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Date: 05/01/2026

## REQUESTER INFORMATION

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

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

| Name used in Service (Please Print – Last, First, Middle) | Service Number/SSN | Date & Place of Birth |
|---|---|---|
| Pagels, John | | |

## MILITARY SERVICE

Branch of Service:
- ☐ Air Force
- ☐ Army Air Corps
- ☐ Army Air Force
- ☐ Army
- ☐ Marine Corps
- ☐ Navy
- ☐ Coast Guard
- ☐ Unknown

Type of Rank:
- ☐ Enlisted
- ☐ Officer
- ☐ Unknown

Service Period (Check all that apply):
- ☐ 1939 & Prior
- ☐ 1940 - 1950
- ☐ 1950 & After

Date & Place of Death:

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Andrew Burns

## CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location) Lighthouse Service (MD/NJ) 5th 3rd

| From: | To: |
|---|---|
| 1919 | 1921 |

(Agency & Location)

| From: | To: |
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| | |

(Agency & Location)

| From: | To: |
|---|---|
| | |

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

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## STAFF USE ONLY

Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Attendant Signature:

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APRIL 1952
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# REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL PERSONNEL FOLDER
(SEPARATED EMPLOYEE)

Submit in duplicate to the Federal Records Center, St. Louis, Mo.

1. DATE OF REQUEST: 13 January 1959

## SECTION I—TO BE COMPLETED BY REQUESTING OFFICE

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FEDERAL RECORDS CENTER

General Services Administration
Records Management Service, Region 6
Federal Records Center
1724 Locust Street
St. Louis 3, Mo.

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| 2. NAME (*Last, first, middle*) | 3. NAME UNDER WHICH FORMERLY EMPLOYED FEDERALLY (*If other than item 2*) | 4. DATE OF BIRTH |
|---|---|---|
| Pagels, John | | 5-21-1879 |

5. FORMER FEDERAL EMPLOYING OFFICE (*Agency, bureau or equivalent, address, and dates of employment*)

Lighthouse Service
Maryland
1918 - 1919

(*If formerly employed by agencies in addition to above, list under item 7*)

6. PERSONNEL FOLDER ACTION (*Check appropriate box*)

- [ ] a. CURRENTLY EMPLOYED. REQUEST TRANSMISSION OF FOLDER COVERING PREVIOUS FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT FOR PERMANENT RETENTION
- [X] b. REQUEST TRANSMISSION OF FOLDER FOR TEMPORARY USE
- [ ] c. CONSOLIDATE ATTACHED PAPERS WITH OFFICIAL PERSONNEL FOLDER PREVIOUSLY FORWARDED

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- [ ] d. FLAGGED, FOLDER TO BE FORWARDED WHEN LOCATED
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9. REMARKS

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TO: Chief, Civilian Personnel Division
ADDRESS: U. S. Coast Guard
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Washington 25, D. C.
ATTN:

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Mr. John Pagels

| LEGAL RESIDENCE |
| --- |
| Virginia |

INACTIVE

Mr. Jno. Pagels

## STATUS

| DESIGNATION | SALARY | BUREAU OR OFFICE | DATE OF EFFECT OF ACTION AUTHORIZED |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Keeper Long Pt. L.H. 5th Dist. Fnd. | $720 | L.H. | July 1, 1919 |
| " Rowes Shoal 3rd Dist. Ny | 840 | " | July 24, 1920 |
| RESIGNED CLOSE OF Sept 30, 1920 | | | |

INACTIVE

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Form 73

NOMINATION

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SPECIAL

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Fifth DISTRICT.

Baltimore, Md. (City.) June 24, 1919 (Date.) 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:
( Thro' Sec'y, 4th Civil Service District)
Action recommended, Probationary appointment

Name, John Pagels — Legal residence, Va.

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

Location, Love Point L.S., Md. — Appropriation, Salaries, Kprs. of Lighthouses

Effective July 1, 1919 } the ~~actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, None — Former salary,

Location,

Rank on eligible list, 2 Rating, Kpr Percentage, 87.8, Other eligibles considered:
Alex. B. Curtis - 89. -FR
S.B. Midgett - 87.6 -C

In connection with appointment of Tyler, Cape Charles L.S., Alex. B. Curtis declined appointment, but asked that he be considered for next appointment. He has, up to present date, failed to reply.

Previous incumbent, Robert Bradshaw Services terminated, Close of June 14, 1919

Reason, Resigned

Members of family in Government Service, 2 Bros, Machinists in Navy

Remarks: Mr. Bradshaw left Service without proper notice, and as Kpr. has been alone at Station since June 14, it is desirous that nominee be appointed as early as practicable.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission, 7-21, 1919

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

H. D. King
Supt. of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUL 22 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1919 JUL 23 AM 11 28

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

July 1, 1919.

