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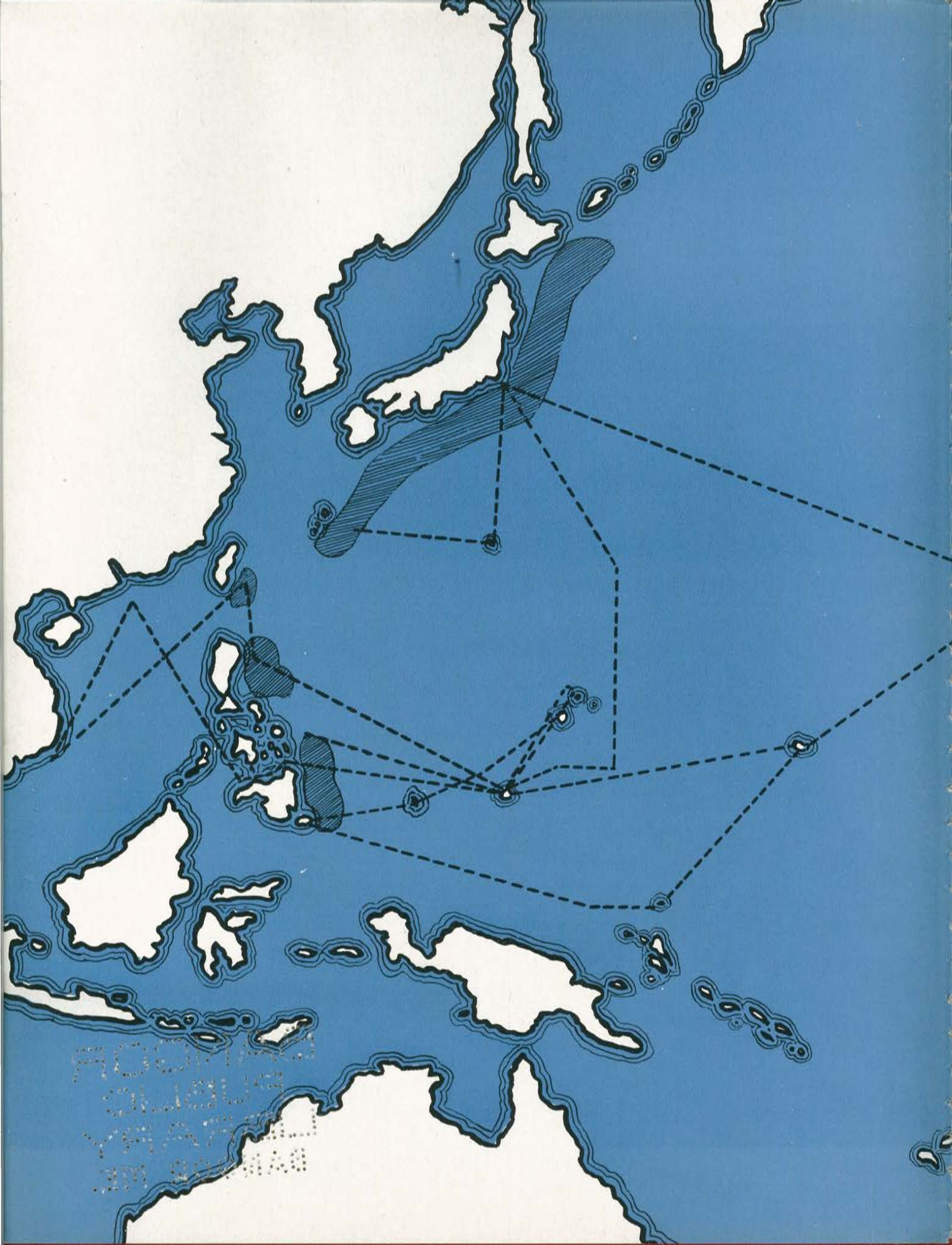
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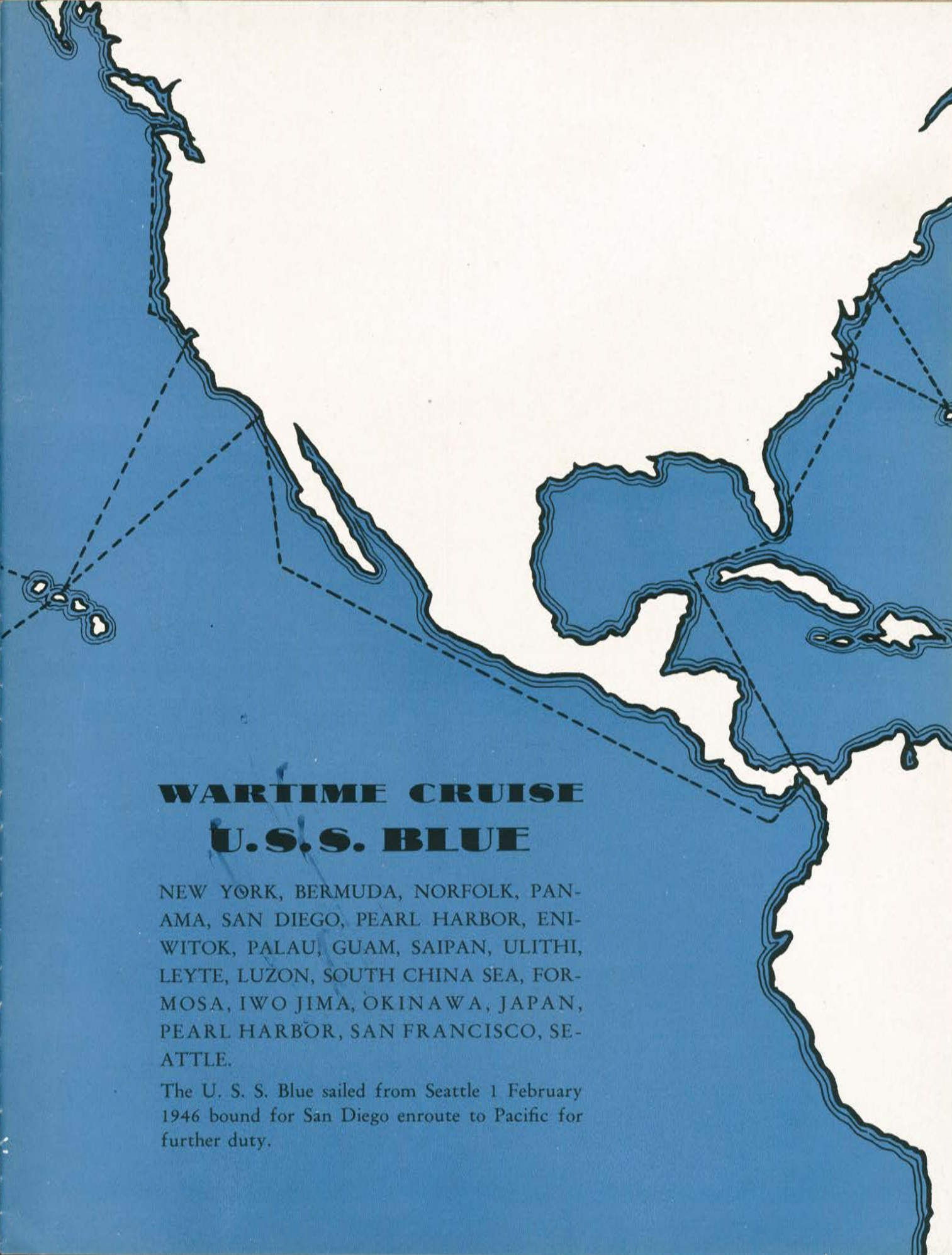
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The U. S. S. Blue sailed from Seattle 1 February 1946 bound for San Diego enroute to Pacific for further duty.



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DD 744

THIS IS a pictographic story of a destroyer of the United States Navy during World War II. It is a story of the life of the **BLUE** from the time of her launching in New York in November, 1943, to the end of the war in Tokyo Bay in September, 1945, and the first months of the peace.



THE U.S.S. BLUE

DD 744

ON NOVEMBER 30, 1943, the destroyer Blue was launched in the Bethlehem Steel Shipyard, Staten Island, New York. She went into commission on March 20, 1944, in the New York Navy Yard, Brooklyn, New York, with nineteen officers and 335 enlisted men aboard.

The Blue was one of the first 2,200 ton super-destroyers to be commissioned in the navy, and was named after the 1,500 ton U. S. S. Blue (DD387), which was sunk in the Solomon Islands Campaign in 1943. The first Blue was named in honor of the late Admiral Victor Blue and his son, Lieutenant-Commander John Stuart Blue, who was killed in action in the South Pacific.

In April, the Blue went to Bermuda for a month shake-down cruise, after which she returned to New York for alterations. On July 6, she left New York for Norfolk, Virginia. There she joined another destroyer, a destroyer-escort, and the aircraft carrier Ranger, with whom she steamed to Pearl Harbor, by way of the Panama Canal.

The ship was in the Canal Zone two days. Upon leaving Panama, during the morning of July 16, she entered Pacific waters and steered a course for San Diego. After three days in port at San Diego, she departed from the United States bound for the combat areas of the Western Pacific. The date was July 28, 1944.

The first stop out of the states was Pearl Harbor. There the Blue left the Ranger and proceeded in company with three other carriers, the Intrepid, Enterprise, and Independence, to Eniwetok Atoll, which was the fleet anchorage at that time.

