REFERENCE SERVICE SLIP
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Date: 10/14/2024

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
Mott, Elno, C.		1890 RI

MILITARY SERVICE

Branch of Service:

- ☐ Air Force
- ☐ Army Air Corps
- ☐ Army Air Force
- ☐ Army
- ☐ Marine Corps
- ☐ Navy
- ☐ Coast Guard
- ☐ Unknown

Type of Rank:

- ☐ Enlisted
- ☐ Officer
- ☐ Unknown

Service Period (Check all that apply):

- ☐ 1939 & Prior
- ☐ 1940 - 1950
- ☐ 1950 & After

Date & Place of Death: 1871 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: 1914	To: 1927	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	

Other Identifying Information (Maiden Name, Job Title, etc.)

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STAFF USE ONLY

Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number: 2-301908969 21

CMRS Search Request Number(s):

Attendant Signature:

Remarks:

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SCREENING NOTES

- ☐ Reviewed and Nothing Removed
- ☒ Items Removed and User Informed — Artifact

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

Employee Name: MOTT, ELMO C. **DOB:** 1/13/1890 RJ

Records checked:

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

AND

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

If Negative:

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

If Negative:

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

Notes: 14.27 MA

Mott, E. C.



Weight &c &c.

Aug. 28/08 Elno C. Mott

Weight 172 3/4 lbs.

Hight, 6 ft

U.S. Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau
Received and acknowledged
SEP 4 1908
CHIEF CLERK'S OFFICE

Mott, Elno C. *

Telegraphy (Speed, sending and receiving; extent of actual practise): Send 20 words per minute, receive ten per minute. one hour per day.

Printing (If a journeyman, so state; if not, give amount of knowledge and practical experience): None

Stenography (Speed and amount of practical experience): None

Typewriting: Good

Drafting (Extent of knowledge and amount of practical work): Taken at college one year.

Miscellaneous (Other *practical* knowledge likely to be useful in the work of the Weather Bureau: electrical engineering, mechanical engineering, modern foreign languages, photography, etc.): Taken at college one year. Mechanical engineering.

(Date) April 6, 1911

(Name) Elno C. Mott

*Leave blank.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended† November 30, 1907.

Mr. Elno C.Mott
(Name in full.)

**Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective §* November 1,1907.

Present grade, temporary Messenger Boy *at* $360 *per annum.*

**Appointment to present grade became effective* November 1,1907.

Date of arrival at this station, November 1,1907.

**Married or single,* single.

**Dependents (number and relationship),* none.

**Special qualifications (irrespective of fitness for duties comprehended by appointment in this Bureau),* none.

**Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death,* ** John A.Mott,father, Block Island,R.I.

**Owns home,* ‡ no *; encumbered,* ‡ -- *; location,* ‖ --

Mott, E.C.

GENERAL REMARKS:

(The official in charge will freely express his opinion as to every quality or condition relating to the employee that affects the latter's personal or official character or standing.)

Habits: Good.
General health: Excellent.
Physical defects: None.
Live within means: Yes.
Standing in community: Excellent.
General ability and efficiency: Fair.

Respectfully submitted, W. L. Day
In charge.

Station, Block Island,R.I.

Date, December 1, 1907.

† Write "May 31," or "November 30," as the case may be. * This data should be verified by consultation with the employee reported upon.
§ In case of assistant observers and higher officials who had previous service below the grade of assistant observer, the date of entry as observer (or assistant observer) will be given, and immediately following in brackets in red ink will be entered the grade and duration (dates) of the previous service.
** If this person is the employee's wife, her given name is desired.
‡ Enter "Yes," or "No," as the case may be. ‖ Enter name of town and state.

Seen by Asst. Chief.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended† May 31,1908., 190

Mr. Elno C.Mott
(Name in full.)

**Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective §* November 1,1907.

Present grade, Messenger Boy *at $* 360 *per annum.*

**Appointment to present grade became effective* January 16,1908.

Date of arrival at this station, November 1,1907.

**Married or single (widow or widower),* single.

**Dependents (number and relationship),* none.

**Special qualifications (irrespective of fitness for duties comprehended by appointment in this Bureau),* none.

**Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death,* ** John A.Mott,father, Block Island,R.I.

**Owns home,* ‡ no; *encumbered,* ‡ --, *location,* ‖ --

Mott, E. C.

GENERAL REMARKS:

(The official in charge will freely express his opinion as to every quality or condition relating to the employee that affects the latter's personal or official character or standing. See Amendment No. 85, S. R.)

Habits: Good.
General health: Excellent.
Physical defects: None.
Lives within means: Yes.
Standing in community: Good.
General ability and efficiency: Fair.

Respectfully submitted, W.L.Day
In charge.

Station, Block Island,R.I.

Date, June 1,1908., *190*

† Write "May 31," or "November 30," as the case may be. *This data should be verified by consultation with the employee reported upon.
§ In case of assistant observers and higher officials who had previous service below the grade of assistant observer, the date of entry as observer (or assistant observer) will be given, and immediately following in brackets in red ink will be entered the grade and duration (dates) of the previous service.
** If this person is the employee's wife, her given name is desired.
‡ Enter "Yes," or "No," as the case may be. ‖ Enter name of town and state.

Seen by Asst. Chief.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended† November 30,1908.190

Mr. Elno C. Mott.
(Name in full.)

**Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective §* November 1,1907.

Present grade, Messenger Boy. *at $* 360.00 *per annum.*

**Appointment to present grade became effective* ~~January~~ February 16,1908.

Date of arrival at this station, November 1,1907.

**Married or single (widow or widower),* Single.

**Dependents (number and relationship),* None.

**Special qualifications (irrespective of fitness for duties comprehended by appointment in this Bureau),* None.

**Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death,* ** John A. Mott, father, Block Island, R. I.

**Owns home,* ‡ No ; *encumbered,* ‡ - ; *location,* ‖ -

Mott, E. C.

GENERAL REMARKS:

(The official in charge will freely express his opinion as to every quality or condition relating to the employee that affects the latter's personal or official character or standing. See Amendment No. 85, S. R.)

Habits: Good.
General health: Excellent.
Physical defects: None.
Lives within means: Yes.
Standing in community: Good.
General ability and efficiency: Mr. Mott is faithful, industrious and willing. I would recommend that he be promoted to the next higher grade after the expiration of one year service from January 16,1908.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. W. Eddy
In charge.

Station, Block Island, R. I.

Date, November 30,1908., *190*

† Write "May 31," or "November 30," as the case may be. *This data should be verified by consultation with the employee reported upon.
§ In case of assistant observers and higher officials who had previous service below the grade of assistant observer, the date of entry as observer (or assistant observer) will be given, and immediately following in brackets in red ink will be entered the grade and duration (dates) of the previous service.
** If this person is the employee's wife, her given name is desired.
‡ Enter "Yes," or "No," as the case may be. ‖ Enter name of town and state.

Noted. W. Lee

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the ~~six~~ four months ended† March 31,1909, 19

Mr. Elno C. Mott.
(Name in full.)

*Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective §
November 1,1907.

Present grade, Messenger at $ 480.00 per annum.

*Appointment to present grade became effective February 1,1909

Date of arrival at this station, November 1,907.

*Married or single (widow or widower), single.

*Dependents (number and relationship), none.

*Special qualifications, none.

*Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death, ** John A. Mott, father,
Block Island, R. I.

*Owns home, ‡ no; encumbered, ‡ -; location, -
(Town and State.)

Mott, G. L.

GENERAL REMARKS:

(The official in charge will *freely express* his opinion as to every quality or condition relating to the employee that affects the latter's personal or official character or standing. General health, standing in community, general ability and efficiency, quality and quantity of work, attendance, and deportment, will be rated as excellent, good, fair, or poor, with such additional remarks as will enable the Chief of Bureau to properly grade the employee.)

Physical defects: None.
General health: Good.
Lives within means: Yes.
Standing in community Good.
General ability and efficiency: Good.

Quality of work (accuracy, reliability, appearance, etc.): Fair.

Quantity of work (industry, speed, application, etc.): Excellent.

Attendance (punctuality, habitually at work, etc.): Excellent.

Deportment (habits, demeanor, courtesy, etc.): Fair;smokes too much,and besides he is in a tired condition when he reports for duty owing to the fact that he is required to work on his fathers farm during the early morning hours.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. W. Eddy
In charge.

Seen by Asst. Chief.

Station, Block Island, R. I.

Date, March 31,1909., *19*

†Write "March 31," or "September 30," as the case may be. *This data should be verified by consultation with the employee reported upon.
§In case of assistant observers and higher officials who had previous service below the grade of assistant observer, the date of entry as observer (or assistant observer) will be given, and immediately following in brackets in red ink will be entered the grade and duration (dates) of the previous service.
** If this person is the employee's wife, her given name is desired. ‡Enter "Yes," or "No," as the case may be.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended September 30, 1908.

(March 31 or September 30.)

Mr. Elno C. Mott

(Name in full.)

**Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective§* November 1, 1907.

Present grade, Messenger Boy *at $* 480.00 *per annum.*

**Appointment to present grade became effective* February 1, 1908.

Date of arrival at this station, November 1, 1907.

**Married, single, widow, widower, or divorced,* Single.

**Dependents (number and relationship),* none.

**Special qualifications,* none.

**Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death,* John A. Mott, father,

(If employee's wife, her given name is desired.)

Block Island, R.I.

**Owns home,* No (Yes or no.); *encumbered,* -- (Yes or no.); *location,* -- (Town and State.)

GENERAL REMARKS:

Physical defects: None.
General health: Good.
Lives within means: Yes.
Standing in community: Good.
General ability and efficiency: Fair.

Quality of work (accuracy, reliability, appearance, etc.): Fair; he needs watching; at times he gets careless. His mind is on boats instead of his work.

Quantity of work (industry, speed, application, etc.): Very good, but he has to be told often.

Attendance (punctuality, habitually at work, etc.): Good.

Deportment (habits, demeanor, courtesy, etc.): Fair; smokes too much. He is compelled to work on his fathers farm during the early morning hours and by the time he reports to duty he is partly worn out.

Noted. W. Lee

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. W. Edney

In charge.

Station, Block Island, R. I.

Date, OCT 1 1909, *19*

Mott, Elno C.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended March 31, 1910. (March 31 or September 30.), 19

Mr. Elno C. Mott
(Name in full.)

**Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective§* November 1, 1907.

Present grade, Messenger Boy *at $* 480.00 *per annum.*

**Appointment to present grade became effective* February 1, 1908.

Date of arrival at this station, November 1, 1907.

**Married, single, widow, widower, or divorced,* Single

**Dependents (number and relationship),* None.

**Special qualifications,* None.

**Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death,* Mr. John A. Mott, father,
(If employee's wife, her given name is desired.)
Block Island, R. I.

**Owns home,* No (Yes or no.); *encumbered,* - (Yes or no.); *location,* - (Town and State.)

GENERAL REMARKS:

Physical defects: None.

General health: Good.

Lives within means: Yes.

Standing in community: Very good.

General ability and efficiency: Good.

Quality of work (accuracy, reliability, appearance, etc.): Good.

Quantity of work (industry, speed, application, etc.): Very good.

Attendance (punctuality, habitually at work, etc.): Very good.

Deportment (habits, demeanor, courtesy, etc.): Fair.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. W. Eddy
In charge.

Station, Block Island, R. I.

Date, April 14, 1910., *19*

Seen by Asst. Chief.

Mott, E. C.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended September 30, 1910.
(March 31 or September 30.)

Mr. Elno C. Mott.
(Name in full.)

*Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective§ November 1, 1907.

Present grade, Messenger Boy. at $ 480.00 per annum.

*Appointment to present grade became effective February 1, ~~1908~~ 1909.

Date of arrival at this station, November 1, 1907.

*Married, single, widow, widower, or divorced, single.

*Dependents (number and relationship), none

*Special qualifications, none

*Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death, John A. Mott, father,
(If employee's wife, her given name is desired.)
Block Island, R. I.

*Owns home, no (Yes or no.); encumbered, - (Yes or no.); location, - (Town and State.)

GENERAL REMARKS:

Physical defects: none
General health: good
Lives within means: yes
Standing in community: good
General ability and efficiency: fair

Quality of work (accuracy, reliability, appearance, etc.): fair

Quantity of work (industry, speed, application, etc.): fair

Attendance (punctuality, habitually at work, etc.): good

Deportment (habits, demeanor, courtesy, etc.): fair

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. W. Eddy
In charge.

Station, Block Island, R. I.

Noted C.W.S. 1/26

Date, OCT 11 1910, 19

Mott-Elno.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended March 31,1911., 191

(March 31 or September 30.)

Mr. Elno C. Mott

(Name in full.)

**Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective* §

November 1,1907.

Present grade, Messenger Boy *at $* 480.00 *per annum.*

**Appointment to present grade became effective* February 1,1909.

Date of arrival at this station, November 1,1907.

**Married, single, widow, widower, or divorced,* single.

**Dependents (number and relationship),* none

**Special qualifications,* none

**Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death,* John A. Mott,father,

(If employee's wife, her given name is desired.)

Block Island, R.I.

**Owns home,* no (Yes or no.); *encumbered,* - (Yes or no.); *location,* - (Town and State.)

GENERAL REMARKS:

Physical defects: None

General health: Good.

Lives within means: Yes.

Standing in community: Very good.

General ability and efficiency: Very good.

Quality of work (accuracy, reliability, appearance, etc.): Very good.

Quantity of work (industry, speed, application, etc.): Good.

Attendance (punctuality, habitually at work, etc.): Very good.

Deportment (habits, demeanor, courtesy, etc.): Fair. Keeps late hours;his mind is on local societies(lodges) and boats. He is required to work on his fathers farm during the early morning hours. He is willing, but has to be told what I want him to do.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. W. Eddy

In charge.

Station, Block Island, R.I.

Date, March 31,1911., *191*

Mott, E. C.

Unsatisfactory
Services.

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended September 30, 1911, 191
(March 31 or September 30.)

Mr. Elno C. Mott

*Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective §

Present grade, Messenger Boy, at $ 480.00 per annum.

*Appointment to present grade became effective February 1, 1909.

Date of birth, [illegible] single

Exact number and relationship of persons dependent upon you for support, in case of [illegible] John A. Mott, father,

Station, Block Island, R.I. October 12, 1911.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

Messenger Boy, Weather Bureau,

Block Island, R. I. (Through Official in Charge).

Sir:

Referring to the following extract from the last semi-annual confidential report on your services by the official in charge of your station, namely,

"General ability and efficiency: Fair.

