REFERENCE SERVICE SLIP
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REQUESTER INFORMATION

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

INFORMATION NEEDED TO LOCATE RECORDS (Furnish as much as possible)

Name used in Service (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Service Number/SSN	Date & Place of Birth
O'Connor, Deming, L.		1900 CA

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: 1964 WA

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature:

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service (AK)		
From: 1923	To: 1927	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	

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

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Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

CMRS Service Request Number: 2-2999591641

Attendant Signature:

CMRS Search Request Number(s):

Remarks:

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SCREENING NOTES

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

Hold Requested: ☐ Yes ☐ No

Total Requests:

Screened Items:

☐ Additional charge outs and signatures on reverse side

Time Out:

Final Return:

1 of 1

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE/LIFESAVING SERVICE—RECORDS CHECKED

Employee Name: O'CONNOR DEMING 2 **DOB:** 4/7/1901 1900

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

N/O To of Bay L employing agency 4/8/52

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: _____

PC
20 May 1952

Personnel Officer
Bureau of Public Roads
Department of Commerce
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Reference is made to your letter dated April 17, 1952 in which you requested a copy of service record for Mr. Deming Loran O'Connor.

Following is an abstract of service for Mr. O'Connor as taken from the record of this office:

ACTION	POSITION	EFFECTIVE DATE	DEPARTMENT
Prob. Appt.	Asst. Keeper	10-4-24	Com. 16th LH Dist, Ketchikan,
Res.	do	12-8-30	Alaska do
Appt. Uncl.	Laborer	9-11-36	do
Term.	do	12-11-36	do
Exc. Appt.	Skilled Laborer	7-15-38	do
Term.	do	11-12-38	do
Exc. Appt.	do	2-23-39	do
Term.	do	2-24-39	do
Exc. Appt.	General Mechanic	4-6-39	do
Term.	do	11-14-39 Noon	do
Appt. Uncl.	Emerg. Employee Laborer as Keeper	1-8-40	Treasury Department, USCG Juneau, Alaska
Term.	do	3-15-40	do
Exc. Appt.	General Mechanic	5-11-40	do
Term.	do	10-8-40	do

By direction of the Commandant:

Very truly yours,

H. L. MORGAN
Chief, Civilian Personnel Division

DTC/jgw

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DATE MAILED: 5-20-52

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF PUBLIC ROADS
WASHINGTON 25

IN YOUR REPLY PLEASE
REFER TO FILE NO. C-1.3

April 17, 1952

U. S. Coast Guard
Civilian Personnel Office
1300 E Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Receipt is acknowledged of the official personnel folder requested in our letter of March 21, 1952, in connection with the employment of Mr. Deming Loran O'Connor by the Lighthouse Service at Ketchikan, Alaska, from 1920 to 1938.

This folder contains copies of correspondence beginning November 28, 1925, and ending with a copy of Mr. O'Connor's resignation dated October 16, 1930.

There is no means of reconstructing the dates of employment and it will be appreciated if you will furnish a copy of a service record card, or similar record, in order that we may have a chronological record of Mr. O'Connor's service with your organization.

Very truly yours,

L. R. Schureman

L. R. Schureman, Personnel Officer
Bureau of Public Roads

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

ADDRESS REPLY TO:

PC
26 March 1952
FILE:

file

Civilian Personnel Records Branch
Records Administration Center
1724 Locust Street
St. Louis, Missouri

Subj: Letter dated March 21, 1952
from Personnel Officer, Bureau of Public Roads,
Department of Commerce, Washington 25, D. C.
regarding service of Mr. Deming Loran O'Conner

Dear Sir:

The subject correspondence is forwarded to your office for action for the reason that the personnel folder in this case was forwarded to your office some time ago and this office does not have the official record on which to base a reply.

By direction of the Commandant:

Very truly yours,

H. L. MORGAN
Chief, Civilian Personnel Division

Copy forwarded to
Personnel Officer
Bureau of Public Roads
Washington 25, D. C.
Any further correspondence in the matter should be directed to the Records Administration Center.

DTC/jgw

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DATE MAILED: 3-27-52

PC
8 May, 1952

From: Commandant
To: Commander, 17th Coast Guard District (p)

Subj: O'Connor, Deming Loran; statement of service

Headquarters is in receipt of a request from Bureau of Public Roads requesting verification of the service record for Mr. Deming Loran O'Connor who claims service with the U. S. Lighthouse Service from 1920 to 1938 at Ketchikan, Alaska. It is requested that your records be examined and a complete record of Mr. O'Connor's service, if any, be forwarded to the Commandant (PC).