At Eniwetok, the Blue joined the fighting units of the fleet in the powerful carrier Task Force 58, with whom she operated during the remaining twelve months of the war. Task Force 58 (and alternately T. F. 38, when Admiral Halsey was present as Commander Third Fleet) was composed of the newest and fastest ships in the United States Navy, a few of which were the "fighting Ladies" Hornet, Wasp, Intrepid, Bunker Hill, Essex, Lexington, Franklin, Randolph, and Ticonderoga; the battleships New Jersey, Iowa, Missouri, Wisconsin, Massachusetts, Alabama, Washington, and South Dakota; plus dozens of cruisers, and more than one hundred destroyers.

Three days after Task Force 58 sortied from Eniwetok, it crossed the equator. Neptune Rex and his trusty shellbacks initiated many lowly pollywogs while the ships were in his royal domain of Latitude 00-00 degrees.

Thus, it was a salty group which turned northward the next day to launch the initial assaults on Palau and the Philippines. The opening of the Philippine Campaign in September, 1944, was the beginning of combat experience for the Blue.

After a month of striking the Japs in the Philippine Sea, the ship was temporarily detached from the task force for special duty trips to Guam, Eniwetok, Saipan, and Ulithi. Ulithi, in the West Caroline Island, became the fleet anchorage and was used as such for seven months. There, in October, the Blue joined the eight other destroyers of her squadron, "DESRON 61."

Destroyer Squadron Sixty-One was assigned to Task Force 38/58 for duty in November, 1944. That month, and the month following, the task force launched repeated air strikes against Luzon and Formosa in support of the Philippine invasions. On December 19, off Luzon, the ships were caught in a violent typhoon in which three destroyers, the Hull, Spence, and Monaghan were sunk. The Blue was so badly damaged that she had to return to Ulithi for repairs.

The ship was ready for sea early in January, in time for the Third Fleet's daring thrust into the South China Sea. The fleet steamed through the Bashi Channel, between Luzon and Formosa, and turned southward to strike shipping and military installations along the French Indo-China Coast. These strikes were followed by air attacks on Hong Kong and Canton, but further air operations were halted by adverse weather conditions. In the center of the South China Sea, the fleet was caught again in a typhoon. In this storm, the Blue was damaged worse than before, so she limped through the Mindoro Surigao Straits, in the Philippines, back to Ulithi for more repairs.

After two weeks alongside a destroyer tender in Ulithi, the ship was ready for action again. She got underway with Task Force 58 in February to conduct the First and Second Carrier Attacks on Japan, which were supporting strikes for the invasion of Iwo Jima. The task force provided air cover for the marines on Iwo until the beginning of March, at which time the ships returned to Ulithi to prepare themselves for one of the most difficult battles in which the navy has ever fought, i. e., the Okinawa Campaign.

The Blue participated in the Okinawa Campaign from March 15 to June 5. In support of the invasion and capture of Okinawa, the Blue fired shore bombardments on

Okino Daito Shima and Minami Daito Shima and shot down several Jap planes. The aircraft were all suicide planes, the type which sank or damaged over two hundred ships of the fleet.

The Okinawa Campaign ended for the Blue on June 5, a day in which the task force had retired southeast of Okinawa to refuel from tankers. It was during that day that twenty-one of the ships were damaged in a devastating typhoon. The Blue was one of the ships damaged. Another was the cruiser Pittsburgh; she lost her entire bow. The Blue was ordered to escort the tug which towed the Pittsburgh's bow to Guam. After a week with the "Suburb of Pittsburgh," towed at a speed of only three knots, the Blue was relieved by another destroyer so that she could proceed to Leyte Gulf for repairs.

A destroyer tender in Leyte Gulf repaired the storm damage to the ship in time for her to get underway with the Third Fleet on July 1 for the final naval operation of the war. The men aboard the ship did not realize then that the next port which they were to enter would be Tokyo Bay. During July and August the carrier groups launched continual strikes against the home islands of the Japanese Empire, particularly Honshu and Hokkaido. For these operations T. F. 38 was joined by carriers, battleships, cruisers, and destroyers of the British Pacific Fleet.

On July 22, by orders of Admiral Halsey, "DESRON 61" was temporarily detached from its duty of screening the carriers. The squadron was directed to make a high speed anti-shipping sweep into Sagami Wan, the entrance to Tokyo Bay. While entering the Wan in column at thirty knots, the ships spotted a Jap convoy shortly before midnight and immediately opened fire with torpedoes and five-inch guns. The Blue was credited with assisting in the sinking of three Jap ships in this engagement. "DESRON 61" was the first group of surface vessels to penetrate "the mouth of the dragon."

Other units followed to bombard Honshu with sixteen-inch guns; the B-29's and carrier planes continued to rain death on the homeland night and day; Russia declared war on Japan; the atomic bombs were dropped; and as a result the enemy sued for peace on August 15. At that time the Third Fleet was operating about one hundred miles from Tokyo, off the coast of Honshu. Jap armies, and ships, and planes began surrendering to the forces of the United States. On August 27, the largest submarine in the world, the Japanese I-400, surrendered to the Blue south of Hokkaido. The prize crew from the ship which went aboard the sub to take it into port found that the I-400 carried three seaplanes in addition to her full complement of torpedoes and anti-aircraft guns. The ship was proud that one of her last acts in the war was the capture of the enemy's largest underseas monster. The following week she steamed into Tokyo Bay on V-J Day, September 2, 1945, after being at sea for sixty-three consecutive days. The ship was anchored only a thousand yards from the battleship Missouri aboard which the surrender was signed. During the ceremony, an armada of army and navy planes, in a spectacular display of air power, flew over the mass of Allied ships anchored in the bay.

After V-J Day, the ship moved into the large Jap naval base at Yokosuka. Two weeks there gave the crew time to visit Yokohama, Yokosuka, and Tokyo, and procure many Japanese souvenirs for themselves. Then the long awaited trip back home began with the carrier Ticonderoga, the cruiser Tucson, and the destroyer Maddox. On October 5, 1945, the group steamed under the Golden Gate Bridge in San Francisco.

The ship stayed in San Francisco until after Navy Day, October 27, when she moved to Bremerton, Washington, for overhaul in the navy yard. It was during the overhaul that this book was compiled. It was published in Seattle, in January, 1946, when the ship was twenty-two months old. During those months she has had two commanding officers, Captain Lot Ensey, USN (pictured on the left), who was skipper from commissioning until May, 1945; and Commander Louis A. Bryan, USN (pictured on the right), who relieved Captain Ensey and was still in command at the time of the publication of this book.

In January, the ship was under orders to return to the Western Pacific for peacetime patrol duty, presumably on the China Station based in Shanghai. She returned to foreign duty with a great war record. She is credited with sinking three enemy ships, shooting down four enemy planes, capturing an enemy submarine, participating in two shore bombardments, sinking eleven enemy mines, and rescuing eighteen carrier pilots and air crewmen from the sea. She has earned the American Theater Ribbon, the Pacific Theater Ribbon with six battle stars, the Philippine Liberation Ribbon with one star, and the World War II Victory Ribbon.

Thus, these two pages of narrative have told the history of the ship in words; the other pages of the book tell the story in pictures. Five pages, however, contain neither a narrative nor pictures, but they tell far more than either. Those pages contain the names of all the officers and men who have served aboard the ship from the time of her commissioning in 1944 to the publishing of this book in 1946. On the Blue, as on any other ship, it is the men who sail the ship that make her what she is. It is not the steel and iron which make the ship, but the men's thoughts, and sweat, and ideals, and courage, and pride. They make the ship; they *are* the ship.