Mr. John Pagels,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. .....) issued by the Secretary of the Fourth Civil Service District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD WARNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Robert Bradshaw.

Legal Residence: Virginia.

(See reverse side.)

APPOINTMENT DIVISION RECEIVED JUL 9 1919 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

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Form 111

**OATH OF OFFICE**

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

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CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE AUG 4 1919 SUPT. BALTIMORE
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APPOINTMENTS AUG 14 1919
LIGHT AUG 14 1919 HOUSES

## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, John Pagels

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

☞ John Pagels
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this[3] 4th day of August, A. D. 1919

(Affix official seal here)

[4](Name) M. L. Kaynor

(Official title) Notary Public

My commission expires May 1920

| Official Title | Rate of Pay (base) | Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment. |
|---|---|---|
| Present Keeper | $ 720. p.a. | Love Point Light Station, Md. |
| Former[5] ----- | ------- | ---------- |

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

Office of Lighthouse ~~Inspector~~ Supt., 5th District

Baltimore, Md. (Address), August 13, 1919 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on July 1, 1919 (Date)

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

Supt. of Lighthouses

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Supt.
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File Clk.
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File

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

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

[3] The oath may be taken any time 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

(CROSS REFERENCE)

July 30, 1919.

Under date of July 18, 1919, the Superintendent of the 5th Lighthouse District reports the date of effect of the Appointment of John Engels

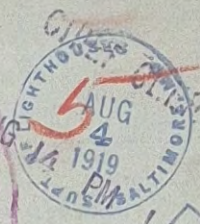
EOD July 1, 1919

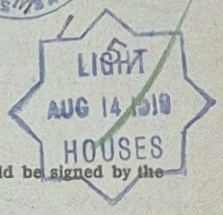
x Filed P. O'Meara

# DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

## PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET




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

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

John Pagels

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

John Pagels

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

Light house Service | Fifth dist'r | ——

Bureau or Service. | Place (city, town, station, or vessel). | District.

4. Position to which appointed Assist Keeper

5. Compensation 720.

6. Appropriation from which paid 960. Sal. L. H. Service

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.)

C. S. Examination 1919

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

Broadwater | Nebr | Northampton | ——

City or town. | State or Territory. | County. | 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.

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

11. Where were you born? West Sayville Long Island New York

12. When were you born? May | 21 | 1874

Month. | Day. | Year.

13. If foreign born, state when and where naturalization papers were taken out no

14. What is your marital condition? good

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

John Pagels Jr | ——

Name. | Number and street.

West Sayville | New York

City or town. | State or Territory.

Supt.
1 A Supt.
Chief Cl.
2 A Supt.
3 A Supt.
4 A Supt.
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File Clk.
Stenog.
Messenger
File

16. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? Yes

(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. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| William Pagels | Brooklyn N.Y. | Position machinist | Navy Brother | single |
| | | Department or office | | |
| Gus Pagels | Brooklyn N.Y. | Position Machinest | Navy " | " |
| | | Department or office | | |
| | | Position | | |
| | | Department or office | | |

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

no

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

| Department. | Bureau or Service. | Position. | Salary. | Appointed. | Separated. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | none | | | | |
| | | | | | |
| | | | | | |

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. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | none | | |
| | | | |

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. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | none | | |
| | | | |

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) none

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service none

| Company and regiment, or vessel. | Date enlisted. | Date discharged. | Cause of discharge. |
|---|---|---|---|
| | none | | |
| | | | |

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, 21.)

Steamer sailboat motorboats

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

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Public school

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

None

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

Keeper - Apl. 1919

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, Augt, 1919

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) John Pacek

P. O. Address: Love Point
City or town.

Number and street.

Md.
State or Territory.

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(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 August 13, 1919, 191

(Signature) H D King

(Official title) Supt. of Lighthouses JCR

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Form 93

MEM

**NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH**

LIGHT APR 5 1920 HOUSES

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE**

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE ~~INSPECTOR~~ Supt. 5th [redacted] DISTRICT,

Baltimore, Md., April 3, 1920 , 191

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, John Pagels — Position, Keeper (Asst.)

Legal residence, Va. — Station, Love Point L.S.,Md.

Salary, $ 720. per annum

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The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of April 30, 1920

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

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**Remarks:** Letter of resignation attached. Nomination for suitable appointee to succeed Mr. Pagels will be made as early as practicable.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN APR 8 - 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

King

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

**BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES**

**WASHINGTON**

APR - 5 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Conway

Acting Commissioner

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BALTIMORE, MD.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHT HOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES APR 5 1920

U.S. DEPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES APR 3 1920 BALTIMORE, MD.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Love Point Md.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 31, 1920

Superintendent.
Sir

From John Pagels Assitant Keeper of Love Point Md.

Subject Resignation

I hearby request to be resigned from the Light House service on May 1/1920 owen to a better position

John Pagels
Asst Keeper

Thru Keeper
Charles H Jensen

Rec'd accept
Send transportation and
register for success

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 8, 1920.

Mr. John Pagels,

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 April 30, 1920.

Bureau..... Lighthouse Service.

Station..... Love Point Light Station, Maryland.

Position..... Keeper.

Salary..... $720. per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION RECEIVED APR 8 - 1920 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

Fifth District
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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

# DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

## LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES APR 10 1920

MEM

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

APPOINTMENTS

April 9, 1920.

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D.C.

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Subject: Withdrawal of resignation, John Pagels, Asst. Kpr., Love Pt.
Reference: Form 93, April 3. Enclosure.

1. Forwarded herewith is letter from Mr. John Pagels, Assistant Keeper, Love Point Light Station, who desires to withdraw his request for resignation. It is recommended that resignation of Mr. Pagels be withdrawn, as desired by him.

King

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION BALTIMORE APR 13 1920 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

JEH-EBD
2 Inclosures.

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.
April 10, 1920.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval. Inclosed is Department letter of April 8, 1920, accepting the resignation of Pagels, which it is requested be cancelled.

CARDED

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Conway

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

4/12/20

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BALTIMORE, MD.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

U.S. LIGHTHOUSES
APR 9 1920
BALTIMORE, MD.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Love Point
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

April 8, 1920

LIGHT
APR 10
HOUSES

Supt of Lighthouse
Baltimore Md.

Sir.

I respectfully state that I desire to withdraw my resignation and remaining in my present position as I have consider it is better for me in the long run to remain in the service rather then work for some other concern hoping that for it will be satisfactory to you sir.

respectfully
John Pagels
asst Keeper

Thru keeper.
Charles H Glasgow

Supt. ✓
1 A Supt.
Chief Cl.
2 A Supt.
3 A Supt.
4 A Supt.
Mess.
1 Draftsman
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Bureau..... Lighthouse Service.

Station..... Love Point Light Station, Maryland.

Position..... Keeper.

Salary..... $720. per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Clifford Harding

Chief of Appointment Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
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April 8, 1920.

Mr. John Pagels,

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 April 30, 1920.

Bureau..... Lighthouse Service.
Station..... Love Point Light Station, Maryland.
Position..... Keeper.
Salary..... $720. per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

Fifth District
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# DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
## LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Third DISTRICT,

1920 JUL 10 AM 10 32

Tompkinsville, N. Y., July 7, 1920, 19
(City.) (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

**Action recommended,** Transfer and promotion.

Name, John Pagels — Legal residence, Virginia

Position, Keeper — Salary, $840.00 p.a.

Location, Romer Shoal Lt.Sta.,N.Y. (3d Dist) — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective July 24,1920 — {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

APPOINTMENTS

**Former position,** Keeper — Former salary, $720. p.a.

Location, Love Point Lt.Sta.,Md. (5th District)

1920 JUL 10 AM 11 43

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

**Previous incumbent,** Lauria J.Mcreney — Services terminated, June 7,1920

Reason, Resigned

**Members of family in Government Service,**

**Remarks:** Letter from Mr.Pagels requesting this transfer attached hereto.

JGS 7/10/20

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 19 For and in the absence of the Supt.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JUL 12 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Secretary. Civil Service District. 1st Asst.Supt.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUL 8 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JUL 12 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

COPY

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR 32 DIST. JUL 9 1920 RECEIVED TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Love Point, Md.,
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

July 5, 1920.

LIGHT HOUSES JUL 8 1920

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Maryland.

Sir:

I respectfully state that I will accept the position as 1st Assistant Keeper at Romer Shoal Light Station, New York, Lower Bay, and when directed I will report for duty at that station as soon as practicable thereafter.

Please inform me of shipping point to that station.

Respectfully,

(S) John Pagels

Assistant Keeper.

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Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Md., July 6, 1920.

1. Forwarded to Superintendent of Lighthouses, Tompkinsville, N. Y., for his information and such action as desired. If Mr. Pagels is nominated for transfer to Romer Shoal please give this office all the notice practicable. In the absence of other instructions it is assumed that Mr. Pagels will be desired to report to the Lighthouse Depot, Tompkinsville, and that his personal effects may be shipped to the same point.

H. D. King

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 12, 1920.

