

MEDAL OF HONOR

MCNAMARA, Michael
Private, U.S. Marine Corps
G. O. Navy Department, No. 169
February 8, 1872

CITAITON:

On board the U.S.S. BENICIA during the capture of the Korean forts, 11 June 1871. Advancing to the parapet, McNamara wrenched the match-lock from the hands of an enemy and killed him.