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Rank *Fire Controlman 3/c* Name *Carlos Alfred Hickman*
First name Middle name Last Name

Serial Number *614 56 95* Branch of Service *U. S. N. R.*

Date of birth *May 18, 1919* Place of birth *Noble Co, Ohio*

Date of enlistment or induction (state which) *Date of enlistment, 6-30-42*

Important battles *Invasion of Salerno, Anzio Beachhead*

Decorations *Order of the Purple Heart*

Date of death *April 20, 1945* Place of death *Near Oran, Africa*

Cause or manner of death *Serving on the U. S. S. Lansdale. Ship was attacked by four torpedoes, Carlos went down with his ship.*

Special duties or qualifications

Length of foreign service *About fourteen months*

How long was he a resident of Muskingum Co. *all of his life*



FC2C Carlos Alfred Hickman, killed in action during sinking of USS Lansdale by enemy planes near Oran, Africa.

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What school and college diplomas did he hold? ... *Attended Zanesville Schools but didn't finish all of his high school.*

Occupation in civilian life ... *Machinist*

If married, name and address of wife ... *Mrs. V. Irene Bryan Hickman, 734 Luck Ave., Zanesville, Ohio*

Names and ages of children

Other important biographical information

Carlos had served aboard the Lansdale only two months at the time of his death. He had been transferred from the U. S. S. Mayo - it had been torpedoed and was sent back to the U. S. for repairs. at the time the Lansdale was sunk, it was doing convoy duty from Africa to So. Italy. A lot of information we have never been able to get due to the war time restrictions at the time of his death.

Name and address of relative who supplied above information ... *Widow - Mrs. V. Irene Hickman - 743 Luck Ave.*

Zanesville telephone No. ... *4048* ...