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REQUESTER INFORMATION

Name (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Researcher ID Card Number
Flynn, Kylie	
E-Mail Address:	**Phone Number:**
knfgbb@umsl.edu	217-440-1332

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
Story, Frank, H.		1898 ND

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):
1966 WA	

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

Researcher Signature: Kylie

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)	
Lighthouse Service (AK)	
From: 1920	To: 1949
(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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LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

Employee Name: Story Frank H **DOB:** 1898 ND
Lighthouse 1920 - 1949 AK DOD: 1966 WA

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

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Agency: Coast Guard SRCs Area: Bay 13, Lower Catwalk positive negative

If Negative:

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ARCIS: _____ Area: _____ positive negative

Notes: _____

Form 439
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
Division of Appointments

File No. 2592

Name S T O R Y, Mr. FRANK H.

BORN: June 29, 1898

Service COAST GUARD (L.H.S.)

U. S. GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—16322

DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
REV. 1-41

UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

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TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date 24 July, 1941

Name: Story, Frank H.

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

Nature of Recommendation

Change in status - civilian to military.

	FROM	TO
Position	Keeper	Boatswain's Mate, 2c.
Grade	Field (Range $1320-1680)	Pay $864.00
Salary	$1380 p.a. plus $240 p.a.Qtrs.	Rations 912.50 $1776.50
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions	U. S. Coast Guard	U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters	Ketchikan, Alaska	Ketchikan, Alaska
Post of Duty	Tree Point Lt. Sta., Alaska.	Tree Point Lt. Sta., Alaska.
Appropriation	Civilian Employees, C. G.	Pay and Allowances, C. G.
Allotment		
	FIELD [X] DEPRTMTL. [ ]	FIELD [X] DEPRTMTL. [ ]

EFFECTIVE 24 July, 1941.

Remarks:

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

Justification:

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

N. R. STILES,
Commander, U. S. Coast Guard
Assistant Personnel Officer.
(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Reg.

DATE OF BIRTH: 6-29-98

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Alaska

SEX: M | RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

HAS C. S. COMM. ALLOWED VETERAN'S PREFERENCE? Yes

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

DATE OF OATH

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL, TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY: 7-25-41

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DEPT. STOCK FORM 2249
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UNITED STATES TREASURY DEPARTMENT
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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PERSONNEL RECOMMENDATION

TO DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL

Date January 10, 1941

Name: Story, Frank H.

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

Nature of Recommendation

Promotion

	FROM	TO
Position		Keeper
Grade	Field (Range $1320-1680)	Field (Range $1320-1680)
Salary	$1320 p.a. plus $240 p.a. Qtrs.	$1380 p.a. plus $240p.a. Qtrs.
Bureau or Div. Organizational Subdivisions		U. S. Coast Guard
Headquarters		Ketchikan, Alaska.
Post of Duty		Tree Point Lt. Sta., Alaska.
Appropriation		Civilian Employees, C. G.
Allotment		
Field or Deptl.		Field

EFFECTIVE January 16, 1941

Remarks:

Justification:

No increase in pay since 7-14-1933.

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

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

(BUREAU OR DIVISION HEAD)

CIVIL SERVICE OR OTHER LEGAL AUTHORITY

APPROPRIATION: Regular

DATE OF BIRTH: 6-29-98

LEGAL RESIDENCE: Alaska

SEX: M | RACE: W

NATURE OF POSITION

NEW | ADDTL. IDENT.

VICE VACANCY | VICE

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

DATE OF OATH

(FOR USE OF DIRECTOR OF PERSONNEL. TREASURY DEPARTMENT)

DATE APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY: 1-16-41

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STORY

APPLICANT OR EMPLOYEE MUST FILL THE FOLLOWING

Name (in full) Frank H. Story Sex Male

Present address Ketchikan Alaska Date of birth 6-29-98

Give below all places of residence during the past FIVE years

From-- (Month and year)	To-- Month and year)	Number and Street	City and State
9-37	to date	Texas Point Lt. Sta.	Via Ketchikan Alaska.
6-34	9-37	Supervisor dept of L.H.S.	"

Give, in your own handwriting, the information requested below

Have you ever been arrested for any reason whatsoever? _____

If so, give details in space provided below. (Yes) ~~or no~~

Date of Arrest	Age	Charge	Court and Location	Judge	Disposition
Years ago do not remember date.		Traffic violation.	Police court Portland Ore.	Reesman I think	$5.00 fine.

No Reply Received From F. B. I.
Apparently No Criminal Record.

Have you ever been fingerprinted? Yes. also U.S.M.C. Where? Portland Ore - for Pistol permit.

When? June 1934 - or 1937 If for the Civil Service, what position? _____

I hereby swear (or affirm) that the above statements are complete and accurate in every detail.

Frank H. Story
Customary payroll signature of employee

U. S. COAST GUARD

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of Oct 1939

Harry Levy
Notary Public

HARRY LEVY
Chief Clerk

My commission expires _____

July 1, 1939. Lighthouse Districts No. Sixteenth

consolidated with Juneau Coast Guard District,

Headquarters Juneau, Alaska

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

Frank H. Story (Name) — Alaska (Legal Residence)

STATUS

11—8940

DESIGNATION	ACTION	SALARY	BUREAU—SERVICE—STATION	DATE OF EFFECT
Keeper	Temp. appt. (Pendent)	900	L.H. Cape St Elias L.S. Alaska	Feb 2, 1920
"	Prob. appt.	900	" " " " "	Feb 16, 1921
"	Trans.	"	" Eldred Rock L.S. "	Dec 26, 1921
"	"	"	" Cape St Elias L.S. "	Feb 17, 1922
"	Prom	960	" " " " " "	June 16, 1922
"	Ready for Pay	1200	" " " " " "	July 1, 1924
"	Prom	1260	" " " " " "	
"	Ready for Pay act. Dec 6/24	1320	" " " " " "	Feb 1, 1926
"	Prom	1560	" " " " " "	
"	"	1620	" " " " " "	July 2, 1925
"	Trans	1140	" Yaquina Head L.S. Ore	July 12, 1926
"	COMPENSATION Act. May 28, 1928.	1260	" "	JUL 1 1928
Keeper	Prom.	1320	" " "	April 1, 1931
"	Trans & Prom	1380	" Cape Blanco, L.S. Ore.	May 1, 1933
"	Trans. & Prom.	1500	" 16th Dist, Ketchikan, Alaska	July 14, 1933
"	" *	"	" Eldred Rock Sta	3-1-37
"	Trans. 73a	1500	" " " "	5-8-37
"	Transfer	1320	" Tree Point L.S.	9-22-37
"	Prom (range)	1320	" "	8-19-38

Form 73
LAF:PW

NOMINATION

SPECIAL
Telegraphic Reply Requested.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT 25 1938
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 16th DISTRICT.

Ketchikan, Alaska (City), July 5 (Date), 1938

JUL 15 11 38 AM '38

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion — to fill vacancy.

Name, Frank H. Story

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Location, ~~Ist Asst. Keeper~~, Tree Point Light Station, Alaska

Effective, August 19, 1938 — actual date (Bu)
~~the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.~~

Former position, Same

Location, ~~2nd Asst. Keeper,~~ Tree Point Light Station, Alaska

Legal residence, Alaska

Proposed salary, $1320. P. A. (Bu)

Proposed range, $1320-1680

Appropriation, Salaries Keepers of Lighthouses.

Former salary, $1320. P.A.

Former range, $1260-1620

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Paul Strand (Lt. #885) $1320. P.A. (1320-1620) to be Services terminated, close July 31, 1938 or thereafter.

Reason, Recommended for transfer to 2nd Ass't. Keeper, Eldred Rock Light Station, Alaska by Form 73 of this date.

Members of family in Government service, none.

~~Date of birth,~~

Remarks: It is recommended that this promotion be made to correspond to the same step in the range which Mr. Story now holds.

CARDED

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

W. A. Rolph

Secretary, Civil Service District. Superintendent

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON October 24, 1938

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. This nomination is submitted as a Form 73a, Mr. Story having been viced into the position of first assistant keeper on August 19 without change in his present pay of $1320 per annum.

For the Commissioner:
Action O. K.

R. J. Tyson
Chief of Personnel Division
~~Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses~~

Chief Clerk

10/26/38

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

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OCT 14 1937 21 AM '37
DIVISION OF

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 16TH DISTRICT
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

~~Sept. 25,1937.~~
Oct. 4,1937

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1937 OCT 13 PM 2 17
CHIEF CLERK

Commissioner of Lighthouses
Washington, D. C.

The Bureau is advised that the effective date of transfer of Frank H. Story from 2nd assistant keeper, Eldred Rock Lightstation at $1500. P.A. (Range $1440-1800) to 2nd assistant keeper, Tree Point Lightstation, $1320. P.A. (Range $1260-1620) under Department letter dated August 25,1937, is Sept. 22,1937.

Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

October 12, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

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CARDED

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL
WASHINGTON

August 25, 1937.

Mr. Frank H. Story,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

H. A. DEBOW AUG 27 1937

Acting Chief, Division of Personnel.

From: $1500 per annum.

To: $1320 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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Form 73
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NOMINATION

SPECIAL

Telegraphic Reply Requested

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AUG 28 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Sixteenth DISTRICT,

Ketchikan, Alaska (City), August 12 (Date), 19 37

1937 AUG 21 AM 11 28

CHIEF CLERK Alaska

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AUG 25 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer

Legal residence, Oregon

Name, Frank H. Story

Proposed salary, 1320 p.a.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

Proposed range, 1260-1620

Location, 2nd Asst. Keeper, Tree Point Lightstation, Alaska

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective, September 1, 1937

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

Former position, Same

Former salary, 1500 p.a.

