

Demko, Amos J.

Bath Tar, Father of Four, Drowns In 'Enemy Action', Navy Reports

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Word was received at Bath Tuesday morning of the drowning, "as a result of enemy action", of Amos J. Demko, Walnut Street, Bath, ship servicemen's barber, third class, USNR.

The time and place were not contained in the information received by the wife, Mrs. Helen Mae Demko, in a telegram from the Navy Department and signed by Vice Admiral Randolph Jacobs, Chief of Naval Personnel.

Demko enlisted in February of this year, and received his boot training

at Sampson, N. Y.

He has a family of wife and four young children, the oldest son just starting in Technical High in Bethlehem.

Prior to entering the service Demko served the community of Bath with a daily milk route, and later engaged in the insurance business for the Knights Life Insurance Company of Newark, N. J.

He was a deacon in St. John's Lutheran Church and was very popularly known in and around the community of Bath.

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