"Quality of work (accuracy, reliability, appearance, etc.): Fair.

"Quantity of work (industry, speed, application, etc.): Fair; not much interest in his work; his mind is on boats. Has to be told to do large part of his work.

"Attendance (punctuality, habitually at work, etc.): Good.

"Department (habits, demeanor, courtesy, etc.): Fair; out late nights; smokes too much."—

The Chief of Bureau instructs me to inform you that you will have to show a marked improvement in the character of your services within the next three months, if you expect to remain in the Weather Bureau.

Please acknowledge the receipt of this letter, with such remarks as you may wish to make.

Respectfully,

(Signed) H. C. Williams.

Assistant Chief of Bureau.

Noted on "Card." See 6672, 1911. 10/31/11. m.

Mott, E.C.

Confidential Report for the six months ended September 30, 1911, 191
(March 31 or September 30.)

Mr. Elno C. Mott
(Name in full.)

**Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective* §
November 1,1907.

Present grade, Messenger Boy *at $* 480.00 *per annum.*

**Appointment to present grade became effective* February 1,1909.

Date of arrival at this station, November 1,1907.

**Married, single, widow, widower, or divorced,* single

**Dependents (number and relationship),* none

**Special qualifications,* none

**Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death,* John A. Mott,father,
(If employee's wife, her given name is desired.)
Block Island, R. I.

**Owns home,* no (Yes or no.); *encumbered,* - (Yes or no.); *location,* - (Town and State.)

GENERAL REMARKS:

Physical defects: None
General health: Very good
Lives within means: Yes
Standing in community: Very good
General ability and efficiency: Fair

Quality of work (accuracy, reliability, appearance, etc.): Fair.

Quantity of work (industry, speed, application, etc.): Fair; not much interest in his work;his mind is on boats . Has to be told to do large part of his work.

Attendance (punctuality, habitually at work, etc.): Good

Deportment (habits, demeanor, courtesy, etc.): Fair; out late nights; smokes too much.

Seen by Asst. Chief.

Mott, E. C.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo W. Eadey
In charge.

Station Block Island,R.I.

Date, October 1,1911, *191*

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended March 31,1912., 191

(March 31 or September 30.)

Mr. Elno C. Mott

(Name in full.)

**Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective* § November 1,1907

Present grade, Messenger Boy *at $* 480.00 *per annum.*

**Appointment to present grade became effective* February 1,1909

Date of arrival at this station, November 1,1907.

**Married, single, widow, widower, or divorced,* single.

**Dependents (number and relationship),* none.

**Special qualifications,* none

**Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death,* John A. Mott, father,

(If employee's wife, her given name is desired.)

Block Island, R. I.

**Owns home,* no (Yes or no.); *encumbered,* -- (Yes or no.); *location,* -- (Town and State.)

GENERAL REMARKS:

Physical defects: None

General health: Excellent.

Lives within means: Yes.

Standing in community: Very good.

General ability and efficiency: Very good.

Quality of work (accuracy, reliability, appearance, etc.): Very good.

Quantity of work (industry, speed, application, etc.): Very good.

Attendance (punctuality, habitually at work, etc.): Very good.

Deportment (habits, demeanor, courtesy, etc.): Good

Noted H.C.C.

Mr. Mott has taken 4 observations during the six months without errors.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo W. Zordy

In charge.

Station, Block Island,R.I.

Date, April 1,1912. *191*

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended September 30,1912, 191
(March 31 or September 30.)

Mr. Elno C. Mott
(Name in full.)

**Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective* §

November 1,1907.

Present grade, Messenger Boy *at $* 480.00 *per annum.*

**Appointment to present grade became effective* February 1,1909.

Date of arrival at this station, November 1,1907.

**Married, single, widow, widower, or divorced,* single

**Dependents (number and relationship),* none

**Special qualifications,* none

**Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death,* John A.Mott,father,
(If employee's wife, her given name is desired.)

Block Island, R. I.

**Owns home,* no (Yes or no.); *encumbered,* - (Yes or no.); *location,* - (Town and State.)

Mott, E.C.

GENERAL REMARKS:

Physical defects: None

General health: Very good

Lives within means: Yes

Standing in community: Good

General ability and efficiency: Good

Quality of work (accuracy, reliability, appearance, etc.): Very good

Quantity of work (industry, speed, application, etc.): Very good

Attendance (punctuality, habitually at work, etc.): Good

Deportment (habits, demeanor, courtesy, etc.): Good

Mr. Mott took 12 observations during the past six months without errors.

Noted E.C.M.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. W. Eddy
In charge.

Station, Block Island,R.I.

Date, Oct.1,1912. *191*

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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

Confidential Report for the six months ended March 31,1913., 191
(March 31 or September 30.)

Mr. Elno C. Mott
(Name in full.)

**Original appointment in Weather Bureau (or Signal Service) became effective* §
November 1,1907.

Present grade, Messenger Boy *at $* 480.00 *per annum.*

**Appointment to present grade became effective* February 1,1909.

Date of arrival at this station, November 1,1907.

**Married, single, widow, widower, or divorced,* Single

**Dependents (number and relationship),* None.

**Special qualifications,* None

**Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of the person to be informed in case of employee's serious illness or death,* John A. Mott, father,
(If employee's wife, her given name is desired.)
Block Island, R. I.

**Owns home,* No (Yes or no.); *encumbered,* - (Yes or no.); *location,* - (Town and State.)

GENERAL REMARKS:

Physical defects: None
General health: Very good
Lives within means: Yes
Standing in community: Good
General ability and efficiency: Good

Quality of work (accuracy, reliability, appearance, etc.): Very good

Quantity of work (industry, speed, application, etc.): Very good

Attendance (punctuality, habitually at work, etc.): Very good

Deportment (habits, demeanor, courtesy, etc.): Fair.

Mr. Mott has taken four observations during the past 6 months without errors.

Respectfully submitted,

Geo. W. Goldey
In charge.

Station, Block Island,R.I.

Date, March 31,1913. *191*

Mott, E.C.

(Station.)

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU.

EFFICIENCY REPORT.

In accordance with departmental regulations a Bureau Committee on Efficiency has been appointed to classify the employees below the grade of Local Forecaster, in the order of their relative qualifications and efficiency of service rendered. The purpose is to establish a register of eligibles and to make promotions entirely in accordance with the relative merits of the employees.

For the guidance of the Committee on Efficiency in preparing the semi-annual Efficiency Register, the following questions will be answered as fully and completely as possible for each employee under your supervision below the grade of Local Forecaster, and the forms returned to the Chief Clerk of the Bureau.

Chief Clerk-Executive Asst.

Name: Elno C. Mott Station: Block Island, R.I. Position: Messenger Boy

Salary: ~~$400.00~~ $480 Date of last promotion: Feb. 1, 1909 3/00 Length of service in Department: 6 years

1. What is the **nature of the duties** upon which this employee is engaged? (State in detail.) Deliver forecasts and storm warning messages & keep the office clean and make himself general useful.

2. What is the **quality** of the service rendered by this employee—**excellent, good, fair, or poor?** fair

(Mention any element in which the employee is deficient—accuracy, neatness, etc.)

3. Is the **quantity** of efficient work performed by this employee **large, average, or small?** average

4. What is the **capacity** of this employee **for work** requiring **initiative—excellent, good, fair, or poor?** fair

5. Is the employee **adaptive**—i. e., can you assign him to work not exactly in his line? yes

6. Is the employee **continuously occupied** with government business during official hours? yes

7. Does the employee accept and **carry out all directions cheerfully?** yes

8. Is the employee **punctual** in arriving at and assuming his work—**habitually, fairly so, or otherwise?** Yes, he is punctual

9. Rate **attendance**, considering the habits of the employee with reference to absence from duty, by permission or otherwise, sick leave, etc.—**excellent, good, fair, or poor?** fair

10. Is the employee **averse to working after office hours** when circumstances require such extra service? yes

11. Is the employee thoroughly **conscientious and loyal** in the performance of his duties? yes

12. Has the employee any **objectionable habits** which evidence themselves in the course of his official duties or which are likely to affect his reliability or efficiency? yes

13. What is the physical condition of the employee—**excellent, good, fair, or poor?** good

14. Without going into details, what is your **general estimate** of this employee? Should he be ranked as **excellent, good, fair, or poor?** Fair

15. In your opinion, could or **should the employee improve** his efficiency in any particular feature of his work? Yes, he should give more time to study

(If so, please explain fully.)

16. Do you believe that the employee might be more advantageously **placed elsewhere** in the Bureau than in your branch? Yes., in some large city.

17. Do you consider this employee **deserving of promotion—immediately, possibly at a later date, or not from present indications?** not from present indications

18. In your judgment, **what are the services** of this employee **worth** as compared with other employees of the Bureau performing like service who have come under your observation? ~~$480.~~ ~~$400.~~ per annum

19. Has employee any **aptitude or training for scientific or technical work**; if so, state briefly No.

20. Please furnish the Committee with any **information not brought out by the preceding questions** which may be of aid to it in intelligently passing upon the qualifications of this employee.

(Signature of officer making report:) Geo. W. Eddy

SEP -- 1913

Mott Elno C

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU.

W. B.

To be filled out by Mr. Elno C. Mott, in his own handwriting, and immediately returned, through the official in charge, without letter of transmittal, to the Central Office in an envelope marked "Chief Clerk."

(1) Name (in full): Elno C Mott
(If a woman, write Mrs. or Miss.)

(2) Birthplace: Block Island, R. I.

(3) Date of birth: January 13th 1890.

(4) Age to years and twelfths (January 1, 1907): 17 5/12 Yrs ~~no. Mos~~

(5) Legal residence, present date: (State) Rhode Island.

(6) Married or single (widow or widower), present date: Single

(7) Dependents (number and relationship), present date: None

(8) Son, daughter, or widow of U. S. soldier or sailor (*) of the war of the Rebellion: No.; of the Spanish-American war: No.

(9) Government service, military or civil, before present appointment in the Weather Bureau (full dates): None.
~~October 10, 1907 to November 1, 1907~~

(10) White or colored: White

(11) Special qualifications: Electrical engineering, † No Mechanical engineering, † No Stenography, † no Telegraphy, † No Printing, † No Foreign languages, † No. Name any other special qualifications not comprehended by present appointment None

(12) Full name, relationship, and telegraphic address of next of kin or legal heir: ‡ Mr. John A Mott, Father
Block Island, R. I.

* Underscore "soldier" or "sailor" as the case may be. † Answer "Yes" or "No". ‡ If this person is the employee's wife, her given name is desired.

[OVER.]

Noted on "Card," Nov. 14/07. M.

[OVER.]

EDUCATIONAL TRAINING:

Grade of—	INSTITUTION. Name (in full).	Location (City and State).	* Length of instruction.	† Graduated.	Degree received.
1. Common School.. (Public or ~~private.~~)	Centre School	Block Island, R.I.	6 yrs.	No	None
2. High School	Island High School	Block Island, R.I.	4 years	Yes	None
3. Business College.	None	None	None	No	None
4. Academy	None	None	None	No	None
5. College.....	Rhode Island College	Kingston, R.I.	11 Mo.	No	None
6. University	None	None	None	No	None

*In years and months. †Answer "Yes" or "No". All blanks must be filled, the word "None" being written where proper.

Elmo C. Matt
(Signature as usually written.)

Weather Bureau, Block Island, R.I.
(Station.)

Nov. 8th 1907
(Date.)

[Space below this line to be left blank.]

Matt, Elmo C.

Local influences, such as mountains, and direction of the winds with regard to the neighboring dries or moister regions, and other causes, affect the relative humidity of a place.

The annual march of the relative humidity of a few stations is shown in percentage by the following average monthly relative humidities.

	J.	F.	M.	A.	M.	J.	J.	A.	S.	O.	N.	D.	Year.
Key West, Fla.	80	77	70	69	71	71	70	72	75	76	78	79	74
St. Paul, Minn.	72	71	69	60	60	68	70	72	71	69	72	74	69
Salt Lake City, Utah	60	57	58	45	40	32	30	31	31	42	52	60	45

Fair
U. S. DEPT. OF AGR.,
WEATHER BUREAU, WASH., D. C.
Recd M. AUG 6 1908
Told to continue practice. 8/11/08.

〈Messenger Boy, Block Island〉
Elno C. Mott, Aug. 5, 1908

APPOINTMENT. S. 759 L. 9

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
OFFICE OF THE APPOINTMENT CLERK,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Recd PM JUN 17 1913
U.S. DEPT. OF AGR. WEATHER BUREAU WASH. D.C.

June 16, 1913.

Mr. Hino C. Mott,
Weather Bureau. (Block Island)

Sir:

You are hereby notified that you have been appointed to the position of **Messenger Boy,** - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - on the **miscellaneous** roll of the **WEATHER BUREAU,** - - - - - - - - - - at a salary of $ **480** per **annum** , to take effect on **July 1, 1913.**

By TRANSFER from the statutory roll, without change in designation or salary.

FILE
JUN 19 1913

By direction of the Secretary of Agriculture,

Respectfully,

R W Roberts

Appointment Clerk.

8—2216

Legal residence:

Respectfully forwarded,

Sgd. Edward C. Easton
Acting Chief Clerk - Executive Asst.
Weather Bureau.

JUN 17 1913

Asst. Chief of Bureau.

C. C. O. K. 6-17-13 Bo 6-18-13

Noted on "Card." My 6/19/13

MAILED P. M. JUN 17 1913

DUPLICATE.

U. S. Department of Agriculture,

Central Office, Weather Bureau.

OFFICE OF CHIEF CLERK AND EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT.

(Date) June 14, 1913.

C. C. O.

Mr. Easton E 6-16-13
Mr. Cooper Lee 6-16-13
Mr. Tingley T 6-16-13
Mr. Kincer K 6-16-13
Mr. Marean
Mr. Rohrer R 6-16-13
Mr. Merrill Me 6/16/13
Mr. Weber W 6-16-13.
File Room

Please note the following change:

Name Elno C. Mott

Action Transferred from Staty. to Station Roll on July 1, 1913; ~~granted leave without pay, July~~ 1 to Sept. 30, 1913, incl.

To (Title) Messenger Boy

\- - - Roll.

Salary, $480 per annum.

To take effect - - -

Station Block Island.

NOTE.—This paper must be promptly noted and forwarded to the next desk. The File Clerk will attach it to the retained copy of the appointment or other paper to which it refers.

Respectfully,

E L E

D J Connell

Actg, *Chief Clerk - Executive Asst.*

June 16, 1913.