M r. John Pagels,

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 $840. per annum, effective July 24, 1920, or as soon thereafter as you enter upon duty.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT AUG 10 1920

OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

August 9,1920

SUBJECT: Effective date of changes in personnel in 3rd District.
REFERENCE: Department letter of May 19,1918.

1. The Bureau is advised that the effective dates of recent changes in the personnel of the Third Lighthouse District, are as follows:-

| Name | Position | Salary | Nature of Change | Letter Date | Effective date. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John Pagels | Keeper | $840.00 p.a. | Transferred | 7-15-20 | 7-24-20 |

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J. Pagels

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
AUG 10 1920

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

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E. C. Gillette
Acting Commissioner

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**NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH**

LIGHTHOUSES

1920 SEP 17 AM 11 58

**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

**LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE**

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Third. DISTRICT,

Tompkinsville, N.Y. September 16, 1920. , 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

CHIEF CLERK

1920 SEP 18 PM 3 49

Name, John Pagels Position, Keeper.

Legal residence, New York. Station, Romer Shoal Light Station, N.Y.

Salary, $840.00 per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of September 30,1920.

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

**Remarks:**

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE. SEP 22 1920 APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN

J. T. Yates

Supt. 3rd L.H. District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

SEP 17 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN SEP 22 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

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Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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INTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR
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THIRD DISTRICT

Romer Shoal Light Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Aug 30, 1920

V Superintendent of Light-house
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LIGHTHOUSES
1920
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From John Pagels 1st Asst Keeper
of Romer Shoal Light Station New York.

Subject: Resignation.

I hearby request to be resigned
from the light house service on Oct 1, 1920

Please hold my check I will call at the
office for it.

Respectfully
John Pagels
1st Asst Keeper

V C S
Mrs

Forwarded

H M Carter

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

September 20, 1920.

Mr. John Pagels,

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 September 30, 1920.

Bureau..... Lighthouse Service.

Station..... Romer Shoal Light Station, N. Y.

Position..... Keeper.

Salary..... $840 per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

CARDED

Respectfully,

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED SEP 2 1920

(SIGNED) H. M. CROSS

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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3rd Dist.

REPORT DATA ENTERED




# DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

## PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

**This form shall be furnished for each person appointed in the service of the Department immediately upon entrance on duty.**

**The information called for in Part I shall be filled in by the Bureau or Office to which the employee is assigned, after which the form shall be transmitted to the employee for answers to the questions in Part II. The completed form shall be indorsed by the proper Bureau officer and forwarded to the Department for file.**

### PART I.

1. Name of employee John A. Pagels

2. Position to which appointed Keeper

3. Bureau or Service Lighthouse Service, District Third

4. Place of duty Romer Shoal Light Station, N.Y.
(City, town, station, or vessel.)

5. Salary $840 per annum

6. Appropriation from which paid Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

7. Manner of appointment. (Examples: "From stenographer and typewriter examination, ———, 19—;" "Without examination;" or "By reinstatement;" or "By transfer from ———," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known).

Transferred from 5th District

### PART II.

**THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS ARE TO BE ANSWERED BY THE EMPLOYEE:**

**The statement should be signed by the employee, or, if unable to write, he may sign by mark in the presence of one witness.**

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

Mr. John Pagels

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

John Pagels

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

New York (State or Territory.) Suffolk (County.) West Sayville (City or town.) 16 (Congressional district.)

4. If the legal residence given in answer to question 3 is not the same as that stated in the certificate of appointment, the difference should be explained.

Change my residence when transfer

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

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6. Where were you born? West Sayville Long Island New York

7. When were you born? May (Month.) 21 (Day.) 1877 (Year.)

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

9. What is your marital condition? (Answer "single," "married," "widowed," or "divorced.")

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

John Pagels (Name.) (Number and street.)

West Sayville (City or town.) Long Island New York. (State or Territory.)

11. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? (Answer "yes" or "no.") No. If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

| Name. | Post-office address. | Position and department or office in which employed. | Relationship. | Married or single. |
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12. Have you any physical disabilities? (Answer "yes" or "no.") No. If so, describe fully. (If you have defective eyesight, state whether corrected by glasses.) No.

13. Do you hold any State or municipal office? (Answer "yes" or "no.") No. If so, state name of such office and compensation attached.

14. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during any war? (Answer "yes" or "no.") No. If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

| Company and regiment, or vessel. | Date enlisted. | Date discharged. | Cause of discharge. |
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15. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States other than during war time, indicate such service in the spaces below.

| Company and regiment, or vessel. | Date enlisted. | Date discharged. | Cause of discharge. |
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| None | | | |
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16. Have you ever held any other position in the civil service of the United States? (Answer "yes" or "no.") No. If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

| Department. | Bureau or Service. | Position. | Salary. | Appointed. | Separated. |
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17. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? (Answer "yes" or "no.") no If so, state in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.

| Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service. | Relationship to you. |
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| Company and regiment, or vessel. | Date enlisted. | Date discharged. | Cause of discharge. |
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18. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States service? (It is intended that the answer to this question shall state briefly the lines of work followed by you before receiving your present appointment, with the exception of your service indicated in answer to questions 13, 14, 15, and 16.)

