LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

Employee Name: Stith, Edward C **DOB:** 1896

Records checked:

Agency: Commerce 6028	Area: Bay 10, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Commerce 6029	Area: Bay 10, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Old Commerce	Area: Bay 10, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative

AND

Agency: Treasury 2189	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Treasury 2188	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Old Treasury	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative

If Negative:

Agency: Treasury SRCs series 1	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Treasury SRCs series 2	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Treasury SRCs series 3	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative
Agency: Coast Guard SRCs	Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk	positive	negative

If Negative:

CMRS: possible CG service	Area: _____	positive	negative
ARCIS: _____	Area: _____	positive	negative

Notes: _____

Form 439
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
DIVISION OF APPOINTMENTS

File No. 2583

Name S T I T H, Mr. EDWARD C.

BORN: November 29, 1896

Service COAST GUARD (L.H.S.)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—16322

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
United States Coast Guard

1940 NOV 5 PM 4 17

26 October, 1940

REPORT OF EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHANGE IN POSITION
OR PAY STATUS OF CIVILIAN EMPLOYEE

U. S. COAST GUARD
REC'D OCT 30 1940

From: Commander, Seattle District
To : Commandant.

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Name Edward C. Stith

Nature of Action - Change in status and post of duty - increase in grade and salary

Effective date of change - 26 October, 1940

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper (~~Assistant~~)	Keeper (~~4th Assistant~~)
Pay	$1260 p.a. plus quarters $240	$1560 p.a. plus quarters $60.
Salary Range	$1260-1620	$1560-1920
Station	Turn Point Light Station	Tillamook Rock Light Station

Remarks: This change is reported in accordance with Department approval dated (perforated in Form 2249) 9 October, 1940

W. H. MUNTER
By direction:
M. P. Jensen
M. P. JENSEN, Lieut.Comdr.
Personnel Officer

HEADQUARTERS - U.S COAST GUARD - WASHINGTON
Submitted to the Director of Personnel for information. NOV - 5 1940

By direction of the Commandant.

Very truly yours,

R. J. GROSS,
Chief, Civilian Personnel
R J Gross

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 6-40

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

PAGE: 55459

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date October 9, 1940.

Name: Stith, Edward C.

From: U. S. Coast Guard (BUREAU OR DIVISION) Bureau No: 412

Nature of Recommendation

Change in status and post of duty - increase in grade and salary

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	Keeper
Grade	Field (Range $1260-1620)	Field (Range $1560-1920)
Salary	$1260 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.	$1560 p.a. plus $60 p.a. Qtrs.
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U.S.Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters	Seattle, Washington	Seattle, Washington
Post of Duty	Turn Point,Lt. Sta., Wash.	Tillamook Rock Lt.Sta.,Ore.
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C.G.	Civilian Employees, C.G.
Allotment		
Field or Deptl.	Field	Field

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 11-29-1896

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Washington

SEX: M RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE: *Howard W.West (Trans.)

EFFECTIVE E.O.D.

Remarks: Travel from Prevost, Washington, to Astoria, Oregon, necessary in interest of Government, not for convenience of employee is authorized, with per diem of $3.50 in lieu of subsistence, chargeable to symbol No. 29. Travel by privately owned automobile at the rate of 4¢ a mile, if more economical and advantageous to the United States than travel by commercial carrier, authorized. If travel is by privately owned automobile, a statement certifying that such travel is more economical and advantageous than travel by commercial carrier must be attached to the voucher.

Justification: This is a regular position in the authorized complement of the station, and it is necessary that it be filled in order that the essential work of the Service may be carried on.

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

DATE OF OATH

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

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

(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL. TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY: 10-9-40

INTERLEAVED-PATD.-

July 1, 1939. Lighthouse Districts No. Seventeenth

consolidated with Seattle Coast Guard District,

Headquarters Seattle, Washington

See U. S. Coast Guard General Order No. 37, dated June 20, 1939.

7/1/39 Transferred from Bureau of Lighthouses, Department of Commerce, and consolidated with United States Coast Guard, under terms of Plan No. 2 of Reorganization Act of 1939, approved by Congress April 3, 1939.

File received - FEB 9 1940

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Stith, Edward C. (Name)

Oregon (Legal Residence)

STATUS

DESIGNATION	SERVICE AND GRADE	SALARY	ACTION	BUREAU	DIST.	STATION	DATE OF EFFECT
Keeper	–	1320	Prob.	L. H.	17	Cape Flattery	4/22/37
"		1260	Transfer and Advance	"	17	Turn Point	12-1-37

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LIGHTHOUSES
DEC 20 8 46 AM '37

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

Office of the Superintendent, 17th District
Portland, Oregon, December 15, 1937

CHANGE IN STATUS OF EMPLOYEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1937 DEC 20 PM 3 31

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DEC 21 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

Name: Edward C. Stith

Nature of action: Transfer and decrease in pay.