U.S. DEPT. OF AGR.
WEATHER BUREAU, WASH, D.C.
Recd P M JUN 17 1913

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

Weather Bureau. (Block Island)

Sir:

You are hereby notified that you have been **granted leave without pay,** - from the position of **Messenger Boy,** - - - - -

at a salary of $ **480** per **annum** , on the **miscellaneous** roll of the **WEATHER BUREAU,** - - - - - - - - - - from the termination of **June 30, 1913,** - - to the termination of **September 30, 1913.**

FILE
JUN 19 1913

By direction of the Secretary of Agriculture:

Respectfully,

R W Roberts

Appointment Clerk.

Asst. Chief of Bureau.

C. C. O. 6-17-13
6-18-13

Noted on "Card." 6/19/13.

Respectfully forwarded,

Sgd. Edward C. Easton

Acting Chief Clerk - Executive Asst.
Weather Bureau.

JUN 17 1913

MAILED P. M. JUN 17 1913

DUPLICATE.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of Agriculture.

Sir:

I have the honor to recommend that Mr. Elno C. Mott, of Rhode Island, a Messenger Boy at $480 per annum, be transferred from the Statutory to the Station Roll on July 1, 1913, and granted leave of absence without pay from July 1 to September 30, 1913, inclusive.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

(Signed) W. E. Williams.

Acting Chief of Bureau.

COPY

JUN 14 1913

Sent to Department JUN 16 1913

Papers prepared.
Me. 6/14/13.

RECEIVED
JUN 14 1913
U.S. DEPT. OF AGR.
WASH. D.C.

Block Island, R.I.,

June 12, 1913

Acting Chief; U.S. Weather Bureau,

Washington, D.C. (Thru Official in Charge) EWZ

Sir:-

I respectfully request a furlough, without pay, from July 1st, 1913, to September 30th, 1913 inclusive.

Respectfully submitted

Elno C. Mott.
Messenger.

Acting Chief of Bureau. OK. Transfer to Detail from roll + furlough. usual action to effect leave, absent

Papers prepared.
Me. 6/14/13.

Acting Chief Clerk.

APPOINTMENT—OATH. S. 923 L. 6

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
OFFICE OF THE APPOINTMENT CLERK,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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U.S. DEPT. OF AGR. WEATHER BUREAU WASH. D.C. Recd PM SEP 23 1913

September 20, 1913.

Mr. Eino C. Mott,
Weather Bureau. (Block Island)

Sir:

You are hereby notified that you have been appointed to the position of Messenger Boy, - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - on the statutory - - - roll of the WEATHER BUREAU, - - - - - - - - - - - - at a salary of $ 480 per annum , to take effect on October 1, 1913. By TRANSFER from the miscellaneous roll, without change in designation or salary. Your leave without pay, dated June 16, 1913, has been terminated with the termination of September 30, 1913.

You are required to take the oath of office immediately, and return the same (through the Chief of Bureau) to the Appointment Clerk.

You will report for duty in writing to the Chief of the Weather Bureau.

By direction of the Secretary of Agriculture:

Respectfully,

Oath taken Oct. 1, '13 Sent to Accts. Div. Oct. 4, '13 E.

R W Roberts
Appointment Clerk.

MAILED P. M. SEP 23 1913

Legal residence: Rhode Island.

Respectfully forwarded,
(Signed) C. C. Clark
Chief Clerk - Executive Asst.
Weather Bureau.

SEP 23 1913

By
Asst. Chief of Bureau

C. C. O. 16 9-20-13
16 9-24-13

FILE
OCT 4 1913

Noted on "Card." Me. 9/25/13. J.

DUPLICATE

U. S. Department of Agriculture,

Central Office, Weather Bureau.

OFFICE OF CHIEF CLERK AND EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT.

(Date) Sept. 17, 1913.

C. C. O.
- Mr. Easton E.E. 9-18-13
- Mr. Cooper Coo 9-18-13
- Mr. Tingley J. 9-19-13
- Mr. Kincer K. 9-19-13
- Mr. Rohrer Roy 9-19-13
- Mr. Merrill
- Mr. Weber
- File Room

M.M. 9/19/13.

Please note the following change:

Name Elno C. Mott

Action Transfer from Station to Statutory Roll and restoration to duty from leave without pay

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xxDox (Title) Messenger Boy

- - - Roll.

Salary, $480 per annum.

To take effect October 1, 1913.

Station Block Island.

NOTE.—This paper must be promptly noted and forwarded to the next desk. The File Clerk will attach it to the retained copy of the appointment or other paper to which it refers.

Respectfully,

Chief Clerk - Executive Asst.

September 17, 1913.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of Agriculture.

Sir:

I have the honor to recommend that Mr. Elno C. Mott, of Rhode Island, a Messenger Boy at $480 per annum, now on leave of absence without pay, be transferred from the Station to the Statutory Roll of the Weather Bureau, and restored to duty, to take effect on October 1, 1913. Mr. Mott will be reassigned to the Block Island, R. I., station.

It is also recommended that the temporary appointment of Mr. Orlof N. Eddey as a Messenger Boy at $480 per annum, Statutory Roll, be terminated at the termination of September 30, 1913, because of the return to duty of Mr. Mott, whose place he has been temporarily filling.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

(Signed) C. F. Marvin

Chief of Bureau.

SEP 18 1913

Sent to Department----------

Chief U.S. Weather Bureau.
Washington, D.C.

U.S. DEPT. OF AGR
WEATHER BUREAU WASH. D.C.
Recd AM SEP 17 1913

Sir.

In reply to letter ~~dated~~
Sept. 9. 1913. In regard to my desire
to return to duty. I beg to
State I intend to return
to duty at 9 am. Oct. 1. 1913.

Respectfully
Elmo C. Mott.

Asst. Chief.

Chief Clerk. x Mr. E.

Papers prepared.
Me. 9/17/13.

LOCAL OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU

September 18, 1913.

Block Island, R. I.

September 20,1913.

Official in Charge,

Local Office, Weather Bureau,

Block Island, R. I.

Sir:

Please inform Mr. Elno C. Mott that, in accordance with his desire, expressed in his letter of the 13th instant, action is being taken to restore him to duty at Block Island on October 1, 1913.

The services of Mr. Orlof N. Eddey, temporary messenger boy, will be terminated at the termination of the 30th instant.

Mr. Mott should take the oath of office on October 1, 1913, unless otherwise advised.

Please acknowledge the receipt of this letter.

Respectfully,

(Signed) W. E. Williams.

Assistant Chief of Bureau.

COPY

Asst. Chief of Bureau. ✓

C. C. O.

Checked by Chief Clerk.

MAILED NOON SEP 18 1913

SEP 19 1913

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

LOCAL OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU

Block Island, R. I.

September 20,1913.

Chief U. S. Weather Bureau,

Washington, D. C.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated the 18th instant, relative to action being taken to restore Mr. Elno C. Mott to duty at Block Island,R.I. on October 1, 1913.

Very respectfully,

Geo. W. Eardley

Official in Charge.

LOCAL OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU

Block Island,R.I.,

October 1,1913.

Chief U.S.Weather Bureau,

Washington,D.C.

(Thru Official in Charge) G.W.E.

Sir;

In compliance with instructions contained in my appointment dated September 20,1913,I have the honor to report for duty at the Weather Bureau,at Block Island,R.I.

Very respectfully

Elmo C. Mott.

Messenger.

(1 inclosure)

Filed 10-4-'13

ACCEPTANCE OF RESIGNATION. S. 1137 L. 13

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,
OFFICE OF THE APPOINTMENT CLERK,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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U.S. DEPT. OF AGR. WEATHER BUREAU WASH. D.C. Recd P.M. MAR 18 1914

March 16, 1914.

Mr. Elno C. Nott,
Weather Bureau. (Block Island)

Sir:

You are hereby notified that your resignation from the position of Messenger Boy, - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - - at a salary of $ 480 per annum , on the statutory roll of the WEATHER BUREAU, - - - - - - - - - - - has been accepted to take effect at the termination of March 16, 1914.

By direction of the Secretary of Agriculture:

Respectfully,

R W Roberts

Appointment Clerk.

FILE MAR 23 1914

Asst. Chief of Bureau

C. C. O. J. 3-18-14

Noted on "Card." MAR 23 1914

Respectfully forwarded,
(Signed) C. C. Clark
Chief Clerk - Executive Asst.
Weather Bureau.
MAR 18 1914

DUPLICATE.

MAILED P. M. MAR 18 1914

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U. S. Department of Agriculture,

Central Office, Weather Bureau.

OFFICE OF CHIEF CLERK AND EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT.

(Date) Mch. 14, 1914.

C. C. O.
- Mr. Easton Emc. 3/14/14.
- Mr. Cooper Leo 3/16/14
- Mr. Tingley J. 3/16/14
- Mr. Weber Bw — 3-16-14.
- Mr. Rohrer Ro 3-16-14
- Mr. Merrill AMe 3/17/14
- Miss Diehl
- File Room

Please note the following change:

Name Elno C. Mott

Action Resigned

(Title) Messenger Boy

Statutory Roll.

Salary, $480 per annum.

To take effect Termn. Mch. 16, 1914.

Station Block Island.

NOTE.—This paper must be promptly noted and forwarded to the next desk. The File Clerk will attach it to the retained copy of the appointment or other paper to which it refers.

Respectfully,

Chief Clerk - Executive Asst.

The Honorable,

The Secretary of Agriculture.

Sir:

I have the honor to forward herewith the resignation of Mr. Elno C. Mott, of Rhode Island, as a Messenger Boy at $480 per annum, Statutory Roll, with the recommendation that it be accepted, to take effect at the termination of March 16, 1914.

To fill the vacancy, the promotion of Mr. James T. McDowell, of Nebraska, from Messenger Boy at $360 to Messenger Boy at $480 per annum, Statutory Roll, to take effect March 17, 1914, is recommended. Mr. McDowell, who is stationed at Omaha, Nebraska, has been in the Bureau since July 1, 1913, and is the ranking employee in his grade. This will be his first promotion.

Very respectfully,

(Signed) C. F. Marvin

Chief of Bureau.

(Inclosure)

Sent to Department Mch. 14/14 Me.

Address correspondence to
Official in Charge
Local Office, Weather Bureau

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

LOCAL OFFICE OF THE WEATHER BUREAU

U.S. DEPT. OF AGR.
WEATHER BUREAU WASH. D.C.
Recd A M MAR 13 1914

Block Island, R.I.

March 11, 1914.

To the Honorable

The Secretary of Agriculture.

(Through Chief of Weather Bureau.)

Sir: I hereby tender my resignation of the position of Messenger, at a salary of $ 480.00 per annum in the Weather Bureau in the Department of Agriculture, to take effect at the termination of the 16th day of March, 1914.

Respectfully

Elno C. Mott

Accepted;

Secretary of Agriculture.

Duplicate

~~UNCLASSIFIED.~~
CLASSIFIED.

Name (in full) Mott, Elno C. *Card No.* 1

Birthplace: Block Island, R. I. *Date of birth:* January 13, 1890. *(Age Jan'y. 1,* 1907 *:* 17 0/12 *yrs.) Son, daughter, widow of U. S. soldier or sailor,* { *War of Rebellion* No. / *Spanish-American War* No. } *Government service before appointment in Weather Bureau:* None.

White or colored: White.

[For "education," "married or single," "dependents," and "special qualifications," see Educational and Confidential reports.]

Appointed. Promoted. Reduced.					Absence, beginning 1890.						Duty.			
To take effect.	Position.	Salary.	State.	Remarks.	Year.	Leave. Pay.	Leave. No pay.	Sick. Pay.	Sick. No pay.	Total.	Station.	From—	To—	Nature.
Nov. 1, 1907	Msg. Boy (temporarily)	$360	R. I.	To continue until relieved by a classified employee. Affirmed Cert. dated Sept. 28, 1907. Elno M. Mott Misc. Roll.	1907		2			2	Block Island	Oct. 19, 1907	Mch. 16, 1914	Msg. Boy
					1908	8				8				
				Temp. apptmt. terminated Jany. 31, 1908	1909	15				15				
Feb. 1, 1908	Msgr. Boy	$360	R. I.	CERTIFIED BY CIV. SERV. COM. MIS. ROLL	1910	15				15				
Feby. 1, 1909	" "	$1180.	"		1911	15				15				
Jul. 1, 11	" "	"	"	Statutory Roll.	1912	13½				13½				
Jul. 1, 13	" "	"	"	Miscellaneous roll.	Granted leave without pay, July 1, 1913, - Sept. 30, 1913.									
Oct. 1, 13	" "	"	"	Statutory roll.	1913	4½	92			96½				
					1914	2				2				

File
Mar. 18/14
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* Absent sick, but charged to annual leave.

X ASSIGNED Oct. 19, 1907. REPORTED Nov. 1, 1907.

[OVER.]

Name Mott, Elno C. Card No. 1 Continued.

Inspected.

Date.	Inspector.	General grading.
June 5, 1908	H.B. Hersey	Fair
Oct. 10-11, 10	N.B. Conger	Good.
Aug. 25-26, 13	H.C. Frankenfield.	Good.

Commendation.

Date.	Cause.	Reference.

Censure.

Date.	Cause.	Reference.	
Oct. 12, 11	----------	----------	A

General remarks.

☞ Prior to October 18, 1895, all failures to take observations on schedule time were noted on the record; from October 18, 1895, to June 15, 1905, notes were made only for two or more failures within 12 months; since June 15, 1905, notes have been made only for three or more failures within 6 months.

Probationary reports all satisfactory. See 1162/08.

A. Informed that Ofl. in Chg. (G.W. Eddey) reports his services and conduct unsatisfactory, and that he must make marked improvement if he expects to remain in the Bureau. See Semian. Conf. Rept. Sept. 30, 6672, and L.S. Oct. 12, 1911.

SERVICES TERMINATED March 16, 1914 (L. R., ____.) Cause: His resignation. Record "Good."

[OVER.]

Boston Mass
Sept. 12. 1914

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LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR
SEP 14 1914
RECEIVED
TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

Lighthouse Inspector.
Tompkinsville. N. Y.

Sir. my adress is changed from Block Island. R.I., to Deer Island Light Station, Boston. Mass. but I would like to be considered after Jan 1. 1915 for a position as Keeper or asst. on any 4th, 5th or 6th order light. with or without quarters. from Point Judith to Prov. R.I. including Mount Hope bay.

respectfully

E. C. Mott

Mott. E.C.