Location, 2nd Assistant Keeper, Eldred Rock Lightstation

Former range, 1440-1800

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

(LT. #886)

Previous incumbent and his pay, Joseph S.Washburn 1260 p.a. Services terminated, to be close September 1, 1937 or thereafter

Reason, To be transferred to the 17th District, Portland, Oregon

Members of family in Government service, None

Remarks: It is recommended that this transfer be made to correspond to the same step in the range which Mr. Story now holds. Transportation will be at the expense of the employee, as the transfer is at his request. Sec. 2, Civil Service Rule I relating to religious opinions and affiliations will not be violated by the action recommended.

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

W. P. Gaines
Superintendent

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

AUG 30 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Chief Clerk

W. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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Form 73a

LAF:PW

REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE 1937 JUN 24 PM 2:25

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE JUN 24 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 16th DISTRICT,

Ketchikan, Alaska, May 24, , 1937

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES JUN 14 1937 KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

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CHIEF CLERK

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee was assigned ~~transferred~~ as indicated, and entered upon duty at his new station on May 8, 1937

Name, Frank H. Story

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

From Temporary Additional 2nd Assistant Keeper Eldred Rock Lightstation, Aaa.

To Regular 2nd Assistant Keeper Eldred Rock Lightstation, Alaska

Salary and range, 1500 P.A. (Range ~~1440-1800~~ 1380-1740)

Salary and range, 1500. P.A. (Range 1440-1800)

Previous incumbent and pay, Harry N. Ferguson. $1440. P.A. (L.T. #865)

Services were terminated, close May 7, 1937

Reason. Resigned, effective close May 7, 1937.

Reference: Department Letter, Division of Personnel, dated March 9, 1937.

CARDED

Superintendent

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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with May 8, 1937

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN - 7 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information.

~~For the Commissioner~~:

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses
~~Chief of Personnel Division.~~

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
JUN 8 1937
DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

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LIGHTHOUSE COMMISSIONER

WASHINGTON DC

RUTEL JUNE FOURTH FRANK H STORY EOD MARCH FIRST NINETEEN THIRTY SEVEN TEMPORARY ADDITIONAL SECOND ASSISTANT KEEPER ELDRED ROCK UNDER DEPARTMENT LETTER MARCH NINTH

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

June 7, 1937

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman,
Administrative Assistant

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CARDED

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 9, 1937.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

In accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of February 1, the Department has authorized a new position of keeper at $1500 per annum at Eldred Rock Lightstation, Alaska, and the assignment thereto of Frank H. Story, effective February 8, 1937, or entrance on duty, and to continue for a period not to exceed six months.

A new appointment certificate will not be issued as a result of this action, nor will an oath of office be required.

By direction of the Secretary:

H. M. DELONG
MAR 10 1937

Acting Chief, Division of Personnel.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

LAF:EAG

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 16th DISTRICT.

Ketchikan, Alaska, January 18, 1937
(City) (Date)

SPECIAL
Telegraphic Reply Requested

FEB 2 1937 CHIEF CLERK

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FEB 3 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE FEB 8 1937 DIVISION OF PERSONNEL

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer to Temporary additional 2nd Asst. Keeper for period not to exceed six months from Feb. 1, 1937 or date eod. Legal residence, ~~Oregon~~ Alaska.

Name, Frank H. Story — Proposed salary, $1500. P.A.

Position, ~~Asst.~~ Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Proposed range, * 1440-1800.

Location, ~~Temporary additional 2nd Asst. Keeper~~ at Eldred Rock Lightstation, Alaska — Appropriation, ~~Salaries, Keepers~~ of Lighthouses.

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

Former position, ~~Same~~ Keeper — Former salary, $1500. P.A.

Location, ~~Additional keeper~~ at large, 16th District — Former range, 1380-1740

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

(Identical with Lt.#865)

* Same range as Perm. pos. at this station.

Previous incumbent and his pay, new position / **Services terminated,**

Reason, See letter of this date requesting temporary additional position of 2nd Assistant keeper at Eldred Rock Lightstation.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, June 29, 1898.

Remarks: As Mr. Story's rate of pay in his present position is $1500, P.A. in range, $1380-1740, it is recommended that he be transferred to the corresponding step in the range of new position. It is proposed to assign Mr. Story to the regular position of 2nd Asst. Keeper at Eldred Rock Lightstation at the expiration of the above temporary additional position.

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

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Secretary, Civil Service District.

_____
Superintendent

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

February 1, 1937

2/4/37

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. It is recommended that a temporary additional position be authorized as indicated, for the reasons given in the Superintendent's letter of January 18 accompanying. It is proposed that this temporary position be authorized and the nominee assigned thereto at his present pay of $1500 per annum.

Action O. K.

D. W. Tibbay
Chief Clerk

G. P. Herman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

LAF:EAG

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SPECIAL
Telegraphic Reply Requested.

LIGHTHOUSE JAN 30 11 27 AM '37

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 16TH DISTRICT
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

January 18, 1937

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Commissioner of Lighthouses
Washington, D. C.

Subject: Request for Temporary Additional Position Second Assistant Keeper at Eldred Rock Lightstation, Alaska.

1 . It is requested that authority be obtained for a temporary additional position of second assistant keeper at Eldred Rock Lightstation, Alaska, at $1560. P.A. (Range 1440-1800) for a period of not to exceed six months from February 1, 1937, or date of entrance on duty of appointee.

2. This request is made in order that Harry N. Ferguson, second assistant keeper at Eldred Rock Lightstation may be granted accrued leave prior to the effective date of his resignation, and to provide a full complement on the station during the winter. Also, leave of Mr. Ferguson cannot be deferred till spring as J. W. Tyacke, the First Assistant Keeper, is overdue for accumulated leave and it is desired to grant him leave in the spring when two keepers can handle the station.

3. No additional keeper for general duty is available for this assignment.

4. It is proposed to transfer Frank H. Story from additional keeper at large at $1500. P. A. (Range 1380-1740), to the above temporary additional position, if approved. Nomination covering transfer of Mr. Story is inclosed herewith. The position of additional keeper at large to be vacated by Mr. Story will be filled by a new appointee at $1380. P. A. (Range 1380-1740).

Incl.:
Nomination.

Superintendent.

November 11, 1933.

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Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The Department has received and carefully considered the Bureau's recommendation of October 26, for the dismissal of Frank H. Story, Keeper at $1500 per annum in the Sixteenth Lighthouse District, Ketchikan, Alaska, because of certain statements made by George J. Perkins, Esq., of Portland, Oregon, involving the legality of an alleged Mexican divorce in the United States and Mr. Story's subsequent marriage to another woman.

Inasmuch as such questions can only be determined authoritatively by the courts of the several states the Department is reluctant to take the action recommended by the Bureau. Furthermore, it is believed that the Department ordinarily should not concern itself with the marital affairs of its employees, especially in the absence of conditions constituting public scandal or disgrace. The information relative to Mr. Story's alleged indebtedness appears to be insufficient to warrant the imposition of disciplinary measures.

In view of the foregoing the Department is not inclined to approve the action proposed by the Bureau, but will be pleased to give further consideration to the case in the event the Bureau desires to pursue the matter further.

(SIGNED) E. W. LIBBEY

NOV 13 1933

Chief Clerk.

Noted
G.H.S.

FAD:G

Indorsed

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
NOV 9 1933
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Mr. Lebkey:

This submission involves the legality of an alleged mexican divorce in the United States, as well as Mr. Story's marriage to another woman. Such questions can only be determined authoritatively by the courts of the several states and therefore not ones upon which this office should attempt to pass upon. The question of the dismissal upon the reasons set forth is one of policy and is one for the administrative officers to decide. Solicitor agrees with this.

J. J. O'Hara
and Lee.

Memorandum for Mr. Libbey:

Herewith is recommendation of October 26, and inclosures, from the Bureau of Lighthouses recommending the dismissal of Frank H. Story, Keeper at $1500 per annum in the Sixteenth Lighthouse District, Ketchikan, Alaska.

The Bureau's recommendation is based on allegations made by George J. Perkins, an Attorney of Portland, Oregon, to the effect that Mr. Story practically deserted his wife, Marie Story, leaving her destitute; that he secured a divorce from her in Mexico without her knowledge; that such divorce is not legal in the United States; and that he was married to another woman, Helen G. Leigh at Chehalis, Washington, on June 20, 1933, without having been properly and legally divorced from his former wife. Mr. Perkins also claims that Story owes money to Marie Story and others, as stated in detail in his letter of August 11th.

As a result of Mr. Perkin's statements the Superintendent, on August 2, 1933, charged Mr. Story with grave misconduct. The charges are denied by Mr. Story.

Inasmuch as the legality of an alleged Mexican divorce as well as Mr. Story's marriage to another woman on June 20, is in question, and in view of the fact that Departmental policy would also appear to be involved, it is suggested that the matter be referred to the Solicitor.

October 31, 1933.

Respectfully referred to the Solicitor.

E. W. Libbey

Chief Clerk.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
1933 OCT - 1 AM 11:55
OFFICE OF SOLICITOR

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IN REPLYING ADDRESS
COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES
AND REFER TO DATE OF THIS LETTER
AND FILE NO.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

September 22, 1933.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Ketchikan, Alasak

1. In reference to your recommendation of September 9 regarding charges against Keeper, F. H. Story :

2. Your further report is requested as to the date the keeper married his first wife, her present age, and the number of children, if any, by this marriage together with the ages of the children.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. HARMAN,
Administrative Assistant.

RG:MMS

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WCD:BA Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 16th District
Ketchikan, Alasak, October 4, 1933.

Returned to the Bureau.

Mr. Story reports that he was married to his first wife on December 17, 1925, that her present age is 39 years and that there were no children by this marriage.

/s/ W. C. DIBRELL,
Superintendent.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHTHOUSES
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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 16TH DISTRICT
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

September 9, 1933

Commissioner of Lighthouses
Washington, D. C.