Capt. L. Ensey, USN



Capt. L. A. Bryan, USN



The Blue in Action

Action port



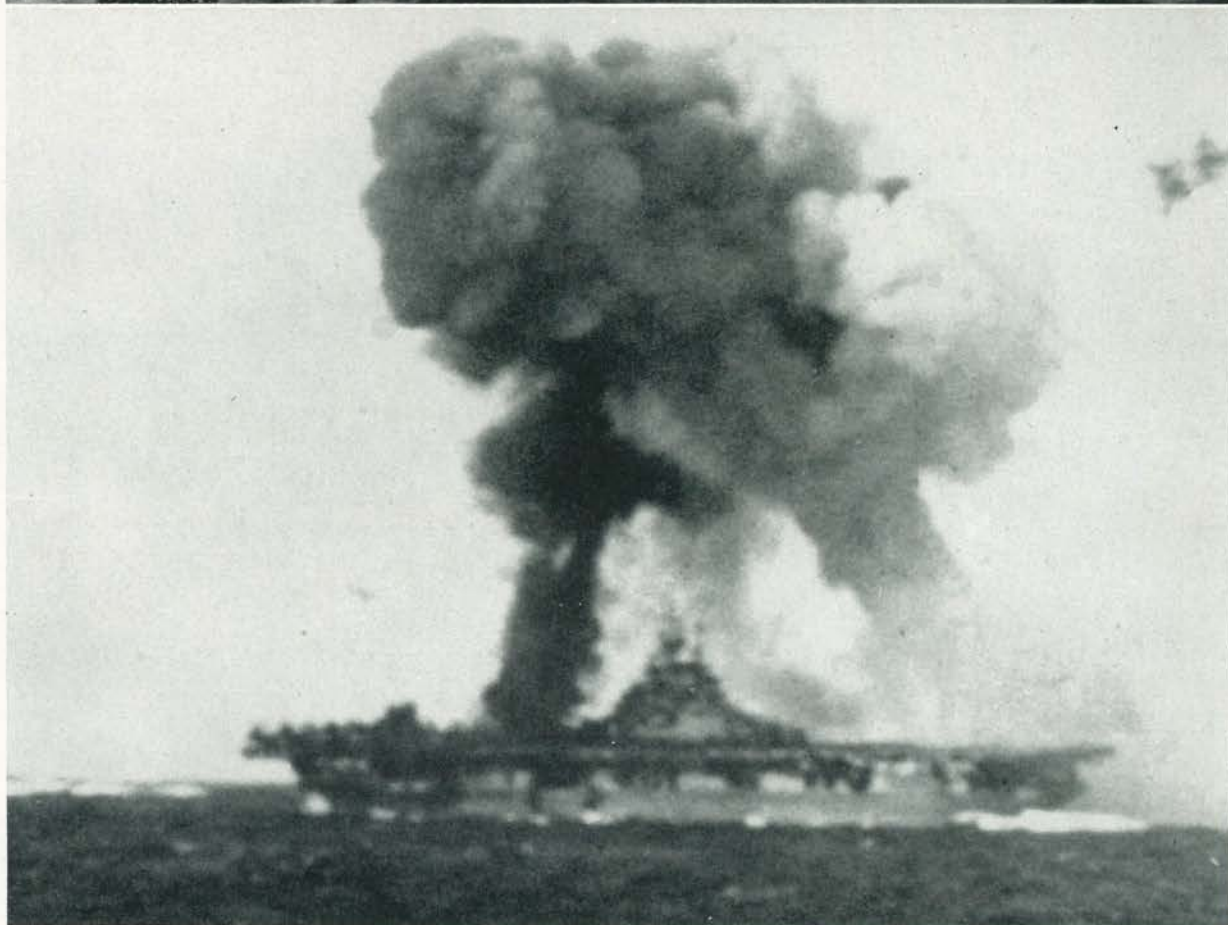
Night shore
bombardment

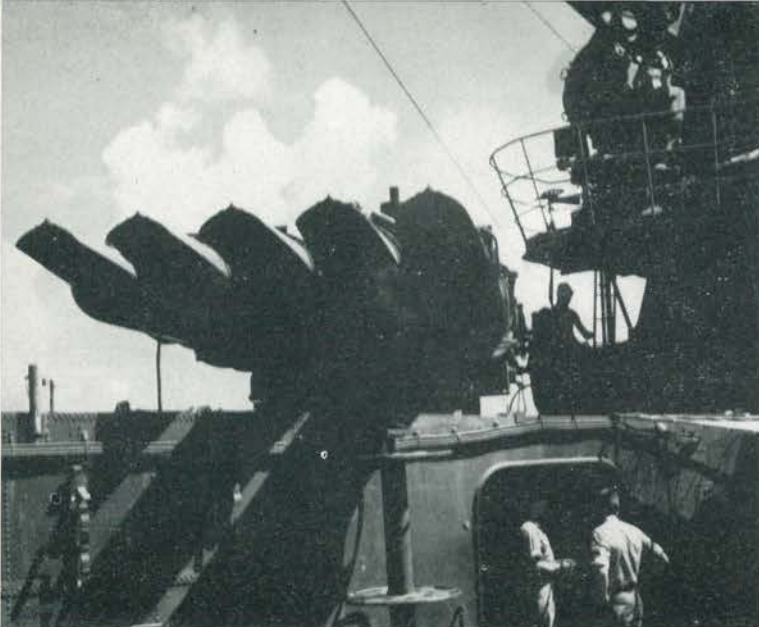


Splash one Jap
bomber . . .
Burning on the
water is the
first plane shot
down by the
Blue . . . In the
foreground is
the circular
wake of a bomb
which the plane
attempted to
drop on the
ship.



A suicide plane
gets through
the ack-ack to
a carrier just a
few hundred
yards from the
Blue.





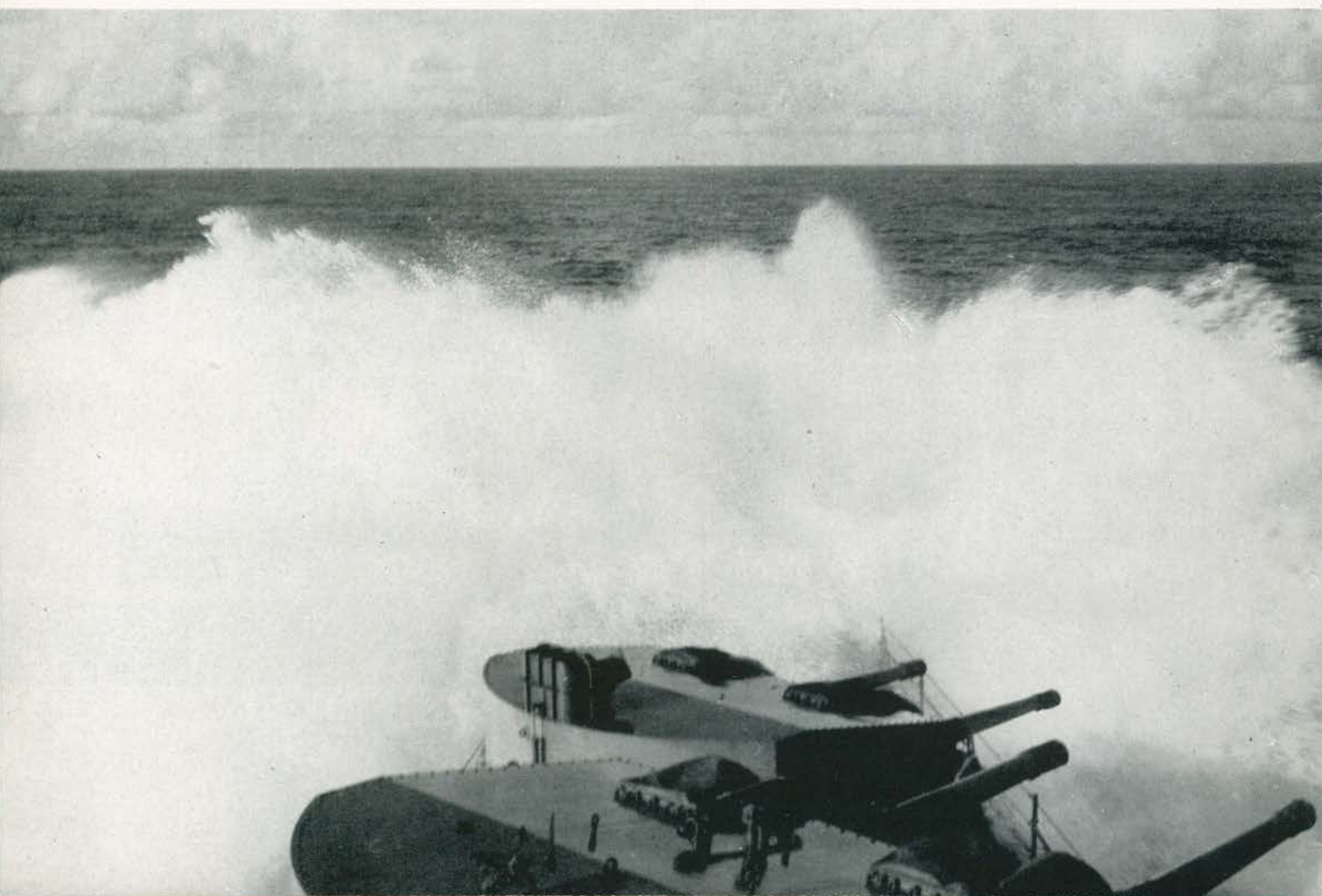
TORPEDOES . . .

ready for firing . . .



. . . firing!

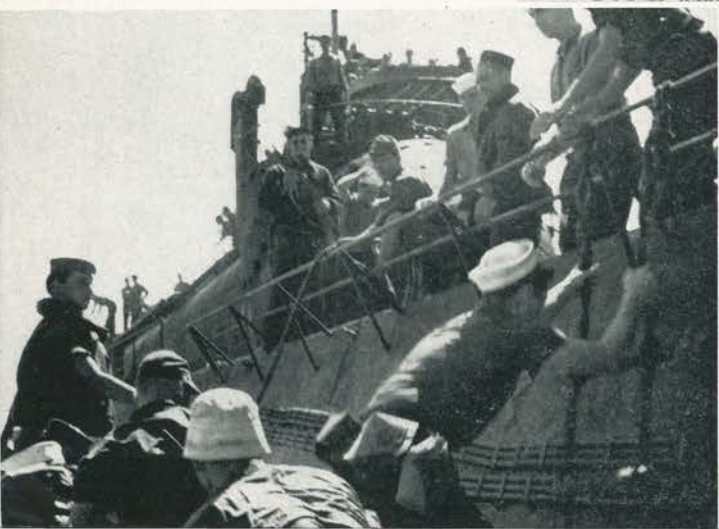
AT HIGH SPEED . . . taking spray over the bow.

