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1970 MEDITERRANEAN CRUISE

U. S. CONYNGHAM DDG-17



WELCOME ABOARD



USS CONYNGHAM IS ASSIGNED TO THE CRUISER/DESTROYER FORCE, U. S. ATLANTIC FLEET. SHE HAS CONDUCTED EXTENSIVE OPERATIONS IN THE ATLANTIC OCEAN. THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA AND THE CARIBBEAN SEA IN THE PURSUIT OF HER MISSION IN KEEPING THE WORLD'S COMMERCIAL SEA LANES FREE AND OPEN TO ALL NATIONS. IN THIS REGARD CONYNG-HAM KEEPS HERSELF READY TO JOIN THE FORCES OF OTHER NATIONS IN MAINTAIN-ING FREEDOM OF THE SEAS. IN 1969, CON-YNGHAM WAS AWARDED THE BATTLE EF-FICIENCY "E" AWARD IN RECOGNITION OF HER SUPERIOR OVERALL OPERATIONAL READINESS AND TRAINING. SHE HAS ALSO RECEIVED AWARDS FOR EXCELLENCE IN ENGINEERING. WEAPONS AND MISSILES. CONYNGHAM HAD PREVIOUSLY WON THE BATTLE EFFICIENCY AWARD IN 1964 AND 1965.

THE MEN WHO SERVE ABOARD THE USS CONYNGHAM COME FROM ALL PARTS OF THE UNITED STATES AND REPRESENT ALL RACES, CREEDS, RELIGIONS AND WAYS OF LIFE AS FOUND IN THE COUNTRY. THEY COME FROM THE CITIES OF THE NORTH-

EAST, THