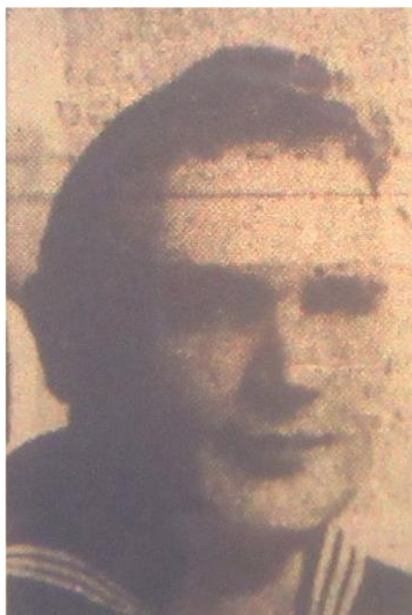


Richard Donald McNeely, T-38

8 January 1920 – 6 November 1975

aged 55)



*R. D. "Don" McNeely, 21, seaman, first class on duty on a battleship in the Pacific, is safe according to a letter received yesterday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McNeely, Court Street, and his wife, Mrs. Jettye Louis (Langston) McNeely, who is making her home with her husband; s parents.*

*Young McNeely wrote his parents on December 9, two days after going through the Battle of Honolulu, saying that he was safe.*

*He has been in the Navy since July 2, 1940 and was graduated from Tech High School.*

*Information from The Commercial Appeal, Wednesday, December 18, 1941.*