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19. What education have you received? (State the grades of schools you have attended, and, if you have attended schools of higher grade than high schools, give the institution, degrees received, and date in each case. Example: Public school; high school; business college; Cornell University, A. B., 1910; Columbia University, LL. B., 1913.)

Public school 8th grade

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

none

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

None

22. Were the answers to the foregoing questions written by you? (Answer "yes" or "no.") yes If not, state the name and address of the person who wrote them for you.

Date, Aug 3, 1920

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) John Pogela

(Present address) West Sayville Long Island N.Y.
(Number and street.)

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

## INDORSEMENT.

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

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded ....., 19.....

(Signature) .....

(Official title) .....

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LIGHTHOUSES

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE 1920 SEP 23 AM 8 06
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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September 20, 1920.

Mr. John Pagels,

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 September 30, 1920.

Bureau..... Lighthouse Service.

Station..... Romer Shoal Light Station, N. Y.

Position..... Keeper.

Salary..... $840 per annum.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) H. M. CROSS

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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3rd Dist.

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NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Third. DISTRICT,

Tompkinsville, N.Y. September 16, 1920. , 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

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

Name, John Pagels Position, Keeper.

Legal residence, New York. Station, Romer Shoal Light Station, N.Y.

Salary, $840.00 per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of September 30, 1920.

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

**Remarks:**

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J. T. YATES

Supt. 3rd L.H. District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE.

Third District.

Romer Shoal Light Station.

Augl 30, 1920.

Superintendent of Lighthouse,

Sir:-

From John Pagels, 1st Ass't. Keeper of Romer Shoal Light Station, New York.

Subject: Resignation.

I hereby request to be resigned from the light house service on October 1, 1920.

Please hold my check I will call at the office for it.

Respectfully,

(signed.) JOHN PAGELS.

las. Ass't. Keeper.

Forwarded (signed.) H. R. McCARTHY.

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Sept. 15, 1920.

John Fagels, 1st. Ass't. Kpr.
Through the Keeper,
Romer Shoal Light Station,
Tompkinsville, N.Y.

SUBJECT: Resignation.
REFERENCE: Your letter August 30th, 1920.

1. Your letter dated August 30th, 1920, resigning your position as First Assistant Keeper of Romer Shoal Light Station, has been received and forwarded to Washington, with recommendation that same be accepted, effective at the close of September 30th. 1920.

FOR AND IN THE ABSENCE
OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

F. W. Ockenfels.

WJL/EJC.

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September 14th, 1920.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Fifth District,
Baltimore, Md.

SUBJECT: Pay check of John Pagels.

REFERENCE: Your letter of Sept. 11th, 1920, File No. GI-ICA.

This office has no record of having received the pay check of John Pagels referred to in your letter above.

J.T.YATES

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

September 11, 1920.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Tompkinsville, New York.

Subject: Pay check, John Pagels.

1. On or about August 3rd, this office forwarded pay check for sefvices in July in this district to John Pagels, Romer Shoal Light Station, care of your office. Mr. Pagel informs this office that he has not yet received the check. Please advise this office whether this check was ever received by you.

King

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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THIRD DISTRICT

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
3D DIST.
SEP 10 11 19 1920
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TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

Per — Has to be transferred to Execution Rocks
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Corner Shoal Lt. Sta
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sep. 10, 1920

Superintendent of Light Houses
Tompkinsville N. Y.

In the event of a Transfer been made or his resignation been accepted in the Case of John Eagles 1st Ass't Keeper resigned.

I request and recommend that H. A. Storey, be advanced to 1st Asst.

Storey has merited this promotion by Effiecency and Strict attention to duty.

Henry K. McCarthy
Keeper.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

THIRD DISTRICT

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE 2D DIST.
SEP 16 1920
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TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

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Superintendent of Lighthouse
Tompkinsville N. Y.

Rosner Shoal Light Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sept. 9, 1920

Sir:

Subject Transfer,

I request to be transfer on an early date if possible with in 30 days if not, I am compelled to resign if not acted upon.

I allso have send in the following list of light station where, I would like to be transfer, if vacancy if not my resignation will take effected immediately there upon.

Respectfully
John Pagels
1st. Asst Keeper.