Subject: Charges against employee, F. H. Story, Lightkeeper.

1. Inclosed are two letters received through the Superintendent of the Seventeenth District from Mr. George J. Perkins of Perkins and Bailey, Attorneys, Portland, Oregon, in which certain charges are made against F. H. Story, recently transferred from first Assistant Keeper, Cape Blanco Lightstation, Oregon, at $1380 p.a. to Additional Keeper at Large in this district at $1500 p.a. The letters are accompanied by certain inclosures mentioned therein, and a transmitting letter from the Superintendent of the Seventeenth District is also inclosed herewith.

2. Mr. Perkins alleges, in brief, that Story practically deserted his wife, Marie Story, leaving her destitute; that he secured a divorce from her in Mexico without her knowledge; that such divorce is not legal in the United States; and that he was married to another woman, Helen G. Leigh at Chehalis, Washington, on June 20, 1933, without having been properly and legally divorced from his former wife. Mr. Perkins also claims that Story owes money to Marie Story and others, as stated in detail in his letter of August 11th.

3. Mr. Story has been furnished copies of all the charges and has been given opportunity to reply thereto. His two letters in answer to the charges, dated August 23rd and August 25th, respectively, are inclosed. The former is in reply to the first Perkins letter and the latter was submitted after the second Perkins letter was brought to his attention.

4. Mr. Story claims in defense that he has a divorce from Marie Story granted to him in Mexico in May, 1933, which divorce his attorney assured him is valid in the United States, and that there is, consequently, nothing illegal in his marriage to Helen Leigh at Chehalis, Washington. on June 20, 1933. He has shown me what appears to be a decree granting F. H. Story a divorce from Marie Story. It is in Spanish with English translation attached. I have made no attempt to test its authenticity or legality. Story also showed me letters from his attorneys assuring

him of the legality of the divorce in the United States. He admits that neither he nor Mrs. Story had ever resided in Mexico and that neither had been in Mexico in connection with the proceedings. The matter was handled for him by an El Paso, Texas, attorney whose advertisement he had seen in a Portland newspaper. The summons was published three weeks in advance in Mexico but there was no publication in the United States.

5. In connection with his transfer from the 17th District to the 16th District Mr. Story left Cape Blanco Lightstation on June 15, 1933, en route to Ketchikan, Alaska, traveling on official travel order and proceeding by way of Coquille, Oregon, Portland and Seattle in his own automobile. He tells me that Helen Leigh accompanied him in the car from Coquille to Seattle, they being married at Chehalis, Washington, June 20th while enroute. They left Coquille June 16th or 17th. Story sailed from Seattle on June 24th and his wife then, according to his statement, took the car back to Coquille, where she is now residing. Story's present position requires duty at lightstations where no quarters for families are provided. He has applied, however, for transfer to a family station when there is a suitable vacancy. It is evident that F. H. Story and Helen Story, although not residing together at the present time, regard themselves legally man and wife and no doubt they intend to live together when circumstances permit.

6. It is not considered necessary that this office make any attempt to determine whether or not a divorce granted in Mexico is valid in the United States. The attitude of the courts in different states might not be uniform, due to variations in state laws. Also, the circumstances surrounding the divorce action might materially affect recognition in this country. In this case Story has exhibited a very loose conception of marital obligations and lack of an ordinary sense of justice by sending to a foreign country to obtain a divorce from his wife, Marie Story, without her knowledge and with no opportunity for her to be heard. If he had proper cause for seeking a dissolution of the bonds of matrimony the action should have been brought openly in the State where the parties resided. Regardless of legal questions involved Story's action in this matter is condisered a serious violation of a generally accepted code of public morals, for a contract of marriage would have little binding effect in this country if either party thereto could at will obtain release from its obligations through action instituted in a foreign country without the knowledge of the other party. The fact that Story took Helen Leigh to another State to marry her places him in a more unfavorable light.

7. It is therefore recommended that F. H. Story be dismissed from the Service for the reasons set forth herein and for the good of the Service, unless he desires to present his resignation, in which case, it is recommended that his resignation be accepted with prejudice. Permission to resign is recommended in view of Story's contention

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that he is within his legal rights and on account of the opinion of this office that administrative officers should be concerned in the private affairs of employees only to such extent as is necessary to maintain discipline and to protect the reputation of the Service.

8. In regard to the indebtedness mentioned in Mr. Perkins' letter of August 11th it appears from Mr. Story's statement that he is paying some of this. As to the remainder it would be quite difficult to determine whether the indebtedness is just and legal within the intent of Article 491 of the Regulations, and for this reason it is not recommended that any measures be taken to compel further payments by Story.

9. Prior to his service in the Seventeenth District Mr. Story wasassistant keeper in this district from February 2, 1920, to July 12, 1926. In general suitability and moral standards he is regarded as below average.

Superintendent

Incl:
Perkins' letter 7/14/33
" " 8/11/33
17th Supt's " 8/15/33
16th " " to Story, 8/2/33
" " " " " 8/26/33
Story's reply, 8/23/33
" " 8/25/33
Letter from County Clerk, Chehalis, 7/1/33
Story's letter to Perkins & Bailey 5/21/33

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RG:MMS Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington, D. C., October 26, 1933.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce, together with a copy of the Superintendent's supplemental indorsement of October 4. The Bureau concurs with the views of the Superintendent and recommends that F. H. Story be dismissed for the reasons shown, effective date to be reported.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA
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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 16TH DISTRICT
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

August 26, 1933

F. H. Story, Additional Keeper
Lighthouse Depot
Ketchikan, Alaska

There is inclosed herewith for your attention copy of a letter addressed to this office by the Superintendent of the 17th District, and also copy of a letter addressed to the Superintendent of the 17th District by Mr. George J. Perkins. If you wish to modify or add to reply heretofore submitted regarding previous communication from Mr. Perkins relating to the same matter you may do so. If you have no further statements to submit please so indicate.

Incl:
Copy letter from 17th District
" " " Mr. Perkins

Superintendent

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
AUG 28 1933
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA.

SIXTEENTH DISTRICT

Katchikan Alaska.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

August 25, 1933

Superintendent of Lighthouses.
Ketchikan Alaska.
Sir:

Referring to 2nd paragraph of the sup't of the17th districts letter as previously stated I had the assurance of the attorney Mr Arthur Berg of Coquille who pronounced the Mexican decree as legal as anything obtainable in Oregon and who also knew I was going to be married before coming up here and said it was allright for me to do so.Personally I am not worried as to anything Mr Perkins or the ex Mrs Story can do in the matter.It is to me simply a case of trying to cause me troble.

Regarding the matter of the money owing Mr Simmons up to the time I came up here payments were made as due,yesturday I recd notice of deposit from my bank the first recd since coming up here,and check is being mailed covering same.with the exception of the interest whih they have wrong I had the Bank of Bandon Oregon figure same so there would be no chance of error I am sending $13.50 covering interest in full.

Regarding the money claimed as owing the ex Mrs Story as I remember it when we were married she put something like $50. into a joint acount and has since tried to collect same from me.Same which I refused to pay and still do as she has had value recd many times over for anything she may think I owe her.

As for the$12.32 of Meier and Frank the account was closed when these items were purchased and Meier and Frank inform me that I am not liable for these items.

Mr Perkins is somewhat misinformed as to my present wife's occupation, it is a Beautician and not a ballet dancer.

Respectfully

F. H. Story.

Add'l keeper at large.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
SEP 2 1933
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA.

SIXTEENTH DISTRICT

Ketchikan Alaska.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

August 23rd, 1933

Superintendent of Lighthouses
Ketchikan Alaska.

Sir:

Referring to letter of George J Perkins where-in he questions the legality of my divorce & my present marriage.

Mr J. Arthur Berg of Coquille Ore who handled the divorce case in that city & which I had dropped, read the Mexican divorce decree granted me & pronounced it legal. Also had Mr Geo Folta Ass't U. S. Attorney at Juneau Alaska look over said Mexican decree who informed me that same is legal.

Regarding the letter from County Clerk at Chehalis Washington, it will be found in the record taken by Justice of the Peace Mort Wynn that I was divorced.

Respectfully.

E. H. Story.

Asst Keeper at Large.

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PORTLAND, OREG.

IN REPLYING REFER TO
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OF LIGHTHOUSES
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KETCHIKAN, ALASKA.

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 17TH DISTRICT
PORTLAND, OREG.

August 15, 1933.

Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Ketchikan, Alaska.

1. Having reference to previous correspondence regarding the marital relations of Frank H. Story, recently transferred to the 16th District, there is inclosed herewith letter from George J. Perkins, Attorney, Portland,Ore., which is self-explanatory. I t would appear that Mr. Story should be required to make settlement for the amounts of his indebtedness.

2. In connection with the other phase of this situation and for your information, it might be stated that it has been previously held in the courts of Oregon that a divorce secured in Mexico is illegal and that re-marriage of a person on the strength of a divorce so secured constitutes bigamy. A professional man in this state was recently indicted on this charge and is now serving a sentence in the penitentiary.

R.R.Tinkham
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Remarriage was in Washington

GEORGE J. PERKINS
JOHN O. BAILEY

PERKINS & BAILEY
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS
BOARD OF TRADE BUILDING
PORTLAND, OREGON

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AUG 19 1933
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA.

Mr. R. R. Tinkham
Superintendent of Lighthouses
Customs House
Portland, Oregon

Dear Mr. Tinkham: RE: File P

In answer to your letter of July 18th, with reference to the domestic difficulties between Frank H. Story, who is a lighthouse employee of the Government now employed some place in Alaska, and Mrs. Story.