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FWO/WJL

September 16,1914.

E.C.Mott,
Deer Island Light Station,
Through Inspector,2nd District,
Boston, Mass.

Referring to your letter of September 12th stating that you would like to be considered after January 1st 1915 for a position in this District, you are informed that your name is no longer on the eligible list of this District for lighthouse keeper or assistant keeper, your eligibility having expired sometime ago. If your letter is intended as a request for transfer to this District, the stations to which you desire transfer aswell as the positions should be specifically stated and your request for transfer forwarded through official channels.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector.

Haskell

Superintendent

Mott, Elno C.

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JHG

April 16,1915

Elno C. Mott, Assistant Keeper,

Deer Island Lt.Sta.,Mass.

(Through Inspector, 2nd District)

In reply to your letter of April 12,1915, you are informed that the position of Keeper of Dutch Island Light Station has been filled by the transfer of another keeper in this District.

Your name will be given consideration for transfer whenever there are any vacancies at the stations mentioned in list previously filed in this office by you.

Inspector

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
2d DIST.
APR 14 1915
RECEIVED
BOSTON, MASS.

Drop 27
C C

acknowledged
filed 4/14
Number 4 [illegible]

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SECOND DISTRICT

Deer Island.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

April 12, 1915

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
2d DIST.
APR 16
RECEIVED
ITHACA, N.Y.

Lighthouse Inspector:-

Tompkinsville. N. Y.

Thru Inspector, Second District,

Boston. Mass.

Sir:- I have been informed that there is to be a vacancy in the near future at Dutch Island Light Station. In the event of no one else being appointed, I would like to be considered for the position. and if that is not available for me. ~~I~~ would like to be considered for the position of Keeper or Asst. on some other of the lights as per my list.

Respectfully.

Boston, Mass., April 14, 1915- E. C. Mott.

Forwarded-

Inspector, 2d District.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR 2d DIST. JUN 15 1915

SECOND DISTRICT

Dew Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 15 1915

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR 3d DIST. JUN 17 1915 RECEIVED COMPTROLLER'S

New list received Jan 12-1916

Bearstail	Keeper or Asst
Borden Flats	Keeper or Asst.
Bristol Ferry	Keeper or Asst.
Bullocks Point	Keeper or Asst.
Conimicut	Keeper or Asst.
Conanicut Island	Keeper or Asst.
Castle Hill	Keeper
Dutch Island	Keeper or Asst.
Goat Island Shoal	Keeper or Asst.
Gould Island	Keeper or Asst.
Gull Rocks	Keeper
Hog Island Shoal	Keeper or Asst.
Lime Rock	Keeper
Newport Harbor	Keeper
Point Judith	1st Asst.
Prudence Island	Keeper or asst.
Pomham Rocks	Keeper
Rose Island	Keeper or Asst.
Sabine Point	Keeper or Asst.
Wickford Harbor	Keeper or Asst.
Warwick	Keeper or Asst.
Watch Hill	Keeper or Asst.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR 2d DIST. JUN 15 1915 RECEIVED BOSTON, MASS.

SECOND DISTRICT

Dees Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 15 1915

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR 2d DIST. JUN 1915 RECEIVED

Bearertail.	Keeper or Asst.
Borden Flats	Keeper or Asst.
Bristol Ferry	Keeper or Asst.
Bullocks Point	Keeper or Asst.
Conimicut	Keeper or Asst.
Conanicut Island	Keeper or Asst.
Castle Hill	Keeper
Dutch Island	Keeper or Asst.
Goat Island Shoal	Keeper or Asst.
Gould Island	Keeper or Asst.
Gull Rocks	Keeper
Hog Island Shoal	Keeper or Asst.
Lime Rock	Keeper
Newport Harbor	Keeper
Point Judith	1st Asst.
Prudence Island	Keeper or asst.
Pomham Rocks	Keeper
Rose Island	Keeper or Asst.
Sabine Point	Keeper or asst.
Wickford Harbor	Keeper or Asst.
Warwick	Keeper or Asst.
Watch Hill	Keeper or Asst.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR
4 DIST.
JUN 15 1915
RECEIVED
BOSTON, MASS.

SECOND DISTRICT

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Deer Island.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

June 15, 1915.

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR
32 DIST.
JUN 17 1915
RECEIVED
TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

Lighthouse Inspector. 3d. District.,
Tompkinsville. N.Y.
Thru Inspector. 2d District.
Boston. Mass

Sir. Enclosed and attached find revised list of Stations for which I would like to be considered for. in event of a vacancy The stations of Point Judith. 1st asst., Gull Rocks. Keeper., and Watch Hill. Keeper or asst., have been added and Plum Beach. has been canceled.

Respectfully.
E. P. Wolff.
Asst.

Boston, Mass., June 16, 1915.

Forwarded, approved:
In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:
Meager
Chief Clerk.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR
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TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

SECOND DISTRICT

Dees Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Jan. 6, 1915

✓ Beavertail	Position of	asst. Keeper
✓ Borden Flats	"	" Keeper or Asst.
✓ Bristol Ferry	"	" " "
✓ Bullocks Point	"	" " "
✓ Conimicut	"	" " "
✓ Conanicut Island	"	" " "
✓ Castle Hill	"	" Keeper
✓ Dutch Island	"	" " or asst.
(Now) Goat Island Shoal	"	" " "
✓ Gould Island	"	" " "
✓ Hog Island Shoal	"	" " "
✓ Lime Rock	"	" Keeper
✓ Newport Harbor	"	" "
✗ Plum Beach	"	" " a Asst
✓ Pomham Rocks	"	" " "
✓ Rose Island	"	" " "
✓ Sabine Point	"	" " "
✓ Wickford Harbor	"	" "
✓ Warwick	"	" " "

Ebro C. Mott

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR
2d DIST.
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RECEIVED
TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

SECOND DISTRICT

Deer Island
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Jan. 6, 1915

Bearertail	Position of	asst. Keeper.	
Borden Flats.	"	"	Keeper or Asst.
Bristol Ferry	"	"	" "
Bullocks Point.	"	"	" "
Conimicut	"	"	" "
Conanicut Island	"	"	" "
Castle Hill	"	"	Keeper
Dutch Island	"	"	" or Asst.
Goat Island Shoal	"	"	" "
Gould Island	"	"	" "
Hog Island Shoal	"	"	" "
Lime Rock	"	"	Keeper
Newport Harbor	"	"	"
Plum Beach	"	"	" or asst.
Pomham Rocks	"	"	" "
Rose Island	"	"	" "
Sabine Point	"	"	" "
Wickford Harbor	"	"	" "
Warwick	"	"	" "

Elmo C. Mott

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR 2d DIST. JAN 11 1915 RECEIVED TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

WGY-WLLC.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2D DISTRICT
19 CONGRESS STREET
BOSTON, MASS.

January 9, 1915.

Lighthouse Inspector, Tompkinsville, N. Y.

Your letter of the 8th instant.

Enclosed herewith is copy of Service Record Card of Elno C. Mott, Assistant Keeper, Deer Island Light Station. His service since appointment has been entirely satisfactory. From his Civil Service application the following information is quoted:

He states that he has had experience in running numerous kinds of marine and stationary engines for the last six years, including Lathrop, Globe, Standard, Knox, Miamus, Frisbie, Automatic and Bridgeport, and Rider and Ericson pumping engines. Spent one year studying mechanical engineering at Rhode Island State College. Has had practically a lifetime experience as a boatman- row, sail and motor. Was for six years a messenger, U. S. Weather Bureau, Department of Agriculture, Block Island, R. I.

Inspector.

Full name:

Elno Carter Mott

Previous Government (Civil) Service:

None

MILITARY OR NAVAL SERVICE—CIVIL AND S. A. WARS.

Company and regiment or vessel:	Date enlisted:	Date discharged:	Cause of discharge:
	None		

MILITARY OR NAVAL SERVICE OTHER THAN IN CIVIL AND S. A. WARS.

Company and regiment or vessel:	Date enlisted:	Date discharged:	Cause of discharge:
	None		

Occupation prior to entering U. S. Civil Service:

Marine engineer

Education—degrees received, institutions, and dates:

High School: 1 year at R.I. college

Special qualifications—professional, technical, mechanical, etc.:

None

Civil Service examinations passed:

9-1-07, 6-1909 Messenger, Weather Bureau. Asst. Keeper 5-4-14.

REMARKS:

Commended by Bur. 7-28-14. Rescue of 2 men from burning motor boat "The Morning Star"

EFFICIENCY RATINGS:

1909	1918	1927
1910	1919	1928
1911	1920	1929
1912	1921	1930
1913	1922	1931
1914	1923	1932
1915	1924	1933
1916	1925	1934
1917	1926	1935

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SERVICE RECORD CARD

Form 15
Department of Commerce and Labor
LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT

Name as it appears in oath and on pay roll—surname first: Mott, Elno C.

PRESENT LEGAL (VOTING) RESIDENCE.

City or town:	State:	County:	Cong. Dist.:
Block Island	R.I.	Newport	3

Place of birth:	Date of birth:	Sex:	Pensioner:	Colored:	Relatives in service:
Block Island, R.I.	1-13-90.	M	No	W	None

Where employed:	District:	Appropriation:
Deer Island L. S.	2	Salaries of Keepers

Position:	Salary:	Excepted, competitive, or unclassified:	Manner of appointment:
Asst. Keeper	$504.	"	C.S. eligible register

Date of appointment:	Date of oath:	Entered on duty:	Date of classification:	Physical defects:
6-15-14	6-18-14	6-18-14	5-6-96	None

CHANGES IN STATUS:

Date.	Oath.		Salary.	Date.	Oath.		Salary.
190	190			190	190		

Original predecessor:

Final successor:

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(OVER.)

JHG

Jan.8,1915

Lighthouse Inspector, 2nd District,

Boston, Mass.

Referring to your endorsement, dated Jan.7,1915, forwarding letter from E. C. Mott, Assistant Keeper of Deer Island Lt.Sta., relative to his transfer to this District.

It would be appreciated if you would furnish this office with the service record of Mr.Mott, also any information available as to his services during employment in 2nd District.

Yates

Inspector

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR
2d DIST.
JAN 7 1915
RECEIVED
BOSTON, MASS.

Ask for list of stations
that list for position
stated.

SECOND DISTRICT

Deer Island.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Jan. 6 1915

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR
2d DIST.
JAN 8 1915
RECEIVED
TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

Lighthouse Inspector,
Third District,
Tompkinsville. N.Y.,
(Through Office of Inspector, 2d District)
Boston. Mass

Sir:- Enclosed and attatched find list of stations, in duplicate, to which I would like to be considered, for the positions named, by transfer from the second to the third Lighthouse District. my reasons for this action is that I would like to get nearer to my home town. which is in the third district. Stations with quarters for families would be preferred, but I would accept one without quarters in event of a vacancy.

Boston, Mass., Jan. 7, 1915.

Forwarded:

E. C. Mott.
Asst. Keeper

Inspector, 2d District.

(2 inclosures)

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

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN-7 1934 AM

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES · STATEN ISLAND, N.Y. ·

RECEIVED

June 6, 1934.

Superintendent of Lighthouses, Staten Island, N. Y.

Referring to your letter of May 14, 1934, regarding Eldridge Mott, Jr., Lamplighter of Tuckerton Range Lights, N. J.:

Advise the Bureau if Mr. Mott is in receipt of a pension of any kind from the Government, this having been alleged to the Bureau.

For the Commissioner:

W. P. Harman
Administrative Assistant

WPH-EK

FWO-JHG

3d Lighthouse District, Staten Is., N.Y.
June 11, 1934

1. Returned to the Commissioner, together with copy of letter dated June 7th from this office to Mr. Mott, and his letter in reply dated June 8th.

J. T. YATES
Superintendent

Form 73

NOMINATION

SPECIAL for

RECEIVED JUN 10 1914 FIRST U. S. DIST.

LIGHT JUN 11 1914 HOUSES

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT.

6-12-14 Letter to 2d
6-15-14 Tel 2d

Boston, Mass., (City.) June 10, (Date.) 1914.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, Elno C. Mott (11)

Legal residence, Rhode Island

Position, Assistant Keeper

Salary, $504. per annum.

Location, Deer Island Light Station, Mass.

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses, 1914.

Effective June 15, 1914 {the actual date of entrance on duty; or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, ----

Former salary, ----

Location, -----

Rank on eligible list, #4 Rating, Asst. Keeper Percentage, 84.2, Other eligibles considered:

(1) W. J. Howard, D; (2) E. A. Harrington, FR; (3) F. N. Bourque, FR; (5) R. W. Patch, FR; (6) J. S. Barry, FR.

Previous incumbent, George B. Bassett Services terminated, June 2, 1914.

Reason, Resignation

Relatives in Government Service, None

Remarks: No quarters are provided for families at this station. Mr. Mott was not required to appear in person owing to distance, but his vouchers show clean record in previous employment. He was employed in the Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Oct. 10, 1907 to March, 1914. None of the men considered are deaf mutes.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. June 10, 1914

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector.

Edmund L. Stebbins
Secretary, 1st Civil Service District.

Savage
Superintendent.

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mailed 6/13

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 12 1914

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Today's Journal

Acting Commissioner

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

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PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

LIGHT
JUN 16 1914
HOUSES

Department of Commerce and Labor
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

June 15, 1914.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Five Hundred and Four dollars

per annum, effective on the date on which you enter -- upon

duty in the above-mentioned position.

(By selection from certificate No. - - - -, and subject to a probationary period of not to exceed six months as provided by paragraph (c) of section 1 of civil-service rule VII, to be found on the reverse hereof.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEADLEY,

M
C

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.
Vice: George B. Bassett.
Legal Residence: Rhode Island.

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Inclosure Received

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

IN REPLY REFER TO
File No.

LIGHT
JUL 17 1914
HOUSES

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
ANSWERED
July 28 1914
DEPT. OF COMMERCE

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr,
Commr.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2D DISTRICT
19 CONGRESS STREET
BOSTON, MASS.

LIGHT
JUL 28 1914
HOUSES

Assistance rendered Mariner.

July 16, 1914.

SECRETARY
JUL 28 1914

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Enclosed, herewith, is copy of a letter from the Keeper, Deer Island Light Station, reporting assistance rendered by Assistant Keeper Elno C. Mott to a burning motor boat on the night of the 11th inst.

Inspector.

LIGHT
JUL 17 1914
HOUSES

Enclosure

_C_O_P_Y_

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Lighthouse Service.

Second District

Deer Island

July 15, 1914.