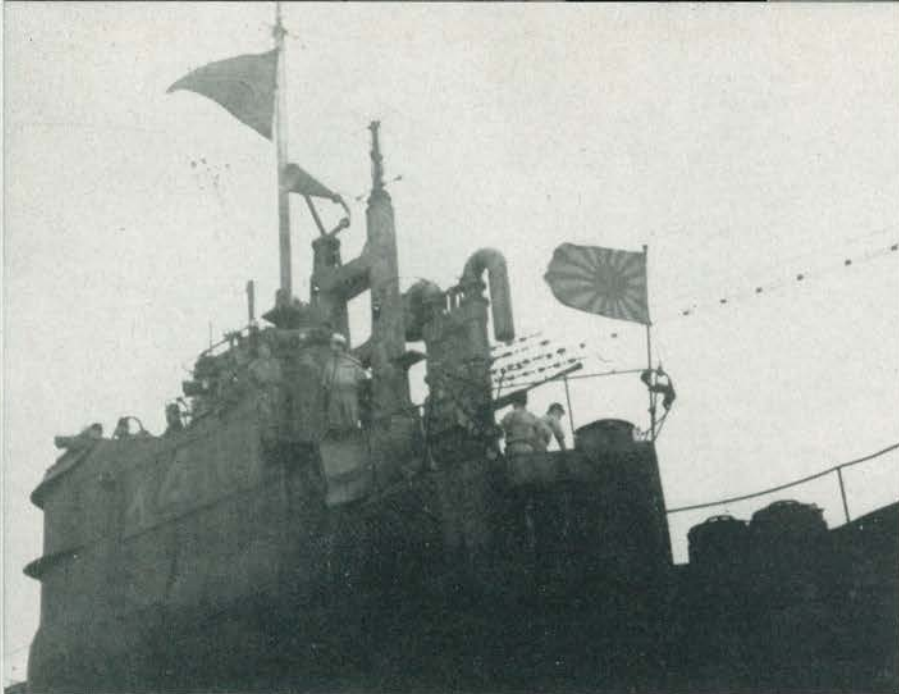


The Japanese submarine I-400,
off Honshu, Japan.

Prize Crew I-400

(below) The prize crew of the
Blue boarding the I-400, the
largest submarine in the world.





The I-400 carried 160 men and 21 officers. Her armament included twenty torpedoes and three seaplanes.



(Above) Above the conning tower of the Japanese submarine are three radar antennae, the Japanese ensign, and a black surrender pennant.

(Right) Under the flag of the Rising Sun the men from the Blue inspect one of the Jap anti-aircraft machine guns.



TYPHOONS!!!

In heavy seas the Blue rolls
below the waves and . . .



. . . ploughs through
the waves.

The deck crew gets thor-
oughly soaked while fuel-
ing from a tanker in rough
weather.



Running Mates of the Blue



launching . . .

CARRIERS

. . . recovering



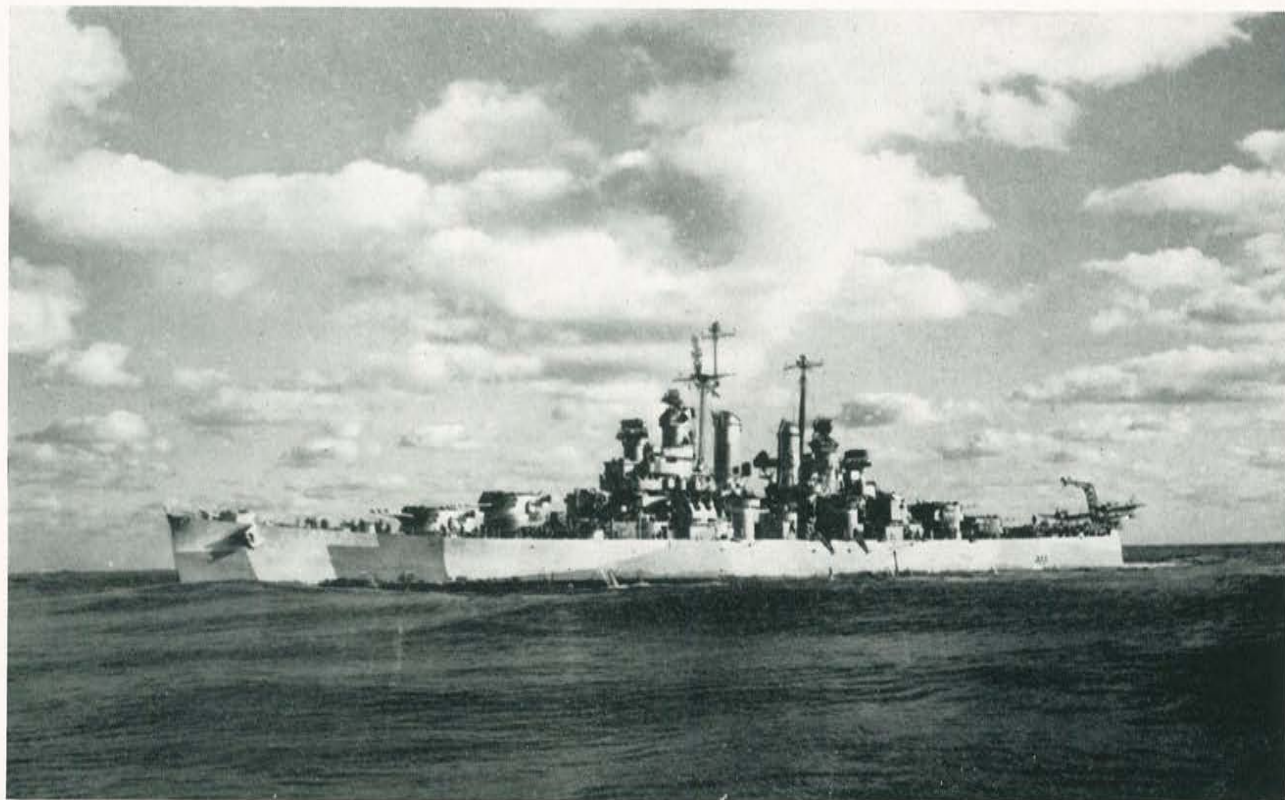


the Iowa Class . . .

BATTLESHIPS

. . . the South Dakota Class

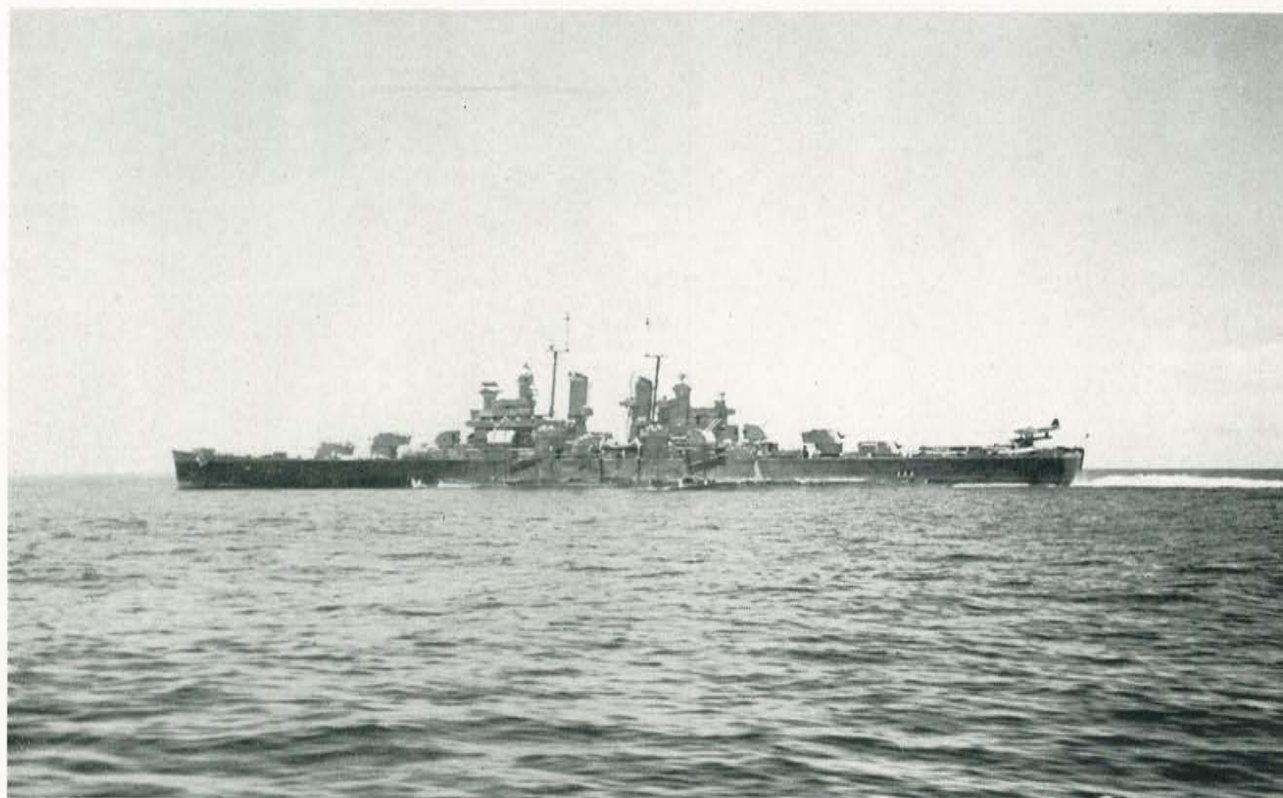




the Cleveland Class . . .

