REFERENCE SERVICE SLIP
Archival Research Room Record Request
National Archives at St. Louis

Date: 12/03/2024

REQUESTER INFORMATION

Name (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Researcher ID Card Number
Flynn, Kylie	DEC 05 2024 AM 10:33
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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
Bassett, Roland, F.		1884 MA

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: 1954 MA

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Kylie

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service (MA)	From: 1918	To: 1922
(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

CMRS Service Request Number: 2-303526 41950

CMRS Search Request Number(s): Civilian

Attendant Signature:

Remarks: Archival search 12/13

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SCREENING NOTES

- ☒ Reviewed and Nothing Removed KW
- ☐ Items Removed and User Informed

Hold Requested: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Total Requests:

Screened Items:

☐ Additional charge outs and signatures on reverse side

Time Out:

Final Return:

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

CMRS CASE #: 2-3035264195O.

Employee Name: BASSETT, ROLAND F. **DOB:** 1884, MA

SOUNDEX: B230

Records checked:

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

AND

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

If Negative:

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

If Negative:

CMRS:	Area:	positive	negative
ARCIS:	Area:	positive	negative

Notes: _____

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NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT MAR 25 1918 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., March 22, 1918
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment-

Name, Roland F. Bassett- Hydrog. Engr. Cons. Engr. Mar. Engr. Personnel Accounts. Contracts Chf. Clk. Dep. Commr, Commr. Legal residence, Massachusetts-

Position, Second Assistant Keeper-

Location, Minots Ledge Light Station and Cohasset Harbor Lights, Mass.

Salary, $552 per annum-

Appropriation, Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses, 1918-

Effective March 21, 1918- } the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~or as soon thereafter as practicable~~

Former position, --

Former salary, --

Location, --

Rank on eligible list, 5 Rating, Assistant Light-house Keeper- Percentage, 83.6, Other eligibles considered:

Winfield S. Thompson, D- Carl A. Dow, C- John F. Sweeney, C- Frank H. Parsons, D- Mr. Parsons' name has been restored to register at his request-

Previous incumbent, Manuel Rezendes- Services terminated, March 16, 1918-

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Reason, Resignation-

Members of family in Government Service, None-

Remarks: Quarters are provided for the families of Keepers at this station. Mr. Bassett has had no previous Government service. Owing to distance, he was not required to appear at the office. The appointee was placed on duty prior to nomination because of the resignation of his predecessor, Manuel Rezendes, without notice, which created an emergency involving the protection of life and property.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, March 23, 1918

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

B. L. Jackman
Secretary, First Civil Service District

Yeager
Chief Clerk.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAR 25 1918

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner

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

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CERTIFICATE OF PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

LIGHT
MAR 27 1918
HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 26, 1918.

Mr. Roland F. Bassett,

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, Second Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Five Hundred and Fifty-two dollars per annum, effective on the date on which you entered upon duty in the above-mentioned position.

By selection from certificate of eligibles (No. - - -) issued by the local Civil Service Board for the Second Lighthouse District.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Manuel Rezendes.

Legal Residence: Massachusetts.

(See reverse side.)

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