

SPACE BELOW IS FOR HEADQUARTERS' USE ONLY

LAW	PERSONNEL RECORDS		
	STATISTICS	CORRESPONDENCE	RECORDS

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STANDARD FORM NO. 6
(Approved by the President 6/8/24)
Revised Dec. 3, 1929

No file

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Coast Guard - Lighthouse Service

Department or Establishment (Biloxi Light Sta., Miss., Keeper) **Date** March 12-1940

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Olivier Joseph Jules
(Surname) (Given name) (Middle name)
2. Present address 1036 West Beach, Biloxi Mississippi
(Number) (Street) (City) (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Louisiana 3rd St. Mary Parish Morgan City La.
(State and Congressional District) (County) (City or town)
4. Where born Morgan City Louisiana. When born June 23rd 1890
(State or foreign country) (City or town) (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 Wife 35 - Mother in Law part time √3.
8. A complete record of your past service for the United States Government other than military or naval:

BRANCH OF SERVICE	PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
				Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
Light House	Ship Shoal	Laborer	$45.00	Jan	18	1918	Apr	15	1918
"	"	1st Asst Keeper	$60	Apr	15	1918	Dec	4th	1920
"	Point Au Fere	2nd Asst Keeper	$93.75	Feb	16	1921	July	21	1923

Branch of Service — Place Employment — Position — Salary — Date appointed — Date Separated
Light House — Round Island — Keeper — 1440 — Mar 1 - 1935 — Left 30-193
" — Biloxi — Keeper — 1500 — May 1 1937 — Still on duty

	Department or office	
	Position Department or office	
	Position Department or office	

10. Do you now hold any State or municipal office? If so, state below:
None.
(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)
11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?
No
(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)
12. Military and naval record. If any, check (√) to indicate branch and other information, and give dates of enlistment and discharge:

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

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

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

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	Galveston Jetty	Keeper	$1020.00 Pa $1800.00 An	July	22	1923	Jan	22	1929
	Ballast Point	1st Asst	1260.00 Ann	Jan	23	1929	Feb	14	1929
	Balone Pass	Keeper	1560.00 Ann	Feb	15	1929	Feb	28	1935

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

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

10. Do you now hold any State or municipal office? If so, state below:
None.
(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)
11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?
No
(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)
12. Military and naval record. If any, check (√) to indicate branch and other information, and give dates of enlistment and discharge:

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

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

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

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

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
Southern Pacific Railroad Lafayette La.	Clerk & Ticket agent	Oct 1907 - Jan 1910
Western Union Telegraph Co. Dallas Texas.	Time Keeper. Construction gang.	Aug 1916 to March 1917.

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 Joseph J Olivier

Relationship Wife Post office address 1036 West Beach Biloxi Miss

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

Joseph J Olivier

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

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Copy of this form not furnished the Department.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

FILE M.R.S.

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Morgan City La.

June 29. 1942.

Chief Audit & Payroll Section,
U.S. Coast Guard
Washington D.C.

JUN 30 1942 FILE M.R.S.

Sir:

1- Am enclosing pay roll card with air mail & special delivery stamp to be placed on my paycheck envelope.

2 I am making this request so I will get my check before I leave town on July 7th.

Yours truly
Joseph J Olivier
Keeper R & T
708 Barrow Street
Morgan City
Louisiana

Special mailed JUN 30 1942

Form 93

3 - 2 File JUL 20 1944

NOTICE OF ~~RESIGNATION OR~~ DEATH

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Office of
District Coast Guard Officer
Eighth Naval District

New Orleans, La.
17 July, 1944

Commandant:

Herewith is transmitted the notice of death of the following-named employee:

Name Joseph J. Olivier

Position Lighthouse Keeper (retired)

Legal residence Louisiana

Station Biloxi Light Station, Miss,

Salary $824.92 per annum, retired pay

Date of Death - July 11, 1944, 8:30 P.M.

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of - - - - - .

This employee has - - taken leave in excess of the accrued rate.

REMARKS:

copy to Miss Hopkins 7-24-44.

W. K. SCAMMELL, CAPTAIN, USCG
DCGO

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the _____ approved.

NEW ORLEANS DISTRICT
U.S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA.
JUL 15 7 54 AM '44

Morgan City, La.,
July 14th 1944.,

District Coast Guard Office,
8th Naval District,
New Orleans, Louisiana

Gentlemen:

Biloxi Miss

I hereby wish to advise you that my husband Joseph J. Olivier, former lighthouse keeper, Galveston Jetty Lighthouse, retired, died on July 11th 1944. 8:30 P.M.

Yours very truly,

Mrs Gracie B. Olivier

Mrs. Gracie B. Olivier

Morgan City, La.,
July 14th 1944.

District Coast Guard Office,
8th Naval District,
New Orleans, Louisiana

Gentlemen:

I hereby with to advise you that my husband Joseph J. Olivier, former lighthouse keeper, Biloxi, Miss., retired, died on July 11th 1944, 8:30 P.M.

Yours very truly

(Signed) Mrs. Gracie B. Olivier

Mrs. Gracie B. Olivier

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Civilian Personnel

Name: Joseph J. Olivier, Keeper, Retired, Deceased.

Address: 508 Barrow Street
Morgan City, La.

Pay Rate: $68.74
Tax .40
68.34

Died: 7-11-44

(Retired from Biloxi Lt. Sta., Miss.)

CG-75 (PMM)

24 August, 1944

Mrs. Grace J. Olivier
508 Barrow Street
Morgan City, Louisiana

My dear Mrs. Olivier:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of 18 August, 1944 inclosing funeral bill and duplicate copy of Form No. 1055, claim for final pay due the estate of your husband, Keeper Joseph Joaquin Olivier, United States Coast Guard Retired.

The funeral bill is herewith returned inasmuch as it has not been receipted. It is requested that you have this funeral bill receipted by the undertaker and return same to Coast Guard Headquarters.

It is also requested that you forward the original of the Form No. 1055, together with receipted funeral bill, and upon receipt of these forms your claim for the final pay will be approved for settlement.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

J. S. HUNT
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard Reserve
Chief, Military Morale Division

Incl.
Funeral bill

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CG-75 (PMM)

File E.M.01

FILE U. S. G.

29 July, 1944

Mrs. Joseph J. Olivier
508 Barrow Street
Morgan City, Louisiana

My dear Mrs. Olivier:

Headquarters acknowledges receipt of your notification advising of the death of your husband, Joseph Joaquin Olivier, Keeper, former Light-house Service, now United States Coast Guard, Retired. Please accept my sincere sympathy.

At the time of death there was due the estate of your husband final pay in the amount of $25.20. This retired pay ceases at death and there is no law providing for the continuance of any part to dependents. The forms necessary to effect settlement of this final pay are herewith inclosed.

If there will be no legal representative to administer the estate, the next of kin or the person who paid, or will pay the funeral and burial expenses should execute the inclosed Form No. 1055, claim for final pay, in the presence of two witnesses and a notary public, taking care to answer all questions as checked by pencil mark. If a representative is appointed a copy of the Court Order showing the appointment should be attached to Form No. 1055. If the funeral expenses have been paid, a bill receipted by the undertaker who conducted the services should be forwarded. Otherwise, the undertaker should sign the inclosed waiver form. This information is necessary to support the claim for the final retired pay.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

J. S. HUNT
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard Reserve
Chief, Military Morale Division

Incls.
1 - Form No. 1055 (2)
2 - Waiver

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U. S. COAST GUARD
MAIL SECTION (1)
MAILED JUL 31 1944

Form 39 A

File 3-V

CERTIFICATE OF SETTLEMENT

GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE

D. O. Vou. No. 42565

PAID BY
O. F. McCLOW
S. D. A.
(Navy)
Symbol No. 55-040

Claim No. 3414122 WASHINGTON 25, January 11, 1945 (Date)

Joseph J. Olivier

Grace J. Olivier, as widow of Joseph J. Olivier,
deceased,
506 Barrow Street,
Morgan City,
Louisiana.

CERTIFICATE No.
0920113
Paying Officer will please show this CERTIFICATE NUMBER on the check used in payment hereof, and insert the check number in space provided below.

I CERTIFY there is due from the United States to the above-named claimant(s), payable from the appropriation(s) indicated, the sum of—

TWENTY-FIVE AND 20/100 Dollars ($ 25.20)

on account of

retired pay due Joseph J. Olivier, deceased, as Keeper, former Lighthouse Service now United States Coast Guard, during the period July 1 to 11, 1944. (U. S. Coast Guard, PHM, CG-75)

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1750910 Retired Pay, Former Lighthouse Service, Coast Guard, 1945

To: Disbursing Officer,
Coast Guard Headquarters.

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MEMORANDUM

255586 22 JAN 1945 $25.20

Copy for Administrative Office

16—23452-1 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

Chief, Military Morale Division

Form 39 A

File 3-2

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MEMORANDUM

22 JAN 1945 $25.20

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Copy for Administrative Office

16—23452-1 U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

Chief, Military Morale Division

Joseph J. Olivier, Keeper, Retired, Deceased — Retired
(Name)

508 Barrow Street
Morgan City, Louisiana
(Address)

(Designation), U. S. Coast Guard

(19)

Pay period, daily or grade — Monthly rate of pay $68.74 (Base and longevity)

For pay and allowances— From 7-1, 1944 to 7-11, 1944 (Inclusive)

CREDITS:		NOTATIONS
Subsistence allowance $		
Rental or quarters allowance		
Pay	25.20	
Balance forwarded from (Name of unit, noting month of roll or voucher)		
Sundry credits and adjustments		
TOTAL CREDITS $	25.20	

CHARGES:		
Allotment $		
Clothing		
Forfeited		
Sundry charges and adjustments		
TOTAL CHARGES $	None	

		NOTATIONS
Total Credits $	25.20	
Less—Total Charges, $		
Amt. retained		
TOTAL $	None	
Net amount to be paid on this voucher $	25.20	

REMARKS: Died: 7-11-44. Last paid for period 1-30 June, 1944 on D. O. Vou. No. 664, settled in the June 1944 account of C. L. Herndon, S.D.A., Navy, Symbol 55-152.