SECRETARY
JUL 28 1914

Lighthouse Inspector.
Boston, Mass.

Sir:

I beg leave to report that my Assistant, Mr. Elno C. Mott, on the night of July 11th, rescued two men from the burning motor boat, "The Morning Star," owned by Mr. Freeman McAlpine of 93 Washington Street, Somerville, Mass., towing the boat and beaching her, and taking the exhausted men to the station and providing food, dry clothing, and lodging for the night. The rescued men gave their names as Gus Potter and W. A. Wells.

(Signed) McCabe

Keeper.

LIGHT
JUL 28 1914
HOUSES

JUL 2 8 1914

Sir:

Referring to report of the rescue by you, on the night of July 11, 1914, of two men from the burning motor boat The Morning Star, you are commended for the service rendered by you on that occasion, which fact will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

Secretary.

Mr. Elno C. Mott, Assistant Keeper,
Deer Island Light Station, Mass.,
Through Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files.

Exact copy as signed by_____
Mailed _____ by_____

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington

To Lighthouse Inspector Boston, Mass.
for files of his office. By direction of the Commissioner: Ltr your report of July 16, 1914.

TSC
Chief Clerk

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

IN REPLY REFER TO
FILE NO.

LIGHT SEP 17 1915 HOUSES

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2D DISTRICT
~~CUSTOMHOUSE~~
BOSTON, MASS.

LIGHT SEP 25 1915 HOUSES

WGY-WLLC.

Assistance rendered mariners-

Inclosure-

Sept 24 1915-
commended.

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
~~Personnel~~
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep.
Commr.

Sept. 15, 1915.

Dept commend PC Sep 17

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Inclosed herewith is copy of letter from the Keeper of Deer Island Light Station in regard to assistance rendered by the Assistant Keeper, Elno C. Mott, to power boat "Alice" on the 11th instant.

Goddard

Inspector.

(C O P Y)- WLLC.

LIGHT
SEP 17 1915
HOUSES

LIGHT
SEP 25 1915
HOUSES

Deer Island, Sept. 13, 1915.

Lighthouse Inspector, Boston, Mass.

Sir:-

I beg leave to state that at 6:30 P. M. on the evening of September the 11th Mr. Elno C. Mott, the Asst. Keeper of this station, went to the assistance of a disabled power boat named "Alice" and towed it to the station, and also gave good and lodging to the 11 men on board the said boat for the night.

(Sgd) McCabe

Keeper

The disabled launch was the property of John McBride of Cottage Street, Chelsea, Mass.

LIGHT
SEP 24 1915
SEP 25 1915
HOUSES

9-30-15 Memo to Bu of F+D C
(see folder - W. C. Gregory)

Sir:

Referring to report of assistance rendered by you on September 11, 1915, to the disabled power boat ALICE, and to the eleven men who were on board, you are commended for the service rendered by you on that occasion, which fact will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM C. REDFIELD

Secretary.

Mr. Elno C. Mott, Assistant Keeper,
Deer Island Light Station, Mass.,
Through Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files.

Exact copy as signed by WILLIAM C. REDFIELD

Mailed SEP 24 1915 by

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington

SEP 25 1915

To Lighthouse Inspector Boston, Mass

for files of his office. By direction of the Commissioner: See your report of September 15, 1915.

T S C

Chief Clerk.

JEL

Dept. Ltr

OCT 1 1915

LIGHT
OCT 2 1915
HOUSES

Sir:

Referring to report of assistance rendered by you on September 22, 1915, to the power boat HAZELINE, which, with four men aboard, had become disabled off Deer Island Light Station, Mass., you are commended for the assistance rendered on that occasion, which fact will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM C. REDFIELD

Secretary.

Mr. Elmo C. Mott, Assistant Keeper,
Deer Island Light Station, Mass.,
Through Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files.

WILLIAM C. REDFIELD

Exact copy as signed by _____

Mailed OCT 1 - 1915 by _____

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Copy sent 2nd Insp
File J. B. McCabe.

10-2-15
memo to Bu of F+AC
File JBMcCabe

JEC

Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT HOUSES DEC 22 1915

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass. (City.) December 20 (Date.), 1915.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion-

Name, **Elno C. Mott-** Legal residence, **Rhode Island-**

Position, **Assistant Keeper-** Salary, **$540. per annum-**

Location, **Deer Island Light Station, Mass.** Appropriation, **Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses, 1916-**

Effective **January 1, 1916,** {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Assistant Keeper- Former salary, **$504. per annum-**

Location, **Deer Island Light Station, Mass.**

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

Previous incumbent, Himself- Services terminated, **December 31, 1915.**

Reason, **Promotion-**

Relatives in Government Service, --

Remarks: Mr. Mott is an efficient employee, deserving of this promotion.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission., 191

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Yeager

Secretary, Civil Service District

Chief Clerk.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

DEC 22 1915

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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GENERAL APPOINTMENT—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
DEC 24 1915
HOUSES

December 23, 1915.

Mr. Kino C. Mott,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, Assistant Keeper, in the Lighthouse Service, at a salary of Five Hundred and Forty dollars per annum, effective January 1, 1916.

(By increase in compensation from $504 per annum.)

EOD Jan 1 1916

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

E
R

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice:

Legal Residence: Rhode Island.

11—1393

HENRY BRUCKNER
22D DIST. NEW YORK

NEW YORK ADDRESS:
414 E. 161ST ST.
NEW YORK CITY

House of Representatives U. S.

Washington, D. C.

Febry 24th, 1916

CHIEF CLERK
FEB 25 1916
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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
ACKOWLEDGED
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DEPT. OF COMMERCE

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
ANSWERED
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Copy
DEPT. OF COMMERCE

LIGHT
FEB 25 1916
HOUSES

LIGHT-HOUSE INSPECTOR
3D DIST.
FEB
28
1916
RECEIVED
TOMPKINSVILLE, N.Y.

LIGHT
MAR 6 1916
HOUSES

To The Honorable

The Secretary of Commerce .

Sir :

I would be pleased to have you favor me with the facts in the case of Assistant Light Station Keeper E.E.Mott, and the names of the persons with dates, whose lives he saved .

Very truly yours,

Henry Bruckner

no mention of E. E. in 3d Dist. — See Bulletin Nov 1915 — " " " 2d Dist. — " " "

Bureau of Lighthouses
February 25, 1916.

Referred to the Lighthouse Inspector, Tompkinsville, N. Y., for remark and return. There is no record in this office of an E. E. Mott, assistant keeper.

Conway
Acting Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
FEB 28 1916
HOUSES

FEB 26 1916

My dear Congressman:

Referring to your communication of February 24,1916 in regard to furnishing you with the names of the persons whose lives were saved by Mr. E. E. Mott, assistant keeper in the Lighthouse Service, with dates, etc.

You are respectfully informed that the matter is being investigated, and that you will be further advised in regard thereto at ar early date.

Very truly yours,

E. F. SWEET.
Assistant Secretary.

Hon. Henry Bruckner,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files.

Exact copy as signed by E. F. SWEET.
Mailed FEB 26 1916 by

Form 73

NOMINATION

WGY-WLLC.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT FEB 25 1916 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., February 23, 1916.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion-

Name, Elno C. Mott-

Legal residence, Rhode Island-

Position, Keeper-

Salary, $720. per annum-

Location, Deer Island Light Station, Mass.

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses, 1916-

Effective March 1, 1916, [1] ~~the actual date of entrance on duty~~, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Former position, Assistant Keeper-

Former salary, $540. per annum-

Location, Deer Island Light Station, Mass.

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

Previous incumbent, Joseph B. McCabe-

Services terminated, February 19, 1916-

Reason, Death-

Members of family in Government Service, ---

Remarks: Mr. Mott is an efficient employe, deserving of this promotion-
There are no applications on file from Keepers or Assistant Keepers for transfer to this station.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. , 191

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Yeager
Chief Clerk.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

FEB 26 1916

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

C

Acting Commissioner

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

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GENERAL APPOINTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

LIGHT
MAR 2 1916
HOUSES

February 28, 1916.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

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 Seven Hundred and Twenty dollars per annum,

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

(By promotion from assistant keeper at $540 per annum.)

E-D March 1, 1916

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

R
C

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Joseph B. McCabe.

Legal Residence: Rhode Island.

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MAR 8 1916

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT
FEB 29 1916
HOUSES

FWO/WJL

Hydr.
Engr. Cons.
Mat. Engr.
~~Personnel~~
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

GENERAL DEPOT
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 3D DISTRICT
TOMPKINSVILLE, N. Y.

February 28, 1916.

Lighthouse Inspector,
2nd District, Boston, Mass.

Enclosed herewith is letter dated February 24th 1916 from Congressman Henry Bruckner making inquiry concerning an assistant keeper E.E.Mott, which letter was forwarded to this office by Bureau's endorsement of February 25, 1916.

As there is no keeper or assistant keeper in the Third District named Mott, the attached letter is forwarded to you since it is quite likly that it pertains to E.C.Mott who is an assistant keeper in the Second District and who has been lately commended for rendering assistance.

J T Yates

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Office of Inspector, 3d District,
Tompkinsville, N.Y. Feb. 28, 1916.

Copy forwarded to Commissioner for information contained.

J. T. Yates

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File Encl Mort

LIGHT FEB 29 1916 HOUSES

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons
Mar. Engr.
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Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

February 28, 1916.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

For the reasons set forth in letter of the 23rd instant from the Second Inspector's office, and in accordance with the Bureau's recommendation of the 26th instant, the Department hereby discontinues the position of assistant keeper at Deer Island Light Station, Massachusetts, at $540 per annum, effective at the close of the date preceding that upon which the present incumbent enters on duty under his appointment as keeper at the same station.

SIGNED) E. F. SWEET

Assistant Secretary.

Carried

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
MAR 1 1916

To Lighthouse Inspector, Boston, Mass.,
for his information, guidance, and files of office.

Acting Commissioner.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

IN REPLY REFER TO
FILE NO.

LIGHT-
MAR 6 1916
HOUSES

WGY-WLLC.

Inclosures-

E. E. Mott, Life-saving performances-

Hydrog.
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

March 3, 1916.

Mar 15 Dept wrote Ref Brooklyn cft 6 2 Encls

Give info from Bu files. Cop 2nd JCMack

Returned to the Commissioner of Lighthouses:

There is no Light Keeper in this District named E.E. Mott.

Inclosed herewith is letter to and reply from E. C. Mott, Assistant Keeper, Deer Island Light Station, in charge, which contains all the information available other than the reports already made to the Bureau which resulted in the commendations referred to by Mr. Mott.

Inspector.

LIGHT
MAR 6 1916
HOUSES

Deer Island

March 1, 1916.

Lighthouse Inspector,

Boston, Mass.

Sir:

Your letter of 29th at hand.

I would beg leave to state that I have no knowledge of the inquiry mentioned, nor do I know Congressman Bruckner or ever had any dealing with him in any way. In regards to the saving of certain persons, it is true that I did assist seventeen people at different times and received three letters of commendation from Secretary Redfield, and news items to that effect were in different papers but the papers must have got the copies either from Washington or elsewhere as no one said anything to me about it.

Mott

Asst. Keeper, in charge.

WGY-WLLC.

LIGHT,
MAR 6 1916
HOUSES

Feb. 29, 1916.

Assistant Keeper, in charge,
Deer Island Light Station:

An inquiry from Congressman Henry Bruckner of New York for the names of persons, with dates, whose lives were saved by Assistant Lighthouse Keeper E.E. Mott, has been received at this office.

If you have any knowledge of this inquiry or reason to believe that it refers to your exploits, please furnish information required.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Yeager

Chief Clerk.

McC.

LIGHT
MAR 16 1916
HOUSES

My dear Congressman:

Referring again to your letter of February 24, 1916, requesting to be furnished information as to the names of the persons whose lives have been saved by Mr. E. E. Mott, assistant keeper in the Lighthouse Service, with dates, etc., I have to advise you that there is no keeper in the Lighthouse Service by that name, but the records show that Mr. Elno C. Mott, assistant keeper, Deer Island Light Station, Massachusetts, has been commended by this Department for rendering aid in the following noted cases:

July 28, 1914, for rescuing on the night of July 11, 1914, two men from the burning motor boat THE MORNING STAR, owned by Mr. Freeman McAlpine, of 93 Washington Street, Somerville, Mass., by towing and beaching the boat, and taking the exhausted men to the station and providing food, dry clothing, and lodging for the night. The rescued men gave their names as Gus Potter and W. A. Wells.

September 24,1915, for assistance rendered on September 11,1915, to the disabled power boat ALICE, in towing it to the station and giving food and lodging to the 11 men on board for the night. The disabled launch was the property of Mr. John McBride, of Cottage Street, Chelsea, Mass. The names of the 11 men are not given in the records of the office of the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

October 1, 1915, for assistance rendered on September 22,1915, in going to the assistance of the power boat MADELINE, owned by Mr. Richard Brown, of 552 Bennington Street, East Boston, Mass., which had become disabled in the vicinity of the station, in towing the launch to a safe anchorage behind the breakwater, and caring for the four occupants of the boat. The names of the occupants are not given in the records of the office of the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Very truly yours,

E. F. SWEET.

LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files.

Exact copy as signed by ____

Mailed MAR 15 1916 by ____

E. F. SWEET.

Assistant Secretary.

Hon. Henry Bruckner,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Boston Mass.

See your report of March 3, 1916.

(COPY)

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Lighthouse Service

LIGHT
AUG 21 1916
HOUSES

Deer Island
July 24, 1916.

Lighthouse Inspector,
Boston, Mass.

Sir:-

I beg leave to report that on Sunday, July 23, during a heavy rainstorm, I went to the assistance of three men in the power boat "Marion", Albert Moses, of West Somerville, (owner) which had become disabled & drifted ashore near the Station, towed the boat to a safe anchorage, brought the three men to the Station & gave them dry clothes & food, then later went to their boat & succeeded in making temporary repairs to motor, so they could return home.

(Signed) E. C. Mott,
Keeper.

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LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

IN REPLY REFER TO
FILE NO.

LIGHT
AUG 21 1916
HOUSES

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

July 31, 1916.

Elno C. Mott,
Assistance rendered
mariners.

Surveyor.
Light. Cons.
Mag. Engr.
Personnel
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Comsr.
Comsr.

File W.O. action

Commissioner of Lighthouses:-

Attached hereto is a copy of letter from the Keeper of Deer Island Light Station in regard to service rendered to the stranded power boat "Marion", on the 23rd instant.

