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

Name used in Service (Please Print – Last, First, Middle)	Service Number/SSN	Date & Place of Birth
Pounds, William, L.		

MILITARY SERVICE

Branch of Service:

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

Type of Rank:

- ☐ Enlisted
- ☐ Officer
- ☐ Unknown

Service Period (Check all that apply):

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

Date & Place of Death:

State of Residence (upon entry into service):

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

Researcher Signature: Andrew Burns

CIVILIAN SERVICE

(Agency & Location)		
Lighthouse Service (LA) 8th		
From: 1927	To: 1927	
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From:	To:	
(Agency & Location)		
From:	To:	

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

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Appointment Time and Date:

Additional Researchers: ☐ Yes ☐ No

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
October 17, 1927

W. L. Pounds, 2 A.K.
Chandeleur L.S., La.
Probationary service

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Transmitted herewith is a report of probationary services of W. L. Pounds, Second Assistant Keeper at Chandeleur Light Station, La. It will be noted that the keeper reports that the conduct of this employee during probation has not been satisfactory and he is not considered qualified for absolute appointment.

2. Accordingly, it is recommended that Keeper Pounds be separated from the Service under paragraph (c) of section 1 Civil Service Rule 7, the effective date to be later determined and reported. Section 2 of Civil Service Rule 1 relative to political or religious opinions or affiliations will not be violated by the action recommended.

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Bureau of Lighthouses, Washington
October 20, 1927.

Submitted to Secretary of Commerce recommended for approval.

I. S. CONWAY
Acting Commissioner of Lighthouses.

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W. L. Pounds, effective date of discontinuance of services.

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OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT, 8TH DISTRICT
NEW ORLEANS, LA.
November 10, 1927

Commissioner of Lighthouses:

1. Referring to letter from this office of October 17, 1927, in which it was recommended that the services of W. L. Pounds, 2nd Assistant Keeper at Chandeleur Light Station, La., be discontinued for the reason that his conduct during probation had not been satisfactory, the Bureau is advised that the effective date of this discontinuance is October 10, 1927.

For and in the absence of the Superintendent.

F. A. Mitchi
Assistant Superintendent

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