CRUISERS

. . . light cruiser



OTHER "TIN CANS" OF DESTROYER SQUADRON SIXTY-ONE



USS COLLETT



USS SWENSON



USS TAUSSIG



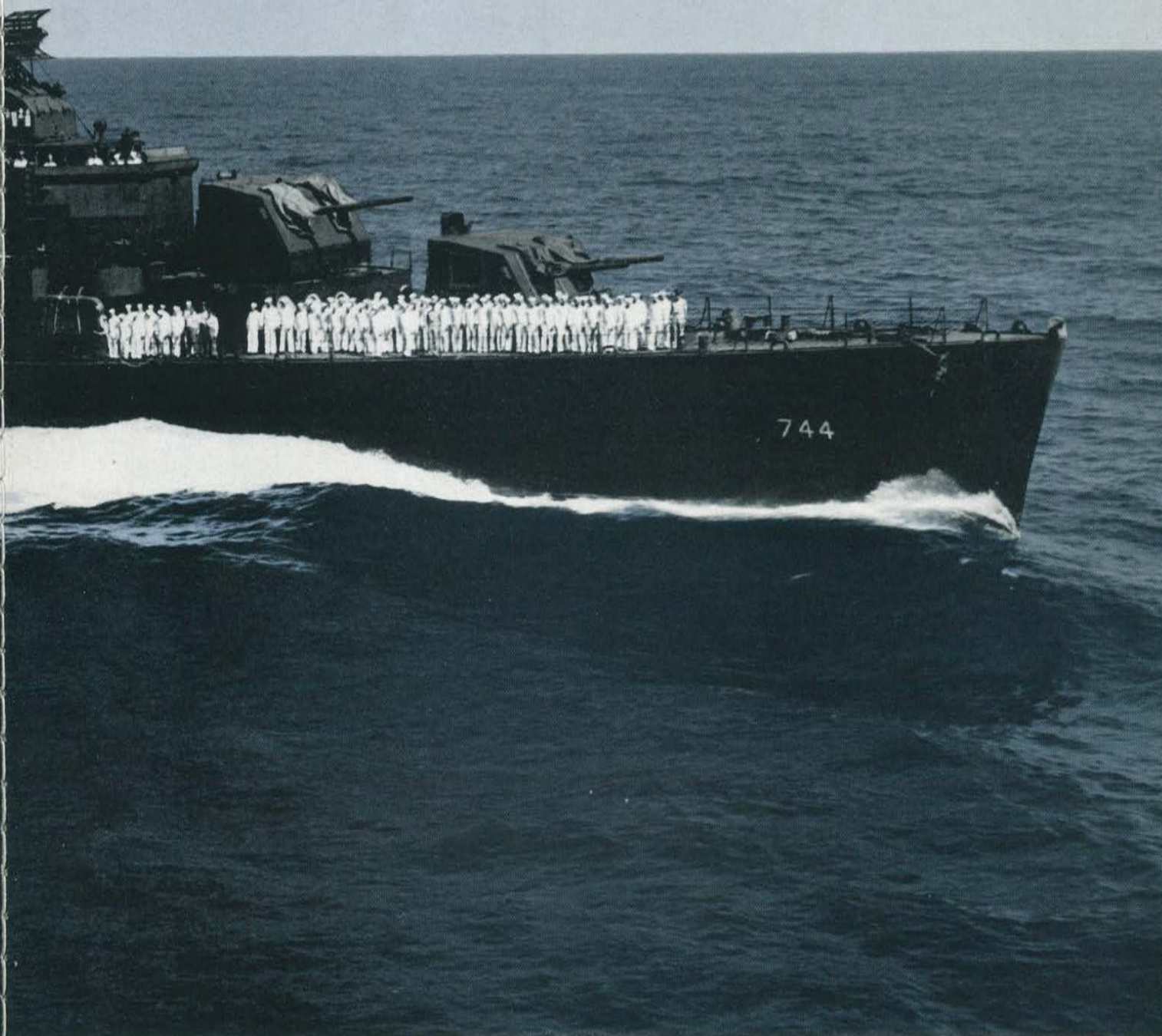
USS BRUSH

The four other ships in the squadron, which are not pictured above, are the USS DeHaven (DD 727), USS Mansfield (DD 728), USS Maddox (DD 731), and USS Moore (DD 747).

Other "running mates" of the Blue were the carrier-based fighter planes which were always overhead to protect the ships of the fleet.







U.S.S. BLUE DD 744

Picture Sketches of Life Aboard the Blue



Exploding a Japanese mine
by rifle fire.



Receiving depth charges at sea
from an ammunition ship.



Receiving provisions at sea
from a cargo ship.



Rescuing a pilot in his
rubber life raft.



Three minutes after this
American aviator was
shot down by Jap planes,
he was safe aboard
the Blue.





Passing mail at sea.



Transferring a man to a tanker.

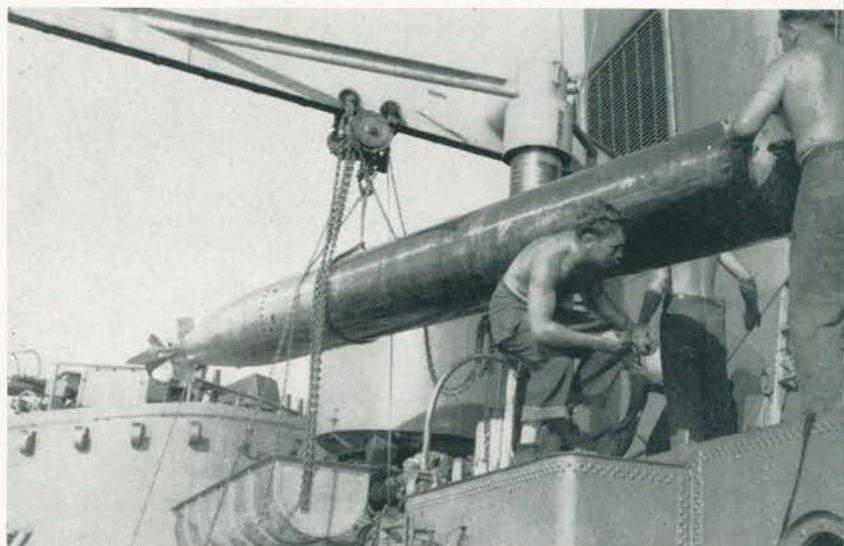


Transferring marines to a transport preparatory to the occupation of Japan.



Swabbing down the deck.

Loading torpedoes
in the tubes.



A battleship and destroyer
fueling at sea.



CROSSING THE EQUATOR



The Royal Court of Neptunus Rex receiving lowly pollywogs of the Blue into his domain and duly initiating them into the Royal Order of Trusty Shellbacks.



A pollywog is sentenced to the stocks by the Royal Court.

Newly initiated shellbacks display the unmerciful work of the Royal Barber.



PORT ROUTINE

Destroyers alongside a tender.



The Blue entering a floating drydock for repairs.



(Below, right) Airing the signal flags.

(Below) Church services, by both officers and men, being broadcast throughout the ship.





The liberty boat leaves the ship in Ulithi.

Liberty **"On the Beach"**

The men form a line to receive
their ration of beer.



Enjoying a beer party "Pacific style."





The ball players, Chiefs and Officers, after the big game.

On Samar Island, in the Philippines, the Chiefs challenged the Officers to a baseball game. (Left) Captain Bryan at bat.

A picnic lunch of sandwiches and beer followed the game.





Bracketed in the 40mm. guns of the Blue is Mount Fujiyama.

V-J Day Sept. 2, 1945

**The Blue Enters
Tokyo Bay, Japan**

The battered Jap battleship Nagato which was in Tokyo Bay when the Third Fleet arrived.



(Right) The signing of the surrender by the Japanese representatives aboard the battleship Missouri, under the watchful eyes of General MacArthur, Admiral Nimitz, and other Allied military and naval leaders.



Third Fleet carrier planes over Japan.

Yokosuka Naval Base (on Honshu, Japan) where the Blue was anchored for two weeks.



TOKYO STREET SCENES



A liberty party from the Blue poses for a picture in the heart of the Japanese capital.



Downtown Tokyo two weeks after V-J Day.

A Japanese policeman and a laborer look toward the grounds of the Imperial Palace.



A Japanese theater



OFFICERS AND MEN OF THE SHIP'S COMPANY



Officers and the crew assembled on the forecastle of the ship.

The following officers were aboard the ship for duty when she was commissioned March 20, 1944:

Captain L. Ensey, USN
 Lt.-Comdr. D. Johnston, Jr., USN
 Lt.-Comdr. C. R. Lockwood, USNR
 Lt.-Comdr. M. B. Sellers, USNR
 Lt.-Comdr. C. Taylor, USNR
 Lt.-Comdr. J. J. Rowan, USN
 Lieut. R. C. Tolerton, USN
 Lieut. R. F. Daniel, USNR
 Lieut. C. W. Place, Jr., USNR
 Lieut. H. J. Blaskowski, USNR
 Lt. (jg) R. Sorensen, USN
 Lt. (jg) C. C. Collie, Jr., USNR
 Lt. (jg) R. M. Lenox, USNR
 Lt. (jg) G. J. Stephan, USNR
 Lt. (jg) W. H. Allen, USNR
 Lt. (jg) D. D. Lundquist, USN
 Lt. (jg) M. W. Walton, USN
 Lieut. K. T. Chandler, (MC), USNR
 Lt. (jg) E. G. Byer, (SC), USNR

The following officers reported aboard the ship for duty, subsequent to the date of commissioning:

Comdr. L. A. Bryan, USN
 Comdr. H. S. Graves, USN
 Lt.-Comdr. Huber, USN
 Lieut. M. D. Gastrock, USN
 Lieut. P. H. Owen, Jr., USNR
 Lt. (jg) L. R. Frederick, USNR
 Lt. (jg) J. M. Prewitt, USN
 Lt. (jg) G. T. Randall, USN
 Lt. (jg) W. G. Eaton, Jr., USNR
 Lt. (jg) W. E. Homan, (MC), USNR
 Lt. (jg) F. D. Mayhoffer, USNR
 Ens. H. H. Landon, USNR
 Ens. E. A. Nelson, Jr., USNR
 Ens. R. P. Beaman, Jr., USNR
 Ens. J. G. MacDonald, (SC), USNR
 Ens. P. G. Garrity, USNR

