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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
Pingley, Thomas, J. 227212	036-09-3032	Dec. 16, 1908 RI

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)		
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(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

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☐ Probation Officer case _____

☐ Copy Report of Separation furnished for separation on _____. _____

☐ Selective Service case _____

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THOMAS J. PINGLEY

THOMAS J. PINGLEY

Form 78

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Second DISTRICT.

Chelsea, Mass. (City), August 5, (Date) 1937

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment

Name, Thomas J. Pingley

Position, Assistant Engineer

Location, Lightship No. 98

Effective, August 16, 1937

Legal residence, Rhode Island

Proposed salary, $1800 per annum

Proposed range, $1800-1920

Appropriation, Salaries, Lighthouse Vessels

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

Former position, New appointee

Location, -

Former salary, -

Former range, -

Rank on eligible list, 1 Rating, Third Asst. Engineman (Diesel) Percentage, 86.50, Other eligibles considered:

Ref. Section 1(b), Rule 7 of Civil Serv. Act, etc. Mr. Pingley has previously been given three considerations for appt.

Previous incumbent and his pay, James J. McSweeney $1800 per annum Services terminated, July 19, 1937.

Reason, Resigned.

Members of family in Government service, One brother - married - U.S. Navy

Date of birth, Dec. 16, 1908.

Remarks:

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

~~Secretary, Civil Service District.~~

FIRST U. S. CIVIL SERVICE DISTRICT
OFFICE OF THE MANAGER, BOSTON, MASS.
Selection regular for probational appointment under Civil Service Rules.

AUG 10 1937 (Date) E. L. Reynolds (Manager)

Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

AUG 11 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

W. P. HARMAN
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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NAVAL MESSAGE

RECEIVED AT NAVY DEPARTMENT

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PLEASE ADVISE STATUS APPOINTMENT THOMAS J P-INGLEY ASSISTANT ENGINEER LIGHTSHIP 98 NOMINATION FORWARDED AUGUST THIRD SERVICES URGENTLY REQUIRED AS VESSEL NOW READY FOR STATION REQUEST AUTHORITY TO ASSIGN PINGLEY TO DUTY AT ONCE

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NO REPLY RECEIVED DISTRICTS WIRE AUGUST 20TH RE APPOINTMENT THOMAS J PINGLEY ASSISTANT ENGINEER LIGHTSHIP 98 AUTHORITY REQUESTED TO ASSIGN HIM TO DUTY AT ONCE=

EATON.

LIGHTHOUSES
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TO SEND A MESSAGE TELEPHONE NATIONAL 6600 OR ANY POSTAL TELEGRAPH OFFICE.
FOR MESSENGER TELEPHONE POSTAL TELEGRAPH OR RING POSTAL CALL BOX.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES

hlm/sec LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON D C AUGUST 21 1937

LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT CHELSEA MASSACHUSETTS

RETEL APPOINTMENT THOMAS PINGLEY NOT YET APPROVED BUT MAY BE ASSIGNED DUTY IF NECESSARY SAFEGUARD LIFE AND PROPERTY

KING

CONFIRMATION

Your first message received late yesterday. Bureau contacted the Department informally and it was expected that approval could be obtained early Saturday, but this has not as yet been received.

ad

Rec. above & rd if you see no objection. The case is in order & no reason to believe other than favorable action by Dept.

H M 8/21

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
CHELSEA, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

GEE-RMC

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
37 MARGINAL STREET
CHELSEA, MASS.

LIGHTHOUSES
AUG 30 8 44 AM '37

August 27, 1937.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

1. There is returned herewith Department appointment of Thomas J. Pingley as Assistant Engineer on Lightship No. 98, this district, for amendment of the date on same. The appointment is dated August 23, whereas Mr. Pingley entered on duty August 21st. See in this connection this district's letter of August 25, forwarding oath of office and personal history forms in his case.

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GEO. E. EATON
Superintendent.

GP

ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
ENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
CHELSEA, MASS.

GEE-RMC

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
37 MARGINAL STREET
CHELSEA, MASS.

LIGHTHOUSES
AUG 26 3 29 PM '37

August 25, 1937.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

1. There are forwarded herewith oath of office and personal history forms in duplicate for Thomas J. Pingley, Assistant Engineer on Lightship No. 98, who entered on duty August 21, 1937.

2. In connection with the above, reference is made to district's wires of August 20 and 21, requesting advice as to the status of the appointment of the above man and requesting authority to assign him to duty at once, and Bureau's wire of Aug. 21, stating in reply that his appointment was not yet approved but that he might be assigned to duty if necessary to safeguard life and property. Mr. Pinglpy was therefore assigned to duty effective as of August 21 as stated above, as the vessel was ready to leave for station and his services were absolutely necessary. The vessel was without an assistant engineer due to the resignation of J.J. McSweeney on July 19, after the lightship had been collided with.

Eaton

GEO. E. EATON
Superintendent.

GP

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Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington August 30, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce. The duties of this position involve the safeguarding of life and property, and as the lightship was being returned to station it was necessary that a proper operating complement be provided. Accordingly, the Bureau authorized assignment to duty, which was made effective August 21. In addition to the emergency circumstances, assignment to duty was in the interest of the Service in order to avoid additional tender expense to transport the appointee to duty at a later date. It is accordingly recommended that the Bureau's action in the matter be approved and the appointment certificate amended to show the date August 21.

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For the Commissioner: W. P. HARMAN

Administrative Assistant

HM

APK

Form A–30

Not To Be Accepted As Authority For Investigation Operations Unless Accompanied By Official Credentials

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

August 21, 1937.

Mr. Thomas J. Pingley,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Assistant Engineer

in the Lighthouse service

at a salary of Eighteen Hundred dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

Nature of appointment: Probationary.

Civil Service authority: Manager, First Civil Service District.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

DELONG

EB Acting Chief, Division of Personnel.

Appropriation (unit): Field.

Vice: James J. McSweeney.

Legal residence: Rhode Island.

AUG 24 1937

T. dist. 9/10/37

STANDARD FORM NO. 6
(Approved by the President 3/28/24)
Revised Dec. 5, 1929

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

Department or Establishment Commerce, Lighthouse Service 2nd Dist **Date** Aug. 23, 1937

1. Name in full (Mr., Miss, or Mrs.) Mr. Lindley (Surname) Thomas (Given name) James (Middle name)
2. Present address 29 (Number) Mumford ave (Street) Newport (City) R.I. (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Rhode Island 1st Dist. (State and Congressional District) Newport (County) Newport (City or town)
4. Where born Rhode Island U.S.A. (State or foreign country) Newport (City or town) When born Dec. 16, 1908 (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, Wife 23, four male children 6, 4, 2, 1 years 3 months
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
3rd Dist. Light House Service	Race Rock Ft. Pta. Fishers Island N.Y. 2nd, 3rd Keeper		per month $ 20-130	Oct.	23	1927	April	4,	1929

9. Are any members 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: No

(Title) (Location) (Date appointment expires)

11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?

(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted ..... 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.) ____

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
Daniel E. Harrington Newport R.I.	Plumbers Helper	2 years
Dompson Bros. Newport R.I.	Steam Fitters Helper	2 years
Monte Christo Garage Newport	Mechanics Helper	6 months
A. C. Jones New York	Oiler & 2nd Asst Engineer	3 5 months
Newport Oil Co Newport RI	1st asst Engineer Diesel	2.5 months

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. Thomas J. Pingley

Relationship Wife Post office address 24 Mumford ave. Newport R I

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

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSES JAN 24 9 27 AM '38

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

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Lighthouse Service, 2nd Dist.
(Bureau)

Jan. 22, 1938.
(Date)

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

The probationary period of the person named below expires at the close of business on Feb. 20, 1938, 19- .

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

Name Thomas J. Pingley

Position Assistant Engineer

Salary $1800 per annum

Appropriation Salaries, Lighthouse Vessels

Station Lightship No. 98

Date of entrance on duty Aug. 21, 1937.

Remarks:

(~~Signature of immediate superior~~).

SUBMITTED:

(Head of Bureau or Office).
Superintendent, 2nd District.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, Jan. 24, 1938
Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.
For the Commissioner:
W.P.Harman, WPH
Administrative Assistant

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

STANDARD FORM NO. 6
(Approved by the President 3/28/24)
Revised Dec. 5, 1929

PERSONAL HISTORY STATEMENT

(To be prepared by appointee in own handwriting)

COMMANDER, BOSTON DISTRICT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Department or Establishment _____ Date Oct. 6, 1939

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss, Mrs.~~) Pingley (Surname) Thomas (Given name) James (Middle name)
2. Present address 18 (Number) Lee (Street) Ave Newport (City) Rhode Island (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Rhode Island 2nd (State and Congressional District) Newport (County) Newport (City or town)
4. Where born Rhode Island (State or foreign country) Newport (City or town) When born Dec. 16, 1908 (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 26 Three Sons, 8, 5, 3 years
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
U.S.T.H.S.	Race Rock Lt Sta 2nd Dist	2nd Asst Keeper	1,560	10	23	1927	4	4	1929
U.S.T.H.S.	T. Ship #98	Asst. Engr.	1,800	8	21	1937	Still Employed		

9. Are any members 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: No

_____ (Title) _____ (Location) _____ (Date appointment expires)

11. Are you the wife of a disabled veteran or widow or orphan of a person who was in the military or naval service?

_____ (Wife, widow, or orphan) _____ (Name of veteran) _____ (Organization and last year of service)

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

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

Enlisted _____ Discharged _____ | Enlisted _____ Discharged _____
Rank _____ Rank _____ | Rank _____ Rank _____
Organization _____ Organization _____ | Organization _____ Organization _____

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13. State any special qualifications not involved in your present position (for instance, lawyer, physician, civil engineer, knowledge of foreign languages, etc.) none

14. Statement of principal employment other than with the United States Government:

NAME AND ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER	POSITION AND CHARACTER OF WORK	LENGTH OF SERVICE
Daniel E. Harrington Newport R.I.	Plumbers Helper	2 Years
Donovan Bros. Newport R.I.	Steam Fitters Helper	2 "
Monte Christo Garage New London Conn.	Mechanic (Auto)	6 Months
U. S. James Wall at N.Y.C.	Oiler, 2d Asst Engr.	3 Yrs 5 mos.
Newport Oil Corp. Newport R.I.	1st Asst Engr	2 years 5 mos

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 Gertrude B Pingley

Relationship Wife Post office address 18 Lee Ave Newport R.I.

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

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

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 10—1930

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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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PERSONNEL ACTION

Date Prepared: May 1, 1940

Name: Pingley, Thomas J.

From: U. S. Coast Guard

Nature of Action: Change in Status - Civilian to Military

	FROM	TO
Position	Assistant Engineer	Chief Machinist's Mate
Grade	Field (Range $1800-1920)	No change in pay and allowances,
Salary	$1800 per annum	Sec. 7, Act of August 5, 1939, applies.
Bureau	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Office	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
Unit		
Division		
Section		
Sub-Section	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
Headquarters	Handkerchief Lightship No. 98	Handkerchief Lightship No. 98
Post of Duty	Sal., Lhs. Vessels, C. G.	
Appropriation		
Allotment		

EFFECTIVE: May 1, 1940 FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐ FIELD ☐ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks:

The change indicated is pursuant to the Act of August 5, 1939.

BUREAU OR DIVISION NO.

DATE OF BIRTH: 12-16-1908

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Rhode Island

VETERAN'S PREFERENCE: No

NATURE OF POSITION NEW:

ADDITIONAL IDENTICAL

VICE VACANCY:

VICE:

CIVIL SERVICE AUTHORITY:

DATE OF EFFECT:

SUBJECT TO RETIREMENT ACT: 6-30-18

Justification:

H. R. STILES,
Lt.Commander, U. S. Coast Guard,
Assistant Personnel Officer.

DATE APPROVED

DATE

BUREAU SUSPENSE AND FILE COPY

AUG - 8 1940

WILMAN FANFOLD CORP.

Thomas J Pingley

#227-212

Enlisted 5-1-40 C.M.M.

Handkerchief Lightship No 98

Same as L/H Listed (8)

Subject: Resignation.

1. I hereby submit my resignation to be effective at the close of 30 April, 1940 in order to accept enlistment in the U. S. Coast Guard.

Respectfully,

Thomas J. Pingley

Thomas J. Pingley.

From: PINGLEY, Thomas J., Asst. Eng.
To : Commander, Boston District.

Subject: Resignation.

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Bureau	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Office	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
Unit		
Division		
Section		
Sub-Section		
Headquarters	Boston, Mass.	Boston, Mass.
Post of Duty	Handkerchief Lightship No. 98	Handkerchief Lightship No. 98
Appropriation	Sal., Ins. Vessels, C. G.	
Allotment		

EFFECTIVE: May 1, 1940 — FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐ — FIELD ☒ DEPRTMTL. ☐

Remarks:

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LEGAL RESIDENCE: Rhode Island

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 6-20-10

Justification:

DATE APPROVED

DATE

BUREAU OR DIVISION PERSONNEL FILES

AUG 23 1940

B09CAB-New Insurance Group

PINGLEY, Thomas James
227-212

Commandant (PMM)
U. S. Coast Guard
Washington 25, D.C.

N-51-000-649 C-3-076-915

Veterans Administration
Branch Office #1
Insurance Service
55 Tremont St
Boston 8, Mass.

File
3-13

CLARENCE R. HARBERT
Director of Insurance

U. S. COAST GUARD
MAIL SECTION
JAN 22 1948

21 January, 1948

Commandant (PMM), US Coast Guard Headquarters, Washington, D.C.

Records at Headquarters indicate subject named man enlisted in the U.S. Coast Guard 1 May, 1940. He served until 29 May, 1942 at which time he was issued an honorable discharge by reason of physical disability. Home address given at time of discharge is 304 Columbia Street, Fall River, Massachusetts. Records further show he was born 16 December, 1908 at Newport, Rhode Island.

There is no record of his ever having applied for insurance and there is no record of an allotment ever having been placed in effect for payment of monthly premiums.

