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Steaming in accordance with Movement Instructions in CANF SWPA OP PLAN 17-44 and CTF 79.1 Attack Order A701-44 in company with TransGroup 79.3 (U.S.S. MOUNT MCKINLEY * O.T.C. and Fleet Guide), in cruising disposition 1-T on base course 296 True and p.g.c., 298 p.s.c., and 280 p.s.t.c., at speed 10 knots - 55 rpm's. Standard Speed is 12 knots. 0116 c/s to 9 knots - 49 rpm's. Zigzagging in accordance with Plan No. 6. 0347 c/s to 10 knots - 55 rpm's.

H.F. Anderson
H.F. ANDERSON,
Lieut. D-V(S) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0427 Sounded routine dawn General Quarters. 0440 Simulated 500 lb. bomb hit on #5 hatch. Gasoline in drums on fire, Groups 5 and 6, 20mm and both 1.1/75 out of commission. 0450 Fire is out at #5 hatch. 0527 Secure from General Quarters, lighten ship. 0536 c/s to 11 knots (60 rpm's).

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. Daily magazine inspection report made; conditions found normal. 0826 Change speed to 2/3 (08 knots). 0905 Change speed to Standard (12 knots). 1038 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1042 Changed course to 266°T. by turn signal. 1148 Changed course to 296°T. by turn signal.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1207 Commenced zigzagging using Plan #23. 1255 Port and Starboard paravanes ready for streaming drill. 1300 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. c/s to 8 knots (44 rpm's). 1334 Both paravanes dropped in water, commencing streaming exercise. 1335 Starboard paravane streaming clear. 1340 Recovered port paravane to correct fouling. 1347 c/s to 12 knots (61 rpm's). 1352 Port paravane dropped and streaming clear. 1410 c/s to 8 knots (44 rpm's). 1412 Commenced recovering paravanes. 1415 Port paravane recovered. 1425 Starboard paravane recovered. 1446 Commenced tactical exercises. 1447 c/s to 12 knots (61 rpm's). 1453 Executed Turn 6 to course 356°True. 1458 Executed emergency 6 Turn to course 296°True. 1459 Booms on #2 hatch ready for hoisting out boats. Continued paravane drill to expedite rigging of booms for hoisting boats after streaming paravanes. 1504 Executed emergency Turn 5 to course 346°True. 1507 Executed emergency 5 Turn to course 296°True. 1513 Executed 6 Turn to course 236°True. 1517 Executed emergency Turn 6 to course 296°True. 1523 Commenced zigzagging using Plan #6. 1527 Executed emergency 6 Turn to course 241°True. 1530 Executed emergency Turn 4 to course 281°True. 1532 Executed emergency Turn 1 ANS to course 296°True. 1537 Ceased tactical exercise.

M.A. Sumberg
M.A. SUMBERG,
Ensign D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1608 c/s to 13 knots (69 rpm's). 1611 Secured paravane detail. 1617 Commenced zigzag according to Plan #6. 1820 Cease zigzag resumed base course.

J.J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2011 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #23.

P.M. Aubry
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Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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Steaming in accordance with Movement Instructions in CANF, SWPA OP Plan 17-44 and CTF 79.1 Attack Order A701-44 in company with Trans. Group 79.3 U.S.S. MOUNT MCKINLEY (O.T.C. and Fleet Guide). On base course 296°T. Steaming at 13 knots (67 rpm's). Standard Speed 12 knots. Zigzagging in accordance with Plan #23.

J. S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0438 Sounded routine dawn General Quarters. Damage control problem conducted. Simulated fire in forward magazine, and bridge communication casualty. 0538 Secured from General Quarters. 0556 Ceased zigzagging; resumed base course. 0601 Changed course to 276 True. 0655 Changed to base course 296 True. 0701 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan 6.

H. F. Anderson
H.F. ANDERSON,
Lieut. D-V(S) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0801 Commenced drill at streaming paravanes. 0806 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. c/s to 8 knots (44 rpm's). 0845 c/s to 12 knots (66 rpm's). 0932 c/s to 8 knots (44 rpm's). 0937 Commenced recovering paravanes. 0944 Both paravanes aboard. 0946 c/s to 13 knots (72 rpm's). 1005 c/s to 4 knots (22 rpm's). 1015 c/s to 10 knots (56 rpm's). 1020 c/s to 13 knots (71 rpm's). 1022 c/c to 276°T. Sounded General Quarters for firing practice. 1030 c/c to 296°T. Now in formation 5-T. 1033 Target plane commenced making runs on formation. 1054 Commenced firing. 1054 Checked fire. 1104 c/s to 13.5 knots. 1124 Commenced firing. 1124 Checked firing. 1138 Commenced firing. 1138 Checked firing. 1150 Ceased present exercises having fired ammunition as follows: 1.1/75 - 87 rounds and 20mm - 303 rounds. Secured from General Quarters, set Condition III. 1155 c/c to 316°T. Taking formation 2-T.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1201 Change course to 296°T. 1212 Change speed to 08 knots. 1213 Change speed to 13.5 knots (74 rpm's). In position in cruising formation "C" Form 2-T.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1600 Tested whistle and siren - round satisfactory. 1737 c/s to 13.2 knots (73 rpm's). 1905 Commenced abandon ship drill for troops. 1940 Secured from abandon ship drill.

M. A. Sumberg
M.A. SUMBERG,
Ensign D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2100 Commenced zigzag according to Plan #6.

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P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0500 Sounded General Quarters. Commenced damage control drills. 0600 Secured from damage control drills and General Quarters. 0610 Ceased zigzagging. Steady on course 276°T. 0641 Resumed zigzagging. Plan #6.

W.W. Parker
W.W. PARKER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0800 Daily magazine temperature reports received. Conditions normal. 1006 c/s to 13 knots (71 rpm's).

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1443 Executed emergency Turn 4 to course 306°T. 1445 Executed Emergency Turn 5 to course 356°T. 1504 Executed Turn 6 to course 298°T.

W.W. West
W.W. WEST,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1600 Tested siren and whistle. 1807 Cease zigzagging and turned to course 318°T. 1826 Commenced zigzagging on Plan 6. 1845 Ceased zigzagging. 1905 Commenced abandon ship drill for troops. 1927 Secured from abandon ship drill.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2200 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #23.

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J. B. Borgeon
J. B. BORGENSEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0520 Sounded routine General Quarters and commenced damage control drills. 0620 Secured from drills and General Quarters. 0624 Executed 2.5 Turn to course 268°T. 0738 Resumed zigzagging in accordance with Plan #23 on base course 298°T.

P. M. Aubrey
P. M. AUBREY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0825 Received daily magazine temperature reports. Conditions normal. 0845 c/s to 12 knots (66 rpm's). 1000 Executed Ahead 1/3 speed. 1012 c/s to 10 knots (56 rpm's). 1013 Sounded General Quarters for anti-aircraft firing practice. 1020 c/c to 275°T. c/s to 15 knots. 1026 c/c to 298°T. 1027 c/c to 328°T. 1030 c/c to 298°T. Now steaming in formation 5-T. 1035 Target plane towing sleeve commenced making runs on formation. 1035 Commenced firing. 1035 Check fire. 1112 Commenced firing. 1113 Checked fire. 1116 Commenced firing. 1117 Checked fire. 1120 Commenced firing. 1120 Checked fire. 1138 Ceased present exercises having expended the following ammunition: 5"/38 - 11 rounds; 1.1/75 - 181 rounds; 20mm - 845 rounds. Secured from General Quarters, set Condition III. 1141 c/s to 13 knots (72 rpm's). 1147 c/c to 318°T. 1154 c/c to 298°T. Now steaming in formation 2-T.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1205 Change speed to 08 knots. 1215 Changed speed to Standard. 1223 Turn thirty degrees to right. 1235 Turned sixty degrees to left. 1245 Turned thirty to right. 1249 Change fleet course and axis to 306°T. 1259 Turned twenty degrees to left. 1314 Turned forty degrees to right. 1324 Sound contact investigated at 040°T. 1530 Turned twenty degrees to port. 1410 Changed speed to 2/3 (8 knots). 1349 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #19. 1422 Ceased zigzagging. 1425 Forming cruising disposition 3-T. 1432 Changed speed to 10 knots. 1453 Turned seventy degrees to starboard. 1500 Turned thirty degrees to starboard. 1506 Turned forty degrees to port. 1514 Emergency Turn - sixty degrees to port. 1525 Commencing to deploy according to Plan. 1545 In position in deployment plan. 1557 c/s to 8 knots.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before on tactical maneuvers. 1602 Divisions formed 18. 1638 Formed cruising disposition 3-T. 1640 Sounded General Quarters on Flash RED, Control GREEN Alert. 1648 Secured from General Quarters. 1653 c/s to 11 knots (61 rpm's). 1655 Changed fleet course and axis to 300°T. 1656 Commenced forming cruising disposition 1-T. 1704 c/s to 10 knots (56 rpm's). 1717 Commenced zigzag according to Plan #19; changed speed to 11 knots (61 rpm's). 1900 Ceased zigzag. 1900 Changed course and axis to 309°T. 1957 c/s to 10 knots (56 rpm's).

J. B. Borgeon
J. B. BORGENSEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2101 c/c to 339°T. 2200 c/c to 309°T. 2230 c/s to 9 knots (50 rpm's). 2300 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #7. 2307 c/s to 7 knots (40 rpm's).

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J. S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0542 Sounded routine dawn General Quarters. 0600 Simulated bomb hits on #1 and #3 hatches and one down the stack. 0609 Simulated fire control party knocked out by bomb hit. 0628 c/s to 8 knots (44 rpm's). 0642 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition III. 0647 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 0653 Resumed zigzagging under Plan #24.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0815 Daily magazine temperature report; conditions found normal. 0815 Crew mustered on stations. No absentees. 0820 Received the weekly magazine flooding valve report. All valves were found to be in working order. 0938 Cease zigzagging and resumed base course. Change fleet course and axis to 303°T. 0947 Changed speed to 11 knots. 1002 Set Condition 1-A. 1011 Sounded General Quarters for Condition 1-A. 1018 Abandon ship drill. 1023 Commenced zigzagging according to Plan #24. 1051 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition 3.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before on base course 303°T. at 11 knots (61 rpm's). 1314 Ceased zigzag. 1318 c/c to 263°T (4 Turn). 1403 c/c to 303°T (Turn 4). 1431 c/c to 283°T (2 Turn). 1507 c/c to 323°T (Turn 4). c/s to 12.5 knots. 1536 c/c to 303°T (2 Turn). 1541 Commenced zigzag with Plan #9.