(Additional statements by Department if deemed necessary)

(ACCOUNTING CLASSIFICATION)

05 1-97
~~21-125~~ 129
~~1200~~ 12009

(Payee will NOT use this space)

Differences

Account verified; correct for $ 25.20

(Signature or initials) [illegible]

I certify that the foregoing account is true and correct and that payment therefor has not been received; that during the period for which rental allowance is claimed I was not assigned adequate quarters at my permanent station; that, if without dependents, I was not on field or sea duty during the period for which rental allowance is claimed; that, if with dependents, I did not occupy with them any public quarters assigned to me without charge at any station, nor did any of them occupy public quarters assigned to them or to any other officer or his dependents except for brief visits; that the increased allowances for dependents are claimed because of _____ (Here state whether lawful wife, unmarried child or children under 21 years, mother dependent upon officer for support, giving names and addresses of dependents, also ages of minor children)

and that, in case of dependent mother, I have contributed to her support during the current period for which allowances are claimed the sum of $_____, in cash or its equivalent, without any consideration in return, which contribution is her *chief support*, and each and every statement as set forth in her affidavit dated _____, 19____ {attached hereto / filed with voucher} for _____ (Month), 19____ is true and correct, and so remains at this time, except

(Here state fully changes occurring between date of last affidavit and signing of this voucher)

8 August, 1944 (MEMORANDUM—DO NOT SIGN) Joseph J. Olivier, Keeper, Retired, Deceased.
(Date) (Name) (Official designation)

I certify that I have examined the foregoing account; that the statements contained therein have been compared with the records of the United States Coast Guard and found correct except as otherwise indicated; that the officer named is entitled to the amount of pay and allowances herein approved; and that during the period for which rental allowance is claimed on this voucher, the above-named officer was not assigned adequate quarters at his permanent station.

Approved for 25.20

(MEMORANDUM—DO NOT SIGN) _____
Commanding, District Commander.

Date 29 September, 1944

J. S. HUNT, Commander, USCGR
Chief, Military Morale Division

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—895a

(Bureau or office)

2 JAN 1945
(Date paid)

...reing Officer, Coast Guard Headquarters, Washington, D. C.

Period January 1945
(Month or quarter ended)

Bureau Schedule No. 204646

Symbol No. 55-040

Date January 18, 1945

DISBURSING OFFICER'S VOUCHER NO.	CERTIFICATE NO.	PAYEE	APPROPRIATION	AMOUNT
12565	0920119	Grace J. Olivier, etc.	1750910	25.20

The Certificates of Settlement listed hereon, payable from current appropriations, are transmitted herewith for payment to the payees named therein.

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...ance, Military Morale Division

29 September, 1944

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File
E.M.O.

Mrs. Grace J. Olivier
508 Barrow Street
Morgan City, Louisiana

My dear Mrs. Olivier:

Your claim for the final pay due the estate of your husband, Joseph Joaquin Olivier, Keeper, former Lighthouse Service, now United States Coast Guard, Retired, has been approved for payment by this office and forwarded to the General Accounting Office for settlement.

As the Coast Guard has no further jurisdiction in the settlement of this claim, it is suggested that in event of undue delay you contact the Claims Division, General Accounting Office, Washington, D. C.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

J. S. HUNT
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard Reserve
Chief, Military Morale Division

Incl
Statement of Income Tax

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29 September, 1944

File
E.M.O.

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General Accounting Office
Claims Division
Washington, D. C.

Sirs:

Inclosed is the claim of Mrs. Grace J. Olivier claiming the final pay due the estate of her husband, Joseph Joaquin Olivier, Keeper, former Lighthouse Service, now United States Coast Guard, Retired, who died 11 July, 1944, at Morgan City, Louisiana, as the result of natural causes.

This claim in the amount of $25.20 has been examined and is approved for payment. The appropriation to be charged is 1750910 Retired Pay, Former Lighthouse Service, Coast Guard, 1945.

Funeral Expenses in the amount of $267.50 have been paid as per attached receipted bill.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

J. S. HUNT
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard Reserve
Chief, Military Morale Division

Incls.
1 - Form No. 1055
2 - Receipted funeral bill

U. S. COAST GUARD
MAIL SECTION (3)
MAILED OCT 2 _ 1944

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 3246

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date: June 12, 1940.

Name: Olivier, Joseph J.

From: U. S. Coast Guard
(BUREAU OR OFFICE)

Nature of Recommendation

Retirement, Disability, Lighthouse Law of March 4, 1925

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	
Grade	Field (Range $1260-1620)	
Salary	$1500 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.	
Bureau	U. S. Coast Guard	
Office	New Orleans, Louisiana	
Unit		
Division		
Section		
Sub-Section		
Headquarters	New Orleans, Louisiana	
Post of Duty	Biloxi Lt. Sta., Miss.	
Appropriation	Sal., Kprs. of Lhs.,Coast Guard	
Allotment		

EFFECTIVE: FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Close 30 June, 1940.

Remarks:

The annual rate of retired pay is $824.92

BUREAU OR DIVISION NO.

DATE OF BIRTH: 6-23-1890

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Louisiana

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE: No

NATURE OF POSITION NEW:

ADDITIONAL IDENTICAL

VICE VACANCY:

VICE:

CIVIL SERVICE AUTHORITY:

DATE OF EFFECT:

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT: Lighthouse Act 3-4-25

Justification:

Total service: 22 years, 1 month, and 1 day

Computation: ($1494 x years 22.0861 ÷ 40) $824.92.

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

W. N. DERBY,
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard,
Assistant Personnel Officer.
Bureau or Division Head

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL, TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY

JUL 5 1940

DATE

U. S. COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA
MAY 27 9 04 AM '40

Form 9a

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

U. S. COAST GUARD
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MEDICAL SECTION

CERTIFICATE OF MEDICAL EXAMINATION, DISABILITY RETIREMENT

(Act of March 4, 1925)

NAME OF CLAIMANT Oliver, Joseph J. Born 6/23/1890 DESIGNATION Light House Keeper New Orleans Dist

Height 70½ Weight 170 pounds. Complexion Fair

Color of eyes Blue Color of hair Light Brown

Here give a complete personal description, together with permanent marks and scars other than those described below in physical examination: Scar 6" long Rt Lower abdomen - Scar 4" long Inner surface of Left Knee Scar 1" in diameter Lower ⅓ Left Front thigh (Bullet) Capillary Hemangioma extending from Left Foot to Left Hip

Description of duties of position (to be filled in by Superintendent of Lighthouses): Keeper is in charge of Biloxi Light Station and ten electric minor lights in Biloxi Channel, requiring trips by motor boat for servicing. Biloxi Lighthouse is 61 feet high, and the light is reached by spiral stairs in tower. Biloxi Channel electric minor lights have battery houses 16 feet above water on platforms on which are mounted pyramidal structures with lanterns 35 feet above water. The keeper is required to climb to battery house deck and raise and lower batteries for light; also to renew electric lamps in lanterns. He has to operate an engine generator in the event of power failure, and has to keep storage batteries for minor lights charged with charging facilities at station, and to carry storage batteries to and from battery charging house to boathouse, a distance of approximately 500 feet.

Claimant makes the following statement in regard to the origin, nature, and extent of the alleged disability: Shortness of breath for 2 yrs. Pains Precordial for 6 months. Varicose veins of Left Leg 22 yrs. Rt Leg 6 months - Pain in Region of Kidneys Since 1926

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

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

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

Accommodation: Reads Jaeger No. 7 at 13 inches, without correction.

Reads Jaeger No. 4 at 13 inches, with correction.

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

Inspection Normal

Pupils Normal Pupillary reaction Normal

Hearing: Whispered voice (unaccentuated) heard with R. E. at 20 ft., L. E. at 20 ft.

Appearance of right drum Normal, left drum Normal

Is there any disease of the middle or internal ear or mastoid? Now If so, specify

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Condition of nose and sinuses Septum deviated to right

Condition of mouth and throat, including tonsils and teeth Tonsils small

Teeth:- All teeth missing and replaced by artificial dentures (CSS ACN)

Bones, joints, muscles, including atrophies normal - No atrophies

(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 96 (2) After exercise 136 (3) 2 minutes after exercise 100

(c) Blood pressure: (1) Sitting—Syst. 140 Diast. 84 (2) After ex.—Syst. 170 Diast. 96

(d) Condition of blood vessels For advanced Varicose Veins of Left Leg & Thigh Rt leg early varicosities

Evidence of thyroid or other endocrine disturbance None

Abdomen and gastro-intestinal system, including hernia No hernia - abdomen - No masses - no tenderness. Scar 6" along rt lower abdomen

Genito-urinary system:

Urinalysis—Sp. gr. 1011 Reaction Acid Albumin Heavy trace Sugar None

Sediment microscopic (required when albumin or sugar is found) Casts: 1 to 4 finely granular, cellular and coarsely granular casts are present per LPF. Pus: Occasional cell.

Reflexes, motor disturbances, etc.:

(g) Station normal (e) Gait normal

(b) Tremor None (f) Coordination normal

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

(d) Other motor disturbances None

Alcohol No Drugs No Syphilis No Epilepsy No

Other neurological findings None

General impression Is not physically fit for duty as Lighthouse Tender.

Here describe fully nature of disability: Hypertension - Severe Varicose Veins of left leg & thigh - Heavy trace of albumin in urine - E K G reports myocardial chg.

X-ray findings of chest: Heart and aorta: Chest negative. Aorta slightly widened. Heart slightly enlarged possibly because of increased blood pressure. Cardiac measurements: A 6.5. R.A. 4.9; L.V. 10.2, total 15.1. Chest 29.3.

EKG: Auricular 73; Ventricular 73; Rhythm Regular; Intervals: P-R .20; Q-R-S .08; Graphic Interpretation: Slight slurring R-1,2; R-3, low, slurred; Low T-1,3. Lead IV-not abnormal.

Is disability to perform duty of a permanent character? Yes (See below.)

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

U.S. Marine Hospital, New Orleans, La. (Place of examination)

H. W. Stroupe (Examining surgeon)

May 15th, 1940 (Date)

P.A. Surgeon (R) USPHS (Title and branch of medical service)

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Note: Clinical conclusions: Electrocardiogram suggests some myocardial change.

Form 9

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

U.S. COAST GUARD (3)
RECD MAY 31 1940
ANSD

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Date May 14, 1940

Commander
~~Superintendent of Lighthouses~~,

New Orleans District

New Orleans, La.
(City)

I hereby apply for retirement from active duty in the Lighthouse Service effective July 1, 1940, on the basis of service shown hereon.

J. J. Olivier
(Name)

J. J. Olivier
Lighthouse Keeper
(Designation)

OFFICE OF Commander, New Orleans District

City New Orleans, La. *Date* 28 May, 1940

Submitted to ~~Commissioner of Lighthouses~~ Commandant, Washington, D. C., recommending retirement at $~~835.50~~ 24.92 per annum, effective at the close of June 30, 1940.