By direction of the Commandant.

N. W. SPROW
Commander, U. S. CoastGuard
Ass't. Chief, Military Morale Division

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MJM:erb return to 2-4

(FA-AE)
CG-75-51

File 3-14

12 August, 1944

To: DCGO, 1st Naval District (fpd)

Subj: Claims for reimbursement for unused annual leave at date of induction into the Coast Guard from former Lighthouse Service in cases of Edward J. Mandell, Thomas J. Pingley and Lyman J. Clark

1. Reference is made to Machinist Mandell's letter of 20 July, 1944, copy inclosed, making inquiry relative to the status of his claim for reimbursement for unused annual leave covering period 4 May, 1940, to 4 June, 1940, in amount of $191.16. In connection therewith, it is requested that he be advised that claim was forwarded to the General Accounting Office, Claims Division, for examination and consideration, 9 August, 1944. See inclosed copy of HQ letter.

2. Claims in the cases of Thomas J. Pingley and Lyman J. Clark are herewith returned for cancellation. In view of the fact that each man was inducted on 1 May, 1940, and not subsequent thereto, there is no authority of law on which their claims may be allowed. See Finance Circular 5-43, dated 5 January, 1943.

W. H. WEBB
By direction

Incls.
1. Copy letter 20 July, 1944
Machinist Edward J. Mandell.
2. Forms 2661 in cases of Thomas J.
Pingley and Lyman J. Clark.

LS:ekr Return to 6-1

File 3-14

(FA-AE)
CG-73

3 January, 1944

Mr. Thomas J. Pingley
304 Columbia Street
Fall River, Massachusetts

Re: PINGLEY, Thomas J. (227-212)
former C.M.M., USCG; claim for unused annual leave prior to induction in the Coast Guard from former Lighthouse Service.

Dear Sir:

Receipt is acknowledged of your letter, 21 December, 1943,

Referring to Headquarters letter, 6 July, 1943 (FA-AE CG-75), you are advised that in compliance therewith your claim for unused annual leave in amount of $75.00, covering period 1 May, 1940, to 15 May, 1940, was forwarded to this office from District Coast Guard Officer, 1st Naval District, and that same is held in abeyance pending receipt of additional data which was requested of that office in Headquarters letter of 21 September, 1943 (FA-AE, CG-521), copy of which is inclosed. Upon receipt thereof, your claim will be transmitted to the General Accounting Office, Claims Division, Washington, D. C., for settlement.

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

W. H. WEBB
Chief, Audit and Examination Section
Office of Finance and Supply

Incl
Copy, Headquarters letter, 21 September, 1943, (FA-AE, CG-521)

JAN 3 1944

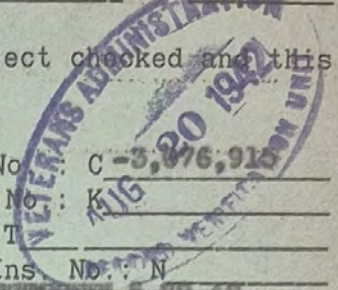
CC: DCGO, 1st Naval District with attached copy Form 2661, copy of claimant's letter and copy Headquarters letter 21 September, 1943 (FA-AE, CG-521). For attention of Pay Officer

LS:fm Return to 6-1

REQUEST FOR COAST GUARD INFORMATION
FOR USE OF--

NEW CLAIM - PLEASE EXPEDITE

DIVISION CLAIMS SUBDIVISION AUTHORIZATION SECTION GROUP 3. UNIT August 19, 19 2. 920.



It is requested that information be given on the subject checked and this sheet returned to the Veterans Administration.

Serial No. 227-212

Name PINGLEY THOMAS J. (Last) (First) (Middle)
Rank or rating Chief Mach. Mate
Ship or Station
Date of enlistment 5-1-40
Home address at time of registration for draft 304 Columbia St., Fall River, Mass.
Name and address of local Draft Board #63, Fall River, Mass.
Date and place of birth 12-16-08 Newport, R. I.
Alleged disability Gastric Ulcer, 1/1941
Treated at Vineyard Marine Hosp., 7-1941 - 8-1941; Brighton Marine Hosp, 4-1942,5-1942
Additional information Please furnish dates of enlistment and discharge and character of discharge. (See memo attached.)

Compensation Claim No.: C -3,076,915
Converted Insurance No.: K
Term Insurance No.: T
Natl. Service Life Ins. No.: N
Date of Discharge or death 5-25-42.

By GEORGE E. BROWN, Director, Veterans' Claims Service.

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PE-73 28 August, 1942

From: Commandant, United States Coast Guard, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C.
To: Veterans Administration

FILE
M.B.

See report dated 8/14/42.

1. Name in full, with last rank or rating held PINGLEY, Thomas James (227-212) Chief machinist's mate.
2. Date and place of birth
3. Date and place of enlistment or appointment
4. Date of entrance into active service:-
5. Age at enlistment or appointment
6. Date of prior service and dates of reenlistments.
7. Home address
8. Date of desertion
9. Date of apprehension
10. Period and dates of absence from pay status
11. Present location and rank
12. Date and period of indefinite furlough
13. Date of retirement and retirement pay
14. Date, cause, place and character of all discharges
15. Date of death
16. Cause of death
17. Disability in line of duty
18. Disability result of wilful misconduct
19. Disabilities noted at enlistment See attached memorandum
20. Medical record on active duty, to include all admissions, place and date of treatment, duty, not duty, misconduct, dental chart, etc.
21. Physical examination prior to discharge or inactive duty
22. Medical record inactive duty
23. Full transcript of pay from 19 to , 19
24. Premium deductions from 19 to , 19
25. Has final settlement been made?
26. Amount refunded
27. Under Naval control during what war, occupation, expedition, etc. and dates

BY
Commandant, United States Coast Guard

By B. A. SHAW, By direction

Veterans Administration
Form 3104-Rev. Jan. 1941

NAME PINGLEY, Thomas J. C NO. 3,076,915

Please furnish the information thus (X) indicated below:

(X) Copy of record of examination at time of entrance into service.

(X) Photostatic copies of all draft records, including questionnaire required by the Selective Service Act and the examination by the Draft Board, where indicated. (World War 1917-1921)

(X) Copy of all available records covering all periods of medical treatment, observation, including hospitalization.

(X) All original clinical records.

(X) Copy of examination at time of discharge.

(X) Copy of Questionnaire, Form 40, and Report of Physical Examination, Form 200, where indicated. (Selective Service Act 1940)

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V. A. Adjud. Form 644

VETERANS ADMINISTRATION
JUL 20 1933
RECORD VERIFICATION UNIT

CARL MICHEL,
Medical Director.

LeBlanc - rm. 1202 - 1-6

26 August, 1942

Chief, Personnel Records.

Subject: PINGLEY, Thomas J., Former C.M.M. (227-212); medical history.

Reference: (a) Veterans Administration request 19 August, 1942.

Inclosure: (A) Certified copy form 2525B, 26 March, 1940.
(B) Certified copy form 2525D, 13 April, 1942.
(C) Certified copy report of medical survey 19 May, 1942.

1. In compliance with the request contained in reference (a) inclosures (A), (B) and (C) are forwarded herewith.

2. The Veterans Administration is further advised that there are no clinical records on file at Headquarters in this case.

CARL MICHEL,
Medical Director.

LeBlanc - rm. 1202 - 1-6

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FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY
U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

May 19, 1942

T. LEBLANC
Lieutenant

Medical Officer in Charge
U. S. Marine Hospital
Boston, Massachusetts.

Senior Coast Guard Officer,
First Naval District,
Custom House,
Boston, Massachusetts.

Sir: (Through the Medical Officer in Charge)

In compliance with the request of May 14, 1942, a Medical Board of Survey consisting of P. A. Surgeon, William Hyatt Gordon, Chairman and A. Surgeon (R), Glen T. Smith, Recorder, convened to determine the physical fitness of Thomas J. Pingley, (227-212) C.M.M.; U. S. Coast Guard. Findings of the board are as follows:-

(a) A diagnosis of ulcer, duodenal, was made on April 13, 1942.

(b) On the morning of admission, April 13, 1942, the patient vomited about a pint and a half of bright, red blood. He gives a story of typical ulcer pain, relieved by eating or by the taking of milk or soda. Ten days previously he had a gastric hemorrhage. In view of the long standing history of illness, the condition is not an incident of service.

(c) The present attack has subsided but it is the nature of duodenal ulcer to recurr. An additional month's treatment will probably be required.

(d) In view of the chronicity, the likelihood of recurrence and probability of repeated hemorrhage, perforation or obstruction from his ulcer, it is deemed by the board that subject man is physically unfit for retention in the Coast Guard.

(e) It is recommended that patient be discharged from the Coast Guard.

Respectfully,

/S/ William Hyatt Gordon, P.A. Surgeon, Chairman

/S/ Glen T. Smith, A. Surgeon (R), Recorder

Respectfully forwarded;

/S/ R. P. Sandidge, Senior Surgeon
Medical Officer in Charge

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REQUEST FOR COAST GUARD INFORMATION
FOR USE OF--

_____, 19__

DIVISION_____ SUBDIVISION_____ SECTION_____ UNIT_____

It is requested that information be given on the subject checked and this sheet returned to the Veterans Administration.

Name_____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Rank or rating_____
Ship or Station_____
Date of enlistment_____

Compensation Claim No. : C_____
Converted Insurance No.: K_____
Term Insurance No.: T_____
Date of Discharge or death_____

Home address at time of registration for draft_____
Name and address of local Draft Board_____
Date and place of birth_____
Alleged disability_____
Treated at_____
Additional information_____

By_____

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PE 14 August, 1942

From: Commandant, United States Coast Guard, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C.
To: Veterans Administration

FILE
M.B.

Telephonic request 8/11/42.

1. Name in full, with last rank or rating held PINGLEY, Thomas James (227-212) Chief machinist's mate.
2. Date and place of birth 16 Dec., 1908 / Newport, R.I.
3. Date and place of enlistment or appointment 1 May, 1940 Woods Hole, Mass.
4. Date of entrance into active service: 1 May, 1940
5. Age at enlistment or appointment 31 years
6. Date of prior service and dates of reenlistments. None
7. Home address_____
8. Date of desertion_____
9. Date of apprehension_____
10. Period and dates of absence from pay status_____
11. Present location and rank_____
12. Date and period of indefinite furlough_____
13. Date of retirement and retirement pay_____
14. Date, cause, place and character of all discharges 29 May, 1942, honorable, on account of physical disability (duodenal ulcer), incident to service.
15. Date of death_____ Boston, Mass.
16. Cause of death (duodenal ulcer)
17. Disability in line of duty_____
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19. Disabilities noted at enlistment_____
20. Medical record on active duty, to include all admissions, place and date of treatment, duty, not duty, misconduct, dental chart, etc._____
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27. Under Naval control during what war, occupation, expedition, etc. and dates

BY
Commandant, United States Coast Guard

By_____

Veterans Administration
Form 3104-Rev. July 1938

N.C.G. No. 2599
U. S. Coast Guard
(Revised 1937)

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

PINGLEY	Thomas	J.	227-212	C.M.M.
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

(ADMINISTRATIVE PURPOSES)
OFFICE, DCGOLND — Boston, Massachusetts — 29 May, 1942.
(Unit) (Place) (Date)

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29 May, 1942 Discharged by reason of physical disability. incident to service

Issued Honorable Discharge Certificate No. A66972.

PAFE - Woods Hole, Massachusetts,

POD - Boston, Massachusetts, (U. S. Marine Hospital, Brighton, Massachusetts)

Creditable service 2 years 0 months 28 days

AUTHORITY:

H/L 26 May, 1942 (P-73)

Geo. M. Walker.
GEO. M. WALKER (Commanding)

Ensign, (Title)
By direction

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26 May, 1942.

From: Commandant.
To: District Coast Guard Officer, First Naval District.

Subject: PINGLEY, Thomas J. (227-212), C.M.M.; discharge of.

References: (a) Report of Board of Medical Survey in the case of Pingley from U.S. Marine Hospital, Boston, Mass., dated May 19, 1942, and your first indorsement thereon.
(b) Article 588, Coast Guard Regulations.

1. Pursuant to authority contained in reference (b) and in view of the information found in reference (a), discharge the above-named man with an honorable discharge or with the character of discharge to which his marks and the regulations may otherwise entitle him, by reason of physical disability. The discharge shall bear the following notation: "Discharged by reason of physical disability."

2. Prior to the discharge of Pingley, advise him as to the privilege of continuing treatment with the U.S. Public Health Service in accordance with the provisions of Article 3003, Regulations.

duodenal ulcer

E. J. ROLAND,
By direction.

OFFICE,DCGO,1ND 1st Indorsement Boston, Mass.,
73. 21 May, 1942.

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From: District Coast Guard Officer, First Naval District.
To : Commandant.

Subject: PINGLEY, Thomas J. (227-212) C.M.M.; report of board of medical survey. 26 May, 1942.

1. Forwarded. The District Coast Guard Officer, First Naval District, concurs with the findings and recommendation of the Medical Board in this case.

From: Commandant.
To: District Coast Guard Officer, First Naval District.

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By direction.

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...E,DCGO,1ND 1st Indorsement Boston, Mass.,
21 May, 1942.

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To : Commandant.

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C. G. ROEMER.

MAY 26 1942

Recommend discharge for physical disability

Approved for discharge by reason of physical disability auth. art. 588 Regs.

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1st Indorsement

FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

U.S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

Boston, Mass.,
21 May, 1942.

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From: District Coast Guard Officer, First Naval District.
To : Commandant.

May 19, 1942.

Subject: PINGLEY, Thomas J. (227-212) C.M.M.; report of board of medical survey.

al Officer in Charge
S. Marine Hospital
ston, Massachusetts.

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Senior Coast Guard Officer,
First Naval District,
Custom House,
Boston, Massachusetts.

Sir: (Through the Medical Officer in Charge)

C. G. ROEMER.

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(e) It is recommended that patient be discharged from the Coast Guard.