Mrs. Story feels that her husband should be prosecuted for attempting to marry, and presumably living with, some other woman while legally married to her, and would prosecute the case herself if she had the means to locate Story, ascertain whether or not he is now living with the woman that he pretended to marry, or whether or not he actually transported her from one State to another for immoral or unlawful purposes. Mrs. Story, however, is destitute and I do not know that there is very much that she can do.

If Story is prosecuted I think the proceedings would have to be brought by the District Attorney for the District of Alaska, in which he resides. Should the Government see fit to prosecute this case, Mrs. Story will give such information as she has, as she feels that she has been grossly mistreated by her husband, and he should be taught that he cannot defy the laws of the State with impunity.

Also, Mr. Story is indebted to his wife for money borrowed in the sum of $81.00. He is also indebted to Mrs. Story's Father, namely, Bert Simmons, for a balance owing on a note, principal $15.00, and accrued interest amounting to $30.33 as of July 31st, 1933, or $45.33 in all owing to Mr. Simmons. He is indebted to Meier & Frank Company in the sum of $12.32 for family necessities purchased by Mrs. Story and charged to him.

If any pressure can be brought to bear on Story to require him to pay his wife the money he borrowed from her, and to repay her father, I think it would be a very

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Mr. R. R. Tinkham
Portland, Oregon

August 11th, 1933

humane act, as Mr. Simmons is old and is working as a night watchman, I am informed, at $2.00 a night, and is paid only for the actual time worked. Furthermore, Mrs. Story is absolutely destitute and if Story could be required to pay the money she actually loaned him, it would be of wonderful assistance to her.

Mrs. Story has been advised that the woman Story pretended to marry in Chehalis is a ballet dancer, and inasmuch as the ceremony was performed within a month from the time that he pretended to procure a divorce in Mexico, it would indicate that the marriage relations were not taken very seriously.

I know nothing of the facts except as they have been reported to me. I am sorry to annoy you with this detail, but believe you desire to know all of the facts.

Very truly yours,

George J. Perkins

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KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 16TH DISTRICT
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

August 2, 1933

Frank H. Story, Additional Keeper
Point Retreat Lightstation
via Juneau, Alaska
Through: The Keeper

Inclosed, for your attention, is copy of a letter addressed to the Superintendent of the 17th Lighthouse District by Mr. George J. Perkins, in which charges of grave misconduct are made against you by the writer of the letter.

It is alleged by Mr. Perkins that you endeavored to obtain a divorce from your wife, Marie Story, without proper grounds therefor and that on June 20, 1933, you were married to Helen C. Leigh at Chehalis, Washington, without having obtained a legal divorce from your first wife, Marie Story.

It is considered that these charges, if sustained, are sufficient to warrant disciplinary measures by the Lighthouse Service.

You are directed to make reply in writing as promptly as practicable . In accordance with the regulations you will be given reasonable time to submit a reply before further action is taken.

Superintendent

Incl:
Letter of G. J. Perkins
" from County Clerk, Chehalis.

GEORGE J. PERKINS
[redacted]

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JUL 22 1933
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA.

Mr. Ralph R. Tinkham
Superintendent U.S. Lighthouse Service
Customs House
Portland, Oregon

Dear Sir:

I understand Mr. Frank H. Story has been for some time employed by the Government, in the Lighthouse Department, and that he was recently transferred from Cape Blanco in Curry County to some station in Alaska.

In September, 1932, Mr. Story was living with his wife, Marie Story, at Sixes, Oregon. He stated to his wife that he was mentally disturbed and asked her to make a visit to her father in Portland; that he felt within a short time he would recover his equilibrium and that their domestic affairs would, from then on, run smoothly, or words to that effect.

Soon after Mrs. Story came to Portland, he wrote her and expressed regret that he had used a suberfuge in prevailing upon her to leave their home, and that he intended to start suit for divorce. I have this letter in my possession.

Later he filed suit for divorce against Mrs. Story in Coos County. The complaint was answered by Mrs. Story. Some months thereafter the suit was dismissed by Mr. Story. Mrs. Story then offered to return to him, and in reply to her offer, I received a letter from him, dated May 31st, 1933, in which he states that at the time the suit for divorce was filed in Coos County, he also filed suit for divorce against her in the Replubic of Mexico, and stated that the Attorney General of the United States has ruled that the mexican divorce is absolutely legal. A copy of his letter is attached hereto.

Mr. Story at all times knew the post office address of his wife, and never, at any time, informed her that

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any divorce proceedings had been filed in Mexico, she was never served with any papers, and his letter of May 31st, 1933, to me, was the first information that she had of an attempt having been made to procure a divorce in Mexico.

Neither Story or his wife have ever been residents of Mexico. He did not mention in what State of Mexico, or where the alleged divorce was procured. Inasmuch as neither party was ever a resident of Mexico, and Mrs. Story was never served with any papers, I am confident that any decree of divorce that may have been signed, or entered, is absolutely void and a nullity.

I am further absolutely sure that the Attorney General of the United States has never advised Mr. Story that such a divorce would be legal. Evidently he has attempted to convey the impression that he is a government employee, and has procured advice from the Department of Justice, or that his attempt to procure the divorce in Mexico was sanctioned by the Government.

Story is supposed to have left Portland on the evening of the 19th, or the morning of the 20th of June, for Seattle, preparatory to sailing for Alaska with the object of taking a position with the Government in the Lighthouse Service Department somewhere in Alaska.

On June 20th, 1933, a marriage license was issued in Lewis County, Washington, to Frank H. Story and Helen G. Leigh, the latter of San Francisco, California, and they went through a ceremony of being married to each other at Chehalis, Washington, on June 20th, 1933. I am enclosing a copy of letter received from the County Clerk of Lewis County, with reference to the alleged marriage. I am satisfied this refers to the Frank H. Story who is the employee of the Lighthouse Department of the Government.

Story has left his wife destitute, and the very fact that he filed suit in Coos County, Oregon, and voluntarily dismissed it without going to trial, and attempted to procure a divorce in Mexico, is very strong evidence of the fact that he has no grounds for divorce from Marie Story, his lawful wife.

In my opinion he has never been legally divorced from Marie Store, and therefore, has not been legally married to Helen G. Leigh. If he is living with this woman in Alaska, he is probably guilty of bigamy. If he has paid her expenses from Oregon, or Washington, to Alaska, and is co-habiting with her, it may be that he has violated the Mann Act.

Regardless of whether he has violated any criminal

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Mr. Ralph R. Tinkham
Portland, Oregon

July 14th, 1933

law of the United States, or the laws of the territory of Alaska, his conduct in trying to be relieved of his marital obligations to Marie Story is subject to grave criticism.

I thought you would be interested in having this information.

Very truly yours,

George J. Perkins

GJP:RC

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LEWIS COUNTY

Chehalis, Washington

July 1st, 1933.

Mrs. Marie Story
9235 N. Tioga Ave.
Portland, Oregon

Dear Madam:

Frank H. Story and Helen G. Leigh, of San Francisco, California, were married in Chehalis, on June 20, 1933.

By the Justice of the Peace, Nort Wynn, and two the witnesses were Mrs. Junkin and Ed. McCoy.

He gave his age as 34 on the marriage return. No record of his former divorce.

Yours Truly,

Mrs. Gay C. Pheasant

County Clerk.

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OREGON

Cape Blanco L't Sta'.
Sixes, Oregon
May 31st, 1933.

Perkins & Bailey.
Board of Trade Bldg.
Portland, Oregon

Dear Sirs:

Yoursof the 29th rec'd yesterday. For your information, wish to advise that at the time I filed the case which I recently dropped, I also filed in Mexico, and also rec'd in yesterday's mail an absolute decree of divorce from Marie Story, granted on the 25th of May, 1933.

In the event that there may be a doubt in your mind as to the legality of Mexican divorces, I have it on A.l. authority that the U. S. Attorney General ruled they are absolutely legal and binding. Therefor as far as I am concerned the matter is closed.

I might add that I took the precaution some months ago of notifying all stores that I would not be responsible for any of her debts, and have their acknowledgement of receipt of same.

Yours very truly,

F. H. Story.

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 16TH DISTRICT
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

July 28, 1933

Commissioner of Lighthouses
Washington, D. C.

Subject: Temporary emergency detail of assistant keeper.

1. It is respectfully reported that Frank H. Story, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service, 17th District, $1380 p.a., was placed on temporary detail in accordance with article 423(b) of the regulations to the position of additional keeper at large, 16th District, without change in pay, and assigned to Point Retreat Lightstation during the period July 1, 1933, to July 13, 1933, inclusive, pending his permanent transfer to this district.

2. This emergency detail was necessary on account of James N. Brotherson, the regular assistant keeper at Point Retreat Lightstation being granted leave of absence and it is essential that two keepers remain on duty at this station.

3. Reference is made to Department letter dated July 14, 1933, covering transfer of Frank H. Story from the 17th Lighthouse District at $1380 per annum to the 16th Lighthouse District at $1500 per annum.

Superintendent

Bureau of Lighthouses
Washington August 9, 1933

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for information, the effective date of Story's transfer and change in pay being July 14, 1933.

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For the Commissioner:

Chief of Personnel Division

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

July 14, 1933.

Mr. Frank H. Story,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER. JUL 15 1933

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1380 per annum.

To: $1500 per annum.

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field.

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 16th DISTRICT.

Ketchikan, Alaska, June 16, 1933.
(City) (Date)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE JUL 11 1933 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer — **Legal residence,** Oregon

Name, Frank H. Story — Proposed salary, $1500 at Same Step

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service — Proposed range, $1380-1740

Location, Additional Keeper at Large, 16th Lighthouse District — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective, July 1, 1933 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty,~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Same — Former salary, $1380 p.a. not 1380 since 240

Location, Cape Blanco at or Lightstation, Oregon. 17th Lighthouse District. — Former range, $1260-1620 all quarters since 1620

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Earl D. Ullerick (Lt.#844) / $1380 p.a. — Services were terminated, close Sept. 19, 1932.