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. L. JACK

~~Washington~~, *Washington, D. C.*,

Submitted to the Secretary of ~~Commerce~~, recommending approval.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

FOR USE OF DEPARTMENT

11—10551

Form 9

~~TREASURY DEPARTMENT~~
~~DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE~~
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
~~LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE~~

RETIREMENT UNDER ACT OF JUNE 20, 1918, AS AMENDED

(In case of disability retirement, execute medical certificate on Form 9a)

Name Joseph Jules Olivier Date of birth June 23, 1890

Designation Lighthouse 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)

	Beginning			Ending			Remarks
	Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year	
Army							
Navy							
Marine Corps							
Civilian employment				Nov.	3	1920	
Lighthouse Service-Coast Guard	1	18	1918	~~6~~	~~30~~	~~1940~~	
	Feb.	16	1921	June	30	1940	(Hf)
							(January, 1922)
	(22 yrs.	~~5~~ 2 mos.	~~13~~ 1 das.	- 1 mo.			L.W.O.P./to be deducted
	)			leaving -			
Total service	(22 yrs.	~~4~~ mos.	~~13~~ das.				

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			
Lighthouse Keeper	July	1	1935	June	30	1936		$1440	$1440
	July	1	1936	Aug.	31	1936		1440	240
	Sept.	1	1936	Apr.	30	1937		1560	1040
	May	1	1937	June	30	1937		1500	250
	July	1	1937	June	30	1938		1500	1500
	July	1	1938	June	30	1939		1500	1500
	July	1	1939	June	30	1940		1500	1500

Total compensation for last five years of active service $7470

Average compensation for last five years of active service 1494

Annual rate of retired pay ($ 1494 22-1331/360 × years (Not exceeding 30) ÷ 40) = ~~$835.50~~ 24.92

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APPLICANT OR EMPLOYEE MUST FILL THE FOLLOWING

Name (in full) Joseph Jules Olivier Sex Male.

Present address 1036 West Beach Biloxi Date of birth June 23rd 1890

Give below all places of residence during the past FIVE years

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INVESTIGATIONS

From-- (Month and year)	To-- Month and year)	Number and Street	City and State
Feb 16-1929.	Feb 16-1935	Sabine Pass Lighthouse	Sabine Texas.
Feb 16-1935	Sept 1-1936	Round Island Light	Pascagoula Miss
Sept-1936	May 4-1937	Pascagoula Range Lights	Pascagoula Miss
May 4-1937	Present Time	1036 West Beach (Blo Light)	Biloxi Miss

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? No Where?

When? 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

Joseph J. Olivier
Customary payroll signature of employee

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 3 day of Oct 1939

R. K. Worthington Jr
Notary Public

My commission expires

NOTARY PUBLIC, IN AND FOR
HARRISON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
My Commission Expires Aug. 5-1942

July 1, 1939. Lighthouse Districts No. Eighth

consolidated with New Orleans Coast Guard District,

Headquarters New Orleans, Louisiana

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

Joseph F. Cleiner (Name) — La [redacted] (Legal Residence)

STATUS

See file in C.T.S.

11—8940

DESIGNATION	ACTION	SALARY	BUREAU—SERVICE—STATION	DATE OF EFFECT
Laborer.	Temp. pend=ing Certif for asst Kpr	$ 456	L.H. Ship Shoal L.S. La.	Jan 18/18
	LAST DAY OF SERVICE April 19, 1918.			
1st Asst Kpr.	Prob.	$ 660	L.H. Ship Shoal L.S. La	Apr 20/18
Keeper	Promo	900	" " " "	Nov 1/18
"	Chg. in pay	1080	"	Jan 10/20
	RESIGNED CLOSE OF November 3, 1920.			
"	Pend. reinstatement.	720	L.H. Port Au Fer. Reef " "	Feb 16/21.
"	LAST DAY OF SERVICE February 17, 1921.			
"	Reinstatement	720	L.H.	Feb 18/21
"	Trans	1020	" Galveston Jetty L.S. Texas	July 22/22
"	Read. pay	1260	" " " " "	July 1/24
"	"	1560	" " " " "	Feb 1/25
	(See apl 7 as File Observer C.T.S. in file) SERVICES DISCONTINUED Close Nov. 30. 1926.			
"	Incr. comp	1620	L.H. Galveston Jetty L.S. Texas	July 1/25
"	Promo	1680	" " " "	Mar 19/26
"		1740	" " " "	
"	COMPENSATION Act. May 28, 1928.	1800	" " " "	JUL 1 1928
Keeper	Transfer	1260	L.H. Bolivar Point L.S. Tex.	Jan. 25, 1929 4/23/29
"	Transfer	1560	" - Sabine Pass L.S.	Feb. 16, 1929.
"	COMPENSATION Act. July 3, 1930	1620	" "	JUL 3 1930
"	Transfer	1440	" Round Island L.S.	3-1-35
"	Consolidation of Stations	1560	" Pascagoula River + Round Island L.S. etc	7-1-36
"	Transfer	1500	" Biloxi Lt. Sta.	5-1-37

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 4 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

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CHIEF CLERK

LIGHTHOUSES
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
May 28, 1937

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Joseph J. Olivier - Effective Date of Change in Pay.

1. Referring to Department letter of April 29, 1937, in the case of Joseph J. Olivier, who was transferred from the position of Keeper of Pascagoula River Entrance Lights, Round Island L.S., etc., Miss., with pay at the rate of $1560 per annum, to the position of Keeper of Biloxi L.S., etc., Miss., with pay at the rate of $1500 per annum, effective upon entrance on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of this change in pay is May 1, 1937.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES - WASHINGTON

June 3, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman
W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

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CARDED

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

April 29, 1937

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

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).

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

WM. J. GARDNER

MAY - 4 1937

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From $1560 per annum

To: $1500 per annum

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form 78
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APR 27 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL 37

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., April 2[illegible], 37
(City) (Date)

APR 26 8 42 AM '37 LIGHTHOUSES

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer — Legal residence, Louisiana

Name, Joseph J. Olivier — Proposed salary, $1500 p.a.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Proposed range, $1260-$1620

Location, Biloxi Light Station, Miss. — Appropriation, Sals.L.H.Keepers

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

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $1560 p.a.

Location, Pascagoula River Ent., Round Island Light Stations, Miss. — Former range, $1560-$1920

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

(LT. #170)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Frederick A. Schrieber to be $1500 p.a. Services terminated, April 30, 1937

Reason, To be retired

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of birth, June 23, 1890

Remarks: Letter, dated April 11, 1937, from Mr. Olivier, accepting this transfer, is inclosed.

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

E. V. Kaufhold.

Secretary, Civil Service District. — Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR 26 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Action O. K.

Chief Clerk

W. P. Starman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314



Superintendent Lighthouse.
New Orleans.
La.

Sir:

-1- Refering to your letter April 10th. in regards to Vacancy as keeper of Biloxi Light Station.

2. I will accept above position only at my present rate of pay, or at a salary not less then $135.00 per month.

Respectfully
J. J. Oliver
Keeper.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 8 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

TO Dept.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
February 3, 1937

FEB 8 AM 10:11
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
CHIEF CLERK
FEB 5 8 32 AM '37
LIGHTHOUSES

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Pascagoula River Entrance Lights
Pascagoula, Miss.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of January 29th, reporting that, at 4:30 P.M., January 27th, the two-masted Schooner "F. L. Collier", loaded with oysters, ran aground in making the turn in channel abreast of Beacon E; that you went to the assistance of the boat but you were unable to pull it back into the channel, and that you took the captain up to the plant of the Mexican Canning Company, the owners of the boat, to get assistance in getting boat back into the channel.

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

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

(Signed) E. S. Dalphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.,
February 6, 1937.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for information.

2 copies to Commissioner

For the Commissioner:

Chief, Personnel Division.

Form 78

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REPORT OF DAMAGE TO PROPERTY OR INJURY TO PERSONS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

Oct 23 8 48 AM '36

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

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New Orleans, La., October 21, 1936

Name of vessel, station, or other aid to navigation involved:

Date of accident: October 9, 1936

Nature and cause of accident: While handling drum of cylinder oil at Round Island Light Station. drum slipped and faucet handle tore wound in right hand between thumb and index finger.

Estimated cost of damage { to property of the Department: $ - - -
to private property: $ - - - -

What steps have been taken to recover cost of damage to Department property? - - - -

Where accidents result in injury to, or death of, any employees, or others, furnish following information for each person injured:

NAME	OFFICIAL TITLE, IF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE	NATURE OF INJURY	HAS WORK TIME BEEN LOST BY EMPLOYEE
J. J. Olivier	Keeper, Pascagoula River Entrance Lts. and Round Island Light Station, Miss.	Wound, lacerated, right hand between thumb and index finger	No

Remarks or recommendations: Report forwarded to-day to Emmployees' Compensation Commission.

E. J. Langlinais

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Date October 23, 1936

Submitted, in duplicate, to the Secretary of Commerce, for his information.

Noted:

Chief Clerk, Department of Commerce.

For the Commissioner.

R. J. Gross

Chief, Personnel Division.

Deputy Commissioner

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

LIGHTHOUSES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT. 2 8 41 AM '36

1936 OCT 5 AM 10:20

CHIEF CLERK

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT - 3 1936
APPOINTMENT
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

September 30, 1936

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

J. J. Olivier - Effective Date of Change in Pay

1. Referring to Department letter of August 11, 1936, in the case of J. J. Olivier, formerly Keeper of Round Island Light Station, Miss., with pay at the rate of $1440 per annum, who was transferred to the keepership of Pascagoula River Entrance Lights, etc., and which was consolidated with Round Island Light Station, with pay at the rate of $1560 per annum, effective upon entrance on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of this change in pay is September 1, 1936.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

OF FEE... Date 9/30/36

Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington

October 3, 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

CARDED

W. P. Harman
Administrative Assistant

Form A-88

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

August 11, 1936.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective upon entrance 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,

AUG 19 1936

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1440 per annum

To: $1560 per annum

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1936 AUG 5 AM 10:13

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th LIGHTHOUSE DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., JUL 27 July 25, 1936
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES: CHIEF CLERK

Action recommended, Transfer — Legal residence, Louisiana

Name, Joseph ~~Jules~~ Olivier — Proposed salary, $1560 p.a.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Proposed range, $1560-$1920

Location, Pascagoula River Entrance, etc., Round Island LS, etc., Miss. — Appropriation, Sals.L.H.Keepers

Effective, August 1, 1936 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, ~~$1440~~ p.a.

Location, Round Island L.S., Miss. — Former range, $1440-$1800

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

Himself (Lt.#158)

Previous incumbent and his pay, ~~Next position~~ Services terminated, - - -

Reason, - - -

Members of family in Government service, NONE
Date of Birth: June 23, 1890

Remarks: See accompanying letter

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

E. J. Langlier.

Secretary, Civil Service District. Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

August 4, 1936

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, attention being invited to separate letter of this date in the matter of consolidation of these two stations.

8/4/36

Action O. K.