Respectfully,

William Hyatt Gordon, P.A. Surgeon, Chairman

Glen T. Smith, A. Surgeon (R), Recorder

Respectfully forwarded.

R.P. Sandidge, Senior Surgeon
Medical Officer in Charge

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Boston, Massachusetts.

Senior Coast Guard Officer,
First Naval District,
Custom House,
Boston, Massachusetts.

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Wm Hyatt Gordon
William Hyatt Gordon, P.A. Surgeon, Chairman
Glen T. Smith
Glen T. Smith, A. Surgeon (R), Recorder

Respectfully forwarded:
R. P. Sandidge
R.P. Sandidge, Senior Surgeon
Medical Officer in Charge

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FEDERAL SECURITY AGENCY

U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

IN REPLYING, ADDRESS THE

Medical Officer in Charge
U. S. Marine Hospital

Boston, Massachusetts.
May 14, 1942.

P. A. Surgeon W. H. Gordon,
U. S. Marine Hospital,
Boston, Massachusetts.

Sir:

In compliance with Section 6 of General Circular No. 40, a Board of Medical Survey is hereby convened to meet at the call of the Chairman to examine Thomas J. Pingley, (227-212) C.M.M.; U. S. Coast Guard.

Personnel of the Board:
P. A. Surgeon W. H. Gordon, Chairman,
A. Surgenn (R) G. T. Smith, Recorder

Upon completion of the survey, the Board shall forward its report in quadruplicate to the Senior Coast Guard Officer, First Naval District, Custom House, Boston, Massachusetts, and the report shall include:

(a) A definite opinion as to the origin and cause of the disease or injury, including diagnosis and date thereof.

(b) A statement of all facts and circumstances connecting the disease or injury with the performance of duty or exposure incident thereto, including a definite statement as to whether or not an incident of service.

(c) Whether the disability is permanent or temporary, and if the latter, the probable duration of hospital treatment required.

(d) Whether or not, in view of the nature, duration and probable results of his disability, the person is deemed physically fit for retention in the Coast Guard.

(e) A recommendation as to the action to be taken - for example, whether he should be retained in the service, discharged, or retired.

Respectfully,

R. P. Sandidge

R. P. Sandidge, Senior Surgeon
Medical Officer in Charge

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U. S. COAST GUARD (18)

Form No. 2599
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
(Revised 1937)

REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

Pingley	Thomas	J.	227-212	C M M
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

Portland Lightship #90	Boston, Mass.	I3 April, I942.
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

AH Departed I000 - I3 April, I942, for inpatient treatment at Brighton Marine Hospital, Brighton, Mass.- Hemorage of the stomach - not due to own misconduct.

AUTHORITY:

M. D. Orr
(Commanding)

Bos'n. USCG.
(Title)

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U. S. COAST GUARD (18)
RECD APR 20 1942

PINGLEY, Thomas J. (Name, surname first) 227-212 (Service number) C.M.M. (Rank or rating) LV-90 (Unit)

APPLICATION TO THE U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE FOR RELIEF FOR THE PERSONNEL OF THE U. S. COAST GUARD

*REGULAR
*SPECIAL
TEMPORARY
(Enlistment status)

Place Boston Base, Chelsea Mass, Date 13 April, 1942, 19

To:
Medical Officer in Charge
U. S. Marine Hospital
Chelsea, Mass.

SIR: You are requested to examine the above-named {*officer / *enlisted man} of the U.S. Coast Guard, attached to the above-named unit, and furnish him such treatment as may be required. It is requested that the RETURN MEDICAL CERTIFICATE be returned to Commanding Officer, L.V.-90

Thomas J. Pingley
(Signature of patient)

M.D.
Boston
U. S. Coast Guard.

RETURN MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

Place BOSTON, MASS., Date APRIL 13, 1942, 19

I CERTIFY that I have examined the above-named person and find him suffering from

1781 ULCER DUODENAL BLEEDING
(Give diagnosis by number and name according to official nomenclature)

My professional opinion in the case is expressed below for the information of the Coast Guard administrative officers. Incident of service? {*Yes. / *No.} Fit for duty? {*Yes. / *No.} Absent from duty on account of the effects of a disease, as distinguished from injury, directly attributable to and immediately following his own intemperate use of alcoholic liquor or habit-forming drug? {*Yes. / *No.} Absent from duty on account of the direct effects of a venereal disease due to his own misconduct? {*Yes. / *No.} If "yes," did the initial symptoms appear less or more than one year ago? {*Less. / *More.} Treatment will require approximately _____ days absence from duty. He was admitted to {*inpatient / *outpatient} treatment at _____ {*hospital / *office} on _____, 19

Grant Jones
U. S. Public Health Service.

*Having been informed that I am suffering from _____
(Diagnosis)
and that in the opinion of the medical officer, this disease is the result of my own misconduct, I (*do not) desire to submit a statement. (Attach statement if made.)

_____
(Patient's signature)

WITNESS:

U. S. COAST GUARD
RECD APR 21 1942
MEDICAL SECTION

_____
(Signature of medical officer)

U. S. Public Health Service.

*Strike out words not applicable.

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REC'D JUN 30 1942

Form NCG-2525D

MEDICAL HISTORY

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Surname PINGLEY Service No.

Christian name-s Thomas J.

STATE NAME OF PLACE	DATE EACH NEW ENTRY
M.H. Brighton, Mass.	April 13, 1942

DIAGNOSIS: 1781 Ulcer duodenal with hemorrhage.

STATUS: Incident of service.

CC: Blood from stomach, 1 pint this morning.

FAMILY HISTORY: Negative except for diabetes in father.

PRESENT HISTORY: This 33yr. old CG chief machinist states that at about 7am this morning while riding the bus on his way to work he felt nauseated and "blood welled up in his throat" and about ½ a pint "just ran out of my throat". About fifteen minutes later the same thing happened again. He felt weak and dizzy. He arrived at his ship and was immediately sent here. He felt pain in the upper abdomen. Ten years ago he says that for no reason at all he vomited up some blood. A doctor told him it came from hisleft lung. However x-rays of his lungs were negative. He had neither lung nor GI symptoms at that time. For the next 8½ years he was in excellent health and had no symptoms referable to any system. 1½ yrs ago however he began to have pain in the epigastrium releived by eating or by taking milk or soda. He was admitted to Vineyard Haven last August where "xrays showed some deformity of stomach" but no actual ulcer. He remained 30 days and his symptoms subsided under diet and rest. However since then he has had episodes of stomach pain for which he has had to resort to a and soda. For the past 10 days he has been working 15-18 hours a day and during this time he has had to

resort to soda and amphogel almost continually to get relief from his "stomach pain" He has not felt up to par lately and his nerves are on edge. He has never had any tarry stools, Jaundice or coffee ground vomiting. He has lost no weight but being on a sutter has upset his bowels producing constipation.

PAST HISTORY: See health record.

PHYSICAL EXAM: Abdomen : soft and relaxed no scars., moderate tenderness to deep pressure just ot right of umbilicus.

LABORATORY NOTES: Hinton negative, Kahn negative, CBC normal, Urinalysis negative X-ray findings--duodenal ulcer.

TREATMENT: Absolut bed case. M.S. Gr. $\frac{1}{4}$ q4h for 24 hrs. Sodium luminal grs. 5 TR Belladonna m 20 t.i.d. pheno-barbital gr. $1\frac{1}{3}$ at bedtime. Milk of magnesia ounces 1. saline enema. oil retention emema. Vitamin b complex tablets 1 t.i.d.

DISCHARGE NOTE: This 33 yr old c.g. was admitted on 4-13-42 with history that at 7.00am this morning of admission he had vomited about $\frac{1}{2}$ pint of blood from his stomach, while riding on a bus. About 15 minutes later the same thing happened again. He felt dizzy and weak and on arriving at his ship he was immediately sent here. Pt gives a history that ten years ago had a hemoptysis with no apparent reason and no distress. A doctor told him it was ulcers, however x-rays were negative at the time. He had no gastra-intestinal symptoms for the next $8\frac{1}{2}$ years. His physical exam was essentially normal. Pt. was given a Medical Discharge fron the CG Pt discharged on the sixth of June. He was put on an ulcer diet and told toreport back in six months. Improved.

Glen F. Smith, A. Surgeon

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
United States Coast Guard
Washington

5 August 1941.

PERSONNEL BULLETIN NO. 40-41.

Subject: Personnel Instructions, Chapter I General.

1. Personnel Instructions are now being revised. Extracts from the revised edition are furnished for the guidance of all persons concerned. Provisions of the Personnel Instructions, 1934, in conflict with the instructions contained in this personnel bulletin are rescinded.

PERSONNEL INSTRUCTIONS
Chapter XI

Leave and Liberty.

11-10. Chief warrant officers, warrant officers, and enlisted men attached to lightships or lighthouse stations, the personnel of which are entitled to compensatory absence or shore liberty in excess of the regular annual leave prescribed for other personnel shall, while on such duty, be entitled to leave of absence or liberty in accordance with existing regulations applicable to such lightships or stations.

R. R. WAESCHE,
Rear Admiral, U.S.C.G.,
Commandant.

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Pingley, Thomas J (Name, surname first) | 227-212 (Service number) | C.M.M. (Rank or rating) | Lighthouse #98 (Unit)

*REGULAR
*SPECIAL
TEMPORARY
(Enlistment status)

FINAL MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

Place Vineyard Haven, Mass., Date July 26, 1941

To: Officer in Charge, Lightship #98,
(Coast Guard unit)
Handkerchief Station, Mass.
(Address)

The above-named patient was discharged from {*inpatient / *outpatient} treatment as shown below:

DIAGNOSIS (By nomenclature name and number)	DIAGNOSIS NUMBER	PERIOD OF TREATMENT FOR EACH CONDITION	
		FROM	TO
Under observation for ulcer, duodenal	1793	June 22, 1941	July 26, 1941-0610
Confirmed Cyst, sebaceous, of neck	0396	June 25, 1941	June 25, 1941

He {*is / *is not} fit for duty. REMARKS (Recommendations as to sick leave, further treatment, etc.):

CONDUCT REPORT:

Did the patient cooperate in his treatment? {*Yes. / *No.} Absent without permission? {*Yes. / *No.} Guilty of insubordination? {*Yes. / *No.}

O. H. Rose (T. H. Rose)
P. A. Surgeon, U. S. Public Health Service.

NOTICE OF MEDICAL TRANSFER

_____, who has been under {*inpatient / *outpatient}
(Patient's name, service number, rank or rating, and unit)
treatment at _____ {*office / *hospital} at _____ for
_____ (Diagnosis) since _____, 19 , has been
transferred this date _____, 19 , to the U. S. Marine Hospital at _____
for further treatment.

_____
U. S. Public Health Service.

*Strike out words not applicable.

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U. S. COAST GUARD (11)

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REC'D JUL 11 1941

PINGLEY, Thomas J. (Name, surname first) | 227-212 (Service number) | C.M.M. (Rank or rating) | Lightship # 98 (Unit)

APPLICATION TO THE U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE FOR RELIEF FOR THE PERSONNEL OF THE U. S. COAST GUARD

*REGULAR
*SPECIAL
TEMPORARY
(Enlistment status)

Place Handkerchief Station, Date 22 June, 1941

To: Medical Officer in Charge

Vineyard Haven Marine Hospital

SIR: You are requested to examine the above-named {*officer / *enlisted man} of the U. S. Coast Guard, attached to the above-named unit, and furnish him such treatment as may be required. It is requested that the RETURN MEDICAL CERTIFICATE be returned to Officer in Charge Lightship 98 c/o Chatham C.G.Station, Chatham, Mass.

Thomas J Pingley
(Signature of patient)

I.W.Clark,
Officer in Charge L.S.98 U. S. Coast Guard.

RETURN MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

Place Vineyard Haven, Mass., Date June 27, 1941

I CERTIFY that I have examined the above-named person and find him suffering from

1793 Under observation for ulcer, duodenal
(Give diagnosis by number and name according to official nomenclature)

My professional opinion in the case is expressed below for the information of the Coast Guard administrative officers. Incident of service? {*Yes. / *No.} Fit for duty? {*Yes. / *No.} Absent from duty on account of the effects of a disease, as distinguished from injury, directly attributable to and immediately following his own intemperate use of alcoholic liquor or habit-forming drug? {*Yes. / *No.} Absent from duty on account of the direct effects of a venereal disease due to his own misconduct? {*Yes. / *No.} If "yes," did the initial symptoms appear less or more than one year ago? {*Less. / *More.} Treatment will require approximately 30 days absence from duty. He was admitted to {*inpatient / *outpatient} treatment at Vineyard Haven, Mass., Marine Hospital {*hospital / *office} on 22 June, 1941

(T. H. Rose)
P. A. Surgeon, U. S. Public Health Service.

*Having been informed that I am suffering from ---
(Diagnosis)
and that in the opinion of the medical officer, this disease is the result of my own misconduct, I (*do not) desire to submit a statement. (Attach statement if made.)

(Patient's signature)

WITNESS:

(Signature of medical officer)

U. S. Public Health Service.

*Strike out words not applicable.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
United States Coast Guard

Office of the Commander

Boston, Massachusetts,

17 September, 1940.

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D SEP 17
ANS.

BOSTON DISTRICT

From: Commander, Boston District.
To : Commandant.

Subject: PINGLEY, Thomas J. (227-212) C.M.M.;
Statement of creditable service for retirement.

Reference: (a) Headquarters' letter, 20 June, 1940 (PR5-73-701).

1. In compliance with instructions contained in reference (a), the following is a certified statement of creditable service for retirement in the case of the subject-named man:

Appointed or Entered on Duty	Position or Grade	Terminated	Deductible Time	Total Service Y. M. D.	Remarks
8/21/37	Asst. Engineer	4/30/40	---	2- 8-10	
5/1/40	Inducted into Coast Guard.				

2. Verified from records at this office.

O. A. LITTLEFIELD,
By direction.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
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O. A. LITTLEFIELD,
By direction.

