

2/20/82 ——— Obituary ———

LOUIS SANTOS

NORTH CONWAY, N.H. —

Louis R. Santos, 55, of 16 April Way, Yarmouthport, Mass., and formerly of Taunton, Mass., a civil engineer, died suddenly Friday in North Conway. He was the husband of Ruth Ann (Boice) Santos.

Born in Taunton and educated in Taunton schools, he was a son of the late Manuel and Mary (Fonseca) Santos. He graduated from Taunton High School and from Lowell Technical School.

A civil engineer for the Massachusetts Department of Public Works for 26 years, he was a well-known drummer in the Taunton, Brockton, Boston and Cape Cod areas with the Dick Johnson Swing Shift Band.

A Navy veteran of World

War Two, he was a member of the American Federation of Musicians, past commander of the Raynham American Legion Post 405, a member of the District Six Club of the Department of Public Works and of the Massachusetts Engineers Association.

In addition to his wife, he is survived by five sons, John S., Peter G. and Thomas J. Santos, all of Yarmouthport, W. Scott Carter of North Dighton and L. Richard Carter of Taunton; a brother, Albert Santos of Taunton; a sister, Mrs. J. Stewart (Bertha) McNamara, of Taunton; four grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.