Reason, Services terminated without prejudice by Department letter dated Sept. 23,1933.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, June 29, 1898.

Remarks: The transfer of F. H. Story has been approved by the Superintendent, 17th Lighthouse District. It is requested that this transfer be effected at Government expense as to transportation, it being in the interests of the Service and not at the request of the employee. See travel order submitted herewith for Department approval.

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

June 24, 1933

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. Justification is not submitted, transfer being to the 16th District in Alaska.

Action O. K.

Chief Clerk

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

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

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CROSS REFERENCE

F.H. Story

Entered on duty at Cape Blanco Light Station on May 1, 1932 . See file for J. L. Zenor for letter of May 9, 1932.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

May 3, 1932.

Mr. Frank H. Story,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

By direction of the Secretary.

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER. MAY - 5 1932

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1320 per annum.

To: $1380 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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TELEGRAPHIC REPLY IS DESIRED

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT,

Portland Oregon (City), April 20 1932 (Date), 19

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer To fill effected vacancy — Legal residence, Oregon

Name, Frank H. Story — Proposed salary, $1380 per annum Same Rate

Position, (First Assistant) Keeper — Proposed range, $1260–$1620 per annum

Location, Cape Blanco Light Station, Oregon — Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective, May 1, 1932 — [1 ~~the actual date of entrance on duty,~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, (First Assistant) Keeper — Former salary, $1320

Location, Yaquina Head Light Station — Former range, $1200–$1560 per annum

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, O.E. Hayward, $1380 (Lt. #358) to be Services terminated, April 30, 1932 or as soon thereafter as practicable.

Reason, to be transferred to Mukilteo Light Station, Wash.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, June 29, 1898

Remarks: The above effective date is necessary in order to coincide with schedule of tenders on which transportations are to be made.

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

R. R. Tinkham,
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

April 26, 1932

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved, attention being invited to the Superintendent's letter of April 20, submitted by Bureau indorsement of this date. Attention is also invited to Department letter of April 5 approving the reallocation of this station.

Action O. K.

Chief Clerk

A. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

[1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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Portland, Oregon.

Superintendent of Lighthouses:

It is requested that the information indicated in the item checked below be furnished the Bureau promptly, with the return of the attached papers, if any.

NAME AND DESIGNATION Frank H. Story, keeper

(1) Give date of entrance on duty, of transfer, or of resignation
(2) Furnish personal history sheet
(3) Furnish oath of office
(4) Furnish civil service form 375 in triplicate
(5) Submit form SS 66, showing last day served by temporary appointee
(6) Furnish standard form 13 in quadruplicate (abstract of official record
(7) Furnish documentary evidence of date of birth as prescribed in civil service form 2473, attached.
(8) Submit inclosed nomination through the District Civil Service Secretar
(9) Effective date of transfer authorized Mar. 11,1931, or sod.

For the Commissioner:
R. J. Gross
Chief, Personnel Division.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses

CAK:ABL

17th District Portland O Date April 8, 1931

Returned to Commissioner of Lighthouses: Frank H. Story, promoted from second to first assistant keeper, entered on duty in new position April 1, 1931.

R.R.Tinkham
Superintendent of Lighthouses

Keeper 17th

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
April 16, 1931

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information. Attention in this connection is invited to Department memorandum dated March 27, 1931.

For the Commissioner:

R J Gross

Chief, Personnel Division.

Form A-38

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

March 11, 1931.

Mr. Frank H. Story,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective upon entrance on duty (change in 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,

MAR 12 1931

EDW. J. GARDNER
Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1260 per annum

To: $1320 per annum

Service and grade:

Appropriation (unit): Field

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT,

Portland Oregon (City), February 27 1931 (Date), 19---

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion To fill Vac.

Name, Frank ~~Harold~~ Story

Position, (First Assistant) Keeper,

Location, Yaquina Head Light Station

Effective, March 1, 1931

Legal residence, Oregon

Proposed salary, $1320 per annum

Proposed range, $1200–$1560 per annum

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses

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

Former position, (Second Assistant) Keeper

Location, Yaquina Head Light Station

Former salary, $1260 per annum

Former range, $1140–$1500 per annum

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

Previous incumbent and his pay, Henry Hill (Lt.#425), $1320 P.A. to be

Reason, Transferred to Additional Keeper. – Pending

Services terminated, March 1, 1931 or as soon as practicable.

Members of family in Government service, None

Date of birth, June 29, 1898

Remarks: See Form 73 of this date in the case of Henry Hill.

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

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Secretary, Civil Service District.

R. E. Tinkham
Superintendent of Lighthouses

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

March 4, 1931

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

O. K.

Chief Clerk

W. P. Harman
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAR 1931 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

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CHIEF CLERK

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAR 6 - 1931 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

ACTION TAKEN MAR 11 1931 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATION BOARD FORM [redacted] FIELD QUESTIONNAIRE
(To be filled out in accordance with the instructions given in P. C. B. Forms Nos. 15 and 16)

Bureau No. Lt [redacted]426 Sheet No. NP 17(b)84

Space reserved for the use of the Board

1. Byers, Frederick Story Frank H.
(Surname) (Given name) (Initial)

2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouses
4. Field service Lighthouse Service
5. (a) Field station Yaquina Head Light Station
(b) Subdivision 17th District
(c) City or town Agate Beach (near) State Oregon

6. Pay roll title Light Keeper
7. Customary office title Second Assistant Keeper
8. Present administrative allocation $1140-$1440
9. Present gross rate of pay $ 1300.00 A
10. Deduction for allowances $ 240.00 A
11. Net rate paid in cash $ 1260.00 A

12. Indicate by an "X" in the proper box or boxes the kind of allowances, if any, received by the employee:
☒ House ☐ Room { ☐ Furnished ☒ Unfurnished } ☐ Heat ☒ Fuel ☐ Light ☐ Uniform ☐ Laundry ☐ Subsistence or rations in kind Meals per day: ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3

13. Describe any other allowance, privilege, or perquisite of value Free medical treatment PHS, estimated annual value $5.00
Retirement under Lighthouse Service retirement law. Uniform $40.00

14. If any special equipment or a bond is required by law or regulation to be furnished at the employee's expense, state kind and annual cost
On duty during day as required for upkeep of station

15. (a) Regular hours of work: From [redacted] m. to [redacted] m. (b) How many hours per week excluding unusual or irregular overtime work?
Summer 56 Winter 56 (c) If not a full time and all-the-year-round position, state number of hours per day —;
number of days per { week / month / year } — (d) If certain hours of availability for duty, outside of regular working hours, are required, state hours and type of such duty Alternates at night with other keepers.

16. (a) Rate of pay for overtime no overtime pay (b) Amount of overtime pay in last 12 months none

17. (a) Does the employee in any way direct or supervise other employees? No (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering)
(c) How many? —

18. If the employee supervises other persons through immediate contact, give the name and the sheet numbers of such persons. (For such of these as may not be covered by questionnaires, give number and kinds by occupations.) If the employee exercises supervision through section or division heads, give the title of such sections or divisions and the names and sheet numbers of their heads.

— — Trans to Cape Flattery

19. (a) Is the employee in any way directed, supervised, or instructed, or his work reviewed? Yes (b) If so, in what way? (See Form 16 before answering.)
Follows orders issued by the Keeper, or by the First Ass't Keeper in the absence of the Keeper; carries out his work while on watch largely on his own responsibility, after receiving thorough instructions.

20. What is the name, official position, and sheet number of the employee's immediate superior? Henry Hill, 1st Ass't. Keeper, [illegible]
Sheet No. 17(b)-83

21. Employee's education: Strike an "X" over the number representing the highest grade or year completed in each type of school:

Elementary								High				Normal				College				Postgraduate or professional				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	1	2	X 3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	(Kind)

Other education (describe): —

22. What length and kind of experience or other training did the employee possess upon original entrance into this position which was most qualifying or pertinent?
5½ years Third, Second and First Ass't Keeper at Cape St. Elias and Eldred Rock Light Stations, Alaska; over two years U.S. Army, practical experience at electrical, carpenter, plumbing and painting trades.

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23. TO THE EMPLOYEE: Describe in detail the work you do. Put each distinct duty, task, or process in a separate paragraph. Explain first those that require most of your time. Explain occasional duties last. In the column at the left opposite each paragraph enter the approximate percentage of your time devoted to the work described in that paragraph. DO NOT ATTEMPT TO COMPOSE THIS STATEMENT WITHOUT FOLLOWING THE INSTRUCTIONS OF P. C. B. FORM NO. 15.

Percentage of working time	
	Showing visitors through tower, of which there is an estimate of 30,000 annually and taking care of light. General upkeep of Station consisting of the following: repairing fences, incidental station repairs, working on road, polishing up station grounds, cleaning shop, 98 ft. tower, cleaning lens, plate glass windows, washing paint work, polishing brass. Practically on duty 24 hours daily as we are only allowed to leave station for mail and supplies and any absence over six (6) hours is charged as one (1) day against annual leave. Then there is the painting of the entire station, consisting of the following buildings; 98 ft. tower, double dwelling, keepers dwelling, oil house, carpenter shop, garage, barn and fences, all of which must first be prepared.

24. I hereby certify that the foregoing was composed by me after reading P. C. B. Form No. 15, and that it is a true statement of my duties.

F. H. Hoyt, 2nd Asst
(Signature of Employee)

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

Assists Keeper and First Ass't Keeper in care and operation of incandescent oil vapor illuminating apparatus. About 50% of his time required for this work. Assists in caring for buildings and grounds and showing visitors about station, his time being about equally divided between the two classes of work.

26. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? two years.

27. I hereby certify that to the best of my knowledge and belief the statements made by me on both sides of this sheet are accurate and complete.

