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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
Peel, Reginald, A.		1898 NC

MILITARY SERVICE

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

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

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

Date & Place of Death: 1974 NJ

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) 5th dist	From: 1920	To: 1921
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:
(Agency & Location)	From:	To:

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

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STAFF USE ONLY

Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

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Attendant Signature:

CMRS Search Request Number(s):

Remarks: Submitted to Arch Search 4/13/26 KA

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- ☐ Items Removed and User Informed
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- Total Requests:
- Screened Items:
- ☐ Additional charge outs and signatures on reverse side
- Time Out:
- Final Return:

Mr. Reginald A. Peel.

Mr. Reginald A. Peel

LEGAL RESIDENCE
N. C.

INACTIVE

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SALARY	BUREAU OR OFFICE	DATE OF EFFECT OF ACTION AUTHORIZED
Add'l Keeper at Large.	$720	L. H.	May 17, 1919
Keeper. (Trans.) Jones Pt. L.H. Sta.	$720	"	Sept 25, 1919
" (") Coney Pt. L.H. Sta.	$660	" Canceled	
RESIGNED CLOSE OF June 30, 1920			

INACTIVE

Form 73

MEM

MAY 7 1919 8 41 AM

NOMINATION

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LIGHT HOUSES MAY 8 1919

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Supt.
OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 5th DISTRICT.

Baltimore, Md. (City.) May 1, 1919 (Date.), 191

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

Action recommended, Probationary appointment

APPOINTMENTS
1919 MAY 9 AM 11 06
CHIEF CLERK

Name, Reginald A. Peel — Legal residence, N.C.

Position, Additional Keeper at Large — Salary, $ 720. p.a.

Location, Fifth District — Appropriation, Salaries, Lighthouse Service

1919 MAY 9 AM 9 29

Effective May 16, 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, 1 — Rating, Kpr — Percentage, 91.4, Other eligibles considered:
Alex. B. Curtis - 89.-C
John Pagels - 87.8-C

Previous incumbent, (New position) — Services terminated,
S Zapr 3/19

Reason,

Members of family in Government Service, Brother - Surfman, Coast Guard Ser.
Father - Retired Kpr. " " "

Remarks: Services of Mr. Peel as Add'l Kpr. will be first needed at Cove Point L.S., to relieve Mr. Stowe, who will be on three month's leave without pay.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission, May 6, 1919

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

APPT. DIV. MAY 9 - 1919 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

J. D. Rudhead
Supt. ~~xxxxfxkixxkxxx~~ Chief Clerk

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAY 7 - 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1919 MAY 8 PM 4 01

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

May 9, 1919.

M r. Reginald A. Peel,

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, Additional 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,

CARDED

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

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G

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: New position.

Legal Residence: North Carolina.
Fifth District.

(See reverse side.)

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAY 10 1919 DEPT. JOURNAL OF COMMERCE 11—5250

C. S. REPORT DATA
ENTERED

MAY 19 1919 8 37 AM

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

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SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES MAY 17 1919 BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

APPOINTMENTS MAY 19 1919

LIGHT MAY 19 1919 HOUSES

I, Reginald A. Peel

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.

1919 MAY 19 PM 2 13

Reginald A Peel
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 17th day of May, A. D. 1919

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) H. Rutherford

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

My commission expires _____

Supt.
1 A Supt.
Chief Cl.
2 A Supt.
3 A Supt.
4 A Supt.
Mech.
1 Drafts
2 Drafts
Engineer.
Accounts
Ordering
Personnel
Gen'l Kpg.
File Clk.
Stenog.
Messenger
File

Official Title	Rate of Pay (base)	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Additional Keeper	$ 720.p.a.	Fifth District
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), May 17, 1919 (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on May 17, 1919 (Date)

CARDED

1919 MAY 19 AM 10 48

A. D. King
(Signature followed by title) Supt. 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.

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LIGHT HOUSES MAY 19 1919
DEPARTMENTS MAY 20 1919
CARD

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.)

Reginald Armstrong Peel

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

R. A. Peel

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

Baltimore M.D. Fifth District

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

4. Position to which appointed Additional Keeper

5. Compensation $840. p.a.

6. Appropriation from which paid Lighthouse Department

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.)

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

Manteo Dare Co.

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? Okaltoak N.C.

12. When were you born? April 14 1898

Month. Day. Year.

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

14. What is your marital condition? ~~good~~ single

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

E. H. Peel — [illegible]

Name. Number and street.

Manteo N.C.

City or town. State or Territory.

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.
C. O. Peel		Position Surgeon Department or office	Brother	Married
		Position Department or office		
		Position Department or office		

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

No.