Approved
H. K. McCarthy
Keeper

A resignation previously
send for above date accepted
pro for acceptance of Sept 30
& Pagels so advised
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COPY:SS

Romer Shoal Light Station,
September 1st, 1920.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Md.

Sir:

I was requested by the Superintendent of Third District to have my physical examination paper of which I have left at Love Point Light Station so a copy be made of same.

I have wrote to keeper Charlie Larsen and I have not received no reply from him in regards of my physical examination paper.

I left them in the lettersfille at the light station.

Respectfully,
(Signed) John Pagels
1st Asst. Supt.

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September 4, 1920.

1. Forwarded to Keeper, Love Point Light Station, Love Point, Md. for proper action and report to this office when done.

King
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Supt. of Lighthouses, Baltimore, Md.

Sir:

I respectfully state that I on the 15th August sent to Mr. Pagels his physical examination paper upon his request.

Respectfully,
(Signed) Charles Larsen.
Keeper.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

COPY:SS
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Office of Supt. 5th District
Baltimore, Md.

September 7th, 1920.

1. Forwarded to First Assistant Keeper, Romer Shoal Light Station, through Superintendent of Lighthouses, Tompkinsville, N.Y. Keeper of Love Point Light Station reports the within mentioned papers were forwarded care of Superintendent of Lighthouses, Tompkinsville, N.Y.

(Signed) King
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Office of the Superintendent of Lighthouses, 3rd District,
WJL:SS Tompkinsville, N.Y. September 9th, 1920.

Forwarded to John Pagels, 1st Asst. Keeper, Romer Shoal Light Station, Tompkinsville, N.Y. Through the Keeper.

Respectfully
John Pagels
1st Asst Keeper

Henry J. McCarthy
Keeper

ADDRESS COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTORS
2d DIST.
AUG 25 26 27
1920
RECEIVED
TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

THIRD DISTRICT

Romer Shoal Light Sta.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Aug 21, 1920

Per

Superintendent of Lighthouse

Sir —

Your letter at hand would state that I have been examined by the Public Health service at Baltimore Maryland I left my Physical examination paper at Love Point Light station.

I am waiting upon the keeper of Love Point to forward them to me if not in due time I will notify the Superintendent of the 5th District to forward the same.

Respectfully
John Pagels
1st Asst Keeper

Henry T. McCarthy
Keeper

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John Pagels, 1st Asst.Keeper,
Through the Keeper,
Romer Shoal Light Station,
Tompkinsville, N. Y.

Aug.17,1920

SUBJECT: Physical examination.
REFERENCE: Letter from this office dated July 27,1920.

1. Under date of July 27,1920, this office wrote you as follows:-

"Advise this office by return mail whether or not you have, since entering the Lighthouse Service, been examined by the Public Health Service to determine whether or not you were entitled to free medical relief by that service. If you have been examined, forward the record of your examination (Form 206) to this office, so a copy can be made of same."

2. You are directed to submit reply to above-mentioned letter by return mail.

J. T. YATES.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
3D DISTRICT, TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

August 9,1920

SUBJECT: Effective date of changes in personnel in 3rd District.
REFERENCE: Department letter of May 19,1918.

1. The Bureau is advised that the effective dates of recent changes in the personnel of the Third Lighthouse District, are as follows:-

| Name | Position | Salary | Nature of Change | Letter Date | Effective date. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| John Pagels | Keeper | $840.00 p.a. | Transferred | 7-15-20 | 7-24-20 |

Romer Shoal

J. T. YATES.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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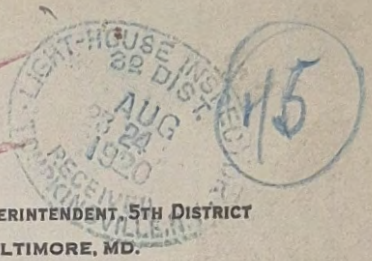


OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

August 23, 1920.

Mr. John Pagels,
Romer Shoal L. S.,
Through Supt. of Lighthouses,
Tompkinsville, New York.

Subject: Checks.
Reference: Your letter, August 21, 1920.

1. You are informed that check in amount of $71.68 covering your services at Love Point Light Station from July 1st to July 23rd, 1920, was forwarded to you on August 4th, in care of Superintendent of Lighthouses, Tompkinsville, N. Y.

2. In the event that this check does not turn up within a reasonable time, again notify this office and steps will be taken to issue a duplicate thereof.

*H. D. King*

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Copy to Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Tompkinsville, N.Y.

For his information.

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Office of the Superintendent of Lighthouses, 3rd District,
WJL:SS Tompkinsville, N.Y. August 26th, 1920.