Sept. 14, 1928 (Date) — Carl F. Ganong (Signature of Preparing Officer) — Asst. Lighthouse Engineer (Title)

28. I hereby certify that I have read all of the foregoing and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made on both sides of this sheet are accurate and complete, except as indicated in attached memorandum, marked ---. In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $1200.00 to $1500.00

Sept. 18, 1928 (Date) — Robert Warrack (Signature of head of field office or station) — Supt. of Lighthouses (Title)

29. I hereby certify that I have read all of the foregoing and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief the statements made on both sides of this sheet are accurate and complete, except as indicated in attached memorandum, marked ---. In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $1440, to $1440

SEP 25 1928, 1928 (Date) — H. B. BOWERMAN (Signature of head of bureau or his representative) — Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses (Title)

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

July 1, 1928.

Mr. Frank H. Story,

Through the Chief, Bureau of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that under the Welch Act your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective July 1, 1928.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER,

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1140

To: $1260

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 6 1928 CK JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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CROSS REFERENCE

SEE FILE--464/16/ D#1

NAME Story Frank H. POSITION Ranger

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES STATION 16th Dist.

CIRCULAR #11----9/15/23

BASE PAY	Bonus	Total	Allowances			As Classified for estimate purposes			Recommendations regarding differential from standard rates		
			Items	Value	Aggregate	Service	Grade	Pay	Is differential recommended	Amt. per annum to be Added	Subtracted
$960	$240	$1200	CR	164.25	1364.25	P.#5	3	1380	Yes	180-C	

CIRCULAR #13----11/13/23

Appv $ 1440

GRADE RECOMMENDED 6

RANGE OF COMPENSATION RECOMMENDED FROM $ 1440 TO $ 1680

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE

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1. Story, (Surname) Frank (Given name) H. (Initial)
2. Department Commerce.
3. Bureau Lighthouses.
4. Field Service 16th District.
5. (a) Field Station Cape St. Elias Lightstation.
   (b) Subdivision —
   (c) City or town via Ketalla, State Alaska.
6. Pay-roll title Keeper.
7. Customary office title 2nd Asst. Keeper.

8. (a) Number of regular working hours of the position, per day 8; per week 56
   (b) If this is not a full-time position, state percentage of time employed per day —, or per week —
   (c) If night work, wholly or in part, state the hours: From — m. to — m.
   (Stands regular watche with three other keepers at station)
9. If this is not an all-year-round position, state approximate number of days employed each year —
   During what months —
10. If the employee receives compensation from any other branch of the Federal Government, or from any city, county, or State government, state the position held and the compensation —

11. Present rate of pay, exclusive of bonus $ 960. per annum; bonus, $ 240. per annum.
12. Rate of pay, exclusive of bonus, on January 1, 1923, $ 960. per annum; bonus, $ 240. per annum.
13. If the employee receives overtime pay, state the rate —
14. Title of appropriation or fund from which basic compensation is paid Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses,
15. Indicate by an "X" in the proper box any of the following allowances received, in addition to salary or wages: ☒ Quarters; ☐ 3 meals per day; ☐ 2 meals per day; ☐ 1 meal per day; ☒ Subsistence or rations in kind; ☐ Uniform; ☐ Laundry; ☐ Fuel; ☒ Light; ☒ Heat. If cash allowances are made for any of these items, state which items and the amounts per annum —
16. Indicate what special equipment, if any, the employee is required by law or regulation to furnish at his own expense, and the approximate annual maintenance cost to the employee:
    Kind of equipment None.; annual cost, $ —
17. Extent of employee's education. (Place an "X" in the box before the highest grade or year.)
    (a) Elementary school; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐ 6 ☐ 7 ☒ 8
    (b) High school; years ☐ 1 ☒ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4
    (c) Business school; years ☐ ½ ☐ 1 ☐ 1½ ☐ 2 ☐ 2½ ☐ 3
    (d) College: Name —; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4
    (e) Post graduate work: Kind —; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3
    (f) Correspondence courses: Kind —; number of lessons —; number completed —

18. Description of work. (Describe the various tasks performed, making the description of each as detailed as space will permit. Use a paragraph for each task and number the paragraphs. In the column at the right state the estimated percentage of the total time—in the course of a day, month, or year—given to each task.)

	Percentage of total time given to each task
Stands regular watches with three other keepers at station and assists keeper and his other assistants in maintaining light and operating fog-signal in accordance with regulations. Works with the other keepers at station in taking care of station buildings, grounds, light and fog-signal apparatus, machinery and other property at station, and in making repairs when necessary so far as practicable. Impossible to state what percentage of time is devoted to each task as this varies greatly according to weather conditions and time of year.	

19. Does employee work under immed[illegible]e supervision, or to a large extent upon his own [illegible]nsibility? (Describe fully.)

Works under immediate supervision of keeper at station.

20. Do the duties involve direction or supervision of the work of other employees? No.
If so, describe the nature of the direction or supervision and give the number and classes of employees directed or supervised.

21. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? Eight months.

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

May 24, (Date), 1923. W. D. Silvernell (Signature of Preparing Officer) Superintendent. (Title)

23. I have read the foregoing and I agree to it except as follows:

(Signature of Employee)

THE FOLLOWING TO BE FILLED OUT BY THE HEAD OF THE FIELD OFFICE OR STATION

24. Indicate by an "X" in the proper spaces below the qualifications and personal traits considered important for the satisfactory performance of the duties of this position:

	High Degree	Average	Not Essential
Judgment*		X	
Accuracy		X	
Initiative (originality and resourcefulness)		X	
Trustworthiness (dependability)		X	
Speed (quickness)		X	
Physical Qualities (strength and endurance)	X		

EDUCATIONAL TRAINING		
	Essential	Desirable But Not Essential
College		
High School		
Common School	X	

Technical Education: If essential, kind and extent None required.

Experience: If essential, kind and extent Must have had experience with row, sail, & motor boats and work of a semi-skilled nature such as painting and making emergency repairs to machinery.

25. I hereby certify that I have read the foregoing and that, to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements made are accurate and complete. In my judgment the compensation of this position should be in a range from $ 1200. to $ 1560.

May 24, (Date), 1923. W. D. Silvernell (Signature of head of field office or station) Superintendent. (Title)

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
PORTLAND, OREG.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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APPOINTMENT DIVISION

LIGHTHOUSES
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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 17TH DISTRICT
PORTLAND, OREG.

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July 12, 1926.

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Personnel
Financial
Law and Prop.
Adm. Asst.
Supv. Constr.
Constr.

Frank H. Story,

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D.C.

1. Referring to Department letter of June 6, 1926, changing salary of Frank H. Story, effective July 1, 1926, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty:

2. Mr. Story entered on duty under this authorization effective July 12, 1926.

Robert Warnack
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

CARDED

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
JUL 19 1926

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

11 date

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Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

June 6, 1926.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

Mr. Frank H. Story,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1620 per annum to $ 1140 per annum, effective July 1, 1926, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

WILLIAM CLIFFORD HARTING

Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

11—8074 GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

JUN 6 1926

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUN 10 1926 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHTHOUSES 1926 JUN 1 PM 9 15

1926 JUN 1 PM 3 CHIEF CLERK

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 17th DISTRICT, 30

Portland, Oregon (City.) May 27 (Date.), 1926

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE JUN 2 1926 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

DEPARTMENT OF JUN 4 1926 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and demotion.

Name, Frank H. Story. Legal residence, Alaska.

Position, Keeper (2d Asst.), Lighthouse Service. Salary, $1140.00 per annum above min - reduction 480 pa.
Range $1020-$1260.

Location, Yaquina Head Light Station, Oreg. (quarters) Appropriation, ~~Salaries, K. L. H.~~ Such etc.

Effective July 1, 1926 { ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Keeper (1st Asst.), L. H. S. Former salary, $1620.00 per annum
Range $1500-$1740.

Location, Cape St. Elias Light Station, Alaska. (his quarters)

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

This is trans. from the 16th to the 17th dist. upon approval of 16th Supt.

Previous incumbent, Henry Hill Services terminated, June 30, 1926. or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.
Salary $1080 per annum.
Reason, Recommended for promotion to 1st Assistant Keeper same station.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Date of birth, June 29, 1893.

Remarks: Mr. Story's letter of February 8, 1926, requesting transfer to this district together with indorsement thereon of February 13 of 16th Superintendent, approving the transfer, is forwarded herewith. Mr. Story is considered the best qualified available employee for this position. Mr. Story has been granted leave without pay from June 18 to July 20, 1926. by 16th Supt to arrange this transfer. The approval of this recommendation will not be in violation of section 2 of Civil Service rule I relative to political or religious opinions or affiliations.

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

Robert Warnack
Superintendent of Lighthouses.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 1 - 1926

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN JUN 8 1926 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPROVED BY THE ACTING ASST. SECRETARY 6/2/26
FILE 10-93/11

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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LIGHTHOUSES
1926 JUN 1 AM 9 15
LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT FEB 18 1926

255 No 19th St.
Portland Ore.
Feby-8th 1926.

To. Superintendent of Lighthouses.
~~15~~ 17th District- Portland Ore.
Through.
Superintendent of lighthouses.
16th District- Ketchikan Alaska.

Sirs:

Here-with request transfer from 16th dist. to 17th Dist, ~~at~~ Portland Oregon, at expiration of my leave, or when opening is available, should such an opening occur before that time, transfer to take effect on notification that I have been appointed to a station, should there be an opening

LIGHTHOUSES OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT
FEB 23 1926
17th Lighthouse District
1926 JUN 1 AM 9 15

before my leave expires.

Very Respectfully.

F. H. Story.

WCD:ES

Office of Supt., 16th District,
Ketchikan, Alaska, Feb. 13, 1926.