J. J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1600 Tested whistle and siren; both satisfactory. 1822 Routine evening General Quarters sounded. 1910 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. Secured from General Quarters.

P. M. Aubrey
P.M. AUBREY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 1957 c/s to 12 knots (66 rpm's). 2030 Land bearing 248°T, 80 miles. 2043 c/s to 11 knots (61 rpm's). 2120 c/c and axis to 307°T. 2127 c/s to 10 knots (55 rpm's). 2307 c/s to 11 knots (61 rpm's).

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Steaming in accordance with Movement Instructions in CANT - SWPA OP - Plan 17-44 and CTF Attack Order A701-44 in company with Trans. Group 79.3 U.S.S. MOUNT MCKINLEY (O.T.C. and Fleet Guide). On base course 307°T, 305 pgc, 310 psc and 295 pstc, making 61 rpm's to make 11 knots speed. 0000 Commenced zig-zagging in accordance with Plan #9. 0224 c/s to 12 knots (66 rpm's). 0316 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 0325 Sighted light on land bearing 027°T. 0328 Sighted land bearing 240°T. 0336 c/c and axis to 290°T and 288° pgc.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0424 Changed fleet course and axis to 270°T, speed 11 knots. 0517 Change speed to 11.5 knots. 0545 Changed fleet course and axis to 225 True. 0625 Change course and axis to 182°T and speed to 12.5 knots. 0500 Passed off DESOLATION POINT, DINAGAT ISLAND bearing 180°T, distant 6.0 miles. 0500 Proceeding into LEYTE GULF and SURIGAO STRAITS. 0600 Sounded General Quarters. 0700 Secured from General Quarters. 0716 Changed course to 172°T.

Peter C. Evans
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0800 Daily magazines reports normal. 0801 c/c to 182°T (Turn One). 0818 c/s to 13 knots (71 rpm's). 0908 Passed BOLOBOLO Pt., LEYTE ISLAND abeam to starboard, 3.3 miles distant. 0900 Changed fleet course and axis to 217°T. 0927 Changed fleet course and axis to 241°T. 0930 Changed speed to 12 knots. 0935 Commenced zigzag in accordance to Plan #6. 1128 c/s to 12.5 knots (69 rpm's).

J. H. Borgenson
J. H. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1309 Executed Emergency Turn Four to course 321°T. 1318 c/c to 281°T. 1323 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 1424 c/s to 11 knots (60 rpm's).

P. M. Aubrey
P. M. AUBREY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1553 c/c to 236°T. 1600 Tested siren and steam whistle; both in good condition. 1639 c/s to 10 knots. 1705 Set Condition II. 1706 Enemy plane overhead. Sounded General Quarters. One enemy plane shot down by friendly planes. No damage to ships in convoy. 1709 Ceased zigzagging. Emergency change course to 236°T. 1722 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan 6. 1725 Secured from General Quarters. Set Condition 2. 1805 Ceased zigzagging. 1822 c/c to 266°T. 1834 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan 6. 1838 General Quarters. 1930 Ceased zigzagging. 1938 Secured from General Quarters.

J. S. Roberts
J. S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2000 Emergency 4 Turn to 226°T. 2007 Executed Turn 4 to 266°T. 2022 c/s to 11 knots (61 rpm's). 2028 c/c and axis to 257°T. 2205 c/c and axis to 291°T. 2241 c/s to 10 knots (56 rpm's). 2244 Passed SIATON Pt., NEGROS ISLAND, bearing 000 True, distant 11 miles. 2247 Executed 4 Turn to 251°T. 2312 Executed Turn 4 to 291°T.

Elliott Fenton
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Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0611 Sounded routine General Quarters. 0704 Cease zigzag resumed base course. 0711 c/s to 11 knots (59 rpm's). 0713 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition 2.

J. J. Borgenson
J. J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0800 Crew mustered on stations; no absentees. 0850 Received daily report of magazine temperatures and smokeless powder samples; conditions normal. 0952 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1006 Changed fleet course and axis to 353°True. 1018 Passed NASO POINT, PANAY ISLAND, abeam to starboard, distant 18.0 miles. 1019 Executed Turn 3 to 023°True. 1030 c/s to 12.5 knots, 69 rpm's. 1120 Executed 3 Turn to 353°True. 1126 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1224 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1234 Changed fleet course and axis to 330°T. 1254 U.S.S. HARRIS designated as fleet guide. 1334 U.S.S. MOUNT MCKINLEY assumed fleet guide. 1349 Commenced zig-zagging in accordance to Plan #6.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.
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16 - 18

Steaming as before. 1632 Changed fleet course and axis to 335°True.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Steaming as before on base course 335°T. 1815 Changed fleet course and axis to 340°T. 1844 Sounded General Quarters for security. 1850 Changed fleet course and axis to 345°T. 1927 Changed fleet course and axis to 350°T. 1945 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1946 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition III.

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Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2010 Light sighted bearing 003°T. 2030 Changed fleet course and axis to 353°T. 2050 Changed fleet course and axis to 332°T. 2055 Passed 3.0 miles off AMBULONG ISLAND, abeam to starboard. Entering MINDORO STRAITS. 2347 Changed fleet course and axis to 305°T.

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Steaming in accordance with Movement Order instructions in C.A.N.F. SWPA OP Plan 17-44 and C.T.G. 79.1 Attack Order A701-44 in company with Trans. Group 79.3 U.S.S. MOUNT MCKINLEY (O.T.C. and Fleet Guide). On base course 305° True, 303.5° pgc, 301° psc, 291° pstc. Making 69 rpm's for 12.5 knots. Standard Speed is 12 knots. 0207 Commenced zigzagging to Plan #6.

J.J. Boagenson
J.J. BOAGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0435 c/s to 11.5 knots (64 rpm's). 0450 Air Flash RED. Sounded General Quarters. 0503 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 0518 Changed fleet course and axis to 325° T. 0528 Commenced zigzagging in accordance to Plan #6. 0540 c/s to 10 knots (54 rpm's). 0616 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 0625 Changed fleet course and axis to 354° T. 0633 c/s to 12 knots (65 rpm's). 0726 Secured from General Quarters. 0745 Air Flash RED, Set General Quarters. 0755 Secured from General Quarters; set Condition II.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0800 Crew mustered on station; no absentees. 0815 Received daily report of magazine temperatures and smokeless powder samples; conditions normal. 0900 c/s to 12.5 knots (68 rpm's). 0912 Sounded General Quarters; enemy twin engine bomber overhead. 1007 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition II. 1110 c/s to 13 knots, 72 rpm's.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1241 MAYAGAD POINT, LUZON, P.I., abeam to starboard, distant 50 miles. 1300 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1302 Formed cruising disposition 3-T. 1327 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #24. 1443 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1446 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #8. 1515 c/s to 12.5 knots, 68 rpm's.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1630 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1636 Executed Turn 3 to 024° True. 1555 Executed 3 Turn to 354° True. 1657 c/s to 8 knots, 48 rpm's. 1700 Streamed paravanes. 1706 Changed fleet course and axis to 350° True. 1716 c/s to 12 knots, 68 rpm's. 1752 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #8. 1806 Sounded General Quarters. 1820 Two (perhaps three) Japanese aircraft (VALS) shot down astern of formation by carrier-based F4F's. 1828 c/s to 11.5 knots, 64 rpm's. 1832 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1856 U.S.S. KITKUN BAY (CVE 71) hit by suicide dive bomber. 1904 Opened fire on Jap plane over formation, whose attempted suicide dive on the HMAS WESTRALIA was a near miss. 1905 Ceased firing. 1910 Changed fleet course and axis to 010° True. 1944 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition II. Expended the following ammunition: 20mm - 60 rounds; 1.1/75 - 48 rounds; 5"/38 - 9 rounds.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2020 Sounded General Quarters. 2021 Secured from General Quarters, Condition II was set. 2047 Change fleet course and axis to 000° T. 2305 Change course to 050° T.

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John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0416 Emergency 5 Turn to course 090°T. 0425 Changed course by turn signal to 140°T. 0438 Changed fleet course and axis to 163°T. 0537 Sounded General Quarters. 0545 Changed speed to 12.5 knots (65 rpm's). 0630 Changed speed to 08 knots (45 rpm's). 0630 Changed course to 143°T. 0640 Execute Turn 2 to 163°T. 0642 Commenced recovery of paravanes. 0650 Secured from recovering paravanes. 0654 Execute signal to deploy to stations assigned in Transport Area. 0658 Secured from General Quarters. Set Condition 1-A. 0726 Lowered away all boats. 0740 Anchored in 21 fathoms of water with fifty fathoms of chain to starboard anchor in Transport Area "CHARLIE", LINGAYEN GULF, LUZON, P.I. 0747 Enemy "VAL" and "ZERO" over formation.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before in Transport Area "CHARLIE" in LINGAYEN GULF. Condition 1-A set. 0813 All boats lowered in water, and dispatched in accordance with boat assignment tables. At 0816 Commenced debarking various elements of 37th Division, U.S. Army troops to YELLOW Beaches near LINGAYEN, LUZON, P.I. At 0916 Commenced unloading cargo. At 1027 got underway and proceeded to Transport Area "MIKE" about 2.5 miles off LINGAYEN beaches. 1107 Anchored to port anchor in assigned position in 9 fathoms of water with 30 fathoms of chain. Starboard anchor was dropped first but fouled paravane shoe rendering paravane gear inoperative. 1158 LSM#144 tied up to port side to load vehicles.

H.F. Anderson
H.F. ANDERSON,
Lieut. D-V(S) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. Continued discharging cargo to YELLOW beaches. 1240 Pursuant to BUM&S form "G", MULLINS, Charles (n), 637 15 63, S2c USNR was transferred aboard from LSM 144 with all records. 1305 Air Flash RED. 1309 Jap "TONY" plane crashed into HMAS AUSTRALIA carrying away stack. 1402 Air Flash WHITE - All Clear. 1426 Completed discharging No. 5 hatch. 1453 Cast off LSM#144. 1510 Completed discharging No. 2 hatch. 1535 Completed discharging #3 hatch. 1600 Completed discharging #1 hatch; all troops and cargo of 37th Division, U.S. Army debarked. Total troops: 80 officers; 1129 enlisted men.

