Isaac H. Grant.	Keeper Whitehead Light-House, Maine.	The evidence presented to the Department by the Light-House Board, shows that Thomas Wilson and John Lynch, sailors of the schooner "Vicksburgh," were capsized while sailing in a yawl a mile from Whitehead light about 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and, clinging to the boat, were carried out to sea. They remained in this plight three hours. The rough water and strong breeze frequently washed them from their grasp upon the keel, and a dense fog hid them from a chance of discovery. At noon however, the fog lifted, and they were seen from the light-house by Keeper Grant. He at once hurried his daughter to the life-saving station with the alarm, while he, aided by his son

Inscription.

"To Isaac H. Grant for heroic effort in saving human life, August 7, 1881."

LIFE-SAVING

RESIDENCE.	NATURE OF SERVICE PERFORMED AND ABSTRACT OF EVIDENCE.
	launched his boat and reached the men after a hazardous pull with oars. They were found exhausted, benumbed, chafed and bruised, and so helpless that they had to be lifted into the boat. Upon the arrival of the life-saving crew, in a boat swifter than his, the men were transferred to her and safely conveyed to land. The medal is intended to commemorate this prompt and gallant rescue.

Aug. 7. 1881	Oct. 13, 1881	Oct. 17, 1881	Nov. 14, 1881	Jan. 31, 1882	2nd Class	Feb. 28, 1882	Mch. 15, 1882 Through Light House Board, cl 15, 1882.