1. Forwarded, approved.

2. Mr. Story has been employed as an assistant keeper in this district for about six years with a satisfactory record. He is a world war veteran.

3. His present salary as first assistant keeper, Cape St. Elias Lightstation, is $1620. per annum, this being $120. per annum more than the minimum of the range authorized for his position.

4. He has been granted leave to June 17, 1926, inclusive, which exhausts all accrued leave due.

W. D. Bunnell

Superintendent.

CROSS REFERENCE

See file of August N. Detlefsen - memo from Lighthouses dated 10/9/25, giving effective dates of changes.

Frank H. Story, original E.O.D. Feb. 2, 1920; last pay inc. July 2, 1925.

16th Dist.

See also letters from Lighhouses dated 10/18/25 and 12/12/25

CROSS REFERENCE.

Lighthouse letter dated September 15, 1925 reports the effective dates of the last changes in the following cases:

Chas. McLeod
Geo. Normansen
Soren Olsen
Ford J. Phipps
Frank H. Story

See file of Michael Cornellan

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 25, 1925.

Mr. F. H. Story,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1560 per annum to $ 1620 per annum, effective July 2, 1925.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GA[illegible]

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

May 21, 1925.

Mr. Frank H. Story,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $1320 per annum to $ 1560 per annum, effective **July 1, 1925, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty.**

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

MAY 27 1925

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAY 27 1925 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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LIGHTHOUSES

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1925 MAY 20 PM 4 23

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 16th DISTRICT,

Ketchikan, Alaska (City.), May 5 (Date.), 19 25

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Increase in pay.

Name, Frank H. Story — Legal residence, Alaska.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service. — Salary, $1560 per annum (Range, $1500--1740)

Location, Cape St. Elias Lightstation, Alaska — Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective July 1, 1925 — [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty;~~ or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Same — Former salary, $1320 per annum

Location, Same

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

Previous incumbent, Himself. — to be Services terminated, June 30,1925

Reason, Increase in pay.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Date of birth, February 14,1871

Remarks: This increase in pay is recommended in accordance with Bureau indorsement of March 7,1925, on letter from this office dated Feb. 10,1925, relative to adjustment of pay of Lighthouse Keepers, at the four westward stations in Alaska, and authorizing an increase of $240 per annum over present rates to cover cost of subsistence.

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

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Secretary, Civil Service District.

W. E. Reed
Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

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May 20, 1925.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved. The proposed adjustment is in lieu present subsistence (65¢ a day in kind), to be discontinued July 1, 1925.

L. Lanier
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE,
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

January 31, 1925.

Mr. Frank H. Story,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses,

Sir:

In connection with the readjustment of pay of positions in the Lighthouse Service the total compensation of the position occupied by you has been fixed as indicated below, effective February 1, 1925.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED FEB 7 1925 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Position: Keeper

Salary: $1320

Appropriations: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.
General Expenses, Lighthouse Service.

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FEB 9 - 1925

FORM A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS—LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

October 1, 1924.

M
r. Frank H. Story,
Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1200 per annum to $ 1260 per annum, effective November 1, 1924, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

EDW. J. GARDNER

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHTHOUSES
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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 16th DISTRICT,

Ketchikan, Alaska. (City,) Sept. 19 (Date,), 19 24

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion.

Name, Frank H. Story. Legal residence, Alaska.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service. Salary, $1260 per annum.

Location, Cape St. Elias Lightstation, Alaska Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective Nov.1.1924 {~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Same Former salary, $1200 per annum.

Location, Same

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

Previous incumbent, --- Services terminated, --

Reason, New position--Dept. authority dated July 6, 1919, providing for additional positions at stations in Alaska (westward)

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Date of birth, June 29, 1898.

Remarks: Mr. Story is recommended for promotion to this additional position in order that Mr. Charles McLeod may take accumulated leave of absence due him in accordance with regulations applying to this district and station.

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

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN OCT 5 1924 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

10/1/24.

Secretary, Civil Service District. Superintendent

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON
SEP 30 1924

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

APPROVED:

ACTING SECRETARY OF COMMERCE.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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(CROSS REFERENCE)

Story Frank H In accordance with authority

of the Director of the Budget dated June 27, 1924, the salary is re-

adjusted to $ 1200, effective July 1, 1924.

For authorization see letter dated JUL 18 1924 File No. 1095/21.

Cross reference.

August 17, 1922, The Bureau of Lighthouses advises the Department of the date of effect of the following change:

Name	Action	Salary	previous salary	Date of effect.
Frank M. Storyy prom.		$960	$900	June 16, 1922

See file Beard U. Lervick.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON June 9, 1922.

Mr. Frank H. Story,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 900 per annum to $ 960 per annum, effective June 16, 1922, or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty.

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

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

Chief of Appointment Division.

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16th

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUN 9 1922 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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REPORT OF TRANSFER OF APPOINTEE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE ~~INSPECTOR~~ Superintendent, 16th DISTRICT.
Ketchikan, Alaska,
May 29, 1922. ~~191~~

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THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

The following-named employee was transferred as indicated, and entered upon duty at his new station on February 17, 1922.

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Name, Frank H. Story Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service.

From Eldred Rock Light Station, Alaska, (Temporary 2d Asst. Keeper at $900 A) To Cape St. Elias Light Station, Alaska. (3rd Asst. Keeper at $900 A)

Previous incumbent, himself.

Services terminated, December 25, 1921, Reason, Temporary assignment to Eldred Rock Light Station, Alaska.

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6/9/22.

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Superintendent.

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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with February 17, 1922.

Superintendent.

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON June 8, 1922.

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Inclosure.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information. Attached is indorsement of May 29, 1922, from the Superintendent of Lighthouses, Ketchikan, Alaska, returning Department letter of May 13, 1922, with reference to the promotion of Mr. Story to second assistant keeper of Cape St. Elias Light Station.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHTHOUSES
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LIGHTHOUSE SUPERINTENDENT
MAY 27 1922
KETCHIKAN

May 13, 1922.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The Department is in receipt of nomination, Form 73, from the Sixteenth Superintendent, dated April 27, 1922, for the promotion of Frank H. Story from $900 to $960 per annum as Keeper at the Cape St. Elias Light Station, Alaska, effective June 16, 1922, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. In view of the fact that on December 13, 1921, the Sixteenth Superintendent submitted Form 73a stating that Mr. Story would be transferred to the Eldred Rock Light Station, Alaska, on or about December 26, 1921, the Department requests that he be directed to submit further information in the case.

By direction of the Secretary:

Clifford Hastings
Chief of Appointment Division.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
MAY 15 1922

Engineer.
Engr. Com.
Insp. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Comm.
Comm.

To Superintendent of Lighthouses,
Ketchikan, Alaska
for report and return.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner.

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Office of Superintendent, 16th District
Ketchikan, Alaska, May 29, 1922

1. Returned to the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

2. The Bureau is advised that the position of temporary additional keeper (first assistant) at Eldred Rock Light Station at $900 per annum, effective December 26, 1921, and to continue to and including February 16, 1922, was authorized by Department letter dated December 24, 1921. Frank H. Story was nominated to fill this temporary position by transfer from 3rd Asst. Keeper at Cape St. Elias Light Station at the same salary on Form 73a, dated Dec. 13, 1921. He entered on duty at Eldred Rock on December 26, 1921, and served at that station in the additional temporary position until the close of February 16, 1922, when he was furloughed without pay until he could be returned to his former position as 3rd Asst. Keeper at Cape St. Elias Light Station.

3. Form 73a reassigning Story to the position of 3rd Asst. Keeper at Cape St. Elias Light Station at $900.00 per annum effective February 17, 1922, is inclosed herewith. It is proposed, should the Department so approve, to promote him to the position of 2nd Asst. Keeper at Cape St. Elias Light Station effective June 16, 1922, as recommended in nomination dated April 27, 1922.

Superintendent.

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May 13, 1922.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

The Department is in receipt of nomination, Form 73, from the Sixteenth Superintendent, dated April 27, 1922, for the promotion of Frank H. Story from $900 to $960 per annum as Keeper at the Cape St. Elias Light Station, Alaska, effective June 16, 1922, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty. In view of the fact that on December 13, 1921, the Sixteenth Superintendent submitted Form 73a stating that Mr. Story would be transferred to the Eldred Rock Light Station, Alaska, on or about December 26, 1921, the Department requests that he be directed to submit further information in the case.

By direction of the Secretary:

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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NOMINATION

LIGHTHOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1922 MAY 6 PM 3 55

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, 16th. DISTRICT,

Ketchikan, Alaska. April 27, 1922.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1922 MAY 12 PM 4 17

Action recommended, Promotion.

Name, Frank H.Story. Legal residence, Alaska.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service. Salary $960.per annum.

Location, Cape St.Elias Lightstation, Alaska. Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective June 16,1922. {1 ~~the date he reports for duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAY 13 1922 APPOINTMENT

Former position, Same Former salary, $900 per annum.

Location, Same ~~(now at Elder Rock according to records)~~

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

Previous incumbent, Edward M.Toman Services to be terminated, about June 15,1922.

Reason, Promotion.

Relatives in Government Service, Father,Dr.H.C.Story,acting asst. surgeon,U.S. Public Health Service,Ketchikan.Alaska

Remarks: Mr.Story has been on furlough without pay since Feb.17,1922. He will be re-assigned to his former position as 3rd.asst.Keeper at Cape St.Elias Lightstation about June 1,1922, his promotion to 2nd asst. Keeper to take effect on the date the present Keeper Frank W. Ritchie, goes on leave and Edward M. Toman is promoted to Selection regular, subject to the action of the (Keeper at Cape St.Elias Lightstation.

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5/12/22.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAY 10 1922

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

APPROVED:
Acting Secretary of Commerce.

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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MAR 4 1922
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 16TH DISTRICT
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

February 20, 1922

CHIEF CLERK

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Commissioner of Lighthouses
WASHINGTON, D. C.