Form 2522
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD
Revised March 1938

FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK

BOSTON DISTRICT RECEIVED JUN 4 1942 U.S. COAST GUARD

PINGLEY, Thomas J. (Name, surname first) | 227-212 (Service number) | CMM (Rank or rating) | LV-90 (Unit)

*REGULAR
*SPECIAL
TEMPORARY
(Enlistment status)

FINAL MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

Place MARINE HOSPITAL BRIGHTON, Date JUNE 3, 1942, 19

To: Commanding Officer, LV-90
(Coast Guard unit)
Chelsea, Mass.
(Address)

The above-named patient was discharged from {*inpatient / *outpatient} treatment as shown below:

DIAGNOSIS (By nomenclature name and number)	DIAGNOSIS NUMBER	PERIOD OF TREATMENT FOR EACH CONDITION	
		FROM	TO
Ulcer Duodenal Bleeding	1781	4/13/42	6/3/42

He {*is / *is not} fit for duty. REMARKS (Recommendations as to sick leave, further treatment, etc.):

Subject man was discharged from the Coast Guard by reason of a physical Disability, and is discharged from the Hospital no further hospitalization being indicated at this time.

CONDUCT REPORT:

Did the patient cooperate in his treatment? {*Yes. / *No.} Absent without permission? {*Yes. / *No.} Guilty of insubordination? {*Yes. / *No.}

Glen T. Smith
Ass't Surg (R) *U. S. Public Health Service.*

NOTICE OF MEDICAL TRANSFER

_____, who has been under {*inpatient / *outpatient}
(Patient's name, service number, rank or rating, and unit)
treatment at _____ {*office / *hospital} at _____ for
_____ since _____, 19 , has been
(Diagnosis)
transferred this date _____, 19 , to the U. S. Marine Hospital at _____
for further treatment.

_____
_____ *U. S. Public Health Service.*

*Strike out words not applicable.

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Form 2522
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
Revised Oct., 1932

FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D JUN 7 - 1940
FILE M.C.S.

Lightship No. 98

PINGLEY, Thomas J. (Name, surname first) | 227-212 (Service number) | C.M.M. (Rank or rating) | (Unit)

APPLICATION TO THE U. S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE FOR RELIEF FOR THE PERSONNEL OF THE U. S. COAST GUARD

*REGULAR
*SPECIAL
TEMPORARY
(Enlistment status)

Place Newport, R.I., Date 16 May, 1940

To: Medical Officer, U.S.P.H.S.,
280 Broadway,
Newport, R.I.

SIR: You are requested to examine the above-named {*officer / *enlisted man} of the U. S. Coast Guard, attached to the above-named unit, and furnish him such treatment as may be required. It is requested that the RETURN MEDICAL CERTIFICATE be returned to Lightship No. 98,

Thomas J. Pingley
Thomas (Signature) Pingley

L. J. Clark,
Boatswain U. S. Coast Guard.

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D JUN 7 1940
MEDICAL SECTION

RETURN MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

Place Newport R.I., Date 5/18, 1940

I CERTIFY that I have examined the above-named person and find him suffering from

Typhoid Vaccination - Small pox
(Give diagnosis by number and name according to official nomenclature)

My professional opinion in the case is expressed below for the information of the Coast Guard administrative officers. Incident of service? {*Yes. / *No.} Fit for duty? {*Yes. / *No.} Absent from duty on account of the effects of a disease, as distinguished from injury, directly attributable to and immediately following his own intemperate use of alcoholic liquor or habit-forming drug? {*Yes. / *No.} Absent from duty on account of the direct effects of a venereal disease due to his own misconduct? {*Yes. / *No.} If "yes," did the initial symptoms appear less or more than one year ago? {*Less. / *More.} Treatment will require approximately ..... days absence from duty. He was admitted to {*inpatient / *outpatient} treatment at ..... {*hospital / *office} on ....., 193

Philip Geller
U. S. Public Health Service.

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*Having been informed that I am suffering from .....
(Diagnosis)
and that in the opinion of the medical officer, this disease is the result of my own misconduct, I (*do not) desire to submit a statement. (Attach statement if made.)

.....
(Patient's signature)

WITNESS:

.....
(Signature of medical officer)

U. S. Public Health Service.

*Strike out words not applicable.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

Office of Commander,
~~COAST GUARD STATION~~
Boston District.

Boston, Mass.,
3 June, 1940.

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D MAY 4-1940

From: Commander, Boston District.
To : Commandant.

Subject: PINGLEY, Thomas J. ~~(227-~~212) C.M.M.; enlistment papers.

Inclosures: (1) Character references (3).
(2) School reference.
(3) Form 2679, Report of police record.

1. Inclosures (1) to (3), inclusive are forwarded herewith for the records of Headquarters.

O. A. LITTLEFIELD,
By direction.

PINGLEY, T.J.

Office of Commander,
Boston District.

Boston, Mass.,
3 June, 1940.

From:
To : Commander, Boston District.
Commandant.

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By direction.

HUGH N. MURRAY, PROP.
MEATS - GROCERIES - VEGETABLES
292 THAMES ST.
NEWPORT, R. I.

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D MAY 4-1940
U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D MAY 4-1940

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HUGH N. MURRAY, PROP.
MEATS - GROCERIES & VEGETABLES
292 THAMES ST.
NEWPORT, R. I.
WE DELIVER
U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D MAY 4 - 1940

May 3 1940

To
Commanding Officer:
U.S.S. Argo
FROM - Hugh N. Murray
130 Connection St.
Subject - RE. Thomas J. Brigley

Dear Sir:

Your letter of inquiry regarding Thomas J. Brigley at hand and very pleased to state, that to the best of my knowledge and belief, said Thomas J. Brigley, is reliable, honest and trustworthy I consider him fully qualified for the position he seeks and am very glad to state that a lifetime association with him qualifies me to speak in his behalf.

Any further information I may be able to give at any time, I would only be too glad to do so.

I am Respectfully Yours,

Hugh N. Murray
130 Connection St.
Newport R.I.

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...RTATION COMPANY
MARINE TRANSPORTERS OF OIL IN BULK
128 LONG WHARF
NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND

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U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D MAY 4 - 1940

May 4, 1940

United States Coast Guard
Woods Hole, Mass.

Attention G. A. Knudsen, Lieut. U. S. C. G.

Gentlemen:

Thomas J. Pingley worked for the Newport Oil Transportation Company on their tanker "Timothy B. O'Connell" as Assistant Engineer from January 1934 to August 1937.

In my opinion, he is an efficient Diesel engineer. He is sober and industrious and it gives me pleasure to recommend him to the United States Coast Guard.

Very truly yours,

NEWPORT OIL TRANSPORTATION COMPANY

JRK:FB

Jerome R. Kelly
Manager

Newport, R.I.

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D MAY 4 - 1940

Commanding Officer
U.S.S. Argo, C.G.
Newport, R.I.

Subject: Thomas J. Pingley,
Asst. Engineer
Light Ship, No. 98.

Dear Sir:

I have known the subject-named man for five years, three of which we were ship mates.

I found him thoroughly dependable, able, industrious, ~~able~~, and always "on the job".

He is honest, loyal and trust worthy

Has a Navy Back ground - his father a "thirty year man" and his brother a Boatswain.

He is a good citizen and an able Engineer.

Respectfully,
Ernest F. Church

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard

REPORT OF POLICE RECORD

Coast Guard Recruiting Station, Cutter ARGO, Woods Hole, Mass.
(Place)

1 May, 1940
(Date)

To Chief of Police, Newport, R.I.

Dear Sir:

The following-named man, whose fingerprints appear on the reverse side of this form, has made formal application for enlistment in the U. S. Coast Guard, and it is requested that you fill in the following from the records of your office:

Thomas James Pingley

Thomas James Pingley, of 18 Lee Ave., Newport, R.I.
(Name of applicant)

31 yrs. 4 mos.	57½"	165#	white
(Age)	(Height)	(Weight)	(Color)

Has the above-named man, from the records of your office, been in: (1) Reform school?.....(2) Jail?.....(3) Penitentiary?.....

(4) Convicted of crime?.....(5) Arrested for any offense?.....

To your knowledge is he married or single? Not known

G. A. KNUDSEN, Lieutenant,
Commanding Officer

May 3, 1940
(Date)

To Recruiting Officer,.....

This department has no record of Thomas James Pingley, 18 Lee Av

The above information is submitted from the records of this office.

Samuel V. Dugan
Acting Chief of Police.

HARMFUL DRUGS, OR HAS HE ANY CHRONIC AILMENTS? IF SO STATE PARTICULARS.....

WHAT WAS HIS REPUTATION AND STANDING WHEN IN YOUR (EMPLOY) (CHARGE).....

HAS THE APPLICANT TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FOR INEFFICIENCY, NEGLECT OF DUTY, OR MORAL UNFITNESS? IF SO, STATE PARTICULARS.....

THE ABOVE STATEMENT AND ANSWERS ARE IN MY OWN HANDWRITING. (HAVE BEEN DICTATED AND CAREFULLY READ BY ME).

NOTE:-IF THE STATEMENT AND ANSWERS ARE DICTATED, STRIKE OUT THE STATEMENT ABOVE THAT THEY ARE IN THE HANDWRITING OF THE SIGNER.

St. Mary's School,
Sister Mary Catherine, R.S.M., Principal
(Signature of reference)

May 14, 1940. 193 261 Spring St., Newport, R.I.
(Date) (Post Office address)

RIGHT HAND

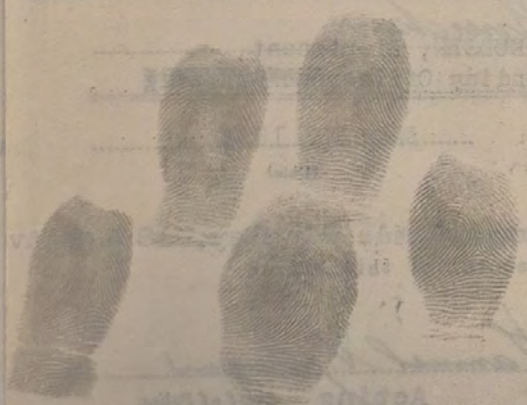
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LEFT HAND

6. Thumb	7. Index	8. Middle	9. Ring	10. Little
				

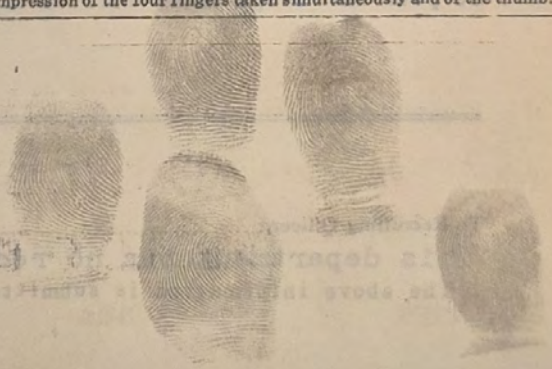
LEFT HAND

Plain impression of the four fingers taken simultaneously and of the thumb.



RIGHT HAND

Plain impression of the four fingers taken simultaneously and of the thumb.



9 May, 1940 .193
(Date)

Commanding Officer, ARGO.

FROM: U. S. COAST GUARD RECRUITING OFFICER AT Newport, R.I.

TO: (NAME) St. Mary's School (ADDRESS) Newport, R.I.

THE MAN WHOSE NAME APPEARS BELOW STATES HE WAS (~~EMPLOYED~~) BY YOU AT (~~NEARXXX~~)
(TAUGHT) (SCHOOL)

St. Mary's School (PLACE) Newport

(~~Ax~~)
(IN GRADE) graduated 8th grade.

IT IS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE THAT THIS OFFICE HAVE ON RECORD YOUR ESTIMATE OF HIS ABILITY. IF NOT PERSONALLY ACQUAINTED WITH HIS WORK, KINDLY HAVE THE QUESTIONS ANSWERED BY AN OFFICIAL OF THE COMPANY OR SCHOOL BEST ABLE TO SUPPLY THIS INFORMATION ACCURATELY.

THE GOVERNMENT ASSUMES THAT YOU WILL ANSWER FULLY, CAREFULLY AND WITH FRANKNESS. YOUR REPLY WILL BE CONSIDERED STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL. A FRANKED ENVELOPE IS INCLOSED FOR YOUR REPLY SO THAT YOU MAY GIVE THE MATTER IMMEDIATE ATTENTION.

G. A. Knudsen
G. A. KNUDSEN, Lieutenant,
(Recruiting Officer)

(NAME OF APPLICANT) Thomas James Pingley Born 16 Dec., 1908
(Filled in by Recruiting Officer)

ARE YOU RELATED TO THE APPLICANT? No

WAS THE APPLICANT EVER IN YOUR (~~EMPLOY~~) (CHARGE)	Yes	WHEN	FROM Sept. 9, 1918 TO Dec. 6, 1923 Grade 3 Grade 7
		WHERE?	St. Mary's School AS Pupil

WHAT WAS HIS (~~WEEKLY WAGE~~) (SCHOLASTIC RECORD) Can find only record of attendance.

WHY DID HE (LEAVE) (QUIT) Went to work from Grade 7 on Dec. 6, 1923 Did not graduate

CHECK ONE

HOW DO YOU RATE HIS:

	GOOD	AVERAGE	POOR
TRUSTWORTHINESS			
GENERAL INTELLIGENCE			
ABILITY			
HIS SKILL AS A			

TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE IS THE APPLICANT ADDICTED TO THE USE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS OR HARMFUL DRUGS, OR HAS HE ANY CHRONIC AILMENTS? IF SO STATE PARTICULARS

WHAT WAS HIS REPUTATION AND STANDING WHEN IN YOUR (~~EMPLOY~~) (CHARGE)

HAS THE APPLICANT TO YOUR KNOWLEDGE EVER BEEN DISCHARGED FOR INEFFICIENCY, NEGLECT OF DUTY, OR MORAL UNFITNESS? IF SO, STATE PARTICULARS

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St. Mary's School,
Sister Mary Catherine, R.S.M., Principal
(Signature of reference)

May 14, 1940. ~~193~~ 261 Spring St., Newport, R.I.
(Date) (Post Office address)

Form 2522
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
Revised Oct., 1932

FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK

FILE M.C.O.