It is not considered that the service rendered warrants the issue of a letter of commendation.

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Savage
Superintendent.

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LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

IN REPLY REFER TO

FILE NO.

LIGHT
OCT 1 1917
HOUSES

WGY-WLLC.

1- Incl.

Aid rendered
Mariners-

Hydrog
Engr. Cons.
Mar. Engr.
~~Personnel~~
Accounts.
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
~~Dep. Commr.~~
Commr.

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

Sept. 29, 1917.

LIGHT
OCT 13 1917
HOUSES

Dept circular 920 001

10/10/17
Commendation ltr to E.C. Mott. ey to J+P
off. Bug
& H Insp.

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Inclosed herewith is a letter from Elno C. Mott, Keeper, Deer Island Light Station, in regard to assistance rendered mariners.

It is requested that a letter of commendation be issued to Mr. Mott in this connection.

Goddard

Inspector.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
2d DIST.
SEP 26 1917
RECEIVED
BOSTON, MASS.

LIGHT
OCT 1 1917
HOUSES

SECOND DISTRICT

Dlew Island.
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

Sept. 25 1917

LIGHT
OCT 13 1917
HOUSES

Lighthouse Inspector.
Boston. Mass.

Sir:- I beg leave to report that on the night of Sept 23. at 8 pm. I went to the assistance of the disabled motor boat Dreamer, of the Cottage Park Yacht Club. and owned by mr. John J. Grant of Barristers Hall, Boston. with a party of 5 on board. There was quite an easterly swell on at the time & the ~~boat~~ was in danger of drifting on the bar near the light. we succeeded in getting the boat to a safe anchorage. & I took mr. Grant ashore to Dlew Island & telephoned to the Police boat to come after them.

Respectfully
E. C. Mott
Keeper.

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OCT 12 1917

LIGHT
OCT 12 1917
HOUSES

Sept. 23

Sir:

Referring to the report of assistance rendered by you on the night of September 23, 1917, to a party of five persons on board the disabled motor boat DREAMER, the Department takes pleasure in commending you for the service thus rendered, which will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM C. REDFIELD
Secretary.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,
Keeper, Deer Island Light Station, Massachusetts,
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files.

Exact copy as signed by WILLIAM C. REDFIELD
Mailed OCT 12 1917 by

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington.
OCT 12 1917

To Lighthouse Inspector Boston, Mass.
for files of his office. By direction of the Commissioner:

TJC
Chief Clerk

TJC
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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.
GEE-MEH

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1921 MAR 31 PM 2
OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

March 30, 1921.

Commissioner of Lighthouses,
Washington, D. C.

Subject: Commendation.

Enclosure: (1).

See Payne's file

1. Forwarded herewith is letter from Arthur L. Payne, Keeper of Bakers Island Light Station, reporting assistance rendered by him and Elno C. Mott, Asst. Keeper, to occupants of a disabled motor boat.

2. It is recommended that the Keeper and Asst. Keeper receive letters of commendation for their action in this matter.

Superintendent.

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LIGHTHOUSES

APR 7 1921

1921 APR 9 AM 10 57

Sir:

Referring to report of assistance rendered by you on March 29, 1921, to two occupants of a disabled motor boat in the vicinity of Bakers Island Light Station, and in towing the boat to Salem, the Department takes pleasure in commending you for the services thus rendered, which will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

HERBERT HOOVER.

Secretary of Commerce.

Elno C. Mott, Assistant Keeper,
Bakers Island Light Station, Mass.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses)

COPY to 2d Superintendent by inclosure on copy of letter addressed to Arthur L. Payne, Keeper.

LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files

Exact copy as signed by HERBERT HOOVER.

Mailed APR 9 1921 by Bureau

LIGHTHOUSES
1923 AUG 13 AM 9 37

LGJ

August 7, 1923.

Sir:

Referring to report of assistance rendered by you on July 27, 1923, to the speed boat Sterling C 386 and occupants, in towing them to safety when the boat was discovered disabled due to engine trouble, the Department is pleased to commend you for the assistance rendered on this occasion, which will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

S. B. DAVIS

Acting Secretary of Commerce.

Elno C. Mott, Keeper,
Cape Ann Light Station, Massachusetts.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

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LIGHTHOUSES---Bureau's files. S. B. DAVIS

Exact copy as signed by Bureau
Mailed _____ by _____

Bureau of Lighthouses, Wash., Copy to 2nd Supt.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.
GEE-MEH

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHTHOUSES
1923 AUG 6 AM 8 55

AUG 7 1923

Commended
copy to Sec
to attach
to Supt's

Hydro.
Engr. Genl
Mar Engr.
~~Personnel.~~
Accounts.
Contracts.
Chf Clk.
~~Dep. Genl.~~
Comr.

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.
August 3, 1923.

Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Subject: Letter of commendation.

Enclosures: (1).

1. Forwarded herewith is a letter from the Keeper of Cape Ann Light Station relative to assistance rendered speed boat Sterling C 386.

2. It is recommended that the Keeper, Elno C. Mott, and the 2nd Assistant Keeper, Llewellyn D. Rogers, be commended for their action.

Geo. E. Eaton, Jr.
Superintendent.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SECOND DISTRICT

SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES 2d DIST. JUL 30 1923 RECEIVED BOSTON, MASS.

Cape Ann
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

July 28, 1923, 19

1923 JUL 30 AM 8 55

Lighthouse Superintendent,
Boston, Mass.

I would report that on the night of July 27th, at 9 pm Standard time Myself and 2d Asst Rogers, in Station boat # 35, went to the assistance of the speed boat Sterling, # C 386, with three men on board, Boat about 35 ft. long, engine disabled. about 2½ miles SSW of Thatchers, Towed boat to our mooring and telephoned the Coast Guard, who came for them and towed them to Rockport.

E. C. Mott
Keeper.

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHTHOUSES
1926 MAY 28 PM 3 40

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

May 27, 1926

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Subject: Elno C. Mott, Keeper, and Hoyt P. Smith, Second Assistant Keeper, Cape Ann Light Station, commendation.

1. Enclosed is copy of letter from Elno C. Mott, Keeper of Cape Ann Light Station, reporting assistance rendered by him and Second Assistant Keeper Hoyt P. Smith to occupants of a disabled motor boat.

2. It is recommended that Mr. Mott and Mr. Smith receive the Bureau's commendation for their action.

Superintendent.

Hyder
Radio
Engr. Const.
Mar. Engr.
Personnel
Financial
Law and Prop.
Adm. Asst.
Dep. Comr.
Comr.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

SECOND DISTRICT

Cape Ann
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

May 26, 1926

Lighthouse Superintendent,

Boston, Mass.

Report that on the afternoon of May 25th 2d Asst. Smith and myself went to the assistance of the disabled motor boat C-149 who was flying distress signals about 2 miles NE of Londoner Rocks beacon. Blowing quite hard from about NNW and rough. We went to him in station power boat #35 and towed him into Rockport about a 5 mile tow against head wind and sea. And we return to station about 6 p.m.

/s/ E. C. Mott

Keeper.

June 4, 1926.

Elno C. Mott, Keeper,
Cape Ann Light Station, Massachusetts.
(Through Superintendent of Lighthouses, Boston, Mass.)

The Bureau is in receipt of your report dated May 26 forwarded by the Superintendent, regarding assistance rendered the occupants of a disabled motor boat in the vicinity of the station. The Bureau is pleased to commend you for the assistance rendered on this occasion and to note the matter on the records as part of your official history.

I. S. CONWAY

Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Reported in Monthly Rep. July 5, 1926.
" " Bulletin Aug 1, 1926

Bureau of Lighthouses, Wash., Copy to 2nd Supt.

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division files
Exact copy as signed by
Typed by

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Elsie C. Mott (Name) Rhode Island (Legal Residence)

STATUS

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DESIGNATION	ACTION	SALARY	BUREAU—SERVICE—STATION	DATE OF EFFECT
Asst Keeper	Prob appt.	504	L H Dem Isl. L.S. Mass	June 18, 1914
" "	Promo.	540	" " " "	Jan 1, 1916
Keeper	"	720	" " " "	March 1, 1916
"	Transf	516	" Baker Isl. Mass	Oct. 11, 1918
"	Promo.	720	" " " "	Nov. 1, 1918
"	"	780	" " " "	June 18, 1919
"	Transfer	1020	" Cape Ann L.S. Mass	Oct. 1, 1921
"	Readj of Pay	1260	" " " "	July 1, 1924
"	Add Duties	1440	" " " "	P.P. 1, 1925
"	INCREASE IN COMPENSATION	1550	" " " "	July 1, 1925
"	INCREASE IN COMPENSATION	1560	" " " "	JAN 1 1927

RESIGNED CLOSE OF April 7, 1927.

Form A-32

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

March 24, 1927.

M. Elno C. Mott,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

The Department is in receipt of your resignation from the position designated below, and has accepted the same, upon recommendation of the bureau, to take effect at the close of business on April 7, 1927.

Bureau.....Lighthouse Service.

Position.....Keeper.

Allocation.....

Salary.....$1560 per annum.

Station.....Cape Ann Light Station.

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

MAR 28 1927
EDW. J. GARDNER

Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED MAR 28 1927 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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Form 93

NOTICE OF RESIGNATION OR DEATH

LIGHTHOUSES
1927 MAR 23 PM 12 17

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAR 24 1927 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Second DISTRICT,

Chelsea, Mass., March 22 CHIEF C. 1927

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

1927 MAR 24 AM

Herewith is transmitted the resignation of the following-named employee:

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE MAR 25 1927 APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Name, Elno C. Mott Position, Keeper

Legal residence, Massachusetts Station, Cape Ann Light Station

Salary, $1560 per annum

The acceptance of this resignation is recommended effective at the close of April 7, 1927.

This employee has not taken leave in excess of the accrued rate.

Remarks: Mr. Mott requested his resignation to take effect at noon; as same would not be convenient for the Government, recommendation is made that it be effective at the close of April 7. His alternative desire as to leave of absence is not approved.

Superintendent.

Inclosure

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

MAR 23 1927

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

11—4623

APPROVED:

ACTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Supt.
1st Asst. Supt.
Chief Clerk
Asst. Supt.
Draftsman
Junior Engr.
1st Clerk
2nd Clerk
3rd Clerk
4th Clerk
5th Clerk
Messenger
Depot Keeper

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE
SECOND DISTRICT

1927 MAR 23 PM

SUPT. OF LIGHTHOUSES
MAR 22 1927
2ND DIST. CHELSEA, MASS.

Cape Ann
(Station, Depot, or Vessel)

March 21st, 1927

Lighthouse Superintendent
Chelsea mass.

1, I hereby tender my resignation as Keeper of this Station, to take effect at noon, April 7. 1927.

or,

2. I would take one years leave of absence without pay. Either way makes no difference to me

E. C. Mott
Keeper.

Form A-88

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPOINTMENT DIVISION

WASHINGTON

January 1, 1927.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your compensation has been changed as indicated below, effective January 1, 1927.

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,

CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

From: $1500 per annum.

To: $1560 per annum.

Service and grade: Field.

Appropriation (unit):

JAN 12 1927

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JAN 13 1927 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

APPROVED BY THE ACTING SECRETARY

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June 4, 1926.

Elno C. Mott, Keeper,
Cape Ann Light Station, Massachusetts.
(Through Superintendent of Lighthouses, Boston, Mass.)

The Bureau is in receipt of your report dated May 26 forwarded by the Superintendent, regarding assistance rendered the occupants of a disabled motor boat in the vicinity of the station. The Bureau is pleased to commend you for the assistance rendered on this occasion and to note the matter on the records as part of your official history.

(Signed) I. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

CROSS REFERENCE

SEE FILE--464/16/ D#1

NAME Mott, Elmer L. POSITION Keeper.

BUREAU BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES STATION 2nd 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
1020	240	1260	XCR	404.25	1664.25	LHS	7	1320	Yes	60	

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

approved 1440

GRADE RECOMMENDED 6

RANGE OF COMPENSATION RECOMMENDED FROM $1320 TO $1560

...IFICATION BOARD FORM NO. 1
...at in accordance with detailed
...uction sheet, Form No. 2)

Sheet No. 1.
2—12758

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS SPACE			
	a		
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1. Mott (Surname) Elno (Given name) C. (Initial)
2. Department Commerce
3. Bureau Lighthouses
4. Field Service Lighthouse Service
5. (a) Field Station Second Lighthouse District
   (b) Subdivision Cape Ann Light Station
   (c) City or town Rockport State Mass.
6. Pay-roll title Keeper
7. Customary office title Keeper

8. (a) Number of regular working hours of the position, per day about 15; per week 105
   (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 1/4 of time from sunset m. to sunrise m.
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 $ 1020 per annum; bonus, $ 240 per annum.
12. Rate of pay, exclusive of bonus, on January 1, 1923, $ 1020 per annum; bonus, $ 240 per annum.
13. If the employee receives overtime pay, state the rate None
14. Title of appropriation or fund from which basic compensation is paid Salaries, 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 45 cents per diem commutation of rations, $164.25
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 Uniform; annual cost, $ 20.00
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 Rhode Island State College; years ☒ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4
    (e) Post graduate work: Kind ---; years ☐ 1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3
    (f) Correspondence courses: Kind Ry.Mail Clk.,Loco.Fireman number of lessons 32; number completed 32

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
1. Operating the light every night from sunset to sunrise; operating fog signal during thick or foggy weather.	50
2. Cleaning and caring for grounds, quarters, light and fog signal apparatus.	25
3. Painting buildings and light towers and making minor repairs as necessary.	15
4. Going for mail and supplies.	10

19. Does employee work under immedi[illegible]upervision, or to a large extent upon his own res[illegible]ibility? (Describe fully.)

Works largely upon his own responsibility but is governed by general directions set forth in the printed Instructions to Employees and by specific oral and written instructions from the Superintendent; works without close observation of his superiors, but is subject to periodical inspections by the Superintendent and 1st Assistant Superintendent without previous notice.

20. Do the duties involve direction or supervision of the work of other employees? Yes.
If so, describe the nature of the direction or supervision and give the number and classes of employees directed or supervised.

Has direct supervision of four assistant keepers and lays out and directs their work.

21. How long have the employee's duties been substantially as described above? Since October 1, 1921.

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

May 31, 1923. (Date) — (Signature of Preparing Officer) Supt. of Lighthouses.