H.F. Anderson
H.F. ANDERSON,
Lieut. D-V(S) USNR.

16 - 20

Anchored as before. 1600 Completed unloading of all troops and cargo. 1633 Survivors from U.S.S. OMMANEY BAY and casualties brought aboard in accordance with following list;

(Survivors of U.S.S. OMMANEY BAY)

NAME	RANK	FILE NUMBER
SMITH, Allen Wesley	Lt. Cdr. USNR	74619
BEALE, Walter Lee	Lieut. USNR	201012
DIEKEMPER, Harold "L"	Lt. (jg) USNR	176404
NAME	SERVICE NO.	RATE
ALFANO, John Paul	680 45 10	AM2c
ALLGIRE, Harold Eugene	632 20 14	AM1c

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NAME	SERVICE NO.	RATE
BAIN, Tolbert Earl Jr.	357 18 22	Slc
BAINARD, Gerald (n)	665 60 61	SC2c
BALKENOL, Wilfred Winand	757 55 71	Slc
BARNES, Richard Adams	846 71 76	Slc
BATSON, Stacy Wade	656 84 52	Slc
BELL, William Jay	822 15 67	RM3c
BEYER, Milton Samuel	865 98 02	RM3c
BLOKING, Frank Curry	225 40 41	Slc
BOLLIGER, Eli (n)	854 04 95	Flc
BOLOGNA, Renate Pietro	652 57 24	RM3c
BOYD, Samuel Alexander	652 57 20	Slc
BROOKS, Clarence Arlton	837 88 54	Slc
CAMERON, Earl Lewis	664 65 37	SF3c
CAMPBELL, John Laughlin	801 30 26	Slc
CARNER, Vernon Estel	368 44 32	BM1c
CARR, Olice Marcus Jr.	637 96 11	Slc
CHANDLER, Arthur Lee	873 32 86	Slc
CHEEK, Edward Lee	835 45 15	Stm1c
CLOPPER, Donald Lester	758 63 90	Slc
COOPER, Joseph Dayton	656 20 26	Slc
COURTNEY, Edward Joseph Jr.	410 18 31	AMM1c
COX, Truman James	616 55 89	CM2c
CRAWFORD, Leonard Carl	658 15 05	SC1c
CRENSHAW, "P" "A"	843 42 27	Slc
CROCHET, William Earl	644 76 71	MM1c
DeSILVA, Herman Raymond	801 29 62	AMM3c
DIEHL, Harvey Wesley	943 20 09	Slc(RdM)
DOLCE, Gerard (n)	809 22 14	Slc(AMM)
DREW, Earl Hazlitt	342 24 28	BM1c
ERICKSON, Harold (n)	664 63 21	AMM3c
FLEEK, Richard Arthur	602 27 66	AMM2c
FRESKOS, James Mike	411 30 89	AMM1c
GENSLER, Raymond Arthur	868 51 83	MM3c
GILL, John "L"	577 28 26	S2c
GIUSTO, Charles "M"	856 68 85	Slc
GODDARD, Edward Eugene	658 01 44	AMM2c
GOUGHLER, Arthur Glenn	866 87 25	PtRV3c
GRAYSON, Marvin (n) Jr.	722 29 52	S2c
HALLMAN, Leo Wayne	892 31 53	Slc
HOLT, Charles Courtney	658 93 51	ARM1c
HOWARD, Joseph Gerald	338 40 71	Slc
HUDSON, Elwood Thomas	266 43 71	BM2c
IANNI, Joseph (n)	663 68 26	AMM1c
ISAACS, Jesse (n) Jr.	855 73 43	Slc
JOHNSON, Donald Wayne	377 36 91	SK2c
JOHNSON, Louis Dale	871 73 62	GM3c
KENNEDY, John Paul	414 64 85	ACMM
KIRKLAND, Virgil Clinton	654 29 75	ACMM
KRAMER, Dennis Roman	870 51 08	RdM3c
LEWIS, Ogre Thomas	885 37 31	Slc
LIGHTIE, Louis "J"	865 64 91	ACM2c
LYTLE, Albert Lowell	316 46 32	CSK
MAGNESS, William Bertrand	851 25 23	AMM3c
MALVESTI, Enrico Abele	887 13 52	SSML3c
MARTIN, Raleigh Albert	378 52 71	S2c
McCLENDON, Coy Wayne	357 28 32	ACM1c
McFADDIN, Burl Deen	835 54 59	Slc
McFARLAND, Royal Jackson	312 68 65	AMM2c
McMELLEON, John Thomas	321 88 57	S2c
McMILLAN, Clifford Barclay	870 68 83	Slc
MILANESE, Frank Francis	378 07 45	Slc
MILLER, Lowell Junior	570 12 92	AMM3c
MIRANDI, Michael (n)	203 39 14	AMM3c
MOILER, Richard Oliver	859 11 90	EM2c
MUELLER, Arthur James	872 92 18	Flc
MULCAHY, John Joseph	709 25 61	AMM2c
ORTNER, Frank Joseph	411 34 49	ACMM

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NAME	SERVICE NO.	RATE
PAGANELLI, Ernest Paul	378 09 18	AMM3c
PANYON, Anton Louis	312 47 51	F1c
PEMBRICK, Arthur (n)	645 00 67	Ck2c
PENA, Humberto Mandez	625 40 87	S1c
PETER SON, Bernard Anthony	725 95 96	AMM3c
POLLARD, Isaac Haven	250 34 27	ACMM
PORTER, Edmon Loin	356 12 01	CTMV
PRICE, Kenneth Eugene	629 86 97	S1c
PUDER, Richard Harry	621 99 33	S1c
PYLES, Woodrow Wilson	928 80 14	F1c
RAMIREZ, Gilberto Marin	576 21 14	S1c
REMILLARD, Bertrand "Z"	205 17 69	AMM2c
RICHARDS, Dallas (n)	866 87 57	Y3c
RICHARDS, Erwin Eugene	866 87 66	S1c
ROGERS, Franklin (n)	614 08 61	CMM
SANDQUIST, Charles William	814 51 04	MM3c
SCHMALTZ, Roy (n)	870 68 63	S1c
SCOTT, Jethro Clinton	555 62 49	AM2c
SELLERS, William Carl	263 80 58	S1c
SHAPE, Hubert Garth	312 49 73	AMM2c
SIMEONE, Vincent (n) Jr.	607 17 58	RM2c
SMITH, Clifford Eugene	872 34 82	SSMB3c
STANFORD, Alfred Earnest	629 86 35	S2c
TAUS, George John	610 64 39	SC2c
TE BEEST, Lowell William	306 12 27	AEM2c
TOWNSEND, Charlie William	630 46 41	S1c
VALDEMAR, Ray Cuintana	880 63 77	S2c
VALENTINE, Arka David Lewis	941 17 37	S2c
WELKER, Paul Douglas	560 18 84	EM3c
WOODLE, Arthur Clivis	846 85 13	S2c
YATES, Robert Harrison Jr.	263 58 00	TMV3c
ZIMMERMAN, Curtis Gene	296 18 88	MM2c

(Survivor of U.S.S. WALKER DD723)

NAME	RANK	FILE NUMBER
COLE, Grover Cleveland	Ensign, USN	323066

(Casualties from U.S.S. MINNEAPOLIS CA36)

NAME	SERVICE NO.	RATE
MYERS, Williams R.	835 08 62	S2c
SANTOS, Wilford A.	376 87 58	S1c

(From Beach)

NAME	SERVICE NO.	RATE
BURKS, Vester R.	38424556	Pvt. U.S. Army

1800 Ready in all respects to get underway. 1827 Anchor aweigh. 1828 Sounded General Quarters. 1831 Let go starboard anchor; visibility zero; anchor chain out to 30 fathoms. 1900 Underway on various courses and speeds departing LINGAYEN GULF, LUZON, P.I. attempting to join formation under orders from CTG 79.3. Heavy smoke screen, visibility zero. Using radar bearings and distance. 1906 Formation under attack by enemy plane.

JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2021 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition II. 2030 Sounded General Quarters. 2057 Secured from General Quarters, set condition II. 2152 In formation behind U.S.S. HARRIS, U.S.S. BOLIVAR, and U.S.S. DOYEN, with U.S.S. OZARK and unidentified LSD astern. Course 343° True, speed 12 knots (Standard Speed). 2155 c/c to 333° True. 2230 c/c to 343° True. 2318 Unidentified ship entered column between this ship and the U.S.S. DOYEN. 2320 U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD designated as guide. 2329 c/c to 315° True. 2337 c/s to 00 knots (33 rpm's).

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SHERIDAN

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Steaming in accordance with ComTransRon THIRTEEN's Withdrawal Order No. A7-44 and CTF 79 dispatch 090160. In company with Task Unit 79.14.1. U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD (O.T.C. and Fleet Guide). On base course 315°T. Making 66 rpm's for Standard Speed or 12 knots. Condition II is set. 0132 Changed course to 290°T. 0232 Changed course to 268°T. 0331 Changed course to 243°T. 0344 Changed Standard Speed to 13 knots and steaming at thirteen (13) knots. 0345 In position with column leader U.S.S. HARRIS abeam of U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0513 Changed fleet course and axis to 219°True. 0608 Changed fleet course and axis to 195°True. 0635 Sounded General Quarters. 0750 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition II.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0800 Mustered crew on stations, no absentees. 0842 c/c and axis to 169°T. 0847 c/s to 8 knots (44 rpm's). 0848 Received daily report of magazine temperatures - all normal. 0900 Secured from Condition II, set Condition III. 1110 c/c and axis to 209°T. 1145 c/c and axis to 169°T.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1304 Sounded General Quarters. 1314 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition III.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1852 Sounded routine sunset General Quarters. 1952 Secure from General Quarters. Set Condition III.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2052 Changed fleet course and axis to 130°T. 2208 Changed fleet course and axis to 115°T. 2329 c/c to 135°T. 2355 c/c to 115°T.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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UNITED STATES SHIP

SHERIDAN

Thursday 11 January 1945

(Day) (Date) (Month)

00 - 04

Steaming in accordance with ComTransRon 13 Withdrawal Order No. A7-44 and CTF 79 dispatch 090160. In company with Task Unit 79.14.1. U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD (O.T.C. and Fleet Guide). On base course 115°T, 114 gyro, 109 psc, 118 pste. Making 70 rpm's to make Standard Speed or 13 knots. 0143 Execute two turn to course 095°T. 0235 Execute turn two to course 115°T. 0334 Luminous flare upon horizon bearing 137°T. Bearing round to be SAN JOSE, MINDORO ISLAND.