Ens. J. K. Haugan, USNR
 Ens. E. R. Sharpe, USNR
 Ens. F. G. King, USNR
 Ens. D. H. Turp, USNR
 Ens. C. A. Salassi, USNR
 Ens. M. T. Ford, USNR
 Ens. F. E. Ganzlmar, USNR
 *Mach. J. W. Hampston, USN
 *Rdo. Elect. B. W. Jennings, USN
 *Bosn. D. W. Maitland, USNR

The following officers reported aboard the ship for squadron or division staff duty:

Capt. B. F. Brown, USN
 Capt. C. K. Bergin, USN
 Capt. R. J. Archer, USN
 Lieut. T. R. Beal, USNR
 Lieut. J. Nonamaker, USNR
 Lt. (jg) J. B. Collinson, USNR

**(Aboard the ship at time of Commissioning in Enlisted Status.)*

The following men were aboard the ship for duty when she was commissioned:

Albert, Val J., RM3/c, USN
 Allie, Joseph M., WT2/c, USN
 Alton, Kerwin G., WT1/c, USNR
 Amato, Ralph J., BM2/c, USNR
 Anderson, Charles J., MM1/c, USNR
 Andrews, James T., GM3/c, USNR
 Antoniadis, Basil W., Cox., USN
 Barr, William G., RdM2/c, USN
 Bailey, Noble E., S2/c, USNR
 Balistere, John R., S1/c, USNR
 Barber, Oral L., GM2/c, USNR
 Barr, Arthur C., BM1/c, USNR
 Bateman, Louis C., S1/c, USNR
 Bellam, Calvin, S1/c, USNR
 Benson, Russel A., CMM (PA), USN
 Berg, John T., CGM (AA), USN
 Beverly, Kermit, CMM, USN
 Bialk, Robert, S1/c, USN
 Billings, Robert P., GM3/c, USN
 Bittle, Charles L., S1/c, USNR
 Blodgett, James H., S2/c, USN
 Bocz, Emil, EM1/c, USNR
 Botsesten, William F., F1/c, USN
 Bowling, William L., USN
 Boyd, Lawrence C., S1/c, USN
 Boyer, Wilbur R., RM2/c, USNR
 Boyle, James B., S1/c, USNR
 Brady, Jake B., TM3/c, USN
 Braidie, Edward, S1/c, USN
 Briggs, Frederick, S1/c, USNR
 Brown, Charles F., S1/c, USN
 Brown, Morris W., RdM3/c, USNR
 Brummett, Jack J., S1/c, USNR
 Bucholtz, Remont F., S1/c, USN
 Bullock, Theodore, S1/c, USN
 Burden, John F., S1/c, USN
 Burns, George F., F1/c, USN
 Cadwell, Harold, S1/c, USNR
 Callaway, David G., S1/c, USNR
 Calo, Joseph E., Cox., USNR
 Caples, Eddie Al., S1/c, USNR
 Cappelletti, Mathew, S1/c, USNR
 Carbonari, Salvatore P., TM1/c, USN
 Carr, Emanuel, StM2/c, USN
 Castro, Jesus, WT3/c, USN
 Chadbourne, Henry G., MM2/c, USN
 Chamberlain, Estel H., MM1/c, USN
 Chandler, Wendel V., RdM3/c, USNR
 Chorey, Albert (n), S1/c, USNR
 Chirillo, Donald (n) BM2/c, USNR
 Christensen, Lincoln W., CGM, USN
 Christian, Frederick, S1/c, USNR
 Citino, James R., S1/c, USN
 Clapper, Ray E., S1/c, USNR
 Clark, Robert L., F1/c, USNR
 Clinard, Richard, F1/c, USN
 Coleman, Charles H., S1/c, USNR

Conrad, Herbert A., Cox., USNR
 Conrey, Harry J., GM2/c, USNR
 Cook, Clarence R., RdM3/c, USNR
 Correl, Walter B., GM3/c, USNR
 Corwin, Jay W., EM2/c, USNR
 Cox, Eugene, Ck1/c, USN
 Curtis, Alfred A., S1/c, USN
 Dagutis, Albert P., MM3/c, USNR
 Damler, Robert E., S1/c, USN
 Daniels, William, SC3/c, USNR
 Darmofal, Joseph, EM2/c, USN
 Daugherty, Robert "T" SM2/c, USN
 Davis, Edward F., S1/c, USN
 Decoteau, Noah J., CY, USNR
 DeLuca, Nicholas J., SSMB3/c, USN
 Demers, Joseph A. E., MM1/c, USNR
 Dentino, Albert A., FC3/c, USN
 DePreist, William S., F1/c, USN
 Di Giacinto, Attilio, S1/c, USNR
 Diehl, Herman L., RdM3/c, USNR
 Dollard, Barton, RdM3/c, USNR
 Dowd, John P., S1/c, USNR
 Dragon, Andrew, BM2/c, USNR
 Dunlap, Thomas S., MM1/c, USN
 Eason, James L., FC3/c, USNR
 Eger, Herman (n), S1/c, USNR
 Egolf, Victor C., S1/c, USNR
 Emerine, Richard J., CWT, USN
 Engblom, Robert A., CBM (AA), USNR
 Ermisch, Walter H., S1/c, USNR
 Escalambre, Luis, CMM, USN
 Fay, Lenox E., CFC, USN
 Ferraro, Vito, WT2/c, USN
 Fetzer, Robert C., QM1/c, USN
 Finstrom, Willard O., F1/c, USNR
 Fletcher, Clarence W., Cox., USN
 Foehl, James E., MM3/c, USNR
 Fonti, Anthony R., S1/c, USN
 Foxall, James I., WT2/c, USNR
 Freddell, Theodore E., EM3/c, USNR
 Gardner, William R., Cox., USN
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 Holland, Arthur, S1/c, USNR
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 Holt, Owen, Jr., S1/c, USNR
 Honeycutt, Edwin A., F1/c, USNR
 Howard, Joseph J., S1/c, USNR
 Hughes, Marion G., MM3/c, USNR
 Huth, Fred L., S1/c, USNR
 Hyde, Charles, S2/c, USN
 James, Edward J., MM3/c, USNR
 Jenkins, Dayton S., GM1/c, USN
 Jenner, Millard I., SM2/c, USNR
 Jennings, Victor M., WT2/c, USN
 Johnson, William T., S1/c, USNR
 Jones, Ernest E., MM3/c, USN
 Julian, Harold S., MoMM3/c, USN
 Keator, Ernest J., S1/c, USNR
 Kelly, Lawrence G., MM3/c, USNR
 Kennedy, James G., S1/c, USN
 Kenny, Floyd J., S1/c, USN
 Kent, Horace M., FC3/c, USNR
 Kildare, Danial H., S1/c, USN
 Kilpack, Robert W., GM2/c, USNR
 Kincaid, Maelynn L., S1/c, USNR
 King, Richard P., GM3/c, USNR
 Kinsinger, Robert, S1/c, USNR
 Kirker, Thomas J., GM3/c, USNR
 Klaber, Richard, S1/c, USNR
 Klein, Charles J., WT1/c, USN
 Knott, Lloyd W., CQM (AA) USN
 Knox, Lloyd, S1/c, USNR
 Koch, Wesley W., S1/c, USNR
 Kolacinski, Henry, WT1/c, USN
 Korth, Jacob, F1/c, USNR
 Kovach, Frank, F1/c, USNR
 Kraft, Clarence, F1/c, USNR
 Krantz, Harold B., S1/c, USNR
 Krueger, Edmund A., FC2/c, USN
 Kumnick, Martin J., MM2/c, USN
 Kur, Marion R., MM3/c, USN
 Kurnava, Steve, Jr., S1/c, USNR
 Labar, John, S1/c, USNR
 Lafferty, James D., EM3/c, USNR
 Lanford, Joe D., F1/c, USNR
 Lapham, Roger E., QM3/c, USN
 Largent, Ivan R., S1/c, USNR
 Latham, Aaron, S1/c, USN
 Lawson, Philip J., F1/c, USNR
 LeFan, Urie L., SSML3/c, USN
 Lemerise, Robert O., S1/c, USNR
 Liner, Leonard L., F1/c, USN