H. L. MORGAN
By direction

DTC

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DATE MAILED: 5-8-52

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

ADDRESS REPLY TO:
COMMANDER
17TH COAST GUARD DISTRICT
P. O. BOX 2991
JUNEAU, ALASKA

AIR MAIL

p
12 May 1952
P20-2

From: Commander, 17th Coast Guard District
To : Commandant (PC)

Subj: O'CONNOR, Deming Loran; statement of service

Refs: (a) HQ ltr dtd 8 May, 1952 PC

Records in this office indicate the following periods of service for Deming Loran O'Connor as requested in reference (a):

Prob Appt	Asst Keeper	10-4-24	Com. 16th LH Dist, Ketchikan, Alaska
Res		12-8-30	
Appt Uncl	Laborer	9-11-36	do
Term		12-11-36	
Exc Appt	Skilled Laborer	7-15-38	do
Term		11-12-38	
Exc Appt	" "	2-23-39	do
Term		2-24-39	
Exc Appt	Gen Mechanic	4-6-39	do
Term		11-14-39 Noon	
Appt Uncl	Emerg Empl Laborer as Keeper	1-8-40	Treas Dept, USCG Juneau Dist Alaska
Term		3-15-40	
Exc Appt	Gen Mechanic	5-11-40	do
Term		10-8-40	

V. F. TYDLACKA
By direction

Form No. 2599
TREASURY DEPARTMENT
U. S. Coast Guard
(Revised 1937)

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REPORT OF CHANGE IN PERSONNEL

O'CONNOR	Deming	L.	(civilian)	General Mechanic
(Surname)	(First name)	(Middle initial)	(Service No.)	(Rank or rating)

Scotch Cap LH	Alaska	11 May 1940
(Unit)	(Place)	(Date)

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DISTRICT

Entered on duty 0800 this date. Left on CEDAR for Scotch Cap construction work

AUTHORITY:

Art. 176 (1) P. & S.I.

E. W. Laird
(Commanding)
District Engineer Officer.
(Title)

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	Statistics	Correspondence	Records

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ADDRESS ALL COMMUNICATIONS TO
SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

LF:FT

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
United States Coast Guard
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 16TH DISTRICT
KETCHIKAN, ALASKA

14 March 1940

From: Acting Supt. of Lighthouses
To: Commandant (via Commander, Juneau District)

Subject: Emergency employment of laborer for duty as keeper.

Reference: (a) Art. 401, Regulations of the U.S.Lighthouse Service,1927.
(b) H/L of 3 October 1939.

1. Deming L. O'Connor was assigned to duty as Emergency Employment of Laborer for duty as Keeper, from 8 January 1940 to close of 15 March 1940, at Five Finger Lightstation, Alaska.

2. This emergency employment was on account of vacancy in the 2nd Assistant Keeper position caused by the transfer of Jean P. Mestrezat to Eldred Rock Lightstation.

3. It is essential that three keepers be on duty at Five Finger Lightstation.

E. W. Laird
Acting.

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JUNEAU DISTRICT

1st Indorsement

Ketchikan, Alaska
14 March, 1940

From: Commander, Juneau District.
To : Commandant.

1. Forwarded, approved.

M. J. RYAN

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REPORT OF DAMAGE TO PROPERTY OR INJURY TO PERSONS

TREASURY DEPARTMENT

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

LIGHTHOUSE SERVICE

OFFICE OF ~~SUPERINTENDENT OF LIGHTHOUSES~~ Commander, Juneau DISTRICT,

Ketchikan, Alaska, 23 October, 1940

Name of vessel, station, or other aid to navigation involved: - - - - -

Date of accident: 17 August 1940 (8.15 A.M.)

Nature and cause of accident: Sprained knee caused by flour sack (100#) striking knee.

Estimated cost of damage { to property of the Department: $ ---
to private property: $ ---

What steps have been taken to recover cost of damage to Department property?

Where accidents result in injury to, or death of, any employees, or others, furnish following information for each person injured:

NAME	OFFICIAL TITLE, IF GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEE	NATURE OF INJURY	HAS WORK TIME BEEN LOST BY EMPLOYEE
Deming L. O'Connor	General Mechanic	Sprained knee.	No.

Reports will be duly submitted to the Employees' Compensation Commission in case any medical or other charges are involved under the Employees' Compensation Act.

Remarks or recommendations:

Forms C. A. 1 and 2 are being forwarded to the Employees' Compensation Commission as required. C. A. 3 will be forwarded later. F. A. ZEUSLER

Superintendent of Lighthouses.

FRANK TOMKIEL, By direction

Date .....

Submitted, in duplicate, to the Secretary of Commerce, for his information.

For the Commissioner.

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