Chief Clerk

A. R. Hoffman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1935 DEC - 7 - AM 10:22

CHIEF CLERK

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
December 3, 1935

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Round Island Light Station
Pascagoula, Miss.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of November 30, stating that, on the morning of November 28, a large amount of lumber was found on the island, and that you and the assistant keeper stacked the lumber on high ground to keep it from drifting back into the sound. It is also noted that the gasoline boat "Flapper" came looking for this lumber and that you turned same over to them as it belonged to the Dantzler Lumber Company of Pascagoula, and they will remove it as soon as the tide will enable them to get a barge to the beach.

2. This office takes pleasure in commending you for your action in this case. This commendation will be made part of your official record, and a copy is being forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

E. L. N.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

2 copies to Commissioner

CARDED

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.,
December 6, 1935.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

R. J. Jones

Chief of Personnel Division.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT 12 1935
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

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

October 5, 1935

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Round Island Light Station
Pascagoula, Miss.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of October 5th stating that at midnight on October 1st, the shrimp boat "Sea Raider" got aground on a flat off north end of island; that you went to the assistance of the boat at seven o'clock on the morning of October 2nd, but that you were unable to get to boat on account of low tide, and that you then went out in the skiff but the captain stated that you could not render any assistance. It is noted, also, that the boat was finally pulled off of flat by the Coast Guard at 6:30 o'clock on the evening of the second when tide had again risen.

2. Your action in rendering what assistance you could in this matter is approved by this office, and you are hereby commended for same.

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

CARDED

(Signed) E. S. ~~Lamphier~~

Superintendent of Lighthouses

2 copies to Commissioner

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D.C.,
October 11, 1935.

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

Chief, Personnel Division.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 13 1935
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
March 8, 1935
CHIEF CLERK

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Joseph J. Olivier - Effective date of Change in Pay.

1. Referring to Department letter of February 7, 1935, in the case of Joseph J. Olivier, who was transferred from the position of Keeper of Sabine Pass Light Station, La., with pay at the rate of $1620 per annum, to the position of Keeper of Round Island Light Station, Miss., with pay at the rate of $1440 per annum, effective March 1, 1935, or upon entrance on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of this change in pay is March 1, 1935.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

BOARD ON CONSOLIDATION OF PERSONNEL JOURNAL
Date 7/28/35

MAR 12 1935

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

For the Commissioner,

Chief, Personnel Division

CARDED

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

February 7, 1935.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective March 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 FEB 11 1935

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1620 per annum.

To: $1440 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

JAN 31 1935
EWING Y. MITCHELL
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JAN 30 1935
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., (City) January 28, 1935 (Date)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB - 7 1935
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer — Legal residence, Louisiana

Name, Joseph ~~Jules~~ Olivier — Proposed salary, $1440 p.a.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Proposed range, $1440-$1800 $240 quarters

Location, Round Island Light Station, Miss. — Appropriation, Sals.L.H.Keepers

Effective, March 1, 1935 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $1620 p.a.

Location, Sabins Pass Lighthouse, La. — Former range, $1620-$1980 $240 quarters

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Louis Buras (Lt.#158) $1500 p.a. / Services to be terminated, February 28, 1935

Reason, To be transferred

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of birth, June 23, 1890

Remarks: Letter, dated January 18, 1935, from Mr. Olivier, accepting this transfer, is inclosed.

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

E. S. Laughlin.

Secretary, Civil Service District. Superintendent of Lighthouses

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

January 28, 1935

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, transfer at reduction being agreeable to the employee.

THIS IS A CIVIL SERVICE POSITION

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY
ACTION TAKEN
FEB 9 1935
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Chief Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

JAN 18 1935
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sabine Pass Lighthouse, La.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

January 17, 1935

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
New Orleans, La.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of January 15, in which it is stated that it is expected that there will be a vacancy in the position of Keeper at Round Island Light Station, the pay of which in my case would be $1440 per annum, and inquiring whether I would wish to be considered for this transfer, you are advised that I wish to be considered for this position.

Respectfully,

J. J. Olivier
Keeper

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DEC 5 1934
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

1934 NOV 30 PM 3 43
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

November 27, 1934

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J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Sabine Pass Lighthouse,
Sabine, Texas

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of November 23, reporting that, on November 19, at 2:30 P.M., Seaplane NC 9378, named "Marion", in command of Captain Whithead, with one passenger aboard, bound from New York to South America, was forced to land in front of the station dock on account of shortage of gasoline; that you and the assistant keepers got the plane to the dock and transported the men to Sabine so they could secure gasoline in Port Arthur; that they were returned to the plane by you and the assistants, and that the plane left the dock at 6:00 P.M.

2. This office takes pleasure in commending you for your actions in this matter.

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

(Signed) E. S. Lamphier

Superintendent of Lighthouses

CARDED

2 copies to Commissioner

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D.C.
December 4, 1934.

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

Chief, Personnel Division.

(COPY-LEC)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1934 NOV
Eighth District
Sabine Pass
Nov.23rd, 1934

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
New Orleans,
La.

Sir:

1. On Nov. 19th at 2:30 P.M. Seaplane NC 9378 - named Marion in command of Cap't Whithead, with one passenger aboard, bound from New York to South America, was forced to land in front of station dock account shortage of gasoline.

2. Myself and assistants got plane to dock and transported men to Sabine and back so they could secure gasoline for plane from Port Arthur. Plane left dock 6 P.M.

(Signed) J. J. Olivier
Keeper

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JAN 12 1934
LIGHTHOUSE APPOINTMENT DIVISION

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1934 JAN 5 AM 11 21

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
January 3, 1934

1934 JAN 12 PM 3:03
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
CHIEF CLERK

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Sabine Pass Light Station,
Sabine, Texas

1. The care of the Sabine Pass East Jetty CO_2 fog signal has not been satisfactory to this office. It is well understood that it is very difficult to make a landing on the East Jetty Light structure, therefore you should have bent every effort towards the proper maintenance of the automatic light and the automatic fog bell on the jetty. Whenever weather conditions were favorable, a landing should have been made without fail, and the CO2 cylinders changed when the opportunity presented itself.

2. From your experience with the exhaustion of the gas supply, hereafter you will connect up the new cylinders at least two weeks in advance of the date which past experience shows the gas supply will be exhausted. If, in your opinion, fully charged cylinders should be connected up a greater length of time than two weeks in advance of the period which the gas supply is supposed to last, such action will be approved.

3. This will be considered a letter of caution to you and a copy of same will be forwarded to the Bureau of Lighthouses for its files.

(Signed) E. S. Lamphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses

FORWARDED

2 copies to Commissioner

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.,
January 11, 1934.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner:

R. J. Groves
Chief of Personnel Division

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

WJB:FSR

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1930 SEP 27 AM 9:05

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
SEP 29 1930
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA. September 25, 1930.

1930 SEP 29 5 PM 2 54

L. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Sabine Pass Light Station,
Sabine, Texas.

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of September 18, 1930, reporting that on the morning of September 17, 1930, with the First Assistant, T. Ryan, and Third Assistant, J. A. Ryan, you went to the assistance of Launch E-787 which had gone aground on Oyster Reef east of #2 beacon due to breaking down of engine.

2. This office takes pleasure in commending you and the First and Third Assistant Keepers for your actions in this matter.

3. Copy of this letter will be forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses and this commendation will be noted on the official records of each keeper concerned.

E. S. Lamplugh
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

2 copies for the Commissioner.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
SEP 27 1930

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

W. P. Hamman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 3, 1930.

Mr. J. J. Olivier,

Through Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED AUG 9 1930 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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From: 1560.

To: 1620.

6th Keeper.

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NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 4 1930
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

LIGHTHOUSES
1930 FEB 1 AM 9:37

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
JEWBRIEANS, LA. January 30, 1930

J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Sabine Pass Light Station,
Sabine, Texas

CHIEF CLERK
1930 FEB 4 AM 11 50

1. Receipt is acknowledged of your letter of January 29 reporting that, on the night of January 26, at 9:30 o'clock, four hunters from Port Arthur tried to cross from the station side of the Pass to Sabine and went adrift in their skiff and landed about a mile southeast of the station; that you went to their assistance taking them to the station where you kept them over night, and that you took them to Sabine next morning in the station launch.

2. This office takes pleasure in commending you for your actions in this matter.

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

(Signed) E. S. Lamphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses

2 copies to Commissioner

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
FEB 1 - 1930

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

Acting

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1929 MAR 1 PM 12 06

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 3 1929
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

J. J. Olivier, Effective date of change in pay

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
February 27, 1929

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Department letter of January 31, 1929, in the case of J. J. Olivier, who was transferred from the position of Assistant Keeper at Bolivar Point Light Station, Texas, with pay at the rate of $1260 per annum, to the position of Keeper of Sabine Pass Light Station, with pay at the rate of $1560 per annum, effective February 10, 1929, or as soon thereafter as he entered on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of this change in pay was February 15, 1929.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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CHIEF CLERK
1929 MAR 2 PM 12 21

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
MAR 1 - 1929
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information
Commissioner of Lighthouses

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1929 FEB 20 AM 11 56

FEB 21 1929
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

J. J. Olivier, Effective
date of change in pay.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
February 18, 1929

1929 FEB 25 PM 3 42
CHIEF CLERK

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to letter from this office of January 30, 1929, showing the effective date of change in pay in the case of J. J. Olivier, who was transferred from the position of Keeper at Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas, with pay at the rate of $1800 per annum, to the position of Assistant Keeper at Bolivar Point Light Station, Texas, with pay at the rate of $1260 per annum, as of January 22, 1929, it is requested that this date be made effective January 23 instead of January 22.

2. The records of this office have been corrected accordingly.

E. S. LAMPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
FEB 21 1929
Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval

F. P. Dillon
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
FEB 4 1929
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
January 30, 1929

J. J. Olivier, Effective date of change in pay

LIGHTHOUSES
1929 FEB 1 AM 11 45

CHIEF CLERK
1929 FEB 4 AM 11 16

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Department letter of January 5, 1929, in the case of J. J. Olivier, who was transferred from the position of Keeper at Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas, with pay at the rate of $1800 per annum to the position of Assistant Keeper at Bolivar Point Light Station, Texas, with pay at the rate of $1260 per annum, effective January 16, 1929, or on entrance on duty:

2. The Bureau is advised that the effective date of this change in pay was January 22, 1929.

E. S. LANPHIER
Superintendent of Lighthouses

CARDED

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

F. O. Dillon
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

Form A-88

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

January 31, 1929.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective February 10, 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, FEB 7 1929

T. B. MORROW,

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1260 per annum.

To: $1560 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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CHIEF CLERK

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1929 JAN 30 PM 12 12

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1929 JAN 31 AM 10 51

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FEB 4 1929 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE JAN 31 1929 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT

New Orleans, La. (City) January 28 (Date), 1929

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer (and promotion) (Bureau) To fill Vac.

Legal residence, Louisiana

Name, Joseph ~~Jules~~ Olivier New # 159

Proposed salary, $1560 p.a.