Peter C. Evans Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0620 Changed course to 141°T. Sounded General Quarters. 0620 Passed off AMBULONG ISLAND, MINDORO STRAIT bearing 090°T, 11.5 miles. 0713 Changed course to 161°T. 0719 c/c and fleet axis to 158°T. 0723 Secured from General Quarters.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0800 Daily magazine reports; normal temperatures. 0855 Changed speed to 2/3 Standard (8.6 knots - 47 rpm's). 0937 c/c and axis to 146°T. 0927 Resumed Standard Speed (13 knots, 69 rpm's). 1054 Changed fleet course and axis to 141°T.

J.J. Borginon
J.J. BORGINON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1210 c/s to 13.5 knots. Standard Speed is 13.5 knots (71 rpm's). 1329 Passed SOMERSET ROCKS abeam to starboard distant about 6000 yards. 1334 c/c and axis to 176°T and 175°pgc. 1511 c/c and axis to 150°T and 149°pgc. 1530 NASO Pt., PANAY ISLAND abeam to port, distant 15.0 miles.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1848 Sounded General Quarters. 1940 Secured from General Quarters.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2205 Changed fleet course and axis to 118°T.

Peter C. Evans Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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UNITED STATES SHIP

SHERIDAN

Friday 12 January, 1945
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00 - 04

Steaming in accordance with CTF 79 dispatch 090160 enroute LEYTE in company with Task Unit 79.14.1 U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD (O.T.C. and Fleet Guide). On base course 118°T. Making 73 rpm's to make 13.5 knots, Standard Speed. 0018 c/c and axis to 090°T. 0106 c/c and axis to 070°T. 0318 c/c and axis to 092°T.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0520 c/c and axis to 062°T. 0603 Sounded General Quarters (routine). 0705 Secured from General Quarters. 0729 Changed course to 042°T. (2 TURN). 0747 c/c to 062°T. (2 TURN).

J.J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0815 Crew mustered at quarters. No absentees. 0835 Received daily magazine temperature reports. Conditions normal. 0910 CAMIGUMI ISLAND abeam to starboard distance 8.6 miles. 1100 Half-masted colors during burial services aboard U.S.S. CALLAWAY. 1106 Two-blocked colors. 1150 Took interval of 800 yards.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1240 Sounded General Quarters, entering SURIGAO STRAITS. 1301 Changed fleet course and axis to 030°T. 1340 Changed fleet course and axis to 354°T. 1439 Opened interval to 1000 yards. 1535 CTC 79.3 aboard U.S.S. HARRIS received orders to take TG 79.3.1 independently to designated anchorage in advance of remainder of formation. 1536 c/s to 15 knots (81 rpm's). 1537 Secured from General Quarters.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1648 Change fleet course and axis to 340°T. 1727 Change fleet course and axis to 310°T. 1741 Change fleet course and axis to 300°T. 1744 Set Special Sea Detail. Proceeding at various speeds and courses to assigned anchorage in LEYTE GULF, P.I. 1834 Anchored in Berth #7 in LEYTE GULF, P.I. in 27 fathoms of water with 120 fathoms of chain to the starboard anchor. Following are anchorage bearings: TAYTAY POINT 168°T; ASLOM POINT 194°T; TANGBO POINT PEAK 220.5°T; and OLD FORT 348°T. Engines are secured to 15 minutes notice. 1855 Engines and steering engine secured to one half hour notice. 1933 Sounded General Quarters. Unidentified plane in area. 1953 Secured from General Quarters.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. Engines on 2 hour notice.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

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SHERIDAN

Saturday 13 January, 1945

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00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with C.T.U. '79.14.1 orders in LEYTE GULF off ABUYOG, LEYTE in 27 fathoms or water with 120 fathoms of chain to the starboard anchor. SOPA on U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD. Engines on 2 hour standby notice. Condition 3 sea watch set.

J. B. Borgenson
J. B. BORGENSEN,
Lt(jg) NAV(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0602 Sounded General Quarters for dawn alert. 0658 Secured from General Quarters. Set Condition III.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. 0800 Crew mustered on stations; no absentees. 0801 LCI 701 came alongside starboard side. Commenced debarking survivor passengers on LCI 701. They are as follows:

The following named officers and enlisted men, survivors of the vessels indicated, were received on board for transportation and disposition at 1633, 10 January 1945.

(Survivors of U.S.S. OMMANEY BAY)

NAME	RANK	FILE NUMBER
SMITH, Allen Wesley	Lt. Cdr. USNR	74619
BEALE, Walter Lee	Lt. Cdr. USNR	201012
DIEKEMPER, Harold "L"	Lt. (jg) USNR	176404

NAME	SERVICE NO.	RATE
ALFANO, John Paul	680 45 10	AM2c
ALLGIRE, Harold Eugene	632 20 14	AM1c
BAIN, Tolbert Earl Jr.	357 18 22	Slc
BAINARD, Gerald (n)	665 60 61	SC2c
BALKENOL, Wilfred Winand	757 55 71	Slc
BARNES, Richard Adams	846 71 76	Slc
BATSON, Stacy Wade	656 84 52	Slc
BELL, William Jay	822 15 67	RM3c
BEYER, Milton Samuel	865 98 02	RM3c
BLOKING, Frank Curry	225 40 41	Slc
BOLLIGER, Eli (n)	854 04 95	F1c
BOLOGNA, Renate Pietro	652 57 24	RM3c
BOYD, Samuel Alexander	652 57 20	Slc
BROOKS, Clarence Arlton	837 88 54	Slc
CAMERON, Earl Lewis	664 05 37	SF3c
CAMPBELL, John Laughlin	801 30 26	Slc
CARNER, Vernon Estel	368 44 32	FM1c
CARR, Olice Marcus Jr.	637 96 11	Slc
CHANDLER, Arthur Lee	873 32 86	Slc
CHEEK, Edward Lee	835 45 15	StM1c
CLOPPER, Donald Lester	758 63 90	Slc
COOPER, Joseph Dayton	656 20 26	Slc
COURTNEY, Edward Joseph Jr.	410 18 31	AMM1c
COX, Truman James	616 55 89	CM2c
CRAWFORD, Leonard Carl	658 15 05	SC1c
CRENSHAW, "P" "A"	843 42 27	Slc
CROCHET, William Earl	644 76 71	MM1c
DeSILVA, Herman Raymond	801 29 62	AMM3c
DIEHL, Harvey Wesley	943 20 09	Slc(RdM)
DOLCE, Gerard (n)	809 22 14	Slc(AMM)
DREW, Earl Hazlitt	342 24 28	FM1c
ERICKSON, Harold (n)	664 63 21	AMM3c
FLEEK, Richard Arthur	602 27 66	AMM2c
FRESKOS, James Mike	411 30 89	AMM1c
GENSLER, Raymond Arthur	868 51 83	MM3c
GILL, John "L"	577 28 26	S2c
GIUSTO, Charles "M"	856 68 85	Slc
GODDARD, Edward Eugene	658 01 44	AMM2c
GOUGHLER, Arthur Glenn	866 87 25	PtRV3c

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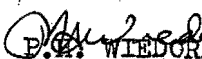
NAME	SERVICE NO.	RATE
GRAYSON, Marvin (n) Jr.	722 29 52	S2c
HALLMAN, Leo Wayne	892 31 53	Slc
HOLT, Charles Courtney	658 93 51	ARM1c
HOWARD, Joseph Gerald	338 40 71	Slc
HUDSON, Elwood Thomas	266 43 71	RM2c
IANNI, Joseph (n)	663 68 26	AMM1c
ISAACS, Jesse (n) Jr.	855 73 43	Slc
JOHNSON, Donald Wayne	377 36 91	SK2c
JOHNSON, Louis Dale	871 73 62	GM3c
KENNEDY, John Paul	414 64 85	ACMM
KIRKLAND, Virgil Clinton	654 29 75	ACMM
KRAMER, Dennis Roman	870 51 08	RdM3c
LEWIS, Ogre Thomas	885 37 31	Slc
LIGHTIE, Louis "J"	865 64 91	ACM2c
LYTLE, Albert Lowell	316 46 32	CSK
MAGNESS, William Bertrand	851 25 23	AMM3c
MALVESTI, Enrico Abele	887 13 52	SSML3c
MARTIN, Raleigh Albert	378 52 71	S2c
McCLENDON, Coy Wayne	357 28 32	ACM1c
McFADDIN, Burl Deen	835 54 59	Slc
McFARLAND, Royal Jackson	312 68 65	AMM2c
McMILLION, John Thomas	321 88 57	S2c
McMILLAN, Clifford Barclay	870 68 83	Slc
MILANESE, Frank Francis	378 07 45	Slc
MILLER, Lowell Junior	570 12 92	AMM3c
MIRANDI, Michael (n)	203 39 14	AMM3c
MOLLER, Richard Oliver	859 11 90	RM2c
MUELLER, Arthur James	872 92 18	Flc
MULCAHY, John Joseph	709 25 61	AMM2c
ORTNER, Frank Joseph	411 34 49	ACMM
PAGANELLI, Ernest Paul	378 09 18	AMM3c
PANYON, Anton Louis	312 47 51	Flc
PEMBRICK, Arthur (n)	645 00 67	Ck2c
PENA, Humberto Mandez	625 40 87	Slc
PETERSON, Bernard Anthony	725 95 96	AMM3c
POLLARD, Isaac Haven	250 34 27	ACMM
PORTER, Edmon Lein	356 12 01	CTMV
PRICE, Kenneth Eugene	629 86 97	Slc
PUDER, Richard Harry	621 99 33	Slc
PYLES, Woodrow Wilson	928 80 14	Flc
RAMIREZ, Gilberto Marin	576 21 14	Slc
REMILLARD, Bertrand "Z"	205 17 69	AMM2c
RICHARDS, Dallas (n)	866 87 57	Y3c
RICHARDS, Erwin Eugene	866 87 66	Slc
ROGERS, Franklin (n)	614 08 61	CM
SANDQUIST, Charles William	814 51 04	MM3c
SCHMALTZ, Roy (n)	870 68 63	Slc
SCOTT, Jethro Clinton	555 62 49	AM2c
SELLERS, William Carl	263 80 58	Slc
SHAPE, Hubert Garth	312 49 73	AMM2c
SIMEONE, Vincent (n) Jr.	607 17 58	RM2c
SMITH, Clifford Eugene	872 34 82	SSMB3c
STANFORD, Alfred Earnest	629 86 35	S2c
TAUS, George John	610 64 39	SC2c
TE BEEST, Lowell William	306 12 27	AMM2c
TOWNSEND, Charlie William	630 46 41	Slc
VALDEMAR, Ray Cuintana	880 63 77	S2c
VALENTINE, Arka David Lewis	941 17 37	S2c
WELKER, Paul Douglas	560 18 84	EM3c
WOODLE, Arthur Clivis	846 85 13	S2c
YATES, Robert Harrison Jr.	263 58 00	TMV3c
ZIMMERMAN, Curtis Gene	296 18 88	MM2c