PINGLEY, Thomas J. (Name, surname first) | 227-212 (Service number) | C.M.M. (Rank or rating) | Lightship No. 98, (Unit)

*REGULAR
*SPECIAL
TEMPORARY
(Enlistment status)

FINAL MEDICAL CERTIFICATE

Place Newport, R.I., Date 5/31, 1940

To: Officer in Charge
(Coast Guard unit)
Lightship No. 98,
(Address)

The above-named patient was discharged from {*inpatient / *outpatient} treatment as shown below:

DIAGNOSIS (By nomenclature name and number)	DIAGNOSIS NUMBER	PERIOD OF TREATMENT FOR EACH CONDITION	
		FROM	TO

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D JUN 7 1940 BY
MEDICAL SECTION

He {*is / *is not} fit for duty. REMARKS (Recommendations as to sick leave, further treatment, etc.):

CONDUCT REPORT:

Did the patient cooperate in his treatment? {*Yes. / *No.} Absent without permission? {*Yes. / *No.} Guilty of insubordination? {*Yes. / *No.}

P S Geller
P A S
U. S. Public Health Service.

NOTICE OF MEDICAL TRANSFER

_____, who has been under {*inpatient / *outpatient}
(Patient's name, service number, rank or rating, and unit)
treatment at _____ {*office / *hospital} at _____ for
_____ since _____, 193 , has been
(Diagnosis)
transferred this date _____, 193 , to the U. S. Marine Hospital at _____
for further treatment.

_____
U. S. Public Health Service.

*Strike out words not applicable.

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Form No. 2525 B
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U.S. COAST GUARD

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION RECORD

(To be completely made up by medical officer, in duplicate)

Name Pingley, J. (Surname first) Service Number

Age: Years 24 Months Color White

For: Induction Coast Guard (Special temporary or regular enlistment, appointment or promotion)

Rank or Rating C.M.M.

Place Newport, R.I. Date 3/24/40

Personal Medical History Neg.

Vision: R.E. 20/ 20 L.E. 20/ 20 Corrected: R.E. 20/ L.E. 20/

Color blind? No Test used Plates

Hearing: Conversational speech R.E. 30/ 30 L.E. 30/ 30

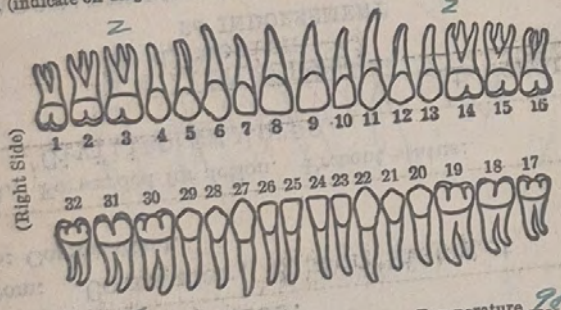
Eyes, eyelids, and reflexes Normal

Ears: Right Normal Left Normal (Condition of drum, discharge, etc.)

Head, face, and neck Normal

Mouth, nose, and throat Normal

Teeth (indicate on diagram: Missing, "z"; replaced, "x"; carious, "T".)



Gums Normal Temperature 98.6

Height 5 7½ inches. Weight (stripped) 165 Lbs. Obesity No

Skin Normal

Lymph. glands Normal

Chest: Inspiration ~~40~~ 39 Expiration 37

Heart and blood vessels Normal

Blood pressure: Systolic 120 Diastolic 80

Pulse before exercise 72, after exercise 112, after 2 min. 80

Lungs Normal

Abdomen and pelvis Normal

Genito-urinary organs Normal

Spine and extremities Normal

Nervous and mental conditions Normal

Urine: Albumin 0 Sugar 0 Shreds 0

Microscopical exam. (if indicated) epithelia Sp. Gr. 1018

Blood cells Pus cells Casts

Blood (if indicated) Hb %. Reds Whites

Wassermann or Kahn test: Date 4/2/40 Result Negative

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PINGLEY, J.

REMARKS: ----------

CERTIFICATE

We / I } certify that { we / I } have personally made this physical examination and find that T. Quigley

He is physically qualified for Induction C.G.

(Enlistment, appointment, promotion)

He is physically qualified to perform the duties of ----------
(Use in case of promotion of commissioned officer or annual examination) (Rank)

He is not physically qualified for ----------

on account of ----------

O.J.P. Geller
A.A.
Surgeon, U.S. Public Health Service.

1st INDORSEMENT

5 April, 1940
(Date)

Place Boston, Mass.

From: Commander, Boston District

To: Commandant.

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1. Forwarded for action. Present status:
Civilian employee.

O.A. Littlefield
Lt. Comdr USCG
Commanding—Dist. Comdr. Off. in Chg.
By direction.

2d INDORSEMENT

HEADQUARTERS MEDICAL OFFICE.
U.S. COAST GUARD, Washington.

APR 15 1940
(Date)

The findings of the certificate are not approved ----------

By direction of the Surgeon General:

M. Guthrie
Medical Director, U.S. Public Health Service.

3d INDORSEMENT

HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON.

4/19/40
(Date)

From: Commandant.

To:

1. Authorized as C.M.M.

Insert this copy in health record.

By direction,

Chief, Personnel Section.

EDUCATION AND SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

NOTE: This form to be filled out by enlisted men upon original entry into the Coast Guard and forwarded to Headquarters with enlistment papers.

PINGLEY, Thomas James _____ C.M.M.
Name in full - surname to left | Service number | Rating

EDUCATION

(a) Grammar School 8 yrs. Graduated
Indicate here the highest grade completed

(b) High School None
Indicate number of years attended

(c) College _____
Indicate years attended, name of college, degrees if any attained, any special or scientific course pursued and completed

EXPERIENCE:

Indicate in the parenthesis after each of the following the number of years served at each:

Aviation Rigger	( )	Aviation Mechanic	( )
Accountant	( )	Book-keeper	( )
Carpenter	( )	Cabinet-maker	( )
Draftsman	( )	Dentist	( )
Electrician (General)	( )	Electrician (Telephone)	( )
Engraver	( )	Engineer (Steam)	( )
Engineer (Diesel)	( )	Lathe Operator	( )
Machinist	(12)	Mechanical Engineer	( )
Pharmacist	( )	Photographer (General)	( )
Photographer (Aviation)	( )	Pattern-maker	( )
Plumber and Fitter	( )	Secretary	( )
Sign-Painter	( )	Stenographer	( )
School Teacher	( )	Tool Maker	( )
Telephone Linesman	( )	Telegrapher	( )
Welder	( )		

Set forth briefly, yet succinctly, below any previous experience or training not covered above. Also set forth such remarks as will indicate more fully the experience you have had in trades which you have followed as well as such remarks you desire to make regarding education and courses pursued:

Lighthouse Service as assistant engineer for 2 yrs. 8 mos. 10 das.

Employed as assistant engineer for nine years prior to above.

Reverse side of form may be utilized if required.

Form 2040
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
Coast Guard
Revised April 1938

PINGLEY, Thomas James 227-212

SINGLE
MARRIED X
WIDOWED
DIVORCED

Other creditable service — Yrs. 4 Mos. 1 Days 22

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Birth, date of December 16, 1906.
Birth, place of Newport, Rhode Island.
Citizenship U.S.

10-1188

UNIT	DATE	RATE	SERVICE Yrs.	SERVICE Mos.	SERVICE Days	REMARKS
HANDKERCHIEF LIGHTSHIP	5-1-40	C.M.M.				SPECIAL TEMPORARY HL-5-2-40 CASE NOT TAKEN THE ACTS
PORTLAND LTSHIP #90	5-31-42	C.M.M.				Tr.
BOSTON DIST OFFICE	4-27-42	C.M.M.				TR
BOSTON DIST OFFICE	5-29-42	C.M.M.	2	0	28	HD.Phys.Dis.HL 5-26-42

Form 2500-C
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD

Headquarters

NOTED PR-29

U. S. COAST GUARD (23)
RECD JUN 6 1942

Service Record

PINGLEY,
(Surname)

Thomas James (Christian names) | 227-212 (Service No.) | NB (Citizenship)

C.M.M. (Enlisted as) | 1 May, 1940 (Date) | THREE (3) STE (Term of years)

ARGO, (Ship or station) | Woods Hole, Mass. (Place)

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CERTIFIED FOR MUSTERING-OUT PAY.....



INSTRUCTIONS

arks to be assigned upon transfer and upon discharge, even though the period is less

ARTICLE 6.—In addition to recording the award of a good-conduct medal, honorable discharge button, or other medal or decoration, record should be made of special commendations by headquarters or the performance of duty of an exceptionally excellent character.

Form 1099
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE

UNITED STATES
INFORMATION RETURN FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1941

INSTRUCTIONS TO PAYORS

Prepare one of these forms for each payee in accordance with the instructions on return Form 1096.

Do not include payments to nonresident aliens reported on Form 1042.

Forward with return Form 1096 so as to reach the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Returns Distribution Section, Washington, D. C., on or before February 15, 1942.

Copy of this form as filed with the Government should be furnished to the employee whose income is reported in first column to assist him in preparing his income tax return.

TO WHOM PAID (Full name and home address) (If employee is a married woman, name of husband should also be furnished)

Thomas J. Pingley
C. G. Handkerchief Lightship #98
c/o U. S. Coast Guard Station
Chatham, Mass.

Employee's social security number, if any _____

KIND AND AMOUNT OF INCOME PAID

Salaries, Wages, Fees, Commissions, Bonuses (If single $750 or more, if married $1,500 or more)	Interest on Notes, Mortgages, etc.	Rents and Royalties	Other Fixed or Determinable Income	Foreign Items ($750 or more)	Dividends ($100 or more) (Total paid, including amounts claimed nontaxable)
	($750 or more aggregate amount of above items)				
$ 1700	$	$	$	$	$

☐ SINGLE
MARRIED ☒

BY WHOM PAID (Name and address)

U. S. GOVERNMENT - Coast Guard
Custom House
Boston, Mass.

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(OVER)

Dist. Comdr.

Witnessed and registered _____, 19____

_____

Pay officer,
Officer in charge, _____ Station.

Form 2528.—Revised July 1934 2—8272
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. COAST GUARD
Form approved by Comptroller General, U. S.
April 14, 1934

(OVER) DO NOT FOLD—MAIL FLAT

July						
Aug.						
Sept.						
Oct.						
Nov.						
Dec.						

* Allotter or member immediate family

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ARTICLE 17.—On desertion this certificate will be executed, but Article 18 will *not* be executed.

ARTICLE 18.—This certificate will be executed on discharge or death.

No interlineations, erasures, alterations, or use of ditto marks are permitted. Should an error be made, a light red-ink line shall be drawn through it, the commanding or enlisting officer entering his initials alongside in ink.

As far as possible, all entries on Service Record should be made on the typewriter.

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ENLISTMENT [a] of PINGLEY, Thomas James (227-212) as C.M.M.
(Full name, surname to left) (Rating)

U. S. Coast Guard ~~Cutter~~ Station ARGO, Boston District, Woods Hole, Mass.
(Draw line through designation not applying) (Location of vessel, or P. O. address of station)

Accepted for enlistment at Woods Hole, Mass.
(Place)

1. I, Thomas James Pingley, this 1st day of MAY, 1940, desiring
(Full name)

to enlist in the United States Coast Guard, do declare that I am of legal age (or have legal consent) to enlist; that I am of good habits and character; that I have never deserted nor received a dishonorable discharge from the United States Coast Guard, Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Revenue-Cutter Service, or Life-Saving Service; that I have never been discharged from the United States service, nor any other service, through sentence of either a civil or a military court; and that I have never been discharged from any service, civil or military, except with good character, and for the reasons given by me to the enlisting officer prior to enlistment.

2. I was born in Newport, R.I., on 16 December, 1908 Citizenship [b] NB

If naturalized, place and date of naturalization - Certificate number

If intentions declared, place and date of declaration -

Occupation or trade Machinist Home address 18 Lee Ave., Newport, R.I.

Full name and address of the following: Gertrude B. Pingley, same address
(Wife, if any)

Thomas J. Pingley (age 8 yrs), Allen Pingley (6 yrs.), John F. Pingley (4 yrs.), and
(Children under 21 years of age. Specify ages of children)

Daniel E. Pingley (4 mos.), all residing at 18 Lee Ave., Newport, R.I.

Mary E. Ward, 29 Mumford Ave., Newport, R.I. Widowed? No
(Mother, if living)

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(Next of kin, or person interested, if there are none of the above)

3. I certify that I am prepared to support my dependents on pay received for service under this enlistment and that there do not now exist, nor can I foresee, any circumstances connected with the support of my dependents nor any conditions in my domestic affairs which would cause me to seek a discharge on account of dependency or the need for my presence at home, prior to the expiration of this enlistment.

4. I certify that the contract of enlistment has been read by me and fully explained by the enlisting officer and that no promises of any kind have been made to me concerning assignment to duty or promotion during my enlistment.

5. I further certify that I have never been arrested by civil authorities and have never been in a reform school, jail, or penitentiary, and have never been convicted or confined other than indicated herein Never.
(State fully nature of offense, if any,

and nature of institution in which incarcerated)

6. I have not had previous service under the United States in the Coast Guard, Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Revenue-Cutter Service, or Life-Saving Service, and I certify that the discharge or discharges therefrom which I have produced to the enlisting officer is or are the latest received by me.
(If "not," so state)

7. I do not now belong to any branch, either active or reserve, of the military or naval service of the United States, or of any of the several States.