Position, Keeper (in the Lighthouse Service)

Proposed range, $1560-$1860 p.a.

Location, Sabine Pass Light Station, La.

Appropriation, Sals.L.H.Keepers

Effective, February 10, 1929

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

Former position, Keeper (in the Lighthouse Service)

Former salary, $1260 p.a.

Location, Bolivar Point Light Station, Texas

Former range, $1140-$1440 p.a.

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

Previous incumbent, Thomas Broxson 1560

Services to be terminated, about January 31, 1929

Reason, To be transferred (Pending) to the keepership of Mobile Point Light Station, Ala.

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of birth, June 23, 1890

Remarks:

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

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN FEB 4 1929 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

E. S. Landrieu
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JAN 30 1929

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

F. P. Dieman
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

January 5, 1929.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective January 16, 1929, 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,

JAN 10 1929

EDW. J. GERDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1800 per annum.

To: $1260 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):



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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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CHIEF CLERK 1929 JAN 3 AM 10 57

JAN 3 1929 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La. (City) December 28 (Date), 1928

JAN 7 1929 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer To fill proposed vac. **Legal residence,** Louisiana

Name, Jules ~~Joseph~~ Olivier — Proposed salary, $1260 per annum Same Step

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Proposed range, $1140-$1440 per annum

Location, Bolivar Point Light Station, Texas — Appropriation, Sals.L.H.Keepers

Effective, January 16, 1929 — {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $1800 per annum

Location, Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas — Former range, $1680-$1980 per annum

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

Previous incumbent, Earl K. Wakefield — Services to be terminated, about January 15, 1929

Reason, To be transferred as Keeper of Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas — Reason Transfer

Members of family in Government service, NONE

Date of birth, June 23, 1890

Remarks: Letter attached from J. J. Olivier accepting this transfer.

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

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN 1929 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

E. S. Randolph

Secretary, Civil Service District. — Superintendent of Lighthouses 6

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

DEC 31 1928

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Chief Clerk

E. C. Gillette

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1928 DEC 31 AM 9 35

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
DEC 19 1928
NEW ORLEANS

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Galveston Tex
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Dec 17, 1928

Superintendent Lighthouses.
New Orleans
La.

Sir:

Your letter Dec 12th, will accept transfer to Bolivar light as 1st Assistant

J. J. Ahrien
Keeper.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 1, 1928.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

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.

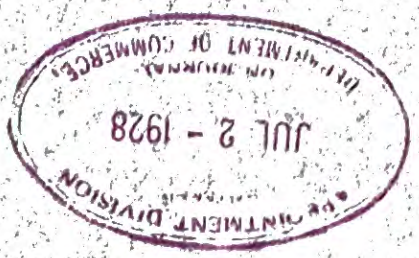
From: $1740

To: $1800

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February 9, 1928.

SEB 10 1928
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

CARDED

Mr. J. J. Olivier, Keeper,
Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas,
(Thru Superintendent of Lighthouses, New Orleans, La.)

The Bureau has read with interest a report submitted by the Superintendent relative to assistance rendered by you on January 29 in towing the disabled launch "E 1654" with six men aboard to Galveston, Texas, and is pleased to commend you for this assistance which will be recorded as a part of your official record.

S. R. PUTNAM

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files

Exact copy as signed by_____

Mailed_____by_____

January 7, 1927.

Mr. J. J. Oliver,
Through the Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Sir:

In view of the fact that it is not intended to resume tide observations at Galveston, Texas, the Department has discontinued, without prejudice, your services as Tide Observer at $15.00 per month at that station, effective at the close of business on November 30, 1926.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

JAN 12 1927

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

P. Chief of Appointment Division.

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IN REPLY ADDRESS THE DIRECTOR
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY
AND NOT THE SIGNER OF THIS LETTER

AND REFER TO No. 20-JEW

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

WASHINGTON

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JAN 7 1927
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JAN 8 1927
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

January 6, 1927

The Secretary of Commerce:

It is recommended that the services of Mr. J. J. Olivier, Tide Observer at $15 per month in this Bureau at Galveston, Texas, be discontinued without prejudice, effective at the close of November 30, 1926. Mr. Olivier has been on furlough without pay since December 1, 1925. It is not intended to resume tide observations at that station in the near future.

E. Lester Jones
Director.

1-7-27

APPROVED:
ACTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN
JAN 12 1927
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Form A-88

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

January 1, 1927.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective January 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: $1680 per annum.

To: $1740 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

APPROVED BY THE ACTING SECRETARY 1/1/27

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CERTIFIED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JAN 15 '27 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9051

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

PERSONAL HISTORY

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

Bureau, division, or office U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey

1. Name in full Joseph Jules Olivier

2. Legal (voting) residence Louisiana 3rd (State and Congressional District) St Mary (County) Morgan City La (City or town)

3. Where born? Louisiana (State or foreign country) Morgan City (City or town) When born? June 23 1890 (Date)

4. If foreign, state whether naturalized or alien

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

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

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

BRANCH OF SERVICE AND PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT	POSITION	SALARY	DATE APPOINTED			DATE SEPARATED		
			Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year
~~Department of Comm~~ Light House Dept	Keeper	$1560	Jan	18	1918	Nov	4	1920
			Feb	16	1921			

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

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

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

Organization .....

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

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8.

EDUCATION (Circle number of years)	Common school	High school	College	Degrees, if any
	1 2 3 4 5 ~~6~~ 7 8	1 2 3 ~~4~~	1 2 ~~3~~ 4	None

9. State special qualifications Office work

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

M. J. Olivier (Name) Brother (Relationship)

4004 - 3rd St Morgan City Louisiana (Post office address)

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

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

June 1st 1925 (Date)

Present address Galveston Tex Rt 327

10—1659

DUPLICATE

PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATION BOARD FORM NO. 4.
(To be filled out in accordance with detailed instructions in P. C. B. Form No. 2, and Circular No. 7).

To Accompany Report of ☐ New Appointments ☒ Changes in Duties for July, 1923.

1. Olivier (Surname.) Joseph (Given name.) J. (Initial.)

(a) Previous incumbent Julius W. Martin.
2. Department Commerce.
3. Bureau Lighthouses.
4. Field Service Lighthouse Service.
5. (a) Field Station Galveston Jetty Light Station.
(b) Subdivision 8th Lighthouse District.
(c) City or town ..... State Texas.
6. Pay-roll title Keeper
7. Customary office title Keeper.

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE			
	a		
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8. (a) Number of regular working hours of the position, per day 24; per week 168
(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 1/3 the night m. to alternating periods 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 $1020.00 per annum; bonus, $240.00 per annum.
12. Rate of pay, exclusive of bonus, on January 1, 1923, $1020.00 per "; bonus, $240.00 per annum.
13. If the employee receives overtime pay, state the rate - - -
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
Subsistence, cash $164.25 per annum.
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 - - -; annual cost, $ - - -
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.) 2—12965

	Percentage of total time given to each task
1. Custodian of property.	5%
2. Reports and correspondence.	10%
3. Maintenance of 3rd order flashing oil vapor light from tower, which includes cleaning of lamp, lens, lantern, etc.; stands watch four hours each night.	10%
4. Maintenance and operation of fog signal operated by compressed air	5%
5. Boating 7½ miles from station to Galveston, Tex., for mail and supplies; operates motor boat.	10%
6. Cleaning and maintenance of tower, quarters, boat and painting of structures.	60

19. Does employee work under immediate supervision, or to a large extent upon his own responsibility? (Describe fully.) Name the employee's *immediate* or closest superior. If not a civilian, give the superior's title and rank.

On his own responsibility subject to directions and supervision of Superintendent of Lighthouses.

20. Do the duties involve direction or supervision of the work of other employees? **Yes.**
If so, describe the nature of the direction or supervision and give the number and classes of employees directed or supervised.

Responsible for work of two assistant keepers.

21. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? **July 22, 1923.**

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

AUG 28 1923 (Date), 192 — E. S. LANPHIER (Signature of Preparing Officer) — SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES. (Title)

23. I have read the foregoing and I agree to it, except as follows:

Signature not secured owing to inaccessibility of employee.

E. S. LANPHIER (Signature of employee)
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES.

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			
Initiative (originality and resourcefulness)			
Trustworthiness (dependability)	X		
Speed (quickness)			
Physical Qualities (strength and endurance)	X		

EDUCATIONAL TRAINING		
	Essential	Desirable But Not Essential
College		
High School		
Common School	X	

Technical Education: If essential, kind and extent.....

Experience: If essential, kind and extent.....
Boating - one year.

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 $ **1140** to $ **1500**

AUG 28 1923 (Date), 192 — E. S. LANPHIER (Signature of head of field office or station) — SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES. (Title)

THE FOLLOWING TO BE FILLED OUT BY THE HEAD OF THE BUREAU OR SIMILAR OFFICIAL

26. 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, except as follows: (If necessary, attach a sheet.)

In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $..... to $.....

..... (Date), 192 — ..... (Signature of chief of bureau) — ..... (Title)

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CROSS REFERENCE

SEE FILE--464/16/D#1

NAME Olivier, Joseph L. POSITION Keeper

BUREAU BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES STATION 8th Dist.

CIRCULAR #11----9/15/23

BASE PAY	Bonus	Total	Allowances			As Classified for estimate purposes			Recommendations regarding differential from standard rates		
			Items	Value	Aggregate	Service	Grade	Pay	Is differential recommended	Amt. per annum to be Added	Subtracted
1020	240	1260	CR	164.25	1424.25	LHS	7	1500	yes	60	

CIRCULAR #13----11/13/23

approved $1560

GRADE RECOMMENDED 7

RANGE OF COMPENSATION RECOMMENDED FROM $1560 TO $1800

approximate annual maintenance cost to the employee:

Kind of equipment ---; annual cost, $ ---

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
1. Assistant custodian of property.	5%
2. Assists with reports and correspondence.	10%
3. Assists with maintenance of 4th order fixed oil vapor light from tower and five minor oil lights on beacons, in the water, which includes cleaning of lamp, lens, lantern, etc; stands watch four hours each night.	10%
4. Assists in maintenance and operation of fog signal operated by machinery.	5%
5. Assists in boating 24 miles from station to Morgan City, La. for mail and supplies and 15 miles from station to lights; operates motor boat.	10%
6. Assists in cleaning and maintenance of tower, quarters, grounds, wharf, boathouse, boat, and painting of structures.	60%

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Sheet No. 84

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1. Olivier (Surname) Joseph (Given name) J. (Initial)
2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouses
4. Field Service Lighthouse Service
5. (a) Field Station Point Au Fer Reef L.S.,etc.(6 lights)
   (b) Subdivision 8th Lighthouse District.
   (c) City or town _____ State Louisiana
6. Pay-roll title Keeper
7. Customary office title 2nd Assistant Keeper.