(Survivor of U.S.S. WALKER DD723)

NAME	RANK	FILE NUMBER
COLE, Grover Cleveland	Ensign, USN	323066

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(Casualties from U.S.S. MINNEAPOLIS CA36)

NAME	SERVICE NO.	RATE
MYERS, Williams R.	835 08 62	S2c
SANTOS, Wilford A.	376 87 58	S1c

(From Beach)

BURKS, Vester R.

38424556

Pvt. U.S. Army

0830 LCI cast off. 0832 Daily magazine temperatures reports received; conditions normal. 0840 WHITE, Raymond F., MoMM2c, 710 44 48, was confined to the brig for safe keeping by order of the Commanding Officer, awaiting disciplinary action for insubordination and refusal to obey orders. 0915 By authority of BUM&S Form "G", MULLINS, Charles (n), 637 15 63, S2c, USNR, was transferred to HNMS MAETSYUKER for treatment. By the same authority the following men were transferred to LST 206: MYERS, William R., S2c, USNR; PAGENELLI, Ernest Paul, AMM3c, USNR; BURKS, Vester R., Pfc, U.S. Army, 38434556. 1100 By the same authority and to the HNMS MAETSYUKER, the following men: KIRKLAND, Virgil Clinton, ACMM, USNR; SHAPE, Herbert Garth, 3124973, AMM2c, USNR; SANTAS, Walter Andrew, S1c, USNR; All records, bags and hammocks, accompanied all transfers. 1120 WHITE, Raymond F., was released from confinement by order of the Commanding Officer after Captain's Mast held at 1100 in which the man was reduced to the next inferior rate.

P.M. Aubrey
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. No remarks.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Anchored as before. No remarks.

W.P. Whalen
W.P. WHALEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. No remarks.

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Sunday 14 January, 1945
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00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with CTU 79.14.1 orders in LEYTE GULF off ABUYOG, LEYTE in 27 fathoms of water with 120 fathoms of chain to the starboard anchor. SOPA on U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD. 0255 A submarine (enemy) contacted by destroyer near anchorage area. 0315 Captain called and arrangements made to get underway if necessary.

J.J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. Standing by to get underway upon short notice because of enemy submarine reported in the vicinity. 0411 Received report from attacking screen vessel that they had observed large air bubbles rising to the surface in the vicinity of where the enemy undersea craft was believed to be. 0700 Main engines put on two hours notice.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. Crew mustered on stations - no absentees. 0810 Received daily magazine reports. Temperatures found normal.

W.M. Burckart
W.M. BURCKART,
Lt(jg) D-V(S) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. 1411 Received report that two of our screening destroyers depth-bombed positive enemy sub contact, distant 16½ miles bearing 090° True. Results - Oil slick and air bubbles. 1430 Pursuant to APA51/Pl6-4/00 Serial No. 23, and in accordance with ComTransRon 13 dispatch No. 130903, First Lieutenant W.T. REEDY, USMCR, departed for temporary duty in connection with loading plans for the 38th Army Division.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Anchored as before. No remarks.

Peter C. Evans Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. No remarks.

W.P. Whalen
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SHERIDAN

Monday 15 January 1945

(Day) (Date) (Month)

00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with CTU 79.14.1 orders in LEYTE GULF off ABUYOG, LEYTE in 27 fathoms or water with 120 fathoms or chain to starboard anchor. SOPA on U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD. Engines on 2 hours notice. Condition 3 watch set.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0602 Sounded routine General Quarters. 0634 Secured from General Quarters. 0650 Received daily magazine reports, temperatures normal.

J.J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. 0800 Quarters for muster; no absentees. 0908 After cable of #4 davit parted when strong back was being raised. No casualties to personnel.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. 1320 Pursuant Commanding Officer APA51/Pl6-4/00 Rer. (A) ComSeraPac dispatch of 9 December 1944 Lt(jg) Joseph S. THOMPSON, I-V(S), USNR, 248209 hereby detached this date. Reporting to the Commander Transport Squadron 14 for duty in connection with intelligence.

W.M. Burckart
W.M. BURCKART,
Lt(jg) D-V(S) USNR.

16 - 18

Anchored as before. No remarks.

Peter C. Evans Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Anchored as before. No remarks.

W.P. Whalen
W.P. WHALEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. No remarks.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
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SHERIDAN

Tuesday 16 January, 1945
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00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with CTU 79.14.1 orders in LEYTE GULF off ABUYOG, LEYTE in 27 fathoms of water with 120 fathoms of chain to the starboard anchor. U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD S.O.P.A. Both boilers in use.

J.J. Borgeuson
J.J. BORGENSEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0603 Sounded General Quarters and started extensive damage control and steering casualty drills. 0708 Secured from drills and General Quarters.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. 0800 Received daily magazine report - temperatures normal. 0800 Secured gyro compass. 0800 All divisions mustered on stations - no absentees. Pursuant AdComdPhibForPac - Per Orders #p9967 of 20 December 1944, Commander Task Force 75 dispatch 0447 of 16 January 1945. The following named men hereby have been detached this date to U.S.S. MACK (DE 358) for transfer to nearest R/S West Coast for assignment by Commander Subordinate Command Ser. ForPac.

DELANEY, B.F., 600 05 18, Ylc, V-6 USNR - MAREK, L.A., 841 20 65, Slc, V-6 USNR.
MEYERS, J.D., 723 14 20, CM2c, V-6 USNR - RAMIREZ, A.B., 841 28 42, Slc, V-6 USNR.
HICKMAN, F.E., 329 29 89, B2c, V-6 USNR - ANDREWJESKI, J.J., 565 11 06, Slc,
GOSSMAN, D.F., 563 17 00, EM2c, V-6 USNR - V-6 USNR.
GASQUE, J.H., 556 38 96, Slc, V-6 USNR - GREGORY, C.A., 841 47 05, Flc, V-6 USNR.
TAIT, W.F., 854 13 75, K2c, V-6 USNR.

W.M. Burckart
W.M. BURCKART,
Lt(jg) D-V(S) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. 1225 By order of Commanding Officer temporary duty was completed as of this date for the following named men:

MCCORMICK, John Edward, 244 40 45, RM2c, USNR, In Charge.

McMAHAN, George Francis, 732 04 86, RM2c, USNR.

NAGY, C., 653 26 52, RM2c, USNR.

BOHAC, Joseph Edwin, 726 70 34, Slc(RM).

BUFF, Michael John, 811 24 82, Slc(RM).

DAVIS, James D., 381 89 93, Slc(SM).

DUFFY, James P., 878 77 23, S2c(SM).

GOURLY, Alton V., 825 18 66, S2c(SM).

LANOUX, James E., 293 08 24, S2c(SM).

LYMAN, Creighton P., 870 02 62, S2c(SM).

to proceed and report to the Commander Administrative Command Amphibious Forces Pacific via FAIRTRANS.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Anchored as before. No remarks.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. No remarks.

J.J. Borgeuson
J.J. BORGENSEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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UNITED STATES SHIP

SHERIDAN

Wednesday 17 January, 1945

(Day) (Date) (Month)

00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with CTU 79.14.1 orders in LEYTE GULF off ABUYOG, LEYTE, in 27 fathoms of water with 120 fathoms of chain to the starboard anchor. U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD SOPA. Both boilers in use. Engines on two hours notice.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0603 Sounded General Quarters - during hour of General Quarters extensive drills for damage control party were held. 0657 Secured from General Quarters.

W.M. Burckart
W.M. BURCKART,
Lt(jg) D-V(S) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. Crew mustered on stations, no absentees.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. No remarks.

W.P. Whalen
W.P. WHALEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 18

Anchored as before. No remarks.

W.P. Whalen
W.P. WHALEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Anchored as before. No remarks.

J.J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. 2038 Air Flash RED. Sounded General Quarters. Ordered Smoke boats to make smoke. 2116 Air Flash WHITE. 2117 Ceased making smoke. Secured from General Quarters.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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UNITED STATES SHIP

SHERIDAN

Thursday 18 January, 1945
(Day) (Date) (Month)

00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with C.T.U. 79.14.1 orders in LEYTE GULF off ABUYOG, LEYTE in 27 fathoms of water with 120 fathoms of chain to the starboard anchor. U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD S.O.P.A. Both boilers in use, engines on two hours notice.

W.M. Burckart
W.M. BURCKART,
Lt(jg) D-V(S) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0603 Sounded General Quarters for morning security. 0613 Flash RED - enemy planes in area. 0613 Commenced making smoke with generator and smoke pots. 0630 Cease making smoke. 0636 Enemy planes in area - commenced making smoke. 0650 Cease making smoke. 0709 All clear sounded. 0713 Secure from General Quarters.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. Crew mustered on stations with no absentees. Received daily magazine report, temperatures normal. 1130 Captains Mast was held in the cases of Robert Richard SHARWARK, SM2c, 615 61 07, USNR, charged with unauthorized possession of government property and direct violation of an order. Punishment; Summary Court-Martial. Raphael SCARPA, S2c, 825 60 68, charged with unauthorized possession of government property. Punishment; twenty hours extra duty. Mast adjourned at 1135.

