

Feb. 27, 1942

SIC

Rank ..... Name *Elmer* ..... *Sharp* .....  
First name Middle name Last name

Serial Number ..... Branch of Service *Navy* .....

Date of birth ..... Place of birth .....

Date of enlistment or induction (state which) .....

Important battles .....

Decorations .....

Date of death *2/18/42* ..... Place of death .....

Cause or manner of death *when U.S.S. Truxton went aground off the coast of Newfoundland.* .....

Special duties or qualifications .....

Length of foreign service ..... *Obtained.* .....

How long was he a resident of *Muskingum Co.* .....  
SIC *Elmer Sharp*, killed when *USS Truxton* went aground; *Newfoundland.*

(See other side)

\* *second casualty in war*

What school and college diplomas did he hold?.....

Occupation in civilian life .....

If married, name and address of wife.....

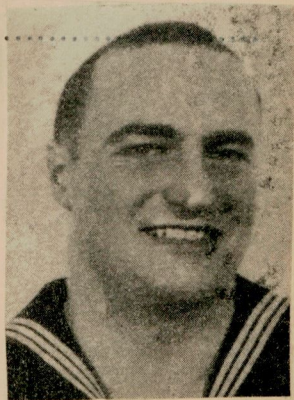
Names and ages of children .....

Other important biographical information

Grandfather - Wade Cotter  
503 White Oak Ave.

Name and address of relative who supplied above information .....

Zanesville telephone No.....



Rank *Electrician's Mate* Name *Wade Elmer Sharp*  
*3rd class* First name Middle name Last Name

Serial Number Branch of Service *Navy*

Date of birth *May 16, 1919* Place of birth *Canton, North Carolina*

Date of enlistment or induction (state which) *Enlisted March - 1939*

Important battles

Decorations

Date of death *Feb. 18, 1942* Place of death *Newfoundland Coast*

Cause or manner of death *Ship U.S.S. Truxton, sunk in storm*

Special duties or qualifications

Length of foreign service *2 years foreign duty*

How long was he a resident of Muskingum Co. *10 years*

EM3C Wade Elmer Sharp, killed when USS Truxton went aground, Newfoundland. (See other side)

What school and college diplomas did he hold? .....

Saratoga N.Y. High school diploma

Occupation in civilian life .....

Electrician

If married, name and address of wife .....

Mrs Wanda (Goly) Sharp, Buffalo, N.Y.

Names and ages of children .....

None

Other important biographical information

Name and address of relative who supplied above information .....

Mrs H. W. Cotter - Grandmother + Grandfather

Zanesville telephone No. ....

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