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

a		
b		
c		
d		

8. (a) Number of regular working hours of the position, per day 24; per week 168
   (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 1/3 the night m. to alternating periods 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 - - -
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; ☒ Light; ☒ Heat. ☐ 3 meals per day; ☐ 2 meals per day; ☐ 1 meal per day; ☒ Subsistence or rations in kind; ☐ Uniform; ☐ Laundry; ☒ Fuel;
    If cash allowances are made for any of these items, state which items and the amounts per annum Subsistence, cash $164.25 per annum.
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 - - -; annual cost, $ - - -
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
1. Assistant custodian of property.	5%
2. Assists with reports and correspondence.	10%
3. Assists without supervision in maintenance of 4th order fixed oil vapor light from tower and five minor oil lights on beacons, in the water, which includes cleaning of lamp, lens, lantern, etc; stands watch four hours each night.	10%
4. Assists in maintenance and operation of fog signal operated by machinery.	5%
5. Assists in boating 24 miles from station to Morgan City, La. for mail and supplies and 15 miles from station to lights; operates motor boat.	10%
6. Assists in cleaning and maintenance of tower, quarters, grounds, wharf, boathouse, boat, and painting of structures.	60%

19. Does employee work under immediate supervision, or to a large extent upon his own responsibility? (Describe fully.)

Under immediate supervision of the Keeper.

20. Do the duties involve direction or supervision of the work of other employees? No.
If so, describe the nature of the direction or supervision and give the number and classes of employees directed or supervised.

21. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? February 18, 1921.

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

JUN 7 - 1923, 1923. (Date)

E. S. LANPHIER (Signature of Preparing Officer)

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES (Title)

23. I have read the foregoing and I agree to it except as follows:

Signature not secured owing to inaccessibility of employee.

E. S. LANPHIER (Signature of Employee)

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES.

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			
Initiative (originality and resourcefulness)			
Trustworthiness (dependability)	X		
Speed (quickness)			
Physical Qualities (strength and endurance)	X		

EDUCATIONAL TRAINING		
	Essential	Desirable But Not Essential
College		
High School		
Common School	X	

Technical Education: If essential, kind and extent

Experience: If essential, kind and extent
Boating - one year.

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 $ to $

JUN 7 - 1923, 1923. (Date)

E. S. LANPHIER (Signature of head of field office or station)

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES (Title)

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Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 6, 1926.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $1620 per annum to $1680 per annum, effective March 19, 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
APR 4 1926

Chief of Appointment Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1926 APR 5 PM 3 27

CHIEF CLERK APR 5 1926 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La. (City.) April 1 (Date.) 1926

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE APR 7 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Increase in pay.

Name, Joseph J. Olivier — Legal residence, Louisiana

Position, Keeper (Prin. Kpr.) in the Lighthouse Service — Salary $1680 p.a. (Rge: $1560-$1800)

Location, Galveston Jetty L.S., Tex. — Appropriation, ~~Sals. Kprs. of L.H.~~ Rivers Etc.

Effective March 19, 1926 — {'the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

Former position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $1620 p.a. (Rge: $1560-$1800)

Location, Galveston Jetty L.S., Tex.

Rank on eligible list, - - - Rating, - - - Percentage, - - - , Other eligibles considered: Radio Fog Signal installed - addl. Responsibility + labor.

APR 12 1926 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Previous incumbent, Self — Services terminated, - - -

Reason, - - - #60 Prom. for each Kpr. this bea. Auth. by Dept. Mar. 22/26.

Members of family in Government Service, None

Date of birth, June 23, 1890.

Remarks: See Department approval of March 19, 1926, on Bureau letter of March 16, 1926, recommending increase of compensation for four keepers at South Pass Jetty L.S. and three keepers at Galveston Jetty L.S. on account of additional responsibility.

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

E. S. Lamphier.
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR 5 - 1926

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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APPROVED:
ACTING SECRETARY OF COMMERCE.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Form S S-86

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUL 31 1925
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OATH OF OFFICE

I, Joseph J. Olivier,

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

Joseph J. Olivier
(Signature of appointee

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25" day of July, A. D. 19 25

Walter E. Grosser
Notary Public in and for ~~Chief Clerk.~~
Galveston County, Texas.

Bureau or office to which assigned: Coast and Geodetic Survey

Position: Tide Observer Salary: $1500 p.a.

Where employed: Field Date of entrance upon duty: July 1, 1925

Nature of appointment { Probationary, temporary, excepted, by transfer, reinstatement, promotion, etc. }: Promotion

Appropriation to which charged: Party Expenses, 192
Tides

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Form A-30

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 29, 1925.

M r. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Sir:

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

Tide Observer

in the service of the Coast and Geodetic Survey

at a salary of Twenty-five dollars per month,

effective July 1, 1925.

Nature of appointment: Promotion from Tide Observer at $15 per month.

Civil Service authority: Schedule A, Subdivision I, Paragraph 6.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

JUL 7 - 1925

H Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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

Vice: Increased compensation.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

JUL 7 1925

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ADDRESS THE DIRECTOR
U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U. S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY

WASHINGTON

June 26, 1925.

CHIEF CLERK
1925 JUN 29 PM 12 02

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 29 1925
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

The Secretary of Commerce:

Incr in salary

I respectfully recomend the appointment of Mr. J. J. Olivier as Tide Observer (excepted) at a salary of $25.00 per month for services at Galveston, Tex., (South Jetty Light) Tide Station, effective from July 1, 1925, appropriation (Party Expenses, Tides, etc., Coast and Geodetic Survey, promotion.) such rate

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NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN
JUL 3 1925
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

2. The change in the rate of pay of Mr. Olivier is recommended because he has been given added duties at this station relative to the obtaining of temperature and density observations and to the tabulation of tide records, which require considerably more of his time than at present.

also a keeper in L.H.
at 1620
not above 2040

R. L. Faris
Acting Director.

6-29-25

approved on
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6/29/25

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Form S S-86

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 15 1925
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OATH OF OFFICE

I, J. J. Olivier

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

J. J. Olivier
(Signature of appointee

CARDED

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of June, A. D. 1925

J. E. Bodderer Notary Public
~~Chief Clerk~~

Bureau or office to which assigned: Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Position: Tide Observer Salary: $15.00 per m

Where employed: Galveston, Tex. Date of entrance upon duty: May 2-1925

Nature of appointment { Probationary, temporary, excepted, by transfer, reinstatement, promotion, etc. }: Exception

Appropriation to which charged: Party Expenses, 192 Tides

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Form A-30

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

May 2, 1925.

Mr. J. J. Olivier,

Through the Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Sir:

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

Tide Observer

in the Coast and Geodetic Survey

at a salary of Fifteen dollars per month,

effective May 2, 1925, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty.

Nature of appointment: Excepted.

Civil Service authority: Schedule A, Section I, Paragraph 6 of the Rules.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

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Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASKINS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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

Vice: New position.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

CARDED

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In replying address
Commissioner of Lighthouses

and refer to date of this letter
and file No.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

CHIEF CLERK
1925 MAY 18 PM 4 18

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAY 19 1925
APPOINTMENT DIVISION.

May 16, 1925.

Secretary of Commerce:

1. Referring to Department letter of May 12, 1925, regarding the appointment of Keeper J. J. Olivier as a tide observer in the Coast and Geodetic Survey at a compensation of $15 per month:

2. The Department is advised that the Bureau has no objection to Mr. Olivier's appointment as indicated.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

5/19/25.

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May 12, 1925.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The Department has received a recommendation from the Director, Coast and Geodetic Survey, for the appointment of J. J. Olivier as Tide Observer at $15.00 per month at Galveston South Jetty Light. It appearing from the records that Mr. Olivier is serving as Keeper at $1560 per annum in the Lighthouse Service at Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas, information will be appreciated as to whether your Bureau will interpose objection to this additional assignment of Mr. Olivier.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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MAY 12 1925

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
WASHINGTON

(Bureau) Coast and Geodetic Survey

(Date) May 2, 1925

The Secretary of Commerce:

The following recommendation is respectfully submitted for approval:

Nature of recommendation Excepted appointment (Schedule A, Section 1, Paragraph 6)

Name J. J. Olivier

From—

Position

Salary

Appropriation

To—

Position Tide Observer

Salary $15 per month

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

Vice New position

Official station Field

Effective May 2, 1925 or as soon thereafter as he shall enter on duty.

Remarks It is intended that Mr. Olivier shall serve as Tide Observer at the Galveston South Jetty Light. He has been recommended by an officer of this Bureau serving in that locality.

Director.

APPROVED:

ACTING SECRETARY OF COMMERCE

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE
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Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 25, 1925.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1560 per annum to $ 1620 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,
JUL 8 - 1925
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

January 31, 1925.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

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: $1560

FEB 6 - 1925

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

8th
JSJ

CARDED

(CROSS REFERENCE)

Olivier, Joseph J. In accordance with authority of the Director of the Budget dated June 27, 1924, the salary is re-adjusted to $ 1260, effective July 1, 1924.

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

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
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1924 JUN 9 AM 10 5

J.J. Olivier:

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

June 4th 1924.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 10 1924
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to the Secretary's letter of commendation to the Keeper of Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas, dated May 21st 1924. It is noted that the letter is addressed to Mr. J.J. Olivers. As this keeper's name is spelled Olivier, this office has corrected the spelling of the name on the original and it is requested that the carbon copy be also corrected.

E.S. Lamplugh.
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JUN 7 - 1924

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

LGJ

(COPY)

May 21, 1924.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAY 24 1924
APPOINTMENT

Mr. J. J. Oliver, Keeper,
Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

My dear Mr. Oliver:

I have read with interest your reports of May 8 and 14, 1924 forwarded from the Superintendent at New Orleans, regarding the assistance rendered by the 2nd assistant and yourself in towing the disabled launch E-630 to shore, when that vessel was discovered flying a distress signal after being anchored throughout the night of May 7 in the vicinity of the light station on account of engine trouble. I am sincerely pleased to commend you for the assistance rendered in this instance which will be made a part of your official record.

Cordially yours,

HERBERT HOOVER

(Signed)

Acting Secretary of Commerce.

HERBERT HOOVER

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files

Exact copy as signed by Bureau

Mailed MAY 29 1924 by

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

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LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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1923 AUG 11 PM 12 02

J. J. Olivier,
eff. date of
change in salary.

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

August 8, 1923.

CHIEF CLERK
1923 AUG 13 PM 2 20

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Department Notice of Change in Salary, dated June 21, 1923, in the case of Joseph J. Olivier, who was transferred from the position of 2nd Asst. Keeper at Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La., at $720 per annum, to the position of Keeper of Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas, at $1020 per annum:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
AUG 13 1923
APPOINTMENT DIV.

