## LINTON, GEORGE EDWARD May 15, 1919-December 7, 1941

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Linton received word from the U.S. Navy Department that their son, George Edward Linton, Fireman Second class, has been officially declared to have lost his life in the service of his country, Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>, 1941, at the time of the attack by the Japanese on Pearl Harbor.

George Edward Linton was born May 15, 1919. He attended high school and grew to manhood in this vicinity and enlisted in the enlisted in the U.S. Navy, April 1<sup>st</sup>, 1940.

George was the type of young man of whom the Navy was justly proud to have among his membership, one who was exceedingly well liked by his enlisted personnel with whom he served.

Survivors in addition to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Linton, are three brothers and one sister: Billy Linton of the U.S. Air Corps at Victorville, Calif., Everett Charles who enlisted in U.S. Navy February 6<sup>th</sup> and is stationed at Great Lakes, Ill., Raymond Joe and Mrs. Carlos Bowman of Wheatland besides other relatives and a host of friends.

The bereaved relatives have the sympathy of all in the loss of the brave boy who offered his services to our country and gave up his life that democracy may survive.