Effective Date: December 1, 1937

	FROM	TO
Position	Second Assistant Keeper	Assistant Keeper
Pay	$1320 per annum plus quarters valued at $240 per annum	$1260 per annum plus quarters valued at $240 per annum
Station	Cape Flattery Light Station	Turn Point Light Station

Remarks:
This change is reported in accordance with Department letter dated

November 8, 1937.

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

CARDED

Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington

December 20, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

see

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

November 8, 1937.

Mr. Edward C. Stith,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

[illegible] GARDNER NOV 10 1937

Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1320 per annum.

To: $1260 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

CARDED

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—9051

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT,

Portland, Oregon, October 27, 1937
(City) (Date)

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and promotion in grade with decrease in pay.

Name, Edward C. Stith

Position, Assistant Keeper

Location, Burn Point Light Station

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

Legal residence, Oregon

Proposed salary, $1260 per annum plus quarters valued at $240.00 pa.

Proposed range, $1260 - 1620 per annum plus quarters at $240 per annum

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Former position, Second Assistant Keeper

Location, Cape Flattery Light Station

Former salary, $1320 per annum plus quarters at $240 per annum

Former range, $1320-$1680 per annum plus quarters at 240 per annum

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Edwin C. Clements $1260 pa plus quarters at $240 pa. Services terminated, October 31, 1937 or as soon thereafter as approved.

Reason, Recommended for transfer to position of Assistant Keeper, Patos Island Light Station at $1260 per annum plus quarters valued at $240 per annum

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth,

Remarks: This recommendation is being made at the request of Mr. Stith and is not in violation of Section 2, Rule 1, of Civil Service Regulations, regarding political or religious affiliations or opinions.

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

November 2, 1937.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Action O. K.

Chief Clerk

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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CAK:D

Standard Form No. 17
Approved by the President, March 26, 1926

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REPORT ON PROBATIONARY APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
SEP 30 1937
DIVISION OF

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1937 SEP 29 PM 3 41
CHIEF CLERK

This report to be made at expiration of fifth month of service. In cases where the probationary period comprises one year, this report is to be made at the expiration of the tenth month of service.

If service has been unsatisfactory, recommendation for discontinuance under the provisions of paragraph (c) of section 1 of Civil Service Rule VII should be forwarded immediately to the Department. A full statement of reasons should be set forth under "Remarks."

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
(Department)

Office of Superintendent of 17th Lighthouse District, Portland, Oregon, Sept. 21, 1937.
(Bureau or office) (Place and date)

To Commissioner of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C.
(Head of department or establishment)

The probationary period of the person named below expires at the close of business on October twenty one, 1937.

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

Name Edward C. Stith

Position Second Assistant Keeper

Salary $1320.00 per annum, plus quarters valued at $240.00 per annum.

Appropriation Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Station Cape Flattery Light Station, Tatoosh, Washington

Date of entrance on duty April 22, 1937

Remarks:

CARDED

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Wash., D.C.
Sept. 29, 1937.

E. C. Merrill (Signature of immediate superior)
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Submitted: to the Secretary of Commerce for information.
For the Commissioner: W. P. HARMAN,
(Head of bureau or office)
Administrative Assistant.

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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 OF COMMERCE
MAY 17 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

Department or Establishment Commerce Date 3-26-37

1. Name in full (Mr., ~~Miss, or Mrs.~~) Stith (Surname) Edward (Given name) Clinton (Middle name)
2. Present address 1824 (Number) NW 20 ave (Street) Portland (City) Ore. (State)
3. Legal (voting) residence Oregon 3rd Dist (State and Congressional District) Multnomah (County) Portland (City or town)
4. Where born Ohio (State or foreign country) Youngs (City or town) When born Nov 29-96 (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 & 3 Children 50-6-11-20
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 Month	Day	Year	DATE SEPARATED Month	Day	Year
Lighthouse	Umatilla Reef	Fireman	75.00 mo	7	9	34	—	—	—
	LV# 93			7	9	34	4	21	37
				(Bl. 5-14-37)					

Form 2000 requested

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? no
(Wife, widow, or orphan) (Name of veteran) (Organization and last year of service)
12. Military and naval record. If any, check (√) to indicate branch and other information, and give dates of enlistment and discharge:

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

Enlisted 6-18 Discharged 8-21
Rank Rank
Organization Organization

Enlisted Discharged
Rank Rank
Organization Organization

CARDED

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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.) Painter Plumber & Gas engine mechanic.

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
N.P.R.R. Pasco Wash.	Fireman	1 year
U.P.R.R. La Grande	Fireman	5 years
archer Daniels midland co. Portland Ore.	Fireman	1 year
Myself Tuttle No Dak	Farming	4 years
Rosenberg Bros Portland	Fireman	2 years
myself. Portland Ore	Fuel Business	5 years.