2. The Bureau is advised that the above change in salary became effective beginning July 22, 1923.

E. J. Langhier.
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
AUG 13 1923

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information

H. B. BOWERMAN
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON June 21, 1923.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

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 $1020 per annum, effective July 1, 1923, 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,

JUN 22

EDW. J. GARDNER.
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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L. B. REPORT DATE ENTERED

LGJ

(COPY)

December 12, 1923.

My dear Mr. Olivier:

I have read with interest your report of November 30, 1923 forwarded from the Superintendent at New Orleans, with reference to the assistance rendered to a party of three fishermen who were unable to regain their launch after a sudden high wind from the Southeast overtook them. I am sincerely pleased to commend you for the assistance rendered and in caring for the men overnight, which commendation will be noted on official records.

Cordially yours,

(Signed) J. WALTER DRAKE.

Acting Secretary of Commerce.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier, Keeper,
Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

J. WALTER DRAKE.

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files

Exact copy as signed by

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., June 18th, 1923.
(City.) (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and promotion.

Name, Joseph J. Olivier — Legal residence, Louisiana.

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

Location, Galveston Jetty Light Station, Texas. — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective July 1st, 1923. — {[1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Kpr. in the Lighthouse Service. Former salary, $720 per annum.

Location, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, etc., La.

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

- - - - - - - - - - - - -

Previous incumbent, Julius W. Martin — Services to be terminated, June 30th, 1923.

Reason, Transferred to Matagorda Light Station, Texas.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks:

JUN 21 1923

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

6-21-23.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

E. S. Lanphier.
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 20 1923

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1922 MAR 6 AM 11 51

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAR 11 1922
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

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

March 4th, 1922.

WJB.

Leave without pay.

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Comm.

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1922 MAR 11 AM 8 45

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to Bureau Circular No.228, dated July 29th, 1921, amending Circular No.177, dated September 22, 1920, relative to leave without pay:

2. The Bureau is informed that J. J. Olivier, 2nd Asst. Keeper at Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La., was granted leave, without pay, for the full month of January, 1922.

E. S. LANPHIER
E.S.L.
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
MAR 7 - 1922

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.
By direction of the Commissioner

T. S. CLARK
Chief Clerk, Bureau of Lighthouses.

Form 111

APPOINTMENT APR 17 1921

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK

1921 MAR 18 PM 2 35

I, Joseph J. Olivier,

do solemnly[1] affirm (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.

Joseph J Olivier
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Affirmed (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 14 day of March, A. D. 1921

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) J. M. Pedrod

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires Perpetual

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Keeper in the Light-house Service.	$720 p.a.	Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La.
Former[5] By reinstatement in accordance with authority contained in certificate No.30230, issued by the Civil Service Commission.		

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

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT

New Orleans, La., (Address) March 15th 1912. (Date)

CARDED

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on February 18th, 1921. (Date)

E. S. Lamphier
(Signature, followed by title)

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

[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.

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED RATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 5, 1921.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Seven Hundred and Twenty dollars per annum,

effective February 16, 1921.

Your appointment will continue for a period not longer than the close of February 17, 1921.

CARDED

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

[illegible] CLIFFORD [illegible]

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Napoleon Bourke

Legal Residence: Louisiana
6th district

U. S. REGISTERED

APPROVED MAR 8 1921 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

11—1303

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT.

1921 MAR 3 PM 3 45

New Orleans, La., February 28th, 19 21.
(City.) (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Temporary appointment for the period Feb. 16th - Feb. 17th incl.

Name, Joseph J. Olivier, Legal residence, Louisiana.

1921 MAR 5 AM 10 46

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service. Salary, $720 per annum.

Location, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La. Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

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

APPOINTMENT

Former position, - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Former salary, - - - - - - - - - -

Location, -

1921 MAR 5 AM 11 5

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

No eligibles available.

Previous incumbent, Napoleon Bourke Services terminated, February 15th, 1921.

Reason, Resigned.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN
MAR - 5 1921
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Members of family in Government Service None.

Remarks: Mr. Olivier entered the service on Jan. 16th, 1918, as temp. keeper at Ship Shoal L.S. On April 20, 1918, he was given probational appt. as 1st Asst. Keeper at same station, and on Jan. 10th, 1920, he was promoted to the Keepership. He resigned effective at the close of Nov. 3, 1920. Owing to the isolation of the above station and the necessity of maintaining the full authorized complement of keepers, Mr. Olivier was assigned to duty on February 16th, 1921, pending action on his nomination for reinstatement. Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, March 1, 1921., 19 the lowest rated position at above station. Mr. Olivier was born June 23, 1890. Reinstatement effective Jan. 18, 1921.

3/5/21.

E. S. Langhorne
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

TEMPORARY

Secretary, 10th *Civil Service District.*

Pending reinstatement

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON MAR 3 - 1921

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1921 MAR 5 AM

H. B. Bowerman Jr.
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

11—2314

MEMORANDUM SHOWING LAST DAY SERVED BY TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE

(To be filled in immediately after the last day temporary employee serves, signed by the proper official and forwarded to the Secretary of Commerce.)

LIGHTHOUSE 5

1921 MAR 14 AM 8 37

CHIEF CLERK

Name of employee Joseph J. Olivier,

Designation Keeper in the Lighthouse Service. *Compensation* $720 p.a.

1921 MAR 15 AM 9 04

Place of employment Point Au Reef Light Station, La.

Date of appointment Mar.5,1921, eff. Feb.16,1921, for the period Feb.16th - 17th incl, pending action on nomination for reinstatement (eff. Feb.18th,1921).

Last day served February 17th, 1921.

CARDED

E. S. Lanphier.

Superintendent of Lighthouses

(*Official title.*)

Date March 11, 1921.

Lighthouse Service.

(*Bureau or service.*)

11—2870

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

APPOINTMENTS MAR 17 1921

CHIEF CLERK

1921 MAR 18 PM 2 35

I, Joseph J. Olivier,

do solemnly[1] affirm (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.

Joseph J Olivier
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Affirmed (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 14 day of March, A. D. 1921.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) J. W. Paddock

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires Perpetual

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Keeper in the Light-House Service. (Present)	$720 p. a.	Point Au Fer Reef Light Station, La.
[5] Temporary appointment for the period Feb. 16th - 17th inclusive. (Former)		

CARDED

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

Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 8th District

New Orleans, La., (Address) March 15th 1921. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on February 16th, 1921. (Date)

E. S. Lambdin.
(Signature, followed by title)
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

[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.

11—944

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

February 18, 1921.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Seven Hundred and Twenty dollars per annum,

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

(By reinstatement in accordance with authority contained in certificate No. 30230 issued by the Civil Service Commission).

CARDED

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Napoleon Bourke.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

FEB 21 1921

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Form 1788—Jan.,1921.

NO. 30230

CERTIFICATE AUTHORIZING REINSTATEMENT.

1921 FEB 19 PM 3 48

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION,

Washington, D. C., February 18, 1921

APPOINTMENTS

1921 FEB 19 PM 4 19

To the

Secretary of Commerce.

Sir:

Certification is hereby made that the following reinstatement is authorized by the Commission under Civil Service Rule IX:

Joseph J. Olivier of

STATUS AUTHORIZED.	FORMER STATUS.
Commerce (Department.)	Same (Department.)
Lighthouse Service (Bureau or office.)	Same (Bureau or office.)
Keeper $720 (Position and salary.)	Keeper $1080 (Position and salary.)
Pt. Au Fer Reef L. S. La. (City in which to be employed.)	Field (City in which formerly employed.)
February 7, 1921 (Date of request.)	November 3, 1920, resignation (Date and manner of separation.)

Application has been made for refund under the Retirement Act.

Application claim No. R Amount $

Very respectfully,

John T. Doyle

Secretary.

6—3058

Form 381.
Jan., 1920.

REQUEST FOR REINSTATEMENT.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
(Department, Commission, or Office.)

Washington, D. C., February 7, 1921.

To the U. S. Civil Service Commission:

Request is made for certificate for the reinstatement of J. J. Olivier, a legal resident of Louisiana, to the position of Keeper at a salary of $720 per annum in the Lighthouse Service (Bureau or Office.) Pt. Au Fer Reef L.S., La. (Location.). This person was, without delinquency or misconduct on his part, separated by resignation (Removal or resignation.) on November 5, 1920 (Date.) from the position of Keeper at a salary of $1080 p.a. in the Lighthouse Service. (Department and Bureau or Office.)

MEMBERS OF FAMILY IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES:

None
(State names, degree of relationship, and where employed.)

MILITARY OR NAVAL RECORD.

(If applicant's reinstatement may be authorized only under paragraph (b) or (c) of Rule IX, the Department should submit* his original discharge or release, a photostat copy, or a certified copy thereof; or if this is not possible, then the official record of his military or naval service based upon the records of the War or Navy Department.)

By direction of the Secretary:
Signature: (SIGNED) E. W. LIBBEY

Official title: Chief Clerk.

* Inclosure.

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Form 73

WJB.

NOMINATION

SPECIAL

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT,

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

RECEIVED CHIEF CLERK 1921 FEB 5 PM 5

1921 FEB 7 AM 9 48 16

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Reinstatement and appointment.

Name, J. J. Olivier — Legal residence, Louisiana.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Salary, $720 per annum.

Location, Point Au Fer Reef Light Station — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

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

APPOINTMENT DIVISION 1921 FEB 7 AM 10

Former position, - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - Former salary, - - - - - - - - - -

Location, See remarks.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN FEB 7 1921 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

- - - - - - - - - - - - - - - -

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1920 NOV 11 PM 4 20
CHIEF CLERK

WJB.

Joseph J. Olivier,
resignation.

1920 NOV 13 PM 2 35
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.

November 9, 1920.

The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Returned herewith, for amendment, is Department letter dated October 12, 1920, accepting the resignation of Joseph J. Olivier, Keeper of Ship Shoal Light Station, La., effective at the close of business on October 30, 1920:

2. Mr. Olivier performed service up to the close of November 3, 1920, being unable to leave the station due to rough weather. It is therefore requested that Department letter referred to above be amended so as to accept his resignation effective at the close of business on Nov.3,1920.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

Chief Clerk.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN
NOV 15 1920
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

ORDERED

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
NOV 12 1920

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval.

1920 NOV 13 AM 9 17

Acting Commissioner

NOV 17

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U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

October 12, 1920.

M. Joseph J. Oliver,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your resignation from the position designated below, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the Bureau, to take effect at the close of business on October 30, 1920.

Bureau.....Lighthouse Service.

Station.....Ship Shoal Light Station, La.

Position.....Keeper.

Salary.....$1080 per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

OCT 19 1920

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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8th

CARDED
REPORT DATA ENTERED

Form 93 WJB.

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION ~~OR DEMOTION~~ LIGHTHOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE 1920 OCT 6 PM 4 08

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 8th DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., October 4th, , 1920.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, J. J. Olivier — Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service.