8. I was last discharged from the U. S. Coast Guard on -, 19....., from ~~Cutter~~ Station -
(Strike out one)

with - discharge, herewith submitted, serial No. -
(Kind of discharge)

9. I agree to and with the United States of America, represented by J. A. BRESNAN, Lieut. (j.g.), United States Coast Guard, in manner and form following, that is to say:
(Name of enlisting officer)

In the first place, I agree for the considerations hereinafter mentioned to enter the service of the United States Coast Guard, and in due and seasonable time to repair to such vessel or station as I may be ordered to join, and to the utmost of my power and ability discharge my several services or duties, and be in everything conformable and obedient to the lawful commands of the officers who may from time to time be placed over me.

Secondly, I oblige and subject myself, and for that purpose covenant and agree, to serve during the term of THREE (3) YEARS from the date first above written, unless sooner discharged by proper authority; and also to the condition that said period may be temporarily extended by reason of duty away from my usual station, or during an emergency, to subserve the interests of the Government; and to the further condition that the said period shall be extended to make good any time in excess of one day lost through unexcused absence or by absence on account of disease resulting from my own intemperate use of drugs or alcoholic liquors or other misconduct, so that such extension with the time served by me prior thereto will amount to a full term of THREE (3) YEARS, and I also oblige myself during such service to comply with and be subject to such laws, regulations, and discipline as are, or may be, established for the government of the United States Coast Guard, and to submit to treatment for the prevention of smallpox, typhoid (typhoid prophylaxis), and such other preventive measures as may be considered necessary by Coast Guard authorities. If discharged by sentence of a Coast Guard court, or by reason of bad conduct, undesirability or inaptitude, I agree to surrender my uniforms for a suit of civilian clothes.

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(Name of enlisting officer)

hereby covenant and agree to and with the Thomas James Pingley who has hereunto signed his
(Name of person enlisting)

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name, that he shall be paid in consideration of such services, the amount now established, or that may be established, by authority of law, as the pay of the ratings which may, from time to time, be assigned him, subject to such forfeitures, deductions, and retentions as may be ordered by competent authority in accordance with the laws of the United States and the Regulations governing the Coast Guard, BUT HE SHALL NOT BE ENTITLED TO RETIREMENT BECAUSE OF THIS SPECIAL TEMPORARY ENLISTMENT.

Enlistment effected pursuant to Act of August 5, 1939.
J. A. Bresnan

Thomas James Pingley
Thomas James Pingley
(Signature of enlisted person)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

By J. A. BRESNAN, Lieutenant (j.g.), U.S.C.G.
(Signature and rank of enlisting officer)

10. I CERTIFY to the signature of the above person enlisted, and that I have strictly complied in his case with the Regulations of the United States Coast Guard governing enlistments, and that no promise of any kind concerning assignment to duty or promotion during this enlistment has been made.

J. A. Bresnan
J. A. BRESNAN,
Lieutenant (j.g.), *U. S. C. G., Enlisting Officer.*

11. OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I, Thomas James Pingley (Full name), do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, and that I will serve them honestly against all their enemies whomsoever; and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States, and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to the laws and Regulations for the government of the United States Coast Guard.

And I do further swear (or affirm) that all statements made by me as now given in this record are correct.

Thomas James Pingley
Thomas James Pingley
(Signature of enlisted person)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of MAY, A. D. 1940

G. A. Knudsen
G. A. KNUDSEN, Lieutenant,
Commanding Officer, ARGO.
(Comdg. officer, officer in charge of a unit, or notary public)

12. DESCRIPTIVE LIST

Age 31 years 4 months. Height 5 feet 7½ inches. Weight 165 pounds. Eyes blue

Hair lt. brown Complexion fair Color white Married yes

Distinguishing marks ANT: Tattoo: Heartand woman's face on rua. POST: S rt. wrist.

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(State fully nature of offense, if any,

and nature of institution in which incarcerated)

6. I have not had previous service under the United States in the Coast Guard, Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Revenue-Cutter Service, or Life-Saving Service, and I certify that the discharge or discharges therefrom which I have produced to the enlisting officer is or are the latest received by me.
(If "not," so state)

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with - discharge, herewith submitted, serial No. -
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Thomas James Pingley
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(Signature of enlisted person)

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(Signature and rank of enlisting officer)

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J. A. BRESNAN,
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I, Thomas James Pingley, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will bear true faith and
(Full name)
allegiance to the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, and that I will serve them honestly against all their enemies whomsoever; and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States, and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to the laws and Regulations for the government of the United States Coast Guard.

And I do further swear (or affirm) that all statements made by me as now given in this record are correct.

Thomas James Pingley
Thomas James Pingley
(Signature of enlisted person)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of MAY, A. D. 19 40

G. A. KNUDSEN, Lieutenant,
Commanding Officer, ARGO.
(Comdg. officer, officer in charge of a unit, or notary public)

12. DESCRIPTIVE LIST

Age 31 years 4 months. Height 5 feet 7½ inches. Weight 165 pounds. Eyes blue

Hair lt. brown Complexion fair Color white Married yes

Distinguishing marks ANT: Tattoo: Heartand woman's face on rua. POST: S rt. wrist.

13. CERTIFICATE AS TO PARENT OR GUARDIAN

(To be used only in the enlistment of a minor who states that he has no parent or guardian residing in the United States or in the insular possessions of the United States)

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(Within the United States, in the territory or islands of the United States)

where this enlistment is made.

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SERVICE RECORD

RECORD OF PINGLEY, Thomas J. (Full name, surname to the left) 227-212 (Service No.)

1. TRANSFERS

Departed from—			Reported to—		
Unit	Date	Signature	Unit	Date	Signature
ARGO	5-1-40	J. J. Burnes	Lightship #98	5-1-40	Paul S. Peabody CBM
L.J. N° 98	3/25/42	Executive Officer	BOSTON BASE	3-30-42	[illegible] Lieut.
BOSTON BASE	3-31-42	[illegible] Lieut.	L.S. # 90	3-31-42	[illegible] Lieut.
Lightship #90	4-27-42	[illegible] Bos'n.	ODCGO, 1ND	4-27-42	By direction.

2. CHANGES IN RATING

Unit	Rated or disrated to—	Date	Signature

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RECORD OF PINGLEY, Thomas J. 227-212
(Full name, surname to the left) (Service No.)

3. EFFICIENCY MARKS

SCALE OF MARKS: 4.0, Perfect; 3.5 to 3.9, Excellent; 3.0 to 3.4, Good; 2.5 to 2.9, Satisfactory; 2.0 to 2.4, Indifferent; 1.0 to 1.9, Poor; 0.0 to 0.9, Bad

Date	Proficiency in rating	Conduct	Sobriety	Ability as leader of men	Health	Adaptability for warrant grade	Vessel or station	Signature
5-1-40	LESS THAN ONE MONTH.				4.0		ARGO	By direction.
7-1-40	3.5	3.5	4.0	3.5	3.5		Lt Ship #98	Bosn L. J. Clark.
9-30-40	3.5	3.5	4.0	3.5	4.0		Lt. Ship #98	L J Clark. Bosn
12-31-40	3.5	4.0	4.0	3.5	4.0		LIGHTSHIP # 98	L J Clark, Bosn
3-31-41	3.5	4.0	4.0	3.5	4.0		L.S. # 98	L J Clark. Bosn
6-30-41	3.5	4.0	4.0	3.5	4.0		L.S. 3 98	L J Clark. "
Average								

Upon receipt of enlistment record it shall be checked to see that previous marks have been entered. The last unit at which service is rendered will be held responsible for the completeness of the marks.

4. SWIMMING QUALIFICATIONS

Unit	Date of qualification	Signature

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Record of PINGLEY, Thomas James 227-212
(Full name, surname to the left) (Service No.)

3. EFFICIENCY MARKS

Date	Rate	Proficiency in rating	Seamanship	Mechanical ability	Ability as leader of men	Special Qualification or Special Detail	Conduct	Signature
9-1-41	C.M.M.	3.6	3.0	3.9	3.5	Diesel engines	4.0	L. J. Clark, Bos'n
12-31-41	C.M.M.	3.6	3.0	3.9	3.5	" "	4.0	L.J.Clark, Bos'n
3-31-42	C.M.M.	LESS THAN ONE MONTH				BOSTON BASE	4.0	[illegible]
4-27-42	C.M.M.	LESS THAN ONE MONTH				LIGHTSHIP #90	4.0	[illegible] Bos'n.
5-29-42	C.M.M.	3.6	3.0	3.9	3.5	OFFICE, DCGO1ND	4.0	Ge. M. Walton Ensign
Average	C.M.M.	3.53	3.0	3.9	3.5	OFFICE, DCGO1ND	3.88	Ge. M. Walton Ensign

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4. SWIMMING QUALIFICATIONS

UNIT	DATE OF QUALIFICATION	SIGNATURE

RECORD OF PINGLEY, Thomas J. 227-212
(Full name, surname to the left) (Service No.)

5. TRIALS BY COAST GUARD COURTS AND RESULT

Unit	Date	REMARKS: Kind of court, charge, sentence of court, and action of reviewing authority to be shown in this column	Signature

6. MERITORIOUS CONDUCT

(Award of medals, citations, Headquarters commendation, honorable discharge button, etc.)

Unit	Date	Remarks	Signature

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RECORD OF PINGLEY, Thomas J. 227-212
(Full name, surname to the left) (Service No.)

9. LEAVE ACCOUNT
WITH PAY

Unit	Date		Number of days	Balance		Signature
	Departed	Returned		Annual	Reenlist	
ARGO	Enlisted	5-1-40	30	30	0	J W Brennan

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RECORD OF PINGLEY, Thomas J. 227-212

(Full name, surname to the left) (Service No.)

10. ABSENT FROM DUTY

(On account of sickness or injury due to own misconduct. Without leave (including overleave, desertion, imprisonment under civil arrest resulting in conviction), and absence from duty (confinement) while awaiting trial by a Coast Guard court resulting in a conviction, or while serving a sentence.) (Absences less than 24 hours not to be entered.) (Show inclusive dates.)

Unit	Months	Days	From—	To—	Remarks	Signature
ARGO	NO UNAUTHORIZED ABSENCE WHILE ATTACHED TO THIS UNIT.					By direction.
BOSTON BASE	No deductible time while attached to this unit.					
Lightship #90	NO DEDUCTIBLE TIME WHILE ATTACHED TO THIS UNIT.					Bos'n.
OFFICE, DCGO1ND	NO DEDUCTIBLE TIME WHILE ATTACHED TO THIS UNIT					Ensign

11. EXTENSION OF ENLISTMENT

Unit	Period	Reason	Signature

12. ON DISCHARGE

(U. S. Marine Hospital, Brighton, Mass)

Date 29 May, 1942., 193... Place Boston, Massachusetts Serial No. A66972.

Kind of discharge Honorable Authority for Headquarters' letter, 26 May, 1942(P-73)

Discharged on account of Physical Disability

Is - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - recommended for reenlistment.

(If "not," so state, and show reason)

SIGNATURE GEO. M. WALKER, ENSIGN, BY DIRECTIO

13. ON DESERTION

Unit	Date	Remarks	Signature

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RECORD OF PINGLEY, Thomas J. 227-212
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AUTHORIZATION FOR MUSTERING OUT PAYMENT

Serial Number _____

1. Thomas J PINGLEY 227 212 CBM USCG
First Name Initial Surname File or Service No. Rank or Rating & Branch of Service

304 Columbia St.
Number Street

Fall River, Mass.
City Zone State

2. Honorable 29 May 1942
Character of Discharge Date of Discharge or Release from Active Duty

3. Amount of payment: Indicate which is applicable.

( ) $100

( ) $200 $200.

( ) $300

APPROVED FOR PAYMENT

MAR - 3 1944

MUSTERING OUT PAYMENT DIVISION DATA

Acct. No. B-17616-D

FBR-P

Massachusetts and paid $ 100.30 in full to date of discharge. Name of

pay officer RICHARD HEWITT, Chief Pay Clerk, USCG

Address subsequent to discharge will be:

304 Columbia Street, Street,

Fall River City, Massachusetts, State.

HAS SIGNIFIED INTENTION { Tex / Not } REENLIST NEXT DAY.

RECORD OF PINGLEY, Thomas J. 227-212
(Full name, surname to the left) (Service No.)

14. ON RETIREMENT

Unit	Date	Cause	Authority	Signature

15. ON DEATH

Unit	Date	Cause	Place of burial	Disposition of effects	Was death in line of duty	Signature

16. RECORD OF SERVICE

Creditable Coast Guard service during this enlistment:

2 (Years) 0 (Months) 28 (Days)

(Notations under article 10 to be considered when executing this article.)

17. CERTIFICATE UPON TERMINATION OF SERVICE

Monthly rate of pay when discharged, $ 10.00 126.00

The within-named man has been furnished travel allowance amounting to $ 5.60 at the rate of 5 cents per mile from Boston, Massachusetts to Woods Hole, Massachusetts and paid $ 100.30 in full to date of discharge. Name of pay officer RICHARD HEWITT, Chief Pay Clerk, USCG

Address subsequent to discharge will be:

304 Columbia Street, Street,

Fall River City, Massachusetts, State.

HAS SIGNIFIED INTENTION {~~FOR~~ / ~~DISCHG~~} REENLIST NEXT DAY.

Certified to be correct upon termination of service 29 May, 19 42

Geo. M. Walker.

GEO. M. WALKER, ENSIGN, BY DIRECTION

~~Commanding Officer~~ ~~Officer in Charge~~.

Form 2529
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

DESIGNATION OF BENEFICIARIES FOR DEATH GRATUITY

Cutter ARGO (Unit) — Woods Hole, Mass. (Place)

1 May, 1940 (Date)

FROM: PINGLEY, Thomas J. (227-212) C.M.M.