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 E C Stith

Relationship Wife Post office address 1824 NW 20 ave Portland Ore.

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

E. C. Stith
(Name as usually written and which will be used as official signature)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1930 10—1930

Office of the Superintendent of Lighthouses
Portland, Ore., April 3, 1937

Forwarded to the Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Mr. Stith has been recommended for probationary appointment as second assistant keeper at Cape Flattery Light Station.

E. C. Merrill, Superintendent of Lighthouses

RECEIVED MAR 30 AM 9:19
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES PORTLAND, OREGON

CAK:A

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
PORTLAND, OREG.

IN REPLYING REFER TO
DATE OF THIS LETTER AND
FILE No.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE LIGHTHOUSES MAY 18 11 28 AM 37

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CHIEF CLERK

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAY 20 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 17th DISTRICT
PORTLAND, OREG.

May 14, 1937

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Reference is made to standard form 6, Personal History Statement, completed by Edward C. Stith, in connection with his probationary appointment as assistant keeper at Cape Flattery Light Station, especially item 8 under which it was shown that he had previous service in the Lighthouse Service.

2. The Bureau is advised that the records of this office indicate that Mr. Stith entered upon duty as fireman on Relief L.S. 93 on July 9, 1934 and was so employed continuously until the close of April 21, 1937. He entered upon duty as second assistant keeper at Cape Flattery Light Station on April 22, 1937.

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

MAY 19 1937

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

For the Commissioner,

Chief, Personnel Division

Standard Form No. 8
(Approved by the President, May 22, 1925)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1937 MAY - 17 AM 10:45
CHIEF CLERK

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LIGHTHOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
MAY 17 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

OATH OF OFFICE

Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes of the United States

COMMERCE (Department or Establishment) — 17th Lighthouse District (Bureau or Office)

I, EDWARD C. STITH (Name in full, printed or typed), do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will support and defend the Constitution of the United States against all enemies, foreign and domestic; that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the same; that I take this obligation freely, without any mental reservation or purpose of evasion; and that I will well and faithfully discharge the duties of the office on which I am about to enter. So HELP ME GOD.

Edward C. Stith
(Signature of Appointee)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of April, A. D. 1937

at Portland, Oregon (City or place), _____ (State)

[SEAL]

ENTERED ON CORRECTED OF PERSONNEL JOURNAL Date 5/31/37

C. W. Wright
Chief Clerk

CARDED

NOTE.—If the oath is taken before a Notary Public the date of expiration of his commission should be shown.

Position to which appointed Second Assistant Keeper, Cape Flattery Light Station.

Date of entrance on duty April 22, 1937

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE: 1930 10—1689

Form A-30

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

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

April 16, 1937.

DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

Mr. Edward C. Stith,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Thirteen Hundred and Twenty dollars per annum

effective upon entrance on duty.

CARDED

Nature of appointment: Probationary

Civil Service authority: Manager, Eleventh Civil Service District.

Classification allocation:

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Wm. M. GARDNER, APR 22 1937

Chief, Division of Personnel.
Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation (unit): Field

Vice: Herman Haase

Legal residence: Oregon

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U.S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 11—8657

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE 1937 APR 13 AM 10 12

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE APR 12 11 23 AM '37

Portland, Oregon (City), April 2, 1937 (Date), 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES: CLERK

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE APR 16 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

Action recommended, Probationary appointment

Legal residence, Oregon

no papers

Name, EDWARD C. STITH

Proposed salary, $1320. per A. plus quarters valued at $240. per A.

Position, Second assistant keeper

Proposed range, $1320 to $1680 per A. plus quarters valued at $240. per A

Location, Cape Flattery Light Station

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective, April 10, 1937

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

Former position, New appointee

Former salary,

Location,

Former range,

Rank on eligible list, 2

Rating, Assistant Lighthouse Keeper

Percentage, 88.67 PREF.

Other eligibles considered:
Charles T. Wagner ..89.50
Nels A. Howe 83.33

Previous incumbent and his pay, Herman Haase (LT. # 364) $1320. per A. plus quarters valued at $240. per A.

Services terminated, At the close Nov. 30, 1936.

Reason, Transferred to Assistant Keeper, Burrows Island Light Station.

Members of family in Government service, None.

Remarks: Form 124b, Declaration of Appointee, 2413 certificate of medical examination; form 2390 finger print certificate; form 2838, service record card, are enclosed herewith.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U.S. Civil Service Commission, April 7....., 1937. (all papers in order).

J. E. Lackore
Secretary, 11th *Civil Service District.*

E. C. Merrill
Superintendent of Lighthouses

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

APR 12 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Action O. K.

Chief Clerk

W. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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