Legal residence, Louisiana. — Station, Ship Shoal Light Station, La.

Salary, $1080 per annum.

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of October 30, 1920.

1920 OCT 9 AM 9 32

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

Remarks:

APPOINTMENTS

1920 OCT 9 AM 10 47

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE. APPOINTMENT DIVISION. NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN OCT 13 1920

E. S. Lamphier
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

10-9-20

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES OCT 7 1920
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

1920 OCT 8 AM 9 25

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OCT 4

EIGHTH DISTRICT

Sub Shoal
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sep 30th, 1920

Light House Sup
New Orleans La

LIGHTHOUSES
1920 OCT 6 PM 4 08

Accept this as my resignation to take effect November 1st 1920. Reason for resigning account isolation of station

Yours truly
Jos J Thrier
Keeper

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE January 9, 1920.

r. Joseph J. Olivier, APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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Sir:

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

900. 1080.

January 10, 1920.

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

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JAN 9 - 1920 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

Chief of Appointment Division.

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U. S. LIFE-SAVING SERVICE ENTERED

JAN 6 1920 9 35

Form 73
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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
Superintendent of Lighthouses,
OFFICE OF ~~LIGHTHOUSE DIRECTOR~~ Eighth DISTRICT.

LIGHT JAN 6 1920 HOUSES

New Orleans, La., January 3, 1920.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion and appointment.

APPOINTMENT

CHIEF CLERK

Name, Joseph J. Olivier — Legal residence, Louisiana

1920 JAN 7 PM 4 13

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Salary, $1080 per annum

1920 JAN 7 PM 1 32

Location, Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective January 10, 1920, { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty;~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper (1st Asst.) in the Lighthouse Service — Former salary, $900 per annum

Location, Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana.

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

- - - - -

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

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LIGHT DEC 14 1918 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEC 14 1918 9 08 AM

I, Joseph J. Olivier,

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.

Joseph J. Olivier
(Appointee signs here)

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

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) Carter L. Wade

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires Continues until revoked by Governor

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper in the Light-house Service	$900 p.a.	Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana.
Former First Asst.Kpr.in the Lighthouse Service	$600 p.a.	do.

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

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

Office of [redacted] Eighth District

New Orleans, La., December 11, 1918.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on November 1, 1918.
(Date)

CARDED

(Signature, following) SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES

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

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

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

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

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

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

11—944

GENERAL APPOINTMENT FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

November 19, 1918.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Nine Hundred dollars per annum

effective November 1, 1918.

By promotion from first assistant keeper at $600 per annum.

OR BASIS OF THIS ACTION SEE
LETTER DATED 11-15-18
IN FILE OF 1095-8

CARDED

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

NOV 21 1918

(Signed) Clifford Hastings

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: New position, (By increase in compensation.)

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

MCC

MEMORANDUM SHOWING LAST DAY SERVED BY TEMPORARY EMPLOYEE

LIGHT
APR 30 1918
HOUSES

APR 30 1918 8 37 AM

(To be filled in immediately after the last day temporary employee serves, signed by the proper official and forwarded to the Secretary of Commerce.)

CHIEF CLERK

APPOINTMENTS
1918 MAY 16 PM 2 11

1918 MAY 16 PM 3 20

Name of employee Joseph J. Olivier.

Designation Laborer in the Lighthouse Service. *Compensation* $456 p.a.

Place of employment Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana.

Date of appointment: Jan.25,1918, effective Jan.18,1918, for period not to exceed 30 days from date of establishment of eligible register for Asst.Kpr.

Last day served April 19, 1918.

APPT. DIVISION
MAY 17 1918
DEPARTMENT OF COM

CARDED

Inspector, 8th Lighthouse District.
(*Official title.*)

Date April 27, 1918.

Lighthouse Service
(*Bureau or service.*)

11—2876

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

LIGHT HOUSES MAY 7 1918

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

MAY 7 1918 9 07 AM

I, Joseph J. Olivier, CHIEF CLERK

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.

Joseph J. Olivier
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 7th day of May, A. D. 191 8.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) O. O. Pardoel

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires June, 1918.

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present 1st Asst.Kpr. in the L.H.Service	$600 p.a.	Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana.
Former [5] Probationary appointment.		

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

MCC

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, 8th District

New Orleans, La., May 3, 1918.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on April 20, 1918.
(Date)

R R Dunn
(Signature, followed by title) Inspector.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.
[2] Insert here "sworn to" or "affirmed," as the case may be.
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[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

11—944

CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 20, 1918.

Mr. Joseph J. Olivier,

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, First Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Six Hundred dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Joseph M. Tomasovich.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

(See reverse side.)

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT.

New Orleans, La., April 16, 1918.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

APPOINTMENTS

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, **Joseph J. Olivier** 1918 APR 20 PM 12 13 Legal residence, **Louisiana.**

Position, **First Assistant Keeper in the Light-house Service.** Salary, **$600 per annum.**

Location, **Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana.** Appropriation, **Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.**

Effective **April 20, 1918,** {the date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

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Former position, - - - - Former salary, - - - - -

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN APR 20 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Location, - - - -

Rank on eligible list, Third. Rating, **Assistant Keeper.** Percentage, **80** , Other eligibles considered:

Julius Snow, C; John C. Kraemer, C. (See remarks.)

Previous incumbent, Joseph M. Tomasovich. Services terminated, **January 10, 1918.**

Reason, **Resigned.**

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Owing to the isolation of this light station and the consequent difficulty this office has in maintaining the full authorized complement of keepers, selection has been made from among the three eligibles living nearest to the vicinity of the light who have signified their willingness to accept employment in any part of the 8th District. There is no suitable person in the Service who desires transfer to this position. Quarters are not provided for the family of the 1st Assistant Keeper. Joseph J. Olivier has been serving as temporary laborer at this station since January 18, 1918, pending the establishment of a register of eligibles for assistant keeper.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission April 17, 1918.

E. H. Armsby
Secretary, 10 Civil Service District.

Inspector.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR 20 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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E. H. Armsby
Acting Commissioner

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

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March 23, 1918.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 22nd instant, the Department has amended its order temporarily appointing Joseph J. Oliver to the position of laborer at Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana, at $456 per annum, by changing the surname of the appointee from Oliver to Olivier.

The notice of appointment addressed to Mr. Olivier under date of January 25, 1918, has been amended accordingly and is returned herewith.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) W. S. GILCHRIST

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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MAR 20 1918
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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
1918 MAR 20 PM 3 00

March 18, 1918.

Joseph J. Olivier,
appointment.

OFFICE OF
CHIEF CLERK

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The Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Returned herewith, for correction, is Department letter dated January 25, 1918, appointing Joseph J. Oliver as temporary laborer at Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana, at $456 per annum, effective January 18, 1918.

Under date of March 16, 1918, Mr. Olivier advised this office that his correct surname is "Olivier" instead of "Oliver". His oath of office and personal question sheet have been forwarded to the Bureau, showing his surname to be "Olivier".

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In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

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Superintendent.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Bureau of Lighthouses,
March 22, 1918.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information, there being inclosed, in triplicate, Department letter of January 25, 1918 for amendment.

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Acting Commissioner

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

CARDED

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR 14 1918 New Orleans, La.

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

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

Mr. Joseph Jules Olivier

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

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

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

4. Position to which appointed Laborer.

5. Compensation $456 per annum.

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

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

Temporary appointment without examination.

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

Morgan City (City or town.) Louisiana (State or Territory.) St Mary Parish (County.) Third (Congressional district.)

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

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

11. Where were you born? Morgan City Louisiana

12. When were you born? June (Month.) 23rd (Day.) 1890. (Year.)

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

14. What is your marital condition? Married.

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

Mrs. Hazel Olivier (Name.) 3026 South California Ave (Number and street.)

Chicago (City or town.) Illinois (State or Territory.)

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

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

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

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

Varicose Veins left leg.

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

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

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

NO.

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

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

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

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

22. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? ..... (If answer is "Yes," give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Relationship (widow or orphan) No

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

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

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

Clerical Work - and Fireman in Fire Department.

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

St Stanislaus College
Bay St Louis Mississippi

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

General Office Work

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

None

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

Yes -

Date, ..., 191

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

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(Signature) Joseph Jules Ohmer

P. O. Address: Morgan City
City or town.

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Number and street.

Louisiana
State or Territory.

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

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded March 14, 1918.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector

(Signature) E. S. Lamphier

(Official title) Supt., 8th Lighthouse District.

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

APPOINTMENTS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1918 MAR 21 PM 2 35

I, Joseph J. Oliver,

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.

Joseph J. Oliver
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 12th day of March, A. D. 1918.

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) L. D. Pecot

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires April 16th 1918

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present: Laborer in the Light-house Service	$456 p.a.	Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana.
Former [5]: Temporary appointment for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of establishment of a register of eligibles for the position of assistant keeper.		

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

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OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT

New Orleans, La., March 18, 1918.
(Address) (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on January 18, 1918.
(Date)

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector

E. J. Lanphier.
(Signature, followed by title) Superintendent.

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 25, 1918.

Mr. Joseph J. Oliver.

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, Laborer at Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana, in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Four Hundred and Fifty-six dollars per annum, effective January 18, 1918.

Your appointment will continue for a period not to exceed thirty days from the date of establishment of a register of eligibles for the position of assistant keeper.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: New position.

Legal Residence: Louisiana.

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JAN 25 1918

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Eighth DISTRICT,

New Orleans, La., January 18, 1918.
(City.) (Date.)

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THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Temporary appointment for a period not to exceed 30 days from date of certification of eligibles for permanent appointment.

Name, Joseph J. Oliver. Legal residence, Louisiana.

Position, Laborer in the Lighthouse Service. (Pay of 3rd alt) Salary, $456 p.a. without rations.

Location, Ship Shoal Light Station, Louisiana. Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective January 18, 1918, { the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, - - - Former salary, - - -

Location, - -

APPOINTMENTS DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JAN 25 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Appointments Division JAN 24 1918

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

TEMPORARY.

Previous incumbent, New position. Services terminated, - - -

Appointments Division JAN 25 1918

Reason, Pending certification of eligibles for the vacancy caused by resignation of 1st Assistant Keeper Joseph M. Tomasovich effective January 10, 1918.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Joseph J. Oliver has never served under any branch of the Department of Commerce. Due to the necessity for maintaining the full authorized complement at Ship Shoal Light Station, Mr. Oliver was assigned to duty on January 18, 1918.

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

E. H. Thurman
Secretary, 10 Civil Service District.

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Inspector.

TEMPORARY
Pending the establishment of a register of eligibles.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

JAN 23 1918

APPROVED (new position):

A. L. Thurman
Acting Secretary.

Elmer Dover
Acting Commissioner

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