To: COMMANDANT (via Commanding Officer, ARGO)

1. In the event of my death I hereby designate beneficiary or beneficiaries for payment of six months' pay, as provided in the Act of June 4, 1920, as amended by the Act of May 22, 1928, as follows:

Gertrude B. Pingley (Full name of wife; if not married, so state)	18 Lee Ave., Newport, R.I. (Address of wife)
Thomas J. Pingley age 8 yrs. (Full name of child; if none, so state)	" (Address of child)
Allen Pingley, age 6 yrs. (Full name of child; if none, so state)	" (Address of child)
John F. Pingley, age 4 yrs. (Full name of child; if none, so state)	" (Address of child)
Daniel E. Pingley, age 4 mos.	" (Address of child)

2. In the event of my leaving no widow or child, or of their decease before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary under the said act the following dependent relative:

Mary E. Ward (Full name of relative)	Mother (Relationship)	29 Mumford Ave., Newport, R.I. (Address of relative)

Potential (State briefly wherein dependency exists)

3. In the event of the death of the above-named dependent relative before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary under said act the following dependent relative:

- (Full name of relative)	(Relationship)	(Address of relative)

(State briefly wherein dependency exists)

WITNESSED BY:

J. A. Bresnan

J. A. BRESNAN,

Rank Lieutenant (j.g.)

SIGNED:

Thomas J. Pingley

Thomas J. Pingley,

Rating C.M.M.

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

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(To be filled in by the Dental Officer)

PINGLEY,
(Surname)

Thomas James
(Given name-s)

C.M.M. 227-212
(Rank or rate) (Service number)

INSTRUCTIONS

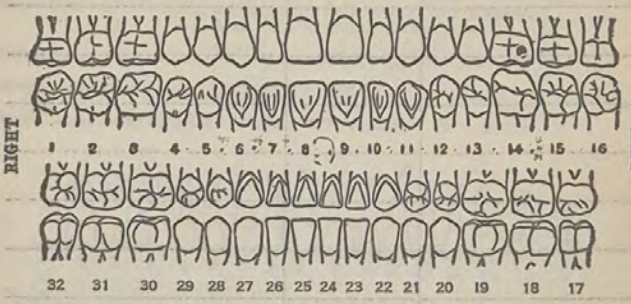
The Dental Record will be inserted as the top sheet in the Health Record.

This sheet will be prepared when an officer or man is first examined or treated by a dental officer, and subsequent entries will be made according to instructions.

The dental sheet should accompany a patient sent to another ship or station for dental treatment.

Upon the completion of treatment and the necessary entries over the signature of the dental officer, it will be sent to the officer having the custody of the Health Record.

RECORD OF FIRST DENTAL EXAMINATION



REMARKS:

(Date and signature of examining dental officer)

RECORD OF SUBSEQUENT DENTAL OPERATIONS



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PHYSICAL EXAMINATION RECORD

(To be completely made up by medical officer, in duplicate)

Name Pingley, V. (Surname first) Service Number 227-212

Age: Years 31 Months ____ Color White

For: Induction Coast Guard
(Special temporary or regular enlistment, appointment or promotion)

Rank or Rating CMM

Place Newport, R.I. Date 3/26/42

Personal Medical History Negative

Vision: R.E. 20/20 L.E. 20/20 Corrected: R.E. 20/____ L.E. 20/____

Color blind? No Test used Plates

Hearing: Conversational speech R.E. 30/30 L.E. 30/30

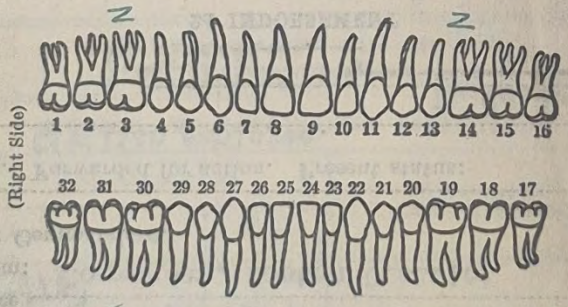
Eyes, eyelids, and reflexes Normal

Ears: Right Normal Left Normal
(Condition of drum, discharge, etc.)

Head, face, and neck Normal

Mouth, nose, and throat Normal

Teeth (indicate on diagram: Missing, "z"; replaced, "x"; carious, "I".)



Gums Normal Temperature 98.6

Height 5' 7½" inches. Weight (stripped) 165 Lbs. Obesity No

Skin Normal

Lymph. glands Normal

Chest: Inspiration 39 Expiration 37

Heart and blood vessels Normal

Blood pressure: Systolic 120 Diastolic 80

Pulse before exercise 72, after exercise 112, after 2 min. 80

Lungs Normal

Abdomen and pelvis Normal

Genito-urinary organs Normal

Spine and extremities Normal

Nervous and mental conditions Normal

Urine: Albumin 0 Sugar 0 Shreds 0

Microscopical exam. (if indicated) epithelia ____ Sp. Gr. 1018

Blood cells ____ Pus cells ____ Casts ____

Blood (if indicated) Hb ____% Reds ____ Whites ____

Wassermann or Kahn test: Date 4/3/42 Result Negative

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REMARKS: ---

CERTIFICATE

We / I } certify that { we / I } have personally made this physical examination and find that T. Pingley

He is physically qualified for Induction Coast Guard
(Enlistment, appointment, promotion)

He is physically qualified to perform the duties of ---
(Use in case of promotion of commissioned officer or annual examination) (Rank)

He is not physically qualified for ---

on account of ---

W. Geller
A A
Surgeon, U.S. Public Health Service.

1st INDORSEMENT

5 April, 1940
(Date)

Place Boston, Mass.

From: Commander, Boston District

To: Commandant.

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1. Forwarded for action. Present status:
Civilian employee.

Lt. Comdr USCG
O.A.LITTLEFIELD, ~~Commanding—Dist. Comdr.—Off-in-Chg.~~
By ~~direction.~~

2d INDORSEMENT

HEADQUARTERS MEDICAL OFFICE.
U.S. COAST GUARD, Washington.

APR 15 1940
(Date)

The findings of the certificate are not approved ---

By direction of the Surgeon General:

Medical Director, U.S. Public Health Service.

3d INDORSEMENT

HEADQUARTERS, WASHINGTON.

(Date)

From: Commandant.

To:

1. [illegible] AND INOCULATION

RECORD

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5/25			

ENTER RESULT AS: "PR"; "AR"; "IR"; OR "F"
(See instructions on back)

TYPHOID AND PARATYPHOID PROPHYLAXIS

Dates Administered			Signature of Medical Officer
First	Second	Third	
5/16			
5/25			
5/31			

EXEMPTION

(If exempted from vaccination or inoculation, state reason)

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(Signature of medical officer)

INSTRUCTIONS

Enter result as "Primary reaction" (PR); "Accelerated reaction" (AR); "Immunity reaction" (IR) or "Failure" (F).

Inspect primary vaccinations ten (10) to fifteen (15) days after vaccination, revaccinations two (2) to four (4) days after revaccination and later if a primary or slow accelerated reaction is developing. Upon a revaccination first make a control scarification unless the "multiple pressure" method is used.

PR.

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AR.

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IR.

Immunity reactions are those in which the broadest redness occurs eight (8) to seventy-two (72) hours after vac... such a reaction is evidence of immunity only if f... vaccine was used. The vaccine should be kept... at or below freezing or be used within two weeks... the manufacturers and be kept in an icebox m... these conditions are not known to have been... apparent immunity reaction should be marked with... mark (IR‡).

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Christian name-s Thomas James

STATE NAME OF PLACE	DATE EACH NEW ENTRY
Vineyard Haven, Mass., Marine Hospital	
	22 June, 1941: Admitted
DIAGNOSIS: Under observation for ulcer, duodenal	Confirmed
TREATMENT: Modified sippy diet.	
	25 June, 1941 Excision of cyst, neck.
	26 July, 1941. Discharged. Recovered. Fit for duty.
	[signature] T. H. Rose
	P.A.Surgeon, U.S.P.H.S.

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5. If a Health Record is lost or destroyed, a new one shall be immediately opened in full by the first custodial officer aware of such loss, who will note the fact in the new record and continue the record with such previous data as may be obtainable. If the old record be found, all data subsequent to its loss will be detached from the new and attached to the old record. A skeleton Health Record shall not be issued.

6. No photographs, folded papers, or forms are to be attached to the Health Record. The findings on laboratory and other reports in the case shall be entered on the Medical History Sheet.

7. *Transfer.*—Upon transfer of any person, except as a patient, the Health Record shall be forwarded through official channels to the new destination, or if the person is ordered to unusual, detached, or uncertain duty, it shall be retained or forwarded, as the case may be, with the person's service record. (See par. 4.)

8. The Health Record shall accompany a patient when transferred to or from hospital or when applying at an out-patient office. It shall not be forwarded through official channels, but shall be taken by the patient in a sealed envelope or by a responsible person accompanying him, and delivered with the patient to the official receiving the patient. Upon the patient's return to his unit the Health Record is to be delivered to the custodial officer.

9. If for any reason it becomes necessary to forward the Health Record to Headquarters, other than for termination of service noted thereon, it shall be accompanied by a letter stating the reason.

10. **Physical Examination Record.**—The Coast Guard Board or officer making the request for physical examination shall send to the medical board or officer two forms for physical examination record, already made out down to but not including place and date. The medical board or officer shall make out the rest of the Physical Examination Record in duplicate. In case of appointments or promotion of an officer, both forms shall be mailed by the board or officer direct to Headquarters. When promotion is made the original will be forwarded to the unit for insertion in the Health Record on top of the last Physical Examination Record. The Health Record shall be retained, but altered to show the promotion and new rank. No part of the Health Record is to be sent to Headquarters at this time. In case of enlistment both forms shall be returned to the enlisting officer, who will forward the original to Headquarters with other supporting papers after enlistment has been accomplished. The duplicate will be placed in the man's Health Record. In cases of reenlistment both forms will be forwarded to Headquarters for action and reenlistment will not be effected until duplicate copy is returned showing Headquarter's action. Upon receipt of duplicate copy from Headquarters same will be inserted in the Health Record.

11. The record shall be typewritten, if possible, and must be completely filled in as called for by the items on the form and in accordance with the instructions relative to the making of physical examinations. If any space is insufficient, the space under "Remarks" may be used.

12. The nature and degree of all physical defects of persons accepted for service in the Coast Guard must be fully described in order that no improper claims for compensation or pension may be allowed. Particular attention should be paid to those conditions which may not be disqualifying but which might be made the basis of such claims on the ground that they have developed or have become disabling while the person was in service. Waivers may be recommended by the medical examiner in accordance with the instructions relative to physical examinations, but the waiver must be authorized by the Commandant before the person is accepted.

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TERMINATION OF HEALTH RECORD

Name PINGLEY, Thomas James

Rating C.M.M. Service Number 227-212

Place ..... Date .....

I certify that I have today examined the above-named person, and find that he has the following disease or physical condition likely to result in physical disability or death:

.....

.....

.....

Other defects noted .....

.....

.....

In my opinion those numbered ..... are incident of service.

In my opinion those numbered ..... are not incident of service.

To Be Filled in Only When Physical Examination Prior to Discharge Necessary.

.....
Surgeon, U.S.P.H. Service.

I certify to the best of my knowledge and belief:

That I have no physical defect(s) .....

That I have the following defect(s) .....

.....

.....

.....

To Be Filled in Only When Physical Examination Prior to Discharge Necessary.

.....

.....
Rank or Rating, U.S. Coast Guard.

Service terminated 29 May, 1942.
(Date)

At OFFICE, HCGOUND U. S. Marine Hospital, Brighton, Mass.
(Place)

By reason of Physical disability
(Expiration enlistment; physical disability; undesirability; desertion, etc.)

Geo. M. Walker
GEO. M. WALKER, Ensign,
By direction
....., *Custodial Officer.*
(Rank)

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COPYMATE

ABSTRACT OF SERVICE

Ship or station	Date attached	Date detached
ARGO	5-1-40	5-1-40
LIGHTSHIP #98	5-1-40	
Boston Base	3-30-42	3-31-42
W.S. #90	3-31-42	

Form 2500 B
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
Revised Nov., 1932

SPECIAL TEMPORARY ENLISTMENT CONTRACT

The Act approved April 21, 1924, provides:

"Under such regulations as he may prescribe, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to appoint temporary warrant officers, and to make special temporary enlistments, in the Coast Guard. No person shall be entitled to retirement because of his temporary appointment or enlistment under this section."

ENLISTMENT[a] of PINGLEY, Thomas James (227-212) as C.M.M.
(Full name, surname to left) (Rating)

U. S. Coast Guard Cutter ~~Station~~ ARGO, Boston District, Woods Hole, Mass.
(Draw line through designation not applying) (Location of vessel, or P. O. address of station)

Accepted for enlistment at Woods Hole, Mass.
(Place)

1. I, Thomas James Pingley 227-212, this 1st day of MAY, 1940, desiring
(Full name)

to enlist in the United States Coast Guard, do declare that I am of legal age (or have legal consent) to enlist; that I am of good habits and character; that I have never deserted nor received a dishonorable discharge from the United States Coast Guard, Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Revenue-Cutter Service, or Life-Saving Service; that I have never been discharged from the United States service, nor any other service, through sentence of either a civil or a military court; and that I have never been discharged from any service, civil or military, except with good character, and for the reasons given by me to the enlisting officer prior to enlistment.

2. I was born in Newport, R.I., on 16 December, 1908 Citizenship[b] NB

If naturalized, place and date of naturalization - Certificate number

If intentions declared, place and date of declaration -

Occupation or trade Machinist Home address 18 Lee Ave., Newport, R.I.

Full name and address of the following: Gertrude B. Pingley, same address
(Wife, if any)

Thomas J. Pingley (age 8 yrs), Allen Pingley (6 yrs.), John F. Pingley (4 yrs.), and
(Children under 21 years of age. Specify ages of children)

Daniel E. Pingley (4 mos.), all residing at 18 Lee Ave., Newport, R.I.

Mary E. Ward, 29 Mumford Ave., Newport, R.I. Widowed? No
(Mother, if living)

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(Next of kin, or person interested, if there are none of the above)

3. I certify that I am prepared to support my dependents on pay received for service under this enlistment and that there do not now exist, nor can I foresee, any circumstances connected with the support of my dependents nor any conditions in my domestic affairs which would cause me to seek a discharge on account of dependency or the need for my presence at home, prior to the expiration of this enlistment.