Forwarded to John Pagels, 1st Asst. Keeper, Romer Shoal Light Station, Tompkinsville, N.Y. (Through the Keeper)

J. T. YATES

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Henry R. McCarthy, Keeper,
Romer Shoal Light Station,
Tompkinsville, N. Y.

August 5,1920

SUBJECT: Leave - Asst.Keeper Pagels.
REFERENCE: Form 76, dated August 1,1920.

1. You are advised it is unnecessary to submit Form 76 for leave, provided the keepers at Romer Shoal Light Station do not exceed the allowance of eight days for each month of service. Form 76 submitted by Asst.Keeper Pagels for 8 days leave has therefore been cancelled.

For and in the absence of the Supt.

F. W. Ockenfels
1st Asst. Supt.

LIBERTY OR LEAVE OF ABSENCE OF KEEPERS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR 3RD DIST. AUG AUG 1920 RECEIVED TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

## REQUEST

Roner Shoal (Station.), Aug 1, 192 0

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 3 Rd DISTRICT:

I respectfully request that I be granted 8 days of shore liberty or leave, from August 9 to 17, inclusive, 1920. I have had no days shore liberty or leave to date during this calendar year.

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

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

(Name.), (P. O. Address.)

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

West Sayville (Street or R. F. D. Route.), Long Island (City.), New York. (State.)

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

Henry L. McCarthy
*Keeper in charge.*

John Pagels
(Applicant's signature.)

1st Asst Keeper
(Title.)

## AUTHORITY

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, ..... DISTRICT, ....., 191

The above application for shore liberty or leave is hereby approved for ..... days, from ..... to ....., inclusive, 191 .

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

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*Inspector, ..... Lighthouse District.*

## FINAL REPORT

Absence begun: At ..... M. (State nearest hour.), 191 .

Returned to duty: At ..... M. (State nearest hour.), 191 .

Period of absence: ..... days.

Period charged: ..... days.

Certified correct and forwarded.

John Pagels
(Applicant's signature.)

1st Asst Keeper
(Title.)

.....
*Keeper in charge.*

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Form 76

SHORE LIBERTY OR LEAVE OF ABSENCE OF KEEPER

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

## REQUEST

Romer Shoal, Aug 1, 192

(Station.)

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 3rd DISTRICT:

I respectfully request that I be granted 8 days of shore liberty or leave, from August 9 to 17, inclusive, 1920. I have had none days shore liberty or leave to date during this calendar year.

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

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

_____, _____
(Name.) (P. O. Address.)

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

West Sayville Long Island, New York
(Street or R. D. Route.) (City.) (State.)

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

Henry T. McCarthy
*Keeper in charge.*

John Pagels
(Applicant's signature.)

1st Asst Keeper
(Title.)

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

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*Inspector, _____ Lighthouse District.*

## FINAL REPORT

Absence begun: At _____ M. _____, 191 .
(State nearest hour.)

Returned to duty: At _____ M. _____, 191 .
(State nearest hour.)

Period of absence: _____ days.

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Certified correct and forwarded.

Henry T. McCarthy
*Keeper in charge.*

John Pagels
(Applicant's signature.)

1st Asst Keeper
(Title.)

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John Pagels, 1st Asst.Keeper, July 27,1920
Through the Keeper,
Romer Shoal Light Station,
Tompkinsville,N.Y.

SUBJECT: Physical examination.

1. Advise this office by return mail whether or not you have, since entering the Lighthouse Service, been examined by the Public Health Service to determine whether or not you were entitled to free medical relief by that service. If you have been examined, forward the record of your examination (Form 206) to this office, so a copy can be made of same.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. W. Ockentels
1st Asst. Superintendent

Pagels resigned
9-30-20

Saturday - July 24th




Following men to go by patrol tender

to light stations:-

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| John Pagels. | Romer Shoal | 1st Asst |
| Wm.N.Roberts | Old Orchard | 2nd Asst. |

OK
Myles
7/24/20 wkt

Orks.

Pere-M
V. C.

7/23/20

Master

Airborne L V

The bearer, John Pagels, and K H Kuper will stay on Airborne today. Put in bill for any meals furnished in usual manner.

Ada.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

# DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

## LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
5TH DIST.
JUL 24 1920
RECEIVED
TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

July 23, 1920.

MEM

Initials
Ltr sent to Pagels
at Rowes

1. Returned to Superintendent of Lighthouses, Tompkinsville, N.Y., as it is believed that Mr. Pagels will have arrived at your office before letter could reach him at Love Point, inasmuch as it was held in this office until the present time.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Pagels
appointment

COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE



OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

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July 23, 1920

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Tompkinsville, N.Y.

Subject: Transfer to 3d Dist., John Pagels, Asst. Kpr.
Reference: Your letter July 7 addressed to John Pagels.