W.P. Whalen
W.P. WHALEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before.. No remarks.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 18

Anchored as before. No remarks.

J.F. Borgenson
J.F. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Anchored as before. No remarks.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. No remarks.

W.M. Burckart
W.M. BURCKART,
Lt(jg) D-V(S) USNR.

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UNITED STATES SHIP

SHERIDAN

Friday 19 January 1945
(Day) (Date) (Month)

00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with C.T.U. 79.14.1 orders in LEYTE GULF off ABUYOG, LEYTE in 27 fathoms of water with 120 fathoms of chain to the starboard anchor. U.S.S. LEONARD WOOD, S.O.P.A. Both boilers in use for auxiliary purposes. Engines are on two hours notice. Condition III is set.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0700 Received daily magazine report, temperatures reported as normal. 0710 BENHAM, F.H. Cox, 841 63 51, USNR and GRAVES, W.T., Cox, 837 46 79, USNR, confined to the brig by order of the Commanding Officer.

W.P. Whalen
W.P. WHALEN
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. 0800 Crew mustered on stations, no absentees. 0830 P.J. STOLTMAN, Ensign, D-V(G) USNR, restricted to his quarters on order of Commanding Officer this date, for a period of 5 days for inattention to duty. 0840 Received magazine flooding valve report - All in good order. 1120 BENHAM, F.H., Cox, 841 63 51; GRAVES, W.T., Cox, 837 46 79 released from confinement this date by order of Commanding Officer.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. 1300 Heavy rain and squall approaching. 1320 Engine room ordered to get steam up on main plant. Steering engine gear in use. 1432 Steering engine secured. 1440 Received two Army LCM's(6) (#648 & 461) and their crews aboard for temporary duty on verbal orders. Eight men are as follows:

BERGERON, Germain, T/4, 31107916, U.S. Army.
ARRELELT, Joe, T/5, 37035305, U.S. Army.
KOLACZEWSKI, Henry, T/5, 36019599, U.S. Army.
O'DONNELL, Michael, T/5, 36624674, U.S. Army.
FOX, Richard B., T/5, 38099184, U.S. Army.
RODRIGUEZ, Justino, T/5, 38077246, U.S. Army.
PALMEIRO, Joseph R., Pvt., 32245794, U.S. Army.
JONES, Joseph J.W., Pvt., 38591744, U.S. Army.
Above men reporting from Co. B - 592nd Eng. Sp. B G.

J.J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 18

Anchored as before. No remarks.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Anchored as before. 1830 Smoke boats on station 100 yards from ship, circling. 1839 Darken ship. Secure Modified Condition III. Set Condition III.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. 2047 Sounded General Quarters - enemy planes in area. 2124 Secured from General Quarters. 2208 Sounded General Quarters. Enemy planes in area. 2240 Secured from General Quarters. Set Condition III. 2335 Secured steering engines.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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UNITED STATES SHIP

SHERIDAN

Saturday 20 January, 1945
(Day) (Date) (Month)

00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with C.T.U. 79.14.1 orders in LEYTE GULF off ABUYOG, LEYTE in 27 fathoms of water with 120 fathoms of chain to the starboard anchor. U.S.S. CAVALIER is S.O.P.A. Engines are on immediate notice. Engines have been turning over ahead at 5 rpm's from 0000 to 0400.

W.P. Whalen
W.P. WHALEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0558 All preparations made to get underway and go alongside tanker to fuel. At 0703 got underway on various courses and speeds proceeding to the tanker about 2 miles north of the anchorage area. At 0738 anchored temporarily to starboard anchor in 28 fathoms of water with 80 fathoms of chain waiting for U.S.S. LAMAR to tie up along starboard side of tanker.

H.F. Anderson
H.F. ANDERSON,
Lieut. D-V(S) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before in temporary anchorage. 0800 Crew mustered on station, no absentees. 0820 Underway proceeding to tanker (S.S. WILLIAMSBURG). 0856 First line to tanker. 0920 Secured to S.S. WILLIAMSBURG with three double manila lines forward and three double manila lines aft. Draft forward - 13' 06"; draft aft - 23' 00". 0941 Commenced fueling. 1000 Received daily report of magazine temperatures and smokeless powder samples; conditions normal. 1143 Added a double manila breast line forward to tanker.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Moored and fueling as before. 1345 Secured from taking on fuel, having received 110,380 gallons fuel oil. Draft forward - 13' 06"; draft aft - 24' 00". 1345 First Lieutenant W.T. REEDY, USMCR, returned to this ship, having completed temporary duty with the 38th Infantry Division. 1348 Set the special sea detail. 1354 8" line #5 in screw while singling up. Chief Boatswain's Mate John Henry ALLEN, USN, diving to clear line. Secured by two manila lines and one wire forward, #3 line doubled up, and two manila lines aft. 1426 Commenced embarking troops, numbering about 250 men of the ship's platoon from 2nd Battalion, 149th R.C.T. of the 38th Infantry Division. 1540 Secured from diving inspection of screw.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 18

Moored as before. At 1601 commenced casting off lines. At 1610 got underway and proceeded to assigned anchorage at various courses and speeds. 1647 Anchored in berth 7 in 28 fathoms of water with 120 fathoms of chain to the starboard anchor on the following bearings: TAY TAY Pt. Rock 168 True, OLD FORT, TOLOS 348 1/2 True, HILL at TANGBO Pt. 220 True.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Anchored as before. 1839 Set Condition III.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. No remarks.

W.P. Whalen
W.P. WHALEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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UNITED STATES SHIP

SHERIDAN

Sunday 21 January 1945
(Day) (Date) (Month)

00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with ComTransRon 13 orders in LEYTE GULF, off ABUYOG, LEYTE, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS in 28 fathoms of water with 120 fathoms of chain to starboard anchor. SOPA on U.S.S. CAVALIER. Both boilers in use for auxiliary purposes. 0210 Flash RED, sounded General Quarters. 0222 Commenced making smoke. 0240 Stopped making smoke, secured from General Quarters.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0650 Set Special Sea Detail. 0730 Anchor clear of water. 0745 Underway on various courses and speeds. 0748 Walked the anchor out to prevent fouling. 0757 Underway on various courses and speeds from Berth #7 to loading area at TARRAGUNA.

J.J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0800 Mustered crew on stations; no absentees. 0903 Let go port anchor in 16 fathoms of water with 90 fathoms of chain to the water's edge off TARRAGUNA, LEYTE ISLAND, LEYTE GULF, P.I., bridge bearing 331°T, and LIBERANAN HEAD bearing 004°T. Engines put on 2 hours notice. 1148 Daily magazine report received: temperatures normal. 1155 OG 47 came alongside our starboard side to deliver diesel oil.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. 1225 Commenced receiving diesel oil from OG #47. 1230 Officer of the Deck sampled the crews mess and found it satisfactory. 1320 Commenced loading supplies of 2nd Battalion, 149th Regiment, 38th Division, U.S. Army. 1350 Cast off all lines to OG #47 having received 5,200 gallons of diesel oil. Drift after rueling 13' 6" forward; 25' 0" aft. 1531 Set the Special Sea Detail preparing to get underway to shift anchorages closer to unloading beach following movements of U.S.S. HARRIS. 1546 Underway on various courses and speeds proceeding to new anchorage. Captain at the Conn, Navigator on the bridge.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 18

Underway as before. 1627 Let go port anchor in 15 fathoms of water with 80 fathoms of chain out. 1648 Commenced heaving around on anchor. 1659 Underway on various courses and speeds to drop anchor in better position. 1713 Let go port anchor in 16 fathoms of water with 90 fathoms of chain at the water's edge in assigned berth off TARRAGUNA, LEYTE ISLAND, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. Anchorage bearings: HILL #518 bears 221°T, TAY TAY POINT bears 147°T, North (right) Tangent TANGBO POINT bears 172.5°T. 1720 Secure the Special Sea Detail. 1725 Secure steering engine. Engines secured and put on two hour notice.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Anchored as before. Continued loading cargo. 1829 Received Flash RED Air Alert, and sounded General Quarters. 1841 Set Condition 1-A, secured from General Quarters.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. Continuing to load cargo.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

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UNITED STATES SHIP

SHERIDAN

Monday 22 January, 1945
(Day) (Date) (Month)

00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with ComTransRon 13 orders off TARRAGUNA, LEYTE ISLAND, P.I., in 16 fathoms of water with 90 fathoms of chain to the port anchor, TAY TAY POINT bearing 147°T and TAKE BITO HILL (altitude 518 feet) bearing 221°T. Engines on two hours notice. Both boilers in use for auxiliary purposes. SOPA on the U.S.S. HARRIS. 0120 General Quarters. 0141 Secured General Quarters. 0152 General Quarters. 0206 Secured from General Quarters; set Modified Condition 1-A.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. Continuing to load cargo.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. Continued to load U.S. Army cargo at hatches #1, 2, 3, and 5. At 0914 a diver completed inspection of the screw and found it to be clear with no damage. 0900 Daily magazine inspection reports made - conditions found normal. 1145 Completed loading at #3 hatch.

