

William C. Kincaide Jr

Born April 8, 1889

Died: Dec 21, 1959

Service # 26111

Period of Service: WW I and
WW II US Coast Guard
Sources: *Monument,
Cemetery 015 12, Am
Leaion Scrapbook – box 17*

Entered service 8/13/1912 South Chicago Station.

Retired from service 4/1/1938 as boatswain.

His stations included South Chicago, Sheboygan, East Orleans, Cape Cod, Evanston, Milwaukee,, Green Bay, and Whitefish Point.

Medals include: Victory and Good Conduct.

Parents were David Kincaide and Ella Avery.

He married Lillian Hansen in 1910, married again later to Jean in 1935. He had two sons.

A newspaper account about him says, "He was greatly honored when President Eisenhower, his wife, and their official party boarded the Coast Guard Cutter *Maple* of which he was the skipper. On the *Maple* the President made a trip through the newly opened St Lawrence Seaway Locks and Canal.....Lt Kincaide personally greeted and shook hands with the President and his wife as they stepped off the gangplank onto the *Maple* . At the end of the tour Mr. Eisenhower signed the log of the *Maple* and presented Kincaide with his flag as a personal gift..... His father, the late William Kincaide was also with the US Coast Guard, and was stationed for many years in Milwaukee."