4. I certify that the contract of enlistment has been read by me and fully explained by the enlisting officer and that no promises of any kind have been made to me concerning assignment to duty or promotion during my enlistment.

5. I further certify that I have never been arrested by civil authorities and have never been in a reform school, jail, or penitentiary, and have never been convicted or confined other than indicated herein Never.
(State fully nature of offense, if any, and nature of institution in which incarcerated)

6. I have not had previous service under the United States in the Coast Guard, Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Revenue-Cutter Service, or Life-Saving Service, and I certify that the discharge or discharges therefrom which I have produced to the enlisting officer is or are the latest received by me.
(If "not," so state)

7. I do not now belong to any branch, either active or reserve, of the military or naval service of the United States, or of any of the several States.

8. I was last discharged from the U. S. Coast Guard on -, 19....., from Cutter Station -
(Strike out one)

with - discharge, herewith submitted, serial No. -
(Kind of discharge)

9. I agree to and with the United States of America, represented by J. A. BRESNAN, Lieut. (j.g.), United States Coast Guard, in manner and form following, that is to say:
(Name of enlisting officer)

In the first place, I agree for the considerations hereinafter mentioned to enter the service of the United States Coast Guard, and in due and seasonable time to repair to such vessel or station as I may be ordered to join, and to the utmost of my power and ability discharge my several services or duties, and be in everything conformable and obedient to the lawful commands of the officers who may from time to time be placed over me.

Secondly, I oblige and subject myself, and for that purpose covenant and agree, to serve during the term of THREE (3) YEARS from the date first above written, unless sooner discharged by proper authority; and also to the condition that said period may be temporarily extended by reason of duty away from my usual station, or during an emergency, to subserve the interests of the Government; and to the further condition that the said period shall be extended to make good any time in excess of one day lost through unexcused absence or by absence on account of disease resulting from my own intemperate use of drugs or alcoholic liquors or other misconduct, so that such extension with the time served by me prior thereto will amount to a full term of THREE(3) YEARS, and I also oblige myself during such service to comply with and be subject to such laws, regulations, and discipline as are, or may be, established for the government of the United States Coast Guard, and to submit to treatment for the prevention of smallpox, typhoid (typhoid prophylaxis), and such other preventive measures as may be considered necessary by Coast Guard authorities. If discharged by sentence of a Coast Guard court, or by reason of bad conduct, undesirability or inaptitude, I agree to surrender my uniforms for a suit of civilian clothes.

Thirdly, the United States of America, represented by J. A. BRESNAN, Lieut.(j.g.), United States Coast Guard, does
(Name of enlisting officer)

hereby covenant and agree to and with the Thomas James Pingley who has hereunto signed his
(Name of person enlisting)

[a] In cases of reenlistment prefix "Re."
[b] Citizenship: Use expressions "NB" for native born; "NZ" for naturalized; "AD" for alien, intentions declared; "A" for alien; "NPI" for native of Philippine Islands; "NPR" for native of Puerto Rico.

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name, that he shall be paid in consideration of such services, the amount now established, or that may be established, by authority of law, as the pay of the ratings which may, from time to time, be assigned him, subject to such forfeitures, deductions, and retentions as may be ordered by competent authority in accordance with the laws of the United States and the Regulations governing the Coast Guard, BUT HE SHALL NOT BE ENTITLED TO RETIREMENT BECAUSE OF THIS SPECIAL TEMPORARY ENLISTMENT.

Enlistment effected pursuant to act of August 5, 1939.
J. A. Bresnan

Thomas James Pingley
(Signature of enlisted person)

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

By J. A. BRESNAN, Lieutenant (j.g.), U.S.C.G.
(Signature and rank of enlisting officer)

10. I CERTIFY to the signature of the above person enlisted, and that I have strictly complied in his case with the Regulations of the United States Coast Guard governing enlistments, and that no promise of any kind concerning assignment to duty or promotion during this enlistment has been made.

J. A. BRESNAN,
Lieutenant (j.g.), *U. S. C. G., Enlisting Officer.*

11. OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

I, Thomas James Pingley (Full name), do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, and that I will serve them honestly against all their enemies whomsoever; and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States, and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to the laws and Regulations for the government of the United States Coast Guard.

And I do further swear (or affirm) that all statements made by me as now given in this record are correct.

Thomas James Pingley
(Signature of enlisted person)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of MAY, A. D. 1940

G. A. KNUDSEN, Lieutenant,
Commanding Officer, ARGO.
(Comdg. officer, officer in charge of a unit, or notary public)

12. DESCRIPTIVE LIST

Age 31 years 4 months. Height 5 feet 7 1/8 inches. Weight 165 pounds. Eyes blue

Hair lt. brown Complexion fair Color white Married yes

Distinguishing marks ANT: Tattoo: Heartand woman's face on rua. POST: S rt. wrist.

13. CERTIFICATE AS TO PARENT OR GUARDIAN

(To be used only in the enlistment of a minor who states that he has no parent or guardian residing in the United States or in the insular possessions of the United States)

I CERTIFY that I have neither a parent nor guardian .....
(Within the United States, in the territory or islands of the United States)

.....where this enlistment is made.

RHODE ISLAND PUBLIC HEALTH COMMISSION

Division of Vital Statistics

COPY OF RECORD OF BIRTH

City or Town No.

1. PLACE OF BIRTH—

St. and No. 505 Thames St. City or Town Newport

(If birth occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

2. Full name of child Thomas James Pingley {If child is not yet named, make supplemental report, as directed

3. Sex Male | If plural births { 4. Twin, triplet, or other..... 5. Number, In order of birth.... | 6. Premature..... Full term..... | 7. Legitimate..... | 8. Date of birth December 16, 1908 (Month, day, year)

3a. Color White

FATHER

9. Full name Thomas J. Pingley

10. Residence (usual place of abode) (If nonresident, give place and State).....

11. Color or race White | 12. Age at last birthday 32 (years)

13. Birthplace (city or place) (State or country) Newport R.I.

OCCUPATION

14. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. Fireman

15. Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, sawmill, bank, etc. Navy

16. Date (month and year) last engaged in this work ....., 19..... | 17. Total time (years) spent in this work.....

MOTHER

18. Full maiden name Mary E. Allen

19. Residence (P. O. address).....

(St. and No.).....

20. Color or race White | 21. Age at last birthday 21 (years)

22. Birthplace (city or place) (State or country) Newport R.I.

OCCUPATION

23. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as housekeeper, typist, nurse, clerk, etc.....

24. Industry or business in which work was done, as own home, lawyer's office, silk mill, etc.....

25. Date (month and year) last engaged in this work ....., 19..... | 26. Total time (years) spent in this work.....

27. Number of children of this mother (At time of this birth and including this child) 4th (a) Born alive and now living..... (b) Born alive but now dead..... (c) Stillborn.....

28. If stillborn, period of gestation..... { months or weeks | 29. Cause of stillbirth..... { During labor..... Before labor.....

30. Was a prophylactic for Ophthalmia Neonatorum used?..... If so, what?..... | 31. Specify congenital Crippling Deformities.....

CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDING PHYSICIAN OR MIDWIFE

I hereby certify that I attended the birth of this child, who was..... (Born alive or stillborn) at..... m. on the date above stated.

{ When there was no attending physician or midwife, then the parent, householder, etc., should make this return.

(Signed)..... (Physician, Midwife, Parent or Other) Degree

Address.....

Given name added from a supplemental report..... (Date of)

Filed....., 19..... .....

Local Registrar.

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Local Registrar.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the record as recorded in the office of the Registrar of Vital Statistics of Rhode Island.

Edward C. McLaughlin M.D.

State Registrar of Vital Statistics

This copy issued Feb. 3, 1937

Date

Form 2520
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
Revised Mar., 1930

This application blank will be forwarded with enlistment contract in cases of men accepted for enlistment

APPLICATION FOR ENLISTMENT

Position desired E. M. M

WARNING

If you have ever been in the Coast Guard, Army, Navy, or Marine Corps and deny such service, your fingerprints will establish your identity and summary punishment will be forthcoming for fraudulent enlistment.

If statements made herein are found to be false disciplinary action will result.

Woods Hole, Mass.
(Place)

May 1st, 1940
(Date)

I respectfully request permission to enlist in the United States Coast Guard, and to that end do declare that I am 31 years 4 months old, and believe myself to be physically qualified to perform the duties of the rating in which I may be enlisted; that I am of good habits and character in all respects; that I have never deserted from the U. S. Coast Guard, Navy, Marine Corps, Army, or Naval Reserve; and I certify that the following statements are correct:

Name in full Thomas James Pingley

Date of birth Dec 16, 1908

Place of birth Newport R.I. Citizenship U.S.

Home address 18 Lee Ave. Newport, R.I.

Are you married? yes Number and relationship of persons dependent on you for support? 5

Wife, 4 four children

Are you prepared to support your dependents on service pay? yes

Are your parents living? Mother Are your parents dependent on you for support? No

Name and address of next of kin Gertrude B. Pingley, same address.

The following must be filled out to cover the last year for those under 21 and the last 2 years for those over 21. In case of nonemployment, substitute school history.

Employer's Name	His Address	His Business	Length of Employment From—	Length of Employment To—	You were Employed as—
L. H. A.	Handkerchief Sta		8/37	4/30/40	Asst. Engr.

Do you drink intoxicating liquors? If so, to what extent? No

Have you ever been arrested? If so, for what? No

Have you ever been in a reform school, jail, or penitentiary, or have you ever been convicted of any crime? No

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(OVER)

I have had the following education (state grammar schools, high schools, business colleges, or schools and colleges attended, stating whether or not you graduated and the number of years you attended each):

Completed grammer school St. Mary's School, Newport, R.I.

Have you ever served in the U. S. Coast Guard, Navy, Marine Corps, Army, or Naval Reserve? No

If so, state which

Are you now or have you been a member of the National Guard? No

Produce your discharges from the U. S. Coast Guard, Navy, Marine Corps, Army, Naval Reserve, or National Guard.

Have you ever applied for enlistment in the Coast Guard? No

When did you apply? Where?

Were you accepted or rejected? If rejected, state why

I further certify that there do not exist any circumstances connected with the support of my dependents nor any conditions in my domestic affairs which, in the event I am accepted for enlistment, would cause me to seek a discharge prior to the expiration of my period of enlistment on account of dependency or the need for my presence at home.

(Sign your full name here) Thomas James Pingley

Accepted or rejected Accepted. Cause of rejection

Date 1 May, 1940

insofar as practicable

I certify that the statements of the applicant, contained herein have been verified and that the same are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. A. BRESNAN, Lieutenant, U. S. C. G.

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Hugh N. Murray 116 Connecticut St. Newport R.I.
Ernest F. Chuck 1½ West Howard St. Newport R.I.
Jerome Kirby c/o Newport Oil Corp. Newport R.I.

Form 2529
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

DESIGNATION OF BENEFICIARIES FOR DEATH GRATUITY

Cutter ARGO (Unit) — Woods Hole, Mass. (Place)

1 May, 1940 (Date)

FROM: PINGLEY, Thomas J. (227-212) C.M.M.

TO: COMMANDANT (via Commanding Officer, ARGO)

1. In the event of my death I hereby designate beneficiary or beneficiaries for payment of six months' pay, as provided in the Act of June 4, 1920, as amended by the Act of May 22, 1928, as follows:

(Full name of child; if none, so state)	(Address of child)
Gertrude B. Pingley (Full name of wife; if not married, so state)	18 Lee Ave., Newport, R.I. (Address of wife)
Thomas J. Pingley age 8 yrs.	"
Allen Pingley, age 6 yrs.	"
John F. Pingley, age 4 yrs.	"
Daniel E. Pingley, age 4 mos.	"

2. In the event of my leaving no widow or child, or of their decease before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary under the said act the following dependent relative:

(Full name of relative)	(Relationship)	(Address of relative)
Mary E. Ward	Mother	29 Mumford Ave., Newport, R.I.

Potential
(State briefly wherein dependency exists)

3. In the event of the death of the above-named dependent relative before payment is made, I then designate as my beneficiary under said act the following dependent relative:

(Full name of relative)	(Relationship)	(Address of relative)
-		

(State briefly wherein dependency exists)

WITNESSED BY:

A Bresnan
J. A. BRESNAN,
Rank Lieutenant (j.g.)

SIGNED:

Thomas J. Pingley
Thomas J. Pingley,
Rank or Rating C.M.M.

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19 April, 1940.

From: Commandant.
To : Commander, Boston District.

Subject: Induction into the Coast Guard of Thomas J. Pingley as chief machinist's mate.

Reference: (a) Article 2161, Regulations.
(b) Article 2162, Regulations.

Inclosures: (1) One (1) certificate--chief petty officer's rating.
(2) Duplicate copy of one (1) Form 2525-B.
(3) One (1) copy memorandum concerning pay and allowances.

1. Pursuant to the Act of August 5, 1939, you are hereby authorized to enlist Thomas J. Pingley in the rating of chief machinist's mate, providing he meets the qualifications for enlistment as set forth in the Personnel Instructions, except as relates to age and marriage.

2. Upon enlistment, an individual health record will be opened in the case of Pingley, and inclosure 2 will be inserted therein.

3. Attention is invited to references (a) and (b) relative to the necessity for smallpox vaccination and typhoid inoculation. Reports of vaccination and inoculation should be submitted promptly to Headquarters on Form 2522.

4. Pingley should be advised that his compensation will commence and include the date on which he is enlisted; therefore, it will be necessary for him to resign from his present civil service position, if holding one, effective at the close of the day preceding. In this connection, his attention should be invited to Section 7 of the Act of August 5, 1939, which states that "No person commissioned, appointed, or enlisted in the Coast Guard, pursuant to this Act, shall suffer any reduction in the total of the annual compensation and allowances, which he was receiving on the date of his commission, appointment or enlistment."

5. Upon enlistment, the certificate of chief petty officer's rating (inclosure 1), and inclosure 3 will be delivered to Pingley.

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R. R. WAESCHE.

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