Locke, Clarence W., B3/c, USNR
 Locke, Homer B., TM3/c, USN
 Long, Wendell D., GM3/c, USNR
 Loos, Glenn L., EM3/c, USN
 Lowther, Raymond K., CMM, USN
 Lubbering, Paul G., F2/c, USNR
 Lurakis, Charles, MM1/c, USN
 Lynn, John W., S1/c, USNR
 Lytle, Milo E., S1/c, USN
 MacDougall, Donald, RM1/c, USNR
 Maes, Tobis, S1/c, USNR
 Mahan, Frank L., PhM2/c, USNR
 Majors, John W., PhM1/c, USNR
 Mallory, Montford L., GM3/c, USN
 Marciniak, Carol, CM1/c, USN
 Martin, Luxton A., Y3/c, USNR
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 Mathes, Henry Lee, StM1/c, USNR
 Mathis, Curtis, S1/c, USNR
 Mayes, Ira J., FC3/c, USN
 Mays, Lonnie G., TM2/c, USNR
 McCoy, Cecil W., F1/c, USNR
 McCoy, Chas. H., F1/c, USN
 McCoy, William M., BM1/c, USN
 McGillen, Robert F., S1/c, USNR
 McIntyre, Henry S., SM1/c, USN
 Mehlfelder, Charles, SK3/c, USN
 Mele, Anthony F., GM1/c, USNR
 Mencer, Donald, TM3/c, USNR
 Meyers, Joseph, EM2/c, USN
 Michael, Hyman, RM3/c, USNR
 Minarcik, Joseph, F1/c, USN
 Mitchell, James T., S2/c, USNR
 Mitchelson, Hal B., Y1/c, USN
 Montgomery, W. L., MoMM3/c, USNR
 Morris, Wayne G., QM2/c, USNR
 Moses, Isadore, CCS, USNR
 Mulholand, Bernard, MM3/c, USN
 Murray, Arthur, WT3/c, USN
 New, Raymond K., S1/c, USNR
 Nicoletti, Carmine, CEM, USNR
 Niedzialkowski, D., S1/c, USN
 Nies, Robert L., GM3/c, USNR
 Nagy, Julius, S1/c, USNR
 Ochar, Edward F., GM3/c, USNR
 Oglesby, Russel, SoM2/c, USN
 O'Hara, Gene E., MM3/c, USNR
 Oldfield, Ernest, Cox., USNR
 Olszewski, Edward (n), BM2/c, USN
 Palmer, Harold J., TM2/c, USN
 Pargin, Thomas, GM3/c, USNR
 Parr, Le Roy, S1/c, USNR
 Parsons, Harland, Bkr2/c, USN
 Pearson, Vincent, SoM3/c, USN
 Perry, Floyd O., MM3/c, USN
 Peterson LeRoy, Cox., USNR
 Petro, Eugene F., TM2/c, USNR
 Phillips, Hugh E., EM3/c, USNR
 Pickett, Clayton, GM3/c, USNR
 Pierson, Chester, MM3/c, USNR

Pierson, Ernest R., CEM, USN
 Pitak, Edward, BM2/c, USN
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 Poling, Warren H., SoM2/c, USN
 Posey, Robert A., F1/c, USNR
 Prindiville, Timothy, FC3/c, USNR
 Prinz, Paul, GM2/c, USN
 Propes, Herbert L., S1/c, USN
 Puckett, Douglas, S1/c, USN
 Rafferty, Carl F., GM1/c, USN
 Randolph, Paul R., S1/c, USN
 Renz, Edward B., S1/c, USN
 Richardson, Elzy, StM2/c, USN
 Rittenhouse, William, SoM3/c, USNR
 Roberts, Guy, BM1/c, USNR
 Robinson, Edward H., Y1/c, USNR
 Rock, Henry, SoM2/c, USN
 Roetting, Raymond C., QM3/c, USN
 Rubell, Little J., StM1/c, USNR
 Salerno, William, RdM3/c, USNR
 Saunders, Jack F., SoM3/c, USNR
 Sanzone, Amadeo F., S1/c, USNR
 Savopoulos, Gust, F1/c, USNR
 Schau, Kelly D., RdM3/c, USNR
 Schilly, Francis, SF1/c, USN
 Schneider, Richard, S1/c, USNR
 Schreiber, Orlieden, S1/c, USN
 Schubert, Frank M., MoMM3/c, USNR
 Sciabica, Paul F., MM1/c, USNR
 Scott, Charles E., S1/c, USNR
 Serpas, Emile C., S1/c, USNR
 Sharpe, Bertrand C., S1/c, USNR
 Shedlock, John M., Sc1/c, USNR
 Shorter, James R., FC1/c, USN
 Sienkiewicz, R. F., WT1/c, Surv.
 Siperavage, Albert, RdM3/c, USNR
 Skelton, Newton O., WT1/c, USNR
 Smith, Jack D., MM3/c, USNR
 Smith, Marlin C., Cox., USN
 Smith, Oliver P., S1/c, USNR
 Solem, Orin C., CSK, USNR
 Solimando, John M., SC2/c, USNR
 Sorenson, James W., RM1/c, USNR
 Spence, Orla G., S1/c, USNR
 Spencer, Nelson M., RdM2/c, USN
 Stark, John, CRT, USNR
 Stefanick, Wasil, F1/c, USNR
 Stephens, Mahlon E., RdM2/c, USNR
 Stich, Edward E., TM1/c, USNR
 Still, Olen B., Cox., USNR
 St. Martin, L. R., CGM, USNR
 Styles, Rex W., S1/c, USNR
 Synon, Joseph T., MM3/c, USNR
 Swierc, Edward S., F1/c, USNR
 Tanner, Arlo C., CTM, USN
 Taylor, Howard E., S1/c, USNR
 Terrizzi, Samuel, FC3/c, USNR
 Thomas, Jerald H., S1/c, USNR
 Thomas, Lloyd G., F1/c, USNR
 Thompson, Donald B., MM1/c, USN
 Thompson, Edward W., CWT(AA) USN

Tiger, Samuel M., S1/c, USNR
 Totosz, Stanley, S1/c, USN
 Trovatore, Michael, S1/c, USNR
 Trygstad, Rayness, F1/c, USNR
 Tweed, Everett J., WT3/c, USNR
 Uliano, Richard T., CCS(PA) USN
 Vahlbusch, Edward W., CphM, USNR
 Vandever, Joseph, S1/c, USNR
 Van Pragg, Pragg, S1/c, USNR
 Vaughan, Forrest E., GM3/c, USNR
 Voiedvich, Paul A., Cox., USNR
 Wallgren, Rodney H., ET2/c, USN
 Walz, William, F1/c, USNR
 Warnock, Sylvester, S1/c, USNR
 Warren, Billy B., GM2/c, USNR
 Washinger, Richard, S1/c, USNR
 Waugh, George F., MM3/c, USN
 Wenzel, Lawrence R., MM1/c, USNR
 Wesson, Harry B., QM3/c, USNR
 Wheelock, Elwood F., MM1/c USN
 Whitt, Marvin R., GM3/c, USNR
 Wilkenson, Thomas J., FC3/c, USN
 Williams, Charles G., FC3/c, USNR
 Williams, James E., WT3/c, USNR
 Williams, Junious, Bkr1/c, USN
 Wright, James H., FC3/c, USNR
 Wyatt, Winfres T., CMM(AA) USN
 Zahemsky, William, SM3/c, USNR
 Zeale, Edward P., EM1/c, USN
 Zuber, James D., M1/c, USN

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Cruik, Homer J., RM2/c, USN
 Crowson, Leland R., GM1/c, USN
 Littlefield, Robert, MM1/c, USN
 Bresnahan, W. P., TM1/c, USNR
 Nelson, Eswin, S1/c, USNR
 Varland, Floyd, F1/c, USNR
 Alber, Robert, CSP(AA), USNR
 Foley, Douglas, CSP(AA), USNR
 Peterson, Robert, CSP(AA), USNR
 Hayford, Malcom R., FC1/c, USNR
 Airy, LeRoy L., RdM3/c, USNR
 Ostuni, Nicholas J., Cox., USNR
 Anderson, Alfred E., CEM, USN
 Ashley, Curtis (n), USN
 Edwards, Gerald A., FC(M)2/c, USN
 Dalkiewicz, Leo H., Sk3/c, USNR
 Henderson, W. W., WT3/c, USNR
 Richardson, Elzy, StM2/c, USNR
 Sorenson, James Will, RM1/c, USNR
 Spence, Orlo G., S2/c, USNR
 Kolacinski, Henry A., WT1/c, USNR
 Gerry, James E., F1/c, USNR
 Widean, Edwin R., MM3/c, USNR
 Garrison, Eugene G., WT3/c, USNR
 Bailey, Noble E., S1/c, USNR
 Bowling, William L., MM3/c, USNR
 Chadbourne, Henry G., MM3/c, USNR

Dunosky, Edward, RM3/c, USNR
 Elephant, Jules, S1/c, USNR
 Gilbert, Stephen P., S1/c, USNR
 Hayford, Malcom P., FC2/c, USNR
 Hydock, Henry S., S2/c, USNR
 Lebel, Phillip L., F1/c, USNR
 Miksch, Harold O., SM2/c, USNR
 Montgomery, Wendell L., F1/c, USNR
 O'Donnell, John J., Y1/c, USNR
 Sinsical, Edward E., PhM3/c, USNR
 Smith, Darrel D., S1/c, USNR
 Stroupe, Donald B., SoM3/c, USNR
 McRae, James W., RdM2/c, USNR
 Johnson, Howard E., MM2/c, USNR
 Liszkewski, Edward J., MM1/c, USNR
 Cox, Eugene, Ck1/c, USNR
 Mulks, Emerson H., Y1/c, USNR
 Scorger, Ralph W., F1/c, USNR
 Porter, James L., StM1/c, USNR
 Perkins, Johnnie G., StM3/c, USNR
 Hrudka, Harley E., WT3/c, USNR
 Shelton, Pierson R., WT1/c, USNR
 Platt, Everett B., MM1/c, USNR
 Bailey, LeVere, S1/c, USNR
 Bates, Ray Charles, S1/c, USNR
 Davidson, Jack, S1/c, USNR
 Eller, James Clifton, S1/c, USNR
 Evans, Carroll M., F1/c, USNR
 Gutkowski, Steve S., F1/c, USNR
 Hall, Herbert W., Jr., S1/c, USNR
 Hardesty, Loren B., S1/c, USNR
 Hasinsky, Bertram, S1/c, USNR
 Keesler, Hugh "M" D., F1/c, USNR
 Kenna, Michael J., S1/c, USNR
 Kimbrel, Boyd, Jr., S2/c, USNR
 Koestner, Donald D., S2/c, USNR
 Kosky, William E., S1/c, USNR
 Krick, Robert P., S1/c, USNR
 Lacombe, Thomas J., S1/c, USNR
 Lahr, Albert J., Jr., GM3/c, USNR
 Lampman, Francis C., F1/c, USNR
 Laporte, Leon O., S1/c, USNR
 Larosa, Jack, S1/c, USNR
 Ledbetter, John E., Jr., S1/c, USNR
 Leggat, Edward B., F1/c, USNR
 Amerson, James E., F1/c, USNR
 Davis, Lee P., S1/c, USNR
 Fellenstein, Robert G., EM2/c, USNR
 Dew, Marion E., SSML2/c, USNR
 Loyden, Joseph E., S1/c, USNR
 Tweedie, Dewey H., M3/c, USNR
 Depriest, William S., F1/c, USNR
 McCoy, Charles H., F1/c, USNR
 Pappas, Theodore, RM3/c, USNR
 Campbell, James F., RM3/c, USNR
 Avery, Raymond R., Tm2/c, USNR
 Goldblatt, Martin A., PhM3/c, USNR
 Kowalski, Walter S., SoM3/c, USNR
 Fleming, O. C., ST3/c, USNR
 Gomez, Emanuel J., SF2/c, USNR
 Hume, Charles E., F1/c, USNR