H.F. Anderson
H.F. ANDERSON,
Lieut. D-V(S) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. 1315 VOLLMER, George Edward, SK1c, 600 99 00 was transferred to the U.S.S. HOPE with baggage, records, and accounts by authority of BuM&S form "G". At 1400 reported 67% loaded.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 18

Anchored as before. Continuing to load army supplies and cargo. 1715 Secure from Condition 1-A, set Modified Condition III. At 1800 reported 74% loaded.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Anchored as before. 1840 Secured from Modified Condition III. Set Condition III.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. 2050 Air Alert - sounded General Quarters. 2058 Secured from General Quarters and set Condition III.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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UNITED STATES SHIP

SHERIDAN

Tuesday 23 January, 1945
(Day) (Date) (Month)

00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with ComTransRon 13 orders in LEYTE GULF off TARRAGUNA, LEYTE ISLAND, P.I., in 16 fathoms of water with 90 fathoms of chain to the port anchor. SOPA on U.S.S. HARRIS. Both boilers in use for auxiliary purposes. Main engines on two hours notice.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0532 Sounded General Quarters, Flash RED. 0602 Secure from General Quarters. Set Condition III. 0715 Set Modified Condition III. 0715 LCI #1004 tied up along starboard side to take on fresh water.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. 0800 Mustered crew on stations, no absentees. 0800 Daily magazine report made. Temperatures normal. 0855 LCI #1004 cast off. 0910 LCI #1021 alongside starboard side. 1100 LCI #1021 cast off. 1132 By order of the Commanding Officer, 7th Fleet, the following men returned aboard for duty with two LCM(3)'s originally temporarily detached at HOLLANDIA:

MOORE, R., Cox; BRELAND, H.T., Cox.
FIRMIN, H.B., Cox; JENSON, H.J., Slc.
SCHEIB, L.L., Momm2c; CHAVIRA, B.B., Slc.
JOHNSEY, L., Slc; MANNING, J.R., Momm2c.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. Continuing to load hatches #1, 2, and 5. 1310 Completed loading #2 hatch. 1355 Completed loading #5 hatch. 1400 Completed loading #1 hatch; ship 100% loaded.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 18

Anchored as before. No remarks.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Anchored as before. 1840 Secure Modified Condition III. Set Condition III. Darken Ship.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. 2000 - 50 men from the 952 Boat and Shore Company reported aboard.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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EXAMINED:

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H.F. ANDERSON, Lieut. U.S.N.R.

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SHERIDAN

Wednesday 24 January, 1945
(Day) (Date) (Month)

00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with ComTransRon 13 orders in LEYTE GULF off TARRAGUNA, LEYTE, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, in 16 fathoms of water with 90 fathoms of chain to the port anchor. SOPA on U.S.S. HARRIS. Both boilers in use for auxiliary purposes.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0650 Set Condition 1-A for drill purposes. 0725 Temperatures of magazines reported normal. 0730 Secured Condition 1-A. Set Modified Condition III. 0746 Commenced embarking troops.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. 0815 Mustered crew on stations; no absentees. Continued embarking troops from the shore. 0940 Pursuant to BUMed&S Form "G", DeLOACH, Harry Ashley, Lt.(jg), 91817, EM, USNR was detached this date to report to the U.S.S. HOPE, AH #7. 1020 Completed embarking all troops and cargo of the 149 RCT, and attached units of the 38th Division, U.S. Army. Total embarked: 1098 enlisted men; 58 officers. Loaded 399.19 short tons of cargo. By order of the Captain, Ensign Peter STOLTMAN, D-V(G), USNR was this date released from suspension and restored to duty.

H.F. Anderson
H.F. ANDERSON,
Lieut. D-V(S) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. 1306 The Summary Court-Martial, Lieutenant Wallace W. PARKER, D-V(G), USNR, senior member, met to try the case of SHARWARK, Robert Richard, SM2c, 615 61 07, USNR and adjourned at 1345. 1440 Set the Special Sea Detail. 1452 Secure the Special Sea Detail. 1507 Set the Special Sea Detail. Making preparations to get underway to shift anchorages. 1514 Underway on various courses and speeds proceeding to new anchorage assigned off DULAG, LEYTE, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. Captain at the Conn, Navigator on the Bridge.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 18

Steaming as before. 1637 Let go port anchor in 15 fathoms of water, with 75 fathoms of chain to the water's edge, off DULAG, LEYTE ISLAND, P.I., MARIQUITDAQUIT LIGHT bearing 035°T, VIGIA POINT FORT bearing 342°T, and CATMON HILL bearing 316°T. 1650 Sent small boat to investigate bamboo stick protruding from water north of ship's anchorage. 1730 stick round to be possible fishing buoy in 14 fathoms of water. 1732 KRASNASKY, James, CMlc, who lacerated the middle finger of his right hand at 1650 this date, was reported to have had three sutures taken with generous application of sulfanilamide crystals and a sterile bandage applied: Prognosis good, and man placed on off duty status for 48 hours. 1735 14 men and 1 officer of the 592nd Boat and Shore Company, reported aboard.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Anchored as before. No remarks.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. 2055 Sounded General Quarters (flash RED, Control YELLOW). 2130 Secured from General Quarters.

J.J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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Thursday 25 January 1945

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00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with ComTransRon 13 orders off DULAG, LEYTE ISLAND in 14 fathoms of water with 75 fathoms of chain to the port anchor. SOPA in U.S.S. HARRIS. Both boilers in use for auxiliary purposes.

W.P. Whalen
W.P. WHALEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0604 Secured Modified Condition III. Set Condition III. 0720 Secured Condition III, set Modified Condition III.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR

08 - 12

Anchored as before. 0800 Crew mustered on stations; no absentees. 0803 Daily magazine temperature report received; temperatures normal.

M.A. Sumberg
M.A. SUMBERG,
Ensign D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. 1300 Set Condition 1-A and commenced debarking troops in mock full scale amphibious assault operation in practice for pending operation. 1415 Secured Condition 1-A - All boats away. 1509 Set Condition 1-A - boats returning to ship. Mock operation perorated.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 18

Anchored as before. 1600 Twenty five troops and four officers of the Reconnaissance section Eng. Boat an shore regiment reported aboard under verbal orders from U.S.S. LAMAR. 1625 William KADISON, War Correspondent reported aboard for transportation to objective under verbal orders from Com7th Fleet. 1637 Secured from Condition 1-A. Set Modified Condition 3.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

18 - 20

Anchored as before. 1838 Sounded General Quarters, Flash RED. 1845 darken ship. 1850 Secure from General Quarters, set Modified Condition III.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. No remarks.

W.P. Whalen
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00 - 04

Anchored in accordance with ComTransRon 13 orders off DULAG, LEYTE in 14 fathoms of water with 75 fathoms of chain to the port anchor. SOPA on U.S.S. HARRIS. Both boilers in use for auxiliary purposes. Modified Condition III Watch is set.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Anchored as before. 0455 Flash RED received; sounded General Quarters. 0507 Secured from General Quarters. Set Modified Condition 3. 0605 Secured Modified Condition 3, set Condition 3, Watch 1. 0704 Light ship. 0715 Secured Condition 3; set Modified Condition 3.

M. A. Sumberg
M.A. SUMBERG,
Ensign D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. 0800 Mustered crew at quarters; no absentees. 0822 Made magazine temperature inspection; conditions normal. 0827 Inspected magazine compartments and flooding valves; conditions normal. 1020 Received medical report of HATCH, R.H., Pfc, 149th Inf., who lacerated right hand; Prognosis: Good. 1027 Underway and started steaming at various courses and speeds to sortie point in accordance with CTG 78.3 Sortie order 2-45. 1156 Standard Speed set at 12 knots - 66 rpm's; steamed at Standard.

P. M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. At 1220 passed through sortie point (Lat. 10°-53'N, Long. 125°-15') and formed cruising disposition B-1. U.S.S. HARRIS is fleet guide, and U.S.S. MOUNT MCKINLEY is O.T.C. Proceeding in column in company with Task Group 78.3.2 on base course 150 True enroute objective area in LUZON in accordance with ComTask Group 78.3 OPPLAN 1-45. 1208 c/c to 150°True. 1220 Sounded General Quarters. 1252 Secured from General Quarters. 1320 c/c and axis to 180°True.

J. S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1625 CAMGUAN Pt., PANASON ISLAND abeam to starboard, 4 miles distance. 1655 Change fleet course and axis to 223°True. 1719 c/c and fleet axis to 241°True. 1743 c/s to 11 knots (58 rpm's). 1843 Sounded routine General Quarters. 1943 Secured from General Quarters.

J. J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSEN,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before on base course 241°True at 11 knots. 2050 Executed Turn 3 to course 271°True. 2055 Commenced debarkation drill for troops. 2130 Executed 3 Turn to course 241°True. Secured from drill.

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Steaming in accordance with ComTask Group 78.3 OP PLAN 1-45 in company with Task Units 88.3.1, 2, 3, and 10, U.S.S. HARRIS (Fleet Guide) and U.S.S. MOUNT McKINLEY (O.T.C.) on base course 241°True, 240°gyro, 244°psc, and 235°psc. Making 59 rpm's for 11 knots. Standard Speed is 12 knots. 0137 Executed a Turn to 181°True. 0205 Executed Turn a to 241°True. 0223 Changed fleet course and axis to 270°True. 0331 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0501 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 0507 Changed fleet course and axis to 250°T. 0613 Sounded General Quarters. 0617 Changed fleet course and axis to 299°T. 0659 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0726 Secured from General Quarters.

P. M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0800 All divisions mustered on stations, no absentees. 0800 Daily magazine temperatures reported, all normal. 0915 Ceased zigzagging. 0932 c/c and axis to 329°T. 0951 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 1151 Ceased zigzagging.

J. S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1200 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #7. 1247 Sounded General Quarters, Flash RED. 1312 Secured from General Quarters. 1520 Sounded General Quarters, Flash RED. 1531 Secured from General Quarters. 1533 Ceased zigzag resumed base course. 1533 c/s to 08 knots (34 rpm's). 1550 By orders of ComTransRon 13 the following named man, Lt. Malcolm McIsaac, 149th Infantry was transferred to DE 581 which came alongside to effect transfer. Man to be later transferred to CVE as observer.

J. J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1626 Changed speed to 11 knots. 1641 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #7. 1723 Sounded General Quarters - Flash RED from O.T.C. 1728 Secured from General Quarters - Flash WHITE. 1815 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. Changed fleet course and axis to 354°T. 1855 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #7. Sounded General Quarters for evening security. 1955 Secured from General Quarters.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2018 Commenced debarkation drill for embarked troops. 2102 Secured from debarkation drill. 2130 Ceased zigzagging, resumed base course. 2147 c/c and axis to 329°T, 327°psc. 2211 Commenced zigzagging under Plan #7.

Elliot Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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Steaming in accordance with C.T.G. 78.3 OP Plan 1-45 in company with Task Units 78.3., 2, 3, (U.S.S. HARRIS Fleet Guide and O.T.C. on U.S.S. MOUNT MCKINLEY) on base course 354°T, 352°psc, and 342°psc, making 58 rpm's to make good 11 knots. Standard Speed is 12 knots. Zigzagging in accordance with Plan #7. 0112 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. Changed fleet course and axis to 335°T. 0146 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0216 Ceased zigzagging, commenced on base course. 0227 Changed fleet course and axis to 340°T. c/s to 10 Knots (53 rpm's).