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		X
Common School	X	

Technical Education: If essential, kind and extent

Experience: If essential, kind and extent

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 $ 1140 to $ 1500

May 31, 1923. (Date) — (Signature of head of field office or station) Supt. of Lighthouses. (Title)

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE 2—12758

Form A-21

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS-LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 25, 1925.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 1440 per annum to $ 1500 per annum, effective July 1, 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. GARDNER.
Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUL 1925 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON January 31, 1925.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

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. F. GARDNER

Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED FEB 4 1925 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Position: Keeper. ✓

Salary: $1440.

FEB 3 - 1925

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

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(CROSS REFERENCE)

Matt. Elmo ____ In accordance with authority

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

adjusted to $ 1260, effective July 1, 1924.

For authorization see letter dated JUL 15 1924 File No. 1095/21.

(COPY)

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August 7, 1923.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
AUG 7 1923
APPOINTMENT DIVISION

Sir:

Referring to report of assistance rendered by you on July 27, 1923, to the speed boat Sterling C 386 and occupants, in towing them to safety when the boat was discovered disabled due to engine trouble, the Department is pleased to commend you for the assistance rendered on this occasion, which will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

(Signed) S. B. DAVIS

Acting Secretary of Commerce.

Elno C. Mott, Keeper,
Cape Ann Light Station, Massachusetts.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files S. B. DAVIS

Exact copy as signed by

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

APPOINTMENTS

October 8, 1921.

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Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Subject: Elno C. Mott, Keeper - Change in Salary.

Reference: Notice of Change in Salary, dated Sept. 15, 1921.

The effective date of Change in Salary referred to above was October 1, 1921.

Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
OCT 12 1921

Superintendent.

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

J. S. [illegible]WAY
Acting Commissioner.

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

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September 15, 1921.

r. Elno C. Mott,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $780 per annum to $1020 per annum, effective October 1, 1921 or as soon thereafter as you enter on duty (including $60 per annum longevity pay).

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,

(SIGNED) E. M. CROSE
Acting Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED SEP 16 1921 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

1921 SEP 13 PM 3 36

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass. (City.) September 12 (Date.), 1921.

COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer and promotion.

Name, Elno C. Mott

Position, Keeper

Location, Cape Ann Light Station, Mass.

Effective October 1, 1921, {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

Legal residence, Rhode Island

Salary, $1020. per annum (includes $60. per annum longevity pay

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses.

Former position, Keeper

Location, Bakers Island Light Station, Mass.

Former salary, $780. per annum, which includes $60. a year longevity pay.

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

1921 SEP 15 AM 10 08

APPOINTMENT DIVISION
NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN
SEP 15 1921
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Previous incumbent, George A. Howard Services terminated, September 30, 1921.

Reason, Transfer.

Members of family in Government Service, None.

Remarks: Mr. Mott is a capable employee and deserving of this promotion. Quarters are provided for families of keepers at this station.

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

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

SEP 14 1921

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

J. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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

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APPOINTMENT

Sir:

Referring to report of assistance rendered by you on March 29, 1921, to two occupants of a disabled motor boat in the vicinity of Bakers Island Light Station, and in towing the boat to Salem, the Department takes pleasure in commending you for the services thus rendered, which will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

HERBERT HOOVER.

Secretary of Commerce.

Elno O. Mott, Assistant Keeper,
Bakers Island Light Station, Mass.
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses)

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files

Exact copy as signed by HERBERT HOOVER

Mailed APR 9 - 1921 by Burton

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

June 6, 1919.

r. Elno C. Mott,
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Sir: Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $720 per annum to $780 per annum, effective June 16, 1919. (The above rate of pay includes $60 per annum longevity pay).

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,
(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

CARDED

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUN 7 1919 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

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U. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT
JUN 3 1919
WOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., May 31, 1919.
(City.) (Date.)

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK

Action recommended, Allowance of longevity pay-

Name, Mott, Elno C. Legal residence, Massachusetts-

1919 JUN 5 AM 10 57

Position, Keeper Salary, $780 per annum

Location, Bakers Island Light Station, Mass. Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses-

Effective June 18, 1919 ('the actual date of entrance on duty, ~~or the first day thereafter on which the entrance on duty~~.

Former position, same Former salary, $720 per annum

Location, same

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

APPOINTMENTS

Previous incumbent, himself Services ~~terminated~~ 1919 JUN 5 PM 2 03

Reason, --

Members of family in Government Service, None

Remarks: On June 17, 1919, Mr. Mott has completed five years' service in the Lighthouse Service, and it is recommended that he be granted longevity pay of $60 per annum, effective June 18, 1919.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the
U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 191

Eaton
Superintendent.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 3 - 1919

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

APPROVAL RECOMMENDED BY THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION
JUN 6 - 1919
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

1919 JUN 5 AM 9 50

Acting Commissioner

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

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NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SA[illegible]
KEEPERS -- LIGHTHOUSE SE[illegible]CE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

November 7, 1918.

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r. Elno C. M[illegible]tt,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $516 per annum to $720 per annum, effective November 1, 1918.

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,

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 2d DISTRICT.
OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

LIGHT HOUSES

May 31, 1919.

To: Commissioner of Lighthouses:

Subject: Effective date, Notice of Change in Salary:

CHIEF CLERK

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Reference: Bu. end. May 21, 1918 on letter from the Office of the Secretary, dated May 19, 1918. - Sec. 4, Paragraph 2.

1919 JUN 5 AM 10 57

1. Following are effective dates of Notices of Change in Salary, which have not heretofore been reported:

NAME	NOTICE DATE	EFFECTIVE DATE
Mott, Elno C.	9-27-18	10-11-18
Guimond, Arthur	10-18-18	11-2-18
Burleigh, William C.	10-18-18	11-2-18
Woodman, George F., Jr.	10-23-18	11-2-18
Woodman, George F., Jr.	1-3-19	1-1-19
Brown, Frederick C.	11-9-18	11-4-18
Guimond, Arthur	11-7-18	11-2-18
Howard, George A.	11-7-18	11-1-18
Woodman, George F., Jr.	4-17-19	5-1-19
Howard, Alfred A.	4-17-19	5-1-19

APPOINTMENTS

1919 JUN 15 PM 2 10

2. This office endeavors in every case of promotion or transfer to set a fixed effective date for change, but Notices of Change in Salary received from the Appointment Division do not mention the date set. If when a fixed date is set on Form 73, the Notice would give this date, there would be fewer cases of incomplete personnel records, it is believed.

Eaton

Superintendent.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington

JUN 4 - 1919

1919 JUN 5 AM 9 50

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

Acting Commissioner

C. S. REPORT DATA ENTERED

ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

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Mar. Engr.
Inspectors
Contracts
Chf. Clk.
Dep. Commr.
Commr.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT
OCT 16 1918
HOUSES

OFFICE OF INSPECTOR, 2D DISTRICT
CUSTOMHOUSE
BOSTON, MASS.

OCT 16 1918 9 02 AM

October 14, 1918.

CHIEF CLERK

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TO; Commissioner of Lighthouses:

SUBJECT: Elno C. Mott - Notice of Change in Salary:

1918 OCT 17 PM 3 10

REFERENCE: Letter from Appointment Division, 27th ultimo:

APPOINTMENTS

Mr. Mott entered on duty in his new position, Assistant Keeper, Bakers Island Light Station, on the 11th instant.

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1918 OCT 17 PM 4 26

Leonard

Superintendent.

OCT 16 1918

1918 OCT 17 PM 3 03

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce for his information.

H. B. Bowerman
Acting Commissioner

NOTICE OF CHANGE IN SALARY
KEEPER--LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

September 27, 1918.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You are advised that your salary as keeper in the Lighthouse Service has been changed from $ 720 per annum to $ 516 per annum, effective October 1, 1918, or as soon thereafter as you enter upon 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,

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED SEP 28 1918 ON JOURNAL DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

(Signed) Clifford Hastings.

Chief of Appointment Division.

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR
BOSTON, MASS.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT
SEP 26 1918
HOUSES

SECOND DISTRICT

Green Island.
(Station, ~~Depot, or Vessel~~.)

SEP 24 1918

Sept. 20, 1918

Lighthouse Superintendent
Boston. Mass.

Sir + In reply to letter of Sept. 14th relative to position of Asst. Keeper. at Baker's Island Lt. Station. I will accept the position

E. C. Mott
Keeper.

Form 73

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NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, ... Second ..... DISTRICT.

LIGHT HOUSES SEP 26 1918

Boston, Mass., (City.) September 24, 1918. (Date.)

SEP 26 1918 9 00 AM

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Transfer

Name, Elno C. Mott

Position, Keeper,-

Location, Bakers Island Light Station, Mass.-

Effective October 1, 1918

Legal residence, Massachusetts-

Salary, $516 per annum-

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses-

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

CHIEF CLERK

SEP 25 PM 3 41

Former position, Keeper-

Location, Deer Island Light Station, Mass.-

Former salary, $720 per annum-

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

APPOINTMENTS

Previous incumbent, John A. Strout-

Reason, Resignation-

Services terminated, September 14, 1918-

1918 SEP 26 PM 4 21

Members of family in Government Service, None-

Remarks: Letter from Mr. Mott, accepting the position, which involves a reduction in pay, is herewith.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission, , 191

APPOINTMENT DIVISION NECESSARY ACTION TAKEN SEP 27 1918 DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Secretary, Civil Service District.

Superintendent.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

SEP 26 1918

1918 SEP 26 PM 3 13

H. B. Bowman

Acting Commissioner

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

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USE TYPEWRITER—SEE INSTRUCTIONS ON BACK.

MAKE NO ENTRIES IN THIS COLUMN.

UNITED STATES
BUREAU OF EFFICIENCY.
FORM 8.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF THE CENSUS.
8—4789-2

RECORD OF CIVIL EMPLOYEE.

JULY 1, 1916.

1. Name: (Surname first. Given name in full. For women write Miss or Mrs. before given name.)

Mott, Elno C.

2. Department:

Commerce

3. Bureau, office, or service:

Lighthouse Service, 2d District

4. Designation of position:

Keeper-

5. Occupation (if not clearly shown by answer to question 4):

Maintenance of light and care of property.

6. Annual earnings:

$691.80

7. Kind of appropriation:

LS

8. Present rate of pay:

$720. PA

9. Initial rate of pay:

$480.

10. Total length of service (give the total of ALL U. S. GOVT. SERVICE with the exceptions stated on the back of this card)—

Substitute— Years:	Months:	Regular— Years:	Months:
--	--	8	7

11. State, Territory, or foreign country of birth (do not give town):

Rhode Island

12. Race:

W

13. Sex:

Male

14. Date of birth—

Month: January

Year: 1890

15. Kinds of schools attended, years attended, and degrees taken:

E8 - H4 - C1

16. Marital condition:

M

17. War veteran?

No

18. Appointed from—

Congressional district and State: 3 R. I.

County: Newport

19. Civil service status:

C

20. Method by which classified status was obtained:

CE

21. Place of employment—

City: Boston Harbor

State: Mass.

DO NOT FOLD THIS CARD.

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(Cross Reference)

Re request for exemption in cases of following named employees, L.H.Jervis, see letter of dated indicated in Chief Clerk File 75024-22:

8/4/17 S. M. Falconer
8/8/17 H. E. Litchfield
8/9/17 R. P. Leonard
8/13/17 E. T. McGregor
8/18/17 Thomas L. Kelly
8/16/17 C. D. Crawford
8/20/17 E. C. Mott
8/21/17 C. J. Lillecrun
8/22/17 A. Lobentsen
8/28/17 D. Corlett

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OCT 13 1917

Sir:

Referring to the report of assistance rendered by you on the night of September 25, 1917, to a party of five persons on board the disabled motor boat DREAMER, the Department takes pleasure in commending you for the service thus rendered, which will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

(Signed) WILLIAM C. REDFIELD

Secretary.

Mr. Elmo C. Mott,
Keeper, Deer Island Light Station, Massachusetts,
(Through Commissioner of Lighthouses).

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files

Exact copy as signed by WILLIAM C. REDFIELD

Mailed OCT 12 1917 by

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APPOINTMENTS MAR 15 1916

MAR 15 1916

My dear Congressman:

Referring again to your letter of February 24, 1916, requesting to be furnished information as to the names of the persons whose lives have been saved by Mr. E. E. Mott, assistant keeper in the Lighthouse Service, with dates, etc., I have to advise you that there is no keeper in the Lighthouse Service by that name, but the records show that Mr. Elno C. Mott, assistant keeper, Deer Island Light Station, Massachusetts, has been commended by this Department for rendering aid in the following noted cases:

July 28, 1914, for rescuing on the night of July 11, 1914, two men from the burning motor boat THE MORNING STAR, owned by Mr. Freeman McAlpine, of 93 Washington Street, Somerville, Mass., by towing and beaching the boat, and taking the exhausted men to the station and providing food, dry clothing, and lodging for the night. The rescued men gave their names as Gus Potter and W. A. Wells.

September 24,1915, for assistance rendered on September 11,1915, to the disabled power boat ALICE, in towing it to the station and giving food and lodging to the 11 men on board for the night. The disabled launch was the property of Mr. John McBride, of Cottage Street, Chelsea, Mass. The names of the 11 men are not given in the records of the office of the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

October 1, 1915, for assistance rendered on September 22,1915, in going to the assistance of the power boat MADELINE, owned by Mr. Richard Brown, of 552 Bennington Street, East Boston, Mass., which had become disabled in the vicinity of the station, in towing the launch to a safe anchorage behind the breakwater, and caring for the four occupants of the boat. The names of the occupants are not given in the records of the office of the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Very truly yours,

E. F. SWEET.

Assistant Secretary.

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files

Exact copy as signed by E. F. SWEET.

Mailed MAR 15 1916 by

Hon. Henry Bruckner,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

LIGHT MAR 10 1916 HOUSES CHIEF CLERK MAR 13 1916

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

I, Elno C. Mott,

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.

APPOINTMENTS MAR 13 1916 10

Elno C. Mott
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 6th day of March, A. D. 1916

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) A P Dawson

(Official title) Master Light House Service

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Keeper	$720. per annum	Deer Island Light Station, Mass.
Former[5] Assistant Keeper	$540. per annum	Deer Island Light Station, Mass.

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, Second District

Boston, Mass. (Address), March 8, 1916. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on March 1, 1916. (Date)

Graves
(Signature, followed by title)
Inspector.

[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 after the 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, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs, as he has no 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.

[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 28, 1916.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

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 Seven Hundred and Twenty dollars per annum,

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

(By promotion from assistant keeper at $540 per annum.)

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS

Chief of Appointment Division.