1. Attached hereto is copy of Mr. Pagels' service record card. Mr. Pagels will be removed from the pay roll of this District effective with the close of July 23, 1920.

3. Record of absence will be forwarded at the earliest practicable date.

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Superintendent of Lighthouses.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT
JUL 12 1920
HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 12, 1920.

Mr. John Pagels,
~~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 $840. per annum, effective July 24, 1920, or as soon thereafter as you enter upon duty.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

Third

NOMINATION

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# DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
## LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Third DISTRICT,

Tompkinsville, N. Y. (City.) July 7, 1920 (Date.), 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

**Action recommended,** Transfer and promotion.

Name, John Pagels — Legal residence, Virginia

Position, Keeper — Salary, $840.00 p.a.

Location, Romer Shoal Lt.Sta., N.Y. (3d Dist) — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective July 24,1920 — {the actual date of entrance on duty, or / as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

**Former position,** Keeper — Former salary, $720. p.a.

Location, Love Point Lt.Sta., Md. (5th District)

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

**Previous incumbent,** Lauria J.Morency — Services terminated, June 7,1920

Reason, Resigned

**Members of family in Government Service,**

**Remarks:** Letter from Mr.Pagels requesting this transfer attached hereto.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 19 For and in the absence of the Supt.

VC

Secretary, Civil Service District. — 1st Asst.Supt.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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

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John Pagels, Keeper,
Through Supt.of Lighthouses,5th Dist.,
Baltimore, Md.

July 7,1920

SUBJECT: Transfer to Romer Shoal Lt.Sta.
REFERENCE: Your letter July 5,1920.

1. You are advised you have to-day been nominated for transfer to the position of 1st assistant keeper of Romer Shoal Light Station, and in accordance therewith are hereby directed to report at this Depot before 7 A.M. on July 24,1920, when you will be taken to Romer Shoal Light Station by tender. Transportation charges will be at your own expense. Your personal property may be shipped to this Depot.

For and in the absence of the Supt.

F. W. Ockenfels
1st Asst.Supt.

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FWO-JHG

John Pagels, Keeper,
Through Supt. of Lighthouses, 5th Dist.,
Baltimore, Md.

July 1, 1920

SUBJECT: Transfer to 3rd District.
REFERENCE: Your letter June 25, 1920.

1. There is no vacancy at Fire Island Lt. Sta. at present.
2. There is at present a vacancy in the position of 1st assistant keeper of Romer Shoal Light Station, located off shore in New York Lower Bay. The light is a 4th order I.O.V. flashing, and the fog signal a bell operated by clockwork. The total monthly pay is $103.50 consisting of base pay of $70 per month, ration allowance of 45 cents per day, and temporary increase of $20. per month. Quarters are provided for the three keepers, but not for keeper's families. Family quarters can probably be rented on Staten Island. Advise this office whether or not you would care to be considered for this position, and state how soon you could report for duty if selected.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. W. Ockenfels

1st Asst. Supt.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Lighthouse Service

Fifth District
Love Point, Md.
July 5,1920

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Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Baltimore, Maryland

Sir:-

I respectfully state that I will accept the position as 1st Assistant Keeper at Romer Shoal Light Station, New York Lower Bay, and when directed I will report for duty at that station as soon as practicable thereafter.

Please inform me of shipping point to that station.

Respectfully,

(S) John Pagels

Assistant Keeper.

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ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

# DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

## LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

LIGHT JUN 28 1920 HOUSES

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR 3D DIST. JUN 30 1920 RECEIVED TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

HDK-MEM

June 26, 1920.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Tompkinsville, N.Y. (Thro' Commissioner of Lighthouses)

Subject: Application for transfer, John Pagels.

1. Herewith is enclosed letter of application from Mr. John Pagels, Assistant Keeper, Love Point Light Station. There is enclosed also a copy of Mr. Pagels' service record card. I think highly of Mr. Pagels, who is considered to be one of the most promising of the recently appointed assistants, and recommend that favorable consideration be given to the transfer request, upon the occurrence of suitable vacancy.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JUN 29 1920

Forwarded:

Acting Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

FIFTH DISTRICT

Love Point Md.

(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 25, 1920

Supt of Light House
Baltimore Md.

Sir —

Subject Transfered.

My idea of writing this letter to you is that I would like to be transfered to the third District if possible owing to the fact that:

1. My parents are living a great distance away. and it is inconvenient to travel back and forword.

2 My parents are very old and they prefer me living closes at home.

3. in order for me to remain in the service I would like to be transfered to Fire Island or a station very near my home. which is at West Sayville Long Island New York.

4. I would except any light in that district.

Respectfully
John Pagels
Assist Light house Keeper

there Keeper
Charles Larsen