1922 MAR 4 PM 4 02

The Bureau is advised that Frank H. Story, 3rd Asst. Keeper, Cape St. Elias Lightstation, Alaska, has been placed on furlough without pay effective February 17, 1922, pending his assignment to a station when the CEDAR next proceeds to the westward.

(Trans to Eldred Rock.)

Superintendent.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
MAR 3 - 1922

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Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.
By direction of the Commissioner.

T. S. CLARK
Chief Clerk

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Form 73a

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

Office of Lighthouse ~~Inspector~~ Superintendent, 16th District.

Ketchikan, Alaska, December 13, 1921.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1921 DEC 24 AM 9 18

The following-named employee will be transferred as indicated, and will enter upon duty at his new station on or about December 26, 1921.

Name, Frank H. Story — Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service

From Cape St. Elias Lightstation, Alaska. — To Eldred Rock Lightstation, Alaska.

Previous incumbent, TEMPORARY New position.

Services terminated, — Reason,

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE DEC 24 1921 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

For and in the absence of Superintendent.

C. A. Flint

First Asst. Superintendent.

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The above-referred-to transfer became effective beginning with .....

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES

WASHINGTON

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December 22, 1921.

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce for his information. Attention is invited to Bureau recommendation of this date for the authorization of temporary additional position of keeper (first assistant) at Eldred Rock Light Station.

J. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner.

12-24-21

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Frank H. Story, CHIEF CLERK.

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

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1921 MAR 19 AM 9 46

Frank H. Story

(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 18th day of February, A. D. 1921

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) J. W. Leadbetter

(Official title) Captain, U.S.L.H.S. Tender CEDAR

My commission expires _____

OFFICIAL TITLE	RATE OF PAY	NAME OF STATION, VESSEL, OR PLACE OF EMPLOYMENT.
Present Keeper in the Lighthouse Service	$900.annum	Cape St. Elias Lightstation
Former [5] Temporary	Same	Same

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

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 16th DISTRICT

Ketchikan, Alaska, (Address), March 3, 1921. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on February 18, 1921. (Date)

CARDED

W. O. Dewell

(Signature) Superintendent.

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

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

[3] The oath may be taken any time on or after the effective date of appointment and prior to the payment of compensation, but no compensation shall be paid until the oath is executed in proper form.

[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, a chief clerk in the office of a superintendent of lighthouses or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of superintendent of lighthouses and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.

[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.

Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

October 6, 1920.

Mr. Frank H. Story,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

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

CARDED

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Yourself.

Legal Residence: Alaska.
16th district

(See reverse side.)

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NOMINATION

LIGHTHOUSES

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 16th DISTRICT,

Ketchikan, Alaska (City.), Sept. 7 (Date.), 1920

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

APPOINTMENTS
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Action recommended, Probationary appointment

Name, Frank H. Story

Legal residence, Alaska

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Position, Keeper Lighthouse Service

Salary, $900 annum

Location, Cape St. Elias Lightstation

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses

Effective Oct. 16, 1920

[1] ~~the afternoon of the date of his appointment, or~~ as soon thereafter as he enters on duty

Former position, same (temporary)

Former salary, same

Location, same

Rank on eligible list, 2 Rating, Percentage, 79.2, Other eligibles considered:

John Polok 82.8 C
James C. Virdin 77.2 C

Previous incumbent, himself

Services to be terminated, close of Oct. 15, 1920

Reason, Expiration of temporary appointment

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: Quarters for families of keepers are not provided by the government at this station.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN
OCT 7 - 1920
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, 9-30-20, 19

C. W. Paine

Secretary, 11th *Civil Service District.*

W. C. Dimmick

Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

OCT 5 1920

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

10-6-20

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Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

APPTM'T
FEB 13 1920

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

CHIEF CLERK

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

Mr. Frank Harold Stoss.

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

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

Lighthouse Service. | Lake St Elias Ft. St. | 16th
Bureau or Service. | Place (city, town, station, or vessel). | District.

4. Position to which appointed Keeper in Lighthouse Service.

5. Compensation $900. Per annum.

6. Appropriation from which paid Salaries. Keepers of Lighthouses.

7. In what manner did the employee enter the service? (Examples: "From stenography and typewriting examination ——, 191—;" or "Without examination;" or "By reinstatement;" or "By transfer from ——," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

Without exam.

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

Ketchikan | Alaska | — | —
City or town. | State or Territory. | County. | Congressional district.

9. When the legal residence given in answer to question 8 differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

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

11. Where were you born? Seattle Wash.

12. When were you born? June | 29th | 1898
Month. | Day. | Year.

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

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14. What is your marital condition? Single.

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

Dr. H. L. Stoss. | Ketchikan | Alaska.
Name. | Number and street.

Mrs. Mamie E. Stoss | Columbian Apts. | Portland | Ore.
City or town. | State or Territory.

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16. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? No.

(If answer is "Yes," give in blank spaces below the information called for by the headings.)

Name.	Post-office address.	Position and department or office in which employed.	Relationship.	Married or single.
		Position		
		Department or office		
		Position		
		Department or office		
		Position		
		Department or office		

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

None.

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

Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.	Salary.	Appointed.	Separated.
No.					

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

No.

20. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during any war? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
45th Co. 5th Reg.	Apr. 25-1917	Aug. 11-1919	Duration of War.
U. S. M. Corps.			enlistment.

21. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States other than during war time, indicate such service in the spaces below.

Company and regiment, or vessel.	Date enlisted.	Date discharged.	Cause of discharge.
No.			

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

Relationship (widow or orphan).....

Name under which soldier or sailor rendered service .....

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

23. What was your occupation prior to entering the United States civil service? (It is intended that the answer to this question shall state briefly the lines of work followed by you before receiving your present appointment, with the exception of your service indicated in answer to questions 18, 19, 20, and 21.)

Automobile Mechanic. 2 yrs. Electrician. 2½ yrs.

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

Public School. High School. 2 yrs.

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

None.

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

None.

27. Were the answers to the foregoing questions written by you? (If not, state the name and address of the person who wrote them for you.)

Yes.

Date, Feb. 2 - 1920., 191

Witness (in case signature is by mark):

(Signature) Frank H. Stoll.

P. O. Address: Petersburg Alaska.
City or town.

Number and street.

State or Territory.

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

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded February 3, 1920, ~~mxx~~

(Signature) W. C. Bennett

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(Official title) Superintendent of Lighthouses
16th District.

Form 111

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LIGHT FEB 11 1920 HOUSES

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK

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APPOINTMENTS

I, Frank H. Story,

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

1920 FEB 11 PM 4 03

Frank H. Story.
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 2nd day of February, A. D. 1920

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (*Name*) [illegible]

(*Official title*) Chief Clerk
16th Lighthouse District.

My commission expires _____

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment.
Present Keeper in the Light-House service.	$900. P.A.	Cape St. Elias Light Station, Alaska.
Former [5] New appointee	-------	----------

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

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

Office of Superintendent of Lighthouses, 16th District

Ketchikan, (Address), Alaska., (Date) Feb. 3, 1920.

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on February 2, 1920 (Date)

CARDED

[illegible]
(Signature, followed by title) Superintendent.

[1] Insert here "swear" or "affirm," as the case may be.
[2] Insert here "sworn to" or "affirmed," as the case may be.
[3] The oath may be taken any time on or after the effective date of appointment and prior to the payment of compensation, but no compensation shall be paid until the oath is executed in proper form.
[4] This oath should be taken before a justice of the peace, notary public, judge, clerk of a court, a chief clerk in the office of a superintendent of lighthouses or other employee in the Lighthouse Service designated by a chief clerk, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs or postmaster, as neither officer has power to administer oaths in such cases. In case the officer administering the oath has no seal, his official character should be duly certified to by the clerk of the proper court or the proper county clerk, except in the case of chief clerks in the offices of superintendent of lighthouses and other employees in the Lighthouse Service designated by them, who are not required to have a seal.
[5] Give this information in all cases where new oath is required.
Failure to fill out this oath properly will result in its return for correction.

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

February 12, 1920.

M. Frank H. Story,

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 Nine Hundred dollars per annum,

effective on the date on which you enter upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

Your appointment will continue for a period not to exceed thirty days from the date of establishment of a register of eligibles for probational appointment in the above-mentioned position.

GUARDED

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,
(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED FEB 13 1920 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

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Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: John Polox.

Legal Residence: Alaska.
16th

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT FEB 12 1920 HOUSES

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, 16th DISTRICT,

Ketchikan, Alaska, (City.) January 30 (Date.), 1920.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Temporary appointment - to continue until the close of the date preceding the execution of oath under probationary appointment.

Name, Frank H. Story.

Legal residence, Alaska.

Position, Keeper in the Lighthouse Service (Additional)

Salary, $900 annum.

Location, Cape St. Elias Light Station, Alaska.

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Effective * 12 February 1, 1920.

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

1920 FEB 19 PM 2 23 APPOINTMENTS

Former position, New appointee.

Former salary,

Location,

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN FEB 13 1920 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1920 FEB 12 PM 3 05

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

No eligibles available.

Previous incumbent, John Polok. to be Services terminated, January 31, 1920.

Reason, Promoted.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Cape St. Elias Light Station has been short of its full complement since October 15, 1919, and it is urgently necessary that Mr. Story report at the earliest date practicable. Hitherto there has been no one available for duty. It is believed that Story can qualify for permanent appointment for which he has filed application. It is therefore recommended that his temporary appointment continue until a probationary appointment, to be recommended later, can take effect. Not job employment. No quarters are furnished for families.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Feb. 7, 1920, 19

Approved, Sec. 2, C. S. Rule VIII.

Secretary, 11" Civil Service District.

Superintendent.

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

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Acting Commissioner.

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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