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APPOINTMENT ENTERED

FEB 8 1916

BALANCE REPORTED

MAR 1916

COMMISSION

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice: Joseph B. McCabe.

Legal Residence: Rhode Island.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT FEB 25 1916 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass. (City.) February 23 (Date.), 1916.

CHIEF CLK FEB 28 1916

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion-

Name, Elno C. Mott- Legal residence, Rhode Island-

Position, Keeper- Salary, $720. per annum-

Location, Deer Island Light Station, Mass. Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses, 1916-

Effective March 1, 1916, [1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

FEB 28 1916

Former position, Assistant Keeper- Former salary, $540. per annum-

Location, Deer Island Light Station, Mass.

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

Previous incumbent, Joseph B. McCabe- Services terminated, February 19, 1916-

Reason, Death-

Members of family in Government Service, ---

Remarks: Mr. Mott is an efficient employe, deserving of this promotion- There are no applications on file from Keepers or Assistant Keepers for transfer to this station.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. , 191

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

Yeager
Chief Clerk.

Secretary, Civil Service District.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

FEB 26 1916

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Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

S Conway
Acting Commissioner

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

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APPOINTMENTS
FEB 26 1916

FEB 26 1916

My dear Congressman:

Referring to your communication of February 24,1916 , in regard to furnishing you with the names of the persons whose lives were saved by Mr. E. C. Mott, assistant keeper in the Lighthouse Service, with dates, etc.

You are respectfully informed that the matter is being investigated, and that you will be further advised in regard thereto at an early date.

Very truly yours,

E. F. SWEET

Assistant Secretary.

Hon. Henry Bruckner,
House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.

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Exact copy mailed by

FEB 26 1916

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Form 111

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT JAN 8 1916 HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK JAN 18 1916

APPOINTMENTS JAN 18 1916 21

I, Elno C. Mott,

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.

Elno C. Mott.
(Appointee signs here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] 6th day of January, A. D. 1916

(Affix official seal here)

[4] (Name) William H. Chick.

(Official title) Notary Public.

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Assistant Keeper-	$540. per annum-	Deer Island Light Station, Mass.
Former [5] Assistant Keeper-	$504. per annum-	Deer Island Light Station, Mass.

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

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Office of Lighthouse Inspector, Second District

Boston, Mass. (Address), January 6, 1916. (Date)

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on January 1, 1916. (Date)

Savage
(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.

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[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—FIXED DATE

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
WASHINGTON

December 23, 1915.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

You have been appointed, subject to taking the oath of office, and to actual entrance upon duty (unless on authorized leave) on the date indicated, Assistant Keeper in the Lighthouse Service at a salary of Five Hundred and Forty dollars per annum, effective January 1, 1916.

(By increase in compensation from $504 per annum.)

CARDED.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED DEC 23 1915 DEPT. OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,
(SIGNED) CLIFFORD HASTINGS
Chief of Appointment Division.

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Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.

Vice:

Legal Residence: Rhode Island.

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Form 73

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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LIGHT HOUSES DEC 22 1915

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass. (City.) December 20 (Date.) 191 5.

CHIEF CLERK DEC 23 1915

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

Action recommended, Promotion-

Name, Elno C. Mott- Legal residence, Rhode Island-

Position, Assistant Keeper- Salary, $540. per annum-

Location, Deer Island Light Station, Mass. Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses, 1916-

Effective January 1, 1916, {the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

ACCOUNTS DEC 23 1915

Former position, Assistant Keeper- Former salary, $504. per annum-

Location, Deer Island Light Station, Mass.

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

Previous incumbent, Himself- Services terminated, December 31, 1915.

Reason, Promotion- (Increase auth. S.L. 12/16/15)

Relatives in Government Service, --

Remarks: Mr. Mott is an efficient employee, deserving of this promotion.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. , 191

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector:

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Secretary, Civil Service District

Chief Clerk.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

DEC 22 1915

12/23/15 MMB

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Conway

Acting Commissioner

1 Strike out the clause which does not apply.

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OCT 1 1915

Sir:

Referring to report of assistance rendered by you on September 22, 1915, to the power boat MADELINE, which, with four men aboard, had become disabled off Deer Island Light Station, Mass., you are commended for the assistance rendered on that occasion, which fact will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

APPOINTMENTS
OCT 2 1915

Respectfully,

WILLIAM C. REDFIELD

Secretary.

Mr. Elno C. Mott, Assistant Keeper,
Deer Island Light Station, Mass.,
Through Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files
Exact copy as signed by WILLIAM C. REDFIELD
Mailed OCT 1 1915 by Eva

File
Rec'd

SEP 24 1915

APPOINTMENTS
SEP 24 [illegible]

Sir:

Referring to report of assistance rendered by you on September 11, 1915, to the disabled power boat ALICE, and to the eleven men who were on board, you are commended for the service rendered by you on that occasion, which fact will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

Respectfully,

WILLIAM C. REDFIELD

Secretary.

Mr. Elno C. Mott, Assistant Keeper,
Deer Island Light Station, Mass.,
Through Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files
Exact copy as signed by WILLIAM C. REDFIELD
Mailed SEP 24 1915 by [signature]

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JUL 2 8 1914

Sir:

Referring to report of the rescue by you, on the night of July 11, 1914, of two men from the burning motor boat The Morning Star, you are commended for the service rendered by you on that occasion, which fact will be noted on the records as part of your official history.

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Respectfully,

Secretary.

Mr. Elno C. Mott, Assistant Keeper,
Deer Island Light Station, Mass.,
Through Commissioner of Lighthouses.

LIGHTHOUSES---Appointment Division's files
Exact copy as signed by WILLIAM C. REDFIELD
Mailed JUL 28 1914 by G. O. K.

LIGHT
JUN 22 1914
HOUSES

CHIEF CLERK
JUN 28 1914

PERSONAL QUESTION SHEET

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
WASHINGTON

March 5, 1913

APPOINTMENTS
JUN 23 1914

To the Chiefs of Bureaus of the Department of Commerce:

For the purpose of enabling the Department to maintain a complete record of its officers and employees, you are requested to have every person hereafter appointed or employed in your Bureau, immediately upon his entrance on duty, answer each of the questions in Part I of this form and sign the same. The information given in Part I should be reviewed and approved in accordance with instructions. The information in Part II should be supplied as indicated and the form forwarded to the Department.

William C. Redfield
Secretary.

CARDED.

PART I.

(Part I should be filled out by the appointee or employee; but, if he is unable to write legibly, another person may write the answers at his dictation. In either case the statement should be signed by the appointee or employee. If he is unable to write, he may sign by mark in the presence of one witness. If he is unable to answer any question, he should indicate that fact.)

1. What is your full name? (Do not use initials, but spell out each name and state whether Mr., Miss, or Mrs. Example: Mr. John Richard Doe. If name itself is merely a letter, it should be so stated.)

Mr Elmo Carter Mott.

2. How do you intend to write your name on the pay roll? (***This should agree with signature to your oath of office.***) Elmo C Mott.

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

Block Island.	R.I.	Newport.	3d. ✓
City or town.	State or Territory.	County.	Congressional district.

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

5. Where were you born? Block Island. R.I.

6. When were you born? January 13 1890
Month. Day. Year.

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

John A. Mott — Name.
Block Island — City or town.
R.I. — State or Territory. (Number and street.)

8. Are there any members of your family, besides yourself, in the civil service of the United States? (If so, give below their names, relationships, the Departments and Bureaus or Services in which they are employed, and the positions they occupy.)

Name.	Relationship.	Department.	Bureau or Service.	Position.
no				

9. If you were appointed through a civil service examination, state, as near as you recollect, the name and date of the examination. If not so appointed, state how you entered the service. (Examples: "By reinstatement," or "by transfer from ——," stating Department, Bureau or Service, position, and salary, if known.)

Assistant Keeper. May 11, 1914

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

no

11. 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.
Dept of Agriculture	Weather Bureau	Messenger	$480.00	about Oct 1. 1907	Mar 16. 1914

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

no

13. Were you in the military or naval service of the United States during the Civil or Spanish-American War? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

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

14. If you served in the military or naval service of the United States at any time other than during the Civil or Spanish-American Wars, indicate such service in the spaces below.

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

15. Are you the widow or orphan of an honorably discharged soldier or sailor? (If so, give the information called for by the blanks below.)

Name under which service was rendered no

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

16. 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 11, 12, 13, and 14.)

Marine Engineer

17. 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.)

High School and one year at
R. I. College, Kingston, R. I.

18. 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

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

about Sept 1, 1907, June 1909, May 4, 1914
Messenger, Weather Bureau Asst. Keeper.

20. 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

21. State the date upon which the above blanks were filled. June 18, 1914

Witness:

(Signature) Edna C. Mott.

P. O. Address: Block Island
City or town.

Number and street.

R. I.
State or Territory.

In case signature is by mark.

(Where the appointee is to be employed outside of the District of Columbia the information given in Part I should be reviewed and approved by the officer in immediate charge before forwarding to the Bureau. Where he is to be employed in the District of Columbia, Part I should be reviewed and approved by the officer who executes Part II.)

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded June 18, 1914.

(Signature) Goddard

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(Official title) Inspector.

PART II.

(Part II should be executed by the executive officers of the various Bureaus of the Department, or, at their direction, by some official who can give the information desired. If unable to answer any question, indicate that fact.)

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1. State the Bureau or Service, place, and district in which the person who answered the foregoing questions is employed:

Lighthouse Service (Bureau or Service.) | Deer Island Light Station, Mass. (Place (city, town, station, or vessel.)) | Second (District.)

2. To what position has he been appointed? Assistant Keeper

3. State the date of appointment. June 15, 1914

4. State the date the appointment was effective. (If appointment was made to take effect on date of oath, so state.)

June 18, 1914

5. State the date of the oath. June 18, 1914

6. State the date the employee entered on duty. June 18, 1914

7. What is his salary? $504.

8. From what appropriation is he paid? Salaries of Keepers, 1914.

9. Is the position excepted, competitive, or unclassified under the civil service rules? Competitive.

10. If classified, state the date of classification. May 6, 1896.

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

From Civil Service Eligible Register.

12. Is the employee required to give bond? No.

13. When the legal residence given in answer to question 3, Part I, differs from that given in the certificate of appointment, the discrepancy should be explained.

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14. If foreign born, state when and where naturalization papers were taken out. --

Reviewed, approved, and forwarded to the Department.

(Signature) A Goddard

(Official title) Inspector.

Date: June 18, 1914.

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Form 111

Clerk

OATH OF OFFICE

(Prescribed by Section 1757, Revised Statutes)

LIGHT JUN 22 1914 HOUSES

Department of Commerce and Labor

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

CHIEF CLERK JUN 24 1914

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I, Elno C. Mott,

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.

APPOINTMENTS JUN 24 1914

☞ Elno C. Mott
(Appointee signs here)

(Affix official seal here)

[2] Sworn to (See below) and subscribed before me, this [3] eighteenth day of June, A. D. 1914

[4] (Name) Arthur L. Stevenson

(Official title) Notary Public

Official Title	Rate of Pay	Name of Station, Vessel, or Place of Employment
Present Asst. Keeper	$504. per annum	Deer Island Light Station, Mass.
Former[5] --	--	--

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

Office of Lighthouse Inspector, Second District

Boston, Mass., (Address), June 18, 1914. (Date)

CARDED.

The above-named appointee entered upon duty on June 18, 1914. (Date)

C Guaard
(Signature, followed by title)
Inspector.

[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 after the 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, or any other officer having authority to administer oaths, but never before a collector of customs, as he has no 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.

[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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PROBATIONARY APPOINTMENT

Department of Commerce and Labor
APPOINTMENT DIVISION
Washington

June 15, 1914.

Mr. Elno C. Mott,

Through the Commissioner of Lighthouses.

Sir:

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

Assistant Keeper

in the Lighthouse Service

at a salary of Five Hundred and Four dollars

per annum, effective on the date on which you enter upon

duty in the above-mentioned position.

(By selection from certificate No. ----, and subject to a probationary period of not to exceed six months as provided by paragraph (c) of section 1 of civil-service rule VII, to be found on the reverse hereof.)

APPOINTMENT DIVISION ENTERED JUN 15 1914 ☆ ON JOURNAL OF COMMERCE

By direction of the Secretary:

Respectfully,

(SIGNED) GEO. W. LEAMLEY,

MC

Chief of Appointment Division.

Appropriation: Salaries, Keepers of Lighthouses.
Vice: George B. Bassett.
Legal Residence: Rhode Island.

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JUN 1914
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Form 73

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SPECIAL

NOMINATION

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

LIGHT JUN 11 1914 HOUSES

OFFICE OF LIGHTHOUSE INSPECTOR, Second DISTRICT,

Boston, Mass., (City.) June 10, (Date.) 1914.

THE COMMISSIONER OF LIGHTHOUSES:

CHIEF CLERK JUN 13 1914 5

Action recommended, Probationary appointment.

Name, * Elno C. Mott (4)

Legal residence, Rhode Island

Position, Assistant Keeper

Salary, $504. per annum.

Location, Deer Island Light Station, Mass.

Appropriation, Salaries of Keepers of Lighthouses, 1914.

APPOINTMENTS JUN 15 1914

Effective June 15, 1914 {[1] the actual date of entrance on duty, or as soon thereafter as he enters on duty.

APPOINTMENT DIVISION WRITTEN JUN 15 1914 DEPT OF COMMERCE

Former position, ----

Former salary, ----

Location, ----

Rank on eligible list, #1 Rating, Asst. Keeper Percentage, 84.2, Other eligibles considered:

W. J. Howard, (1) D; E. A. Harrington, (2) FR; F. N. Bourque, (3) FR; R. W. Patch, (5) FR; J. S. Barry, (6) FR.

Previous incumbent, George B. Bassett Services terminated, June 2, 1914.

Reason, Resignation

Relatives in Government Service, None

Remarks: No quarters are provided for families at this station. Mr. Mott was not required to appear in person owing to distance, but his vouchers show clean record in previous employment. He was employed in the Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau, Oct. 10, 1907 to March, 1914. None of the men considered are deaf mutes.

Selection regular, subject to the action of the U. S. Civil Service Commission. June 10, 1914

In the absence and by direction of the Inspector.

Edward P. Stebbins, Secretary, 1st Civil Service District.

Savage
Superintendent.

* Changed in Ltr
* No papers
NOL

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BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES
WASHINGTON

JUN 12 1914

Submitted to the Secretary of Commerce, approved.

Acting Commissioner

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

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