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

No

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.

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

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.
"Kearsarge"	April 18. 1916	Sept. 7, 1917	asked for it

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.

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

Relationship (widow or orphan)

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service

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

23. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States civil service [redacted] 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.)

Machinist Mate

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

High school

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

Mine Mechanical

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

April 1919 - Keeper

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, May 17, 1919.

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) Reginald A Pike

P. O. Address: Manteo
City or town.

Number and street.

NC
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 May 17, 1919, 191

(Signature) W. D. King

(Official title) Supt. of Lighthouses

Form 73

NOMINATION

MEM

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 5th DISTRICT.

Baltimore, Md. 1919 SEP 15 AM 8 September 11, 1919
(City.) (Date)

LIGHT HOUSES 42

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, Reginald A. Peel

Legal residence, N.C.

Position, Keeper

Salary, $ 720. p.a.

APPOINTMENTS
SEP 15 AM 10 10

Location, Janes Island L.S., Md.

Appropriation, Salaries, Lighthouse Keepers

Effective September 25, 1919

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

Former position, Additional Keeper

Former salary, $ 720. p.a.

Location, Fifth District (Detailed Cove Point L.S.)

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

Previous incumbent, Luther E. Bozman

Services terminated, Close of Sept. 24, 1919

Reason, Transferred to Solomons Lump L.S., Md.

Members of family in Government Service, ~~XXXX~~ Brother - surfman.

Remarks:

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
SECRETARY
MOTION TAKEN
SEP 19 1919
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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

H. D. King

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Supt. of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

SEP 12 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

1919 SEP 13 PM 12 05

Acting Commissioner.

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

September 19, 1919.

Mr. Reginald A. Peel,

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.

CARDED

(By transfer from Additional Keeper.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

RM
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(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Luther E. Bozman.

Legal Residence: North Carolina.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED SEP 19 1919 BY DIVISION DEPT OF COMMERCE

C. S. REPORT DATA

From Red. Card

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

SEP 25 1919 9 35 AM

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES BALTIMORE, MD. SEP 27 1919

LIGHT HOUSES SEP 29 1919

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENTS SEP 29 1919

I, Reginald A. Peel

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

CHIEF CLERK

1919 SEP 29 PM 3 36

Reginald A Peel

(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 27th day of Sept, A. D. 1919

(Affix official seal here)

[4](Name) H Ruffhead

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

My commission expires

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

DISCARDED

Official Title	Rate of Pay (base)	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper	$ 720. p.a.	Janes Island L.S., Md.
Former[5] Additional Kpr	720. p.a.	Fifth District (Detailed, Cove Pt.)

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

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

Baltimore, Md. (Address), September 27, 1919 (Date)

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

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

REPORT DATA ENTERED

J. P. Dennan

(Signature, followed by title) Asst. Supt.

[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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Form 73

NOMINATION

MAR 9 1920 4 02 PM

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 5 th DISTRICT,

1920 MAR 23 AM 9 09

Baltimore, Md., March 18, 1920, 19
(City.) (Date.)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, Reginald A. Peel — Legal residence, N.C.

Position, Keeper — Salary, $ 660. p.a.

Location, Cove Point L.S.,Md. — Appropriation, Salaries, L.H.Kprs.

Effective May 1, 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.

1920 MAR 23 AM 9 48

Location, Janes Island L.S., Md.

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

Previous incumbent, John W. Casey — Services terminated, Close of April 30,1920

Reason, To be transferred to Deep Water Shoals

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3/23/20.

Members of family in Government Service,

Remarks: Nomination made at nominee's request.

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

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN
MAR 23 1920
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. MAR 18 1920

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Acting Commissioner

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

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 23, 1920.

Mr. Reginald A. Peel,

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 $660 per annum, effective May 1, 1920 or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty at the changed rate of pay.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

CARDED

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION MAR 4 1920

Fifth District
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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 23, 1920.

Mr. Reginald A. Peel,

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 $660 per annum, effective May 1, 1920 or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty at the changed rate of pay.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Clifford Harding

Chief of Appointment Division.

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MAR 26 1920 9 AM

LIGHT HOUSES MAR 26 1920

BUR. OF LIGHTHOUSES MAR 29 1920 BALTIMORE, MD.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 23, 1920.

M. Reginald A. Peel,

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 $960 per annum, effective May 1, 1920 or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty at the changed rate of pay.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

Supt.
1 A Supt.
Chief Cl.
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Fifth District
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MAY 5 1920 9 17 AM

LIGHT MAY 5 1920 HOUSES

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 5TH DISTRICT
BALTIMORE, MD.

