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On Eternal Patrol - Lost Submariners of World War II

Elmer Howard Russell



Rank/Rate	Seaman, Second Class
Service Number	641 23 56
Birth Date	July 25, 1921
From	Maryville, Tennessee
Decorations	Purple Heart
Submarine	<u>USS Pickerel (SS-177)</u>
Loss Date	April 3, 1943
Location	Off Honshu, Japan
Circumstances	Probably sunk by depth charge attack
Remarks	Elmer was born in Maryville, Tennessee.

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