Krieder, Charles H., Bkr2/c, USNR
 Perry, Jesse H., WT2/c, USNR
 Zetes, Arthur L., WT2/c, USNR
 Fordem, Robert L., Sc3/c, USNR
 Scire, Pino T., WT2/c, USNR
 Duley, Robert A., M1/c, USNR
 Pierson, Chester C., MM3/c, USNR
 Gilbert, Kenneth L., MM1/c, USNR
 Windom, Eddie, Jr., S1/c, USNR
 Matthews, Charles T., MoMM3/c, USNR
 Wilson, Marvin H., GM2/c(T), USNR
 Godby, Matthew (n), F1/c, USNR
 Brewster, Charles K., FC2/c, USNR
 Lowther, Raymond K., CMM, USNR
 Aday, Charles E., S1/c(Fc), USNR
 Evans, Earl T., S1/c, USNR
 Evans, Richard V., S1/c, USNR
 Everson, Edward C., F1/c, USNR
 Faith, Woodrow W., S1/c, USNR
 Farmer, Ross, S1/c, USNR
 Faulk, Wander L., S1/c, USNR
 Brooks, Arthur J., StM2/c, USNR
 Hoke, William R., Y2/c, USNR
 Hoover, Emerson G., SM2/c, USNR
 Scott, Charles E., S1/c, USNR
 Padgett, Samuel D., CTM(PA), USNR
 Turner, James O., TM3/c, USNR
 Bailey, Noble E., S1/c, (RDM) USNR
 Damler, Robert E., S1/c, USNR
 Kolacinski, Henry A., F1/c, USNR
 Shelton, Pierson R., F2/c, USNR
 Sienkiewicz, Richard E., WT1/c, USNR
 Baer, William G., RdM3/c, USNR
 Horseman, George (n), CTM(T) USNR
 Perkins, Johnnie G., StM2/c, USNR
 Shorter, James R., FC1/c, USNR
 Lind, John W., F1/c(MM), USNR
 Lanford, Joe Jason, F1/c, USNR
 Hamm, Gilbert B., S1/c(TM), USNR
 Weger, Freeman D., S1/c(TM), USNR
 Nash, Julius C., S2/c, USNR
 Nelms, Frank D., S2/c, USNR
 White, Lawrence E., S2/c, USNR
 Wilson, Thomas E., S2/c, USNR
 Ivy, Price (n), StM2/c, USNR
 Martin, Robert E., RM1/c(T), USNR
 Miller, Reuben F., Jr., S2/c, USNR
 Engelman, Archibald W., CTM, USNR
 Billings, Robert P., GM3/c(T), USNR
 Stankus, Arnold A., CTM(T), USNR
 Whitney, Ellis L., RM1/c, USNR
 Russell, Gale A., RT3/c(T), USNR
 Nagy, Julius (n), S1/c, USNR
 Cameron, Mason T., StM2/c, USNR
 Hubert, Burton K., RT2/c, USNR
 Perkins, Johnnie G., StM2/c, USNR
 Eller, James C., S1/c, USNR
 Hubbard, Paul (n), StM2/c, USNR
 Rose, James W., Jr., S2/c, USNR

Rozeski, Edward (n), S2/c, USNR
 Saddoris, William A., S2/c, USNR
 Simms, Gordon, Jr., S2/c, USNR
 Williams, Okey W., Jr., S2/c, USNR
 Briner, Walter D., F1/c, USNR
 McIsaac, John J., CBM(PA), USNR
 Graybeal, Norman (n), S2/c, USNR
 Green, James T., S2/c, USNR
 Guadangno, Joseph G., S1/c, USNR
 Hill, James W., S1/c, USNR
 Holbert, John D., S1/c, USNR
 Amend, Joseph H., S2/c, USNR
 Angwin, Bennie W., S2/c, USNR
 Atcheson, Arthur A., S2/c, USNR
 Hargrave, Lowell G., S2/c, USNR
 Hart, Norman R., S2/c, USNR
 Milton, Leonard I., F2/c, USNR
 Minney, William T., F2/c, USNR
 Witte, Ellery W., Rt3/c(T), USNR
 Decoteau, Noah J., CY(PA), USNR
 Evans, Richard V., S1/c, USNR
 Chandler, Wendell V., RdM3/c(T) USNR
 Gorman, Benjamin S., MoMM1/c, USNR
 Vinson, Floyd (n), PhM3/c, USNR
 Crino, Salvatore T., S1/c(QM), USNR
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 Blazevich, Joseph, Jr., MM3/c, USNR
 Hollis, Robert K., MM3/c, USNR
 Jones, William T., MM3/c, USNR
 Williams, Glen R., MM3/c, USNR
 Anderson, William T., S1/c, USNR
 Bishop, Sidney, S1/c, USNR
 Burris, Floyd W., S1/c, USNR

Carmichael, Clifford F., F2/c, USNR
 Carey, Arnold, F2/c, USNR
 Cochran, Norman L., F2/c, USNR
 Coughlin, Terrance M., F2/c, USNR
 Dandrea, John, F2/c, USNR
 Eubank, Richard E., F2/c, USNR
 Free, Walter T., S1/c, USNR
 Garrison, James A., S1/c, USNR
 Glass, John E., F2/c, USNR
 Hayes, Jack, Jr., S1/c, USNR
 Hanson, Orville A., S1/c, USNR
 Hacker, Frank, S1/c, USNR
 Harvey, William E., S1/c, USNR
 Ingledue, Harold, S1/c, USNR
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 Littlejohn, Walter, S1/c, USNR
 Mansker, Wiley, Jr., S1/c, USNR
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 Petroski, Ivan, S1/c, USNR
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 Spisak, John A., S1/c, USNR
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 Lynch, John J., MM2/c, USNR
 Maurer, Donald R., MM2/c, USNR
 McThena, Charles A., MM2/c, USNR
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 Charbonneau, Joseph A., S2/c, USN
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 Clarke, R. S., S2/c, USN
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 Davis, R. L., S2/c, USN
 Dick, Rodney E., S2/c, USN
 Eliason, Leonard (n), S2/c, USN
 Galbraith, Adelbert C., S2/c, USN
 Gaunt, James E., S2/c, USN
 Hurley, Charles (n), S2/c, USN
 Harrison, Joseph H., Jr., S2/c, USN

Johnson, Carl R., S2/c, USN
 Johnson, Richard H., S2/c, USN
 Keohane, Francis J., S2/c, USN
 Lepordo, Joseph J., S2/c, USN
 Mierau, Edward (n), S2/c, USN
 Nelson, Raymond (n), Jr., S2/c, USN
 Olson, George E., S2/c, USN
 Pirro, John J., S2/c, USN
 Quintevale, Joseph F., S2/c, USN
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 Shippell, Leon D., S2/c, USNR
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 Silvernail, Richard "G.", S2/c, USNR
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 Skeen, Ray C., S2/c, USNR
 Smith, Eugene G., S2/c, USNR
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 Soderstrom, Herman F., USN
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Stein, Shelton L., S2/c, USNR
 Stetler, Charles E., Jr., S2/c, USNR
 Stewart, Paul H., S2/c, USNR
 Stocker, Wallace A., Jr., S2/c, USNR
 Stone, Charles F., Jr., S2/c, USNR
 Stone, William T., S2/c, USN
 Stoner, Joseph D., S2/c, USNR
 Stout, Donald (n), S2/c, USNR
 Munro, Kenneth A., MM1/c, USN
 Spradlin, Lewis A., M2/c(T), USN
 Smith, Jacob T., MM1/c, USN
 Boyer, Wilbur R., Jr., RM2/c(T), USN
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 Walker, Doctor "T.", StM2/c, USNR
 Walker, Earl, StM2/c, USNR
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 Warren, Wendall V., S1/c, USNR
 Barnes, Ernest R., S2/c, USNR
 Skene, Howard V., BM1/c, USN
 Brown, Robert W., SoM1/c, USN
 Scroger, Ralph W., S1/c, USN
 Stern, Robert F., CY(AA)(T), USN
 Weinberger, Marvin A., RT3/c(T), USNR
 Paulson, Ingram M., WT1/c, USN
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