1920 MAY 7 PM 3 43

MEM

May 4, 1920.

APPOINTMENTS
1920 MAY 7 PM 4 11

1. Respectfully returned for cancellation, as Mr. Peel desires to remain at Janes Island Light Station, at present. Vacancy at Cove Point has been filled by another employee in the Service.

King

Superintendent of Lighthouses. JGR

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons
Mar. Engr
~~Personnel~~
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Comm.
Commr.

CARDED

ENT DIVISION
MAY - 8 1920
DEPT. OF COMMERCE

JAS 5/8/20

Inclosure

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington. MAY 5 1920

1920 MAY 7 PM 2 48

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval.

U. S. REPORT DATE ENTERED

N. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner

JGR

JUN 12 1920 9 34 AM

Form 93

HDK- MEM

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

CHIEF CLERK

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1920 JUN 15 PM 3 57

LIGHT HOUSES JUN 12 1920

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

Baltimore, Md., June 11, 1920 , 191

APPOINTMENTS

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Herewith is transmitted the resignation of the following-named employee: 1920 JUN 15 PM 4 34

Name, Reginald A. Peele Position, Keeper

Legal residence, N.C. Station, Janes Island L.S., Md.

Salary, $ 720. per annum.

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

This employee has taken leave in excess of the accrued rate.- 14 days to close of May. He has been advised not to take any more leave in June.

Remarks: The records of this office show that Mr. Peele will have taken 14 days leave in excess of the amount allowed under the regulations, provided no more leave is taken than already reported. I am satisfied that proper effort has not been made by Mr. Peele to confine his absence strictly to the limits of the regulations for leave of keepers, or to furnish substitute as required for absence in excess of six days. As Mr. Peele is a resident of North Carolina, however, and has been stationed at Janes Island, Md., it is recommended that some ~~mix~~ concession be made on account of unavoidable delays in traveling back and forth, and that deduction of pay on account of eight days be made.

Letter of resignation attached.

108 6/16/20

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JUN 21 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JUN 13 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

H. D. King

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 12 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

Approved (deduction of 8 days' pay on account of excess leave):

1920 JUN 17 PM 5

C Secretary of Commerce.

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Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BALTIMORE, MD.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BALTIMORE, MD.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
JUN 11 1920
BALTIMORE, MD.

FIFTH DISTRICT

Jane Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 9. 1920

LIGHT HOUSES
JUN 12 1920

Superintendent of Light Houses,
Baltimore Md.

Sir-

As I have made up my mind to quit the first of July would like to be relieved by this date,

Respectfully
Reginald L Peele.

accept resig.

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 21, 1920.

Mr. Reginald A. Peele,

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 June 30, 1920.

Bureau..... Lighthouse Service, 5th District.

Station..... Janes Island Light Station, Md.

Position..... Keeper.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

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Chief of Appointment Division.

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June 21, 1920.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Referring to the Fifth Superintendent's communication of the 11th instant, forwarded by the Bureau on the 12th instant, transmitting the resignation of Reginald A. Peele, Keeper of Janes Island Light Station, Md., the Department has approved the recommendation that eight days pay be deducted from Mr. Peele's salary on account of excess leave, and that his resignation be accepted to take effect at the close of June 30, 1920.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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June 30, 1920.

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D.C.

APPOINTMENTS

Subject: Resignation, R.A.Peele.

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1. This office is advised that Mr. R.A. Peele, Assistant Keeper, Janes Island Light Station, left the station on June 23,1920, with intention not to return to duty. In this connection, reference is made to Form 93 of June 11.

2. This station was inspected on June 25 and the watch book was found signed by the Assistant Keeper up to that date. It is evident that Mr. Peele intended to take further absence in excess of the amount allowed, and that the records of the station were falsified to cover this absence.

3. I accordingly recommend that acceptance of Mr. Peele's resignation be cancelled and that in lieu thereof he be dismissed from the Lighthouse Service, effective at the close of June 23, and that the entire amount of pay on account of absence in excess of accrued leave be deducted. The absence in excess of the accrued amount to the close of June 23 is eight days.

4. The carbon copy of Department acceptance of Mr. Peele's resignation is returned herewith. An endeavor will be made to have Mr. Peele return the original, which was sent him before it was known that he had left the station.

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Superintendent of Lighthouses.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D.C.,
July 21, 1920.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information in case Peele later applies for reinstatement. The 5th Superintendent has this date been advised that after a resignation has been accepted and effected, the same cannot be recalled.

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Commissioner

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