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0554 c/c to 010°T. 0623 Sounded General Quarters. 0655 c/c to 340°T. 0707 c/s to 11 knots (59 rpm's). 0721 c/c and axis to 345°T. 0724 Secured from General Quarters. 0745 Received daily magazine report; temperatures normal. 0755 c/c and axis to 335°T. 0742 Passed AMBULONG ISLAND Light Abeam to starboard, distant 4 miles; entered MINDORO STRAITS.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0910 c/s to 12 knots (63 rpm's). 1000 Secured Condition III - Set Condition 1-A (rehearsal). 1108 Secured Condition 1-A - Set Condition III. 1127 c/c and fleet axis to 307°T. 1149 Commenced zigzagging in accordance to Plan #7.

J.J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1343 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1348 Changed fleet course and axis to 298°T. 1358 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #7.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, Jr.
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1642 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1659 Changed fleet course and axis to 325°True. 1835 Changed fleet course and axis to 350°True. 1825 C.T.U. 77.3.1 reported to this Task Unit for duty. 1900 Sounded General Quarters. 1900 c/s to 11 knots (57 rpm's). 1927 Executed 2 Turn to 330°True. 2000 Executed Turn 1 to 320°True.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2029 Executed Turn 3 to course 350°True. 2035 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 2040 Secured from General Quarters; set Condition II. 2152 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 2157 Changed fleet course and axis to 005°True. 2223 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6.

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Steaming in accordance with ComTransGroup 78.3 OP Plan 1-45 in company with U.S.S. HARRIS (Guide) and U.S.S. MOUNT MCKINLEY (O.T.C.) on base course 005°True, 003°pgc, 352°psc, 000°pstc. Making 58 rpm's for 11 knots. Condition II is set. Zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0100 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 0118 Changed fleet course and axis to 025°True. 0132 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0155 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 0203 Changed fleet course and axis to 050°True. 0215 c/s to 12 knots, 63 rpm's.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0418 c/s to 13 knots (70 rpm's). 0420 Changed fleet course and axis to 060°True. 0432 Changed fleet course and axis to 090°True. 0503 Sounded General Quarters. 0507 c/c to 087°T. 0511 Secured from General Quarters; set Condition 1-A. 0524 Prepared to deploy; c/s to 8 knots (44 rpm). 0534 Deployed, changed fleet course and axis to 094°T. Began executing various course and speed changes in order to arrive at our assigned anchorage position in Transport Area ABLE, 8700 yards from beach bearing 275°T from REFERENCE Pt., 15°-01'30"N, 120°-04'E. 0625 Let go starboard anchor in 31 fathoms with 75 fathoms of chain at the water's edge. 0627 Commenced debarking troops. 0647 Commenced unloading cargo at 1, 2, 3, and 5 hatches. 0720 DAVIS, Ben, S2c, 883 67 76, was confined to the brig for safe-keeping by order of the Commanding Officer.

F.M. Aubry
F.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Anchored as before. 0927 Underway for assigned berth in inner anchorage, 2700 yards from beach bearing 275°T from REFERENCE Pt. 1008 Let go starboard anchor in 14 fathoms of water with 75 fathoms of chain to the water's edge. Continued discharging cargo. 1020 LYONS, John L., S2c was injured at about 0850 at #2 hatch. Net swung in and pinned him against hatch causing fracture of sacrum vertebra. 1130 Made daily inspection of magazines and smokeless powder samples; conditions normal.

H.F. Anderson
H.F. ANDERSON,
Lieut. D-V(S) USNR.

12 - 16

Anchored as before. Continued discharging cargo from hatches #1, 2, 3, and 5. 1345 Completed discharging #3 hatch. 1430 Completed discharging #5 hatch. 1450 Completed discharging #1 hatch.

H.F. Anderson
H.F. ANDERSON,
Lieut. D-V(S) USNR.

16 - 20

Anchored as before. Continued discharging cargo from #2 hatch. 1610 Completed discharging #2 hatch; all cargo discharged. 1700 Completed debarking all troops of 2nd Battalion, 149 Regiment, 38th Division, U.S. Army. Total troops debarked: Officers 62; Enlisted men 1123. 1747 Secured from Condition 1-A; set Condition 3. 1856 Sounded routine evening General Quarters. 1957 Secured from General Quarters.

H.F. Anderson
H.F. ANDERSON,
Lieut. D-V(S) USNR.

20 - 24

Anchored as before. 2040 Anchor heaved in to 45 fathoms at water's edge. Continuing to heave in. 2050 Anchor Aweigh - Underway at various courses and speeds out of anchorage area and proceeding to form astern U.S.S. HARRIS in TransDiv 37 column (U.S.S. LAMAR column leader), U.S.S. CAVALIER is O.T.C.; U.S.S. CUSTER is guide. 2145 Steaming on base course 270°T. On station as third ship in column 2 (TransDiv 37) astern of U.S.S. HARRIS, making 6 knots (38 rpm's). 2155 c/s to 10 knots (52 rpm's); designated as Standard Speed. 2243 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6.

Elliot Fenton
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Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

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00 - 04

Steaming in accordance with CTG 78.3 OP PLAN 1-45 in company with Task Units 78.3.2 and 78.3.3 (U.S.S. CAVALIER O.T.C. and U.S.S. CUSTER Fleet Guide) on base course 270°T. 10 knots (54 rpm's) Standard Speed. Steaming at Standard Speed. Zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0006 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 0018 Changed fleet course and axis to 223°T. 0046 Changed fleet course and axis to 210°T. 0100 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0134 Muffled explosion heard in vicinity of U.S.S. CAVALIER. 0140 CAVALIER showing breakdown lights, falling out of formation. U.S.S. CUSTER designated O.T.C. 0326 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 0340 Changed fleet course and axis to 034°T.

P.M. Aubry
P.M. AUBRY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0400 c/c and axis to 169°T. 0430 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0630 Sounded General Quarters. 0735 Secured from General Quarters. 0737 c/s to 12 knots (63 rpm's). Changed Standard Speed to 12 knots. 0751 Ceased zigzagging. 0755 c/c and axis to 145°T.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0805 Magazine reports show normal temperatures. 0808 Commenced zigzagging with Plan #6. 0815 Crew mustered on stations, no absentees. 1113 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1121 c/c and fleet axis to 130° True. 1125 c/s to 13 knots (69 rpm's). 1131 Commenced zigzagging in accordance to Plan #6.

J.J. Borgenson
J.J. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1250 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1303 Changed fleet course and axis to 110°T. 1314 Resumed zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 1457 Emergency Turn Nine to course 200°T. 1504 Nine Turn executed to 110°T. 1513 Resumed zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1600 Executed Turn signal, ceasing zigzagging and remaining on course 130°True. 1632 Changed fleet course and axis to 130°True. 1641 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 1734 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1742 Changed fleet course and axis to 154°True. 1800 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 1809 APO Island Light abeam to starboard, distant 11 miles. 1858 Sounded General Quarters. 1930 Changed fleet course and axis to 156°True. 2000 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition III.

John E. Fletcher
JOHN E. FLETCHER,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2250 Changed fleet course and axis to 150°T. 2300 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 2303 c/c 190°T. 2323 c/c to 150° True. 2351 c/c to 110°T.

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Steaming in accordance with ComTask Group 78.3 OP Plan 1-45 in company with Task Units 78.3.20, U.S.S. CUSTER O.T.C. and Fleet Guide, on base course 150°True. Making 69 rpm's to make 13 knots. Standard Speed 12 knots. Steaming on course 110°True. 0008 c/c to 150°True. 0030 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0233 Land sighted bearing 245°T.

J.S. Roberts
J.S. ROBERTS,
Lieut. D-V(G) USNR.

04 - 08

Steaming as before. 0416 Cease zigzagging and resumed base course. 0423 c/c and fleet axis to 140°True. 0432 Resumed zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0502 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 0522 c/c and fleet axis to 178°T. 0540 Resumed zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0618 Sounded routine General Quarters. 0635 Simulated torpedo hit, starboard, frame 165. 0637 Simulated bomb hit on #2 hatch, boats on fire. 0640 Fire #2 hatch under control, boats damaged beyond repair. 0650 Secured from damage control problem. 0701 Ceased zigzagging, resumed base course. 0716 Tested general and gas alarms. 0718 Secured from routine General Quarters. 0720 c/c and fleet axis to 150°T. 0735 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 0800 Magazine temperatures reported normal.

J.B. Borgenson
J.B. BORGENSON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

08 - 12

Steaming as before. 0805 Magazines were reported as normal. 1010 The following Summary Court-Martial was published this date: Name/ Robert Richard SHARWARK, 615 61 07, SM2c(T), V-6 USNR. Offence: Illegal possession of property of the U.S. Government and disobedience of an order. Punishment: Deprivation of liberty on shore on Foreign station for a period of two (2) months and to lose 16 dollars per month for a period of 6 months, total loss of pay amounting to 96 dollars.

Peter C. Evans, Jr.
PETER C. EVANS, JR.,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

12 - 16

Steaming as before. 1315 Sounded General Quarters for drill. 1316 Secured from General Quarters. 1512 Ceased zigzagging, resumed base course. 1523 c/c and axis to 117°T and 115°pgc. 1539 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6.

Elliott Fenton
ELLIOTT FENTON,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

16 - 20

Steaming as before. 1700 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1708 Changed fleet course and axis to 090°T. 1723 Commenced zigzagging by Plan #6. 1854 General Quarters. 1916 Ceased zigzagging and resumed base course. 1927 Changed fleet course and axis to 064°T. 1950 Secured from General Quarters.

P.M. Aubrey
P.M. AUBREY,
Lt(jg) D-V(G) USNR.

20 - 24

Steaming as before. 2015 TAGOLO Pt., MINDANAO passed abeam to starboard, distant 10 miles. 2103 c/c and fleet axis to 088°T. 2132 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6. 2216 Ceased zigzagging. 2254 c/c and fleet axis to 061°T. 2309 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with Plan #6.

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