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Isaac Boone
Royal Naval Reserve (Newfoundland)
Royal Navy
Service No. D/JX173670
World War II

Born: November 1919

Died: 1975

Place of Birth: Bareneed, Newfoundland

Parents: Isaac and Naomi (Richards) Boone

The 1921 Newfoundland general census has Isaac at age two (2) living in Bareneed, Newfoundland.

The following census of 1935 also lists Isaac at home in Bareneed. He is now sixteen (16).

At the outbreak of WW II in 1939, Isaac enlisted in the Royal Naval Reserve (Newfoundland) and was one of the First

Naval Contingent of 200 men to be shipped overseas.

The 1st Contingent left St. John's on 27 November 1939 on board the HMT Newfoundland and arrived in Liverpool, England via Halifax on 15 December 1939.



- **RMS Newfoundland** (1925–40) Royal Mail Ship
- **HMHS Newfoundland** (?–1943) His Majesty's Hospital Ship
- Sunk in 1943 in German air attack off southern Italy

Isaac's home port division as designated in his service number was Devonport, England.

During his time in service in England, Isaac met Jean Herbert. The two were married in October 1944 at Liverpool, Lancashire, England and the following year, August 1945, they welcomed their only child Sandra into the family.

Following release from service, Isaac, Jean, and Sandra stayed in England for about seven (7) years and only left for Newfoundland on June 21, 1952. Isaac is now thirty-three (33) and Jean is thirty (30).

They make their home in Newfoundland (St. John's?) for awhile, but it seems they moved

to Ontario, since it is there in 1975, Isaac passed away.

He is buried in St. Andrew's and St. James Cemetery in Orillia, Ontario. There is also a memorial stone (Cenotaph) erected in his memory at the Anglican Cemetery (commonly known as the Kenmount Road Cemetery in St. John's, Newfoundland.