

Herbert G. Jackson (1898 – 1944)

Herbert George Jackson was born in Pennsylvania on August 14, 1898 and enlisted in the U.S. Navy in 1917 during WWI. His wife was the former Miss Mary E. Mullane of Norwood, MA, and he had been married since 1925.

He was 45 years old, and a Chief Quartermaster (CH QM) in the United States Naval Reserve. His family lived at 81 Second Avenue, Chula Vista, CA, and had lived there since 1938. Prior to that time, the Jackson's had been stationed in Honolulu. He retired in 1939, and reentered the Navy in 1940.

He died of his wounds at the Naval Hospital in San Diego, and had died suddenly on July 26, 1944 after a 10 day stay . A solemn Requiem Mass was said for him at St. Rose of Lima in Chula Vista on July 29, 1944. He was buried at Plot F 58, Ft. Rosecrans National Cemetery in San Diego, CA. He was a member of the Fleet Reserve Association Branch 9 of San Diego.

He was survived by his wife, Mrs. Mary E. Jackson of Chula Vista, and a brother, George Jackson of Houston, Texas. In 2006, the City of Chula Vista and the McMillin Housing Development honored Herbert Jackson by having a street named in his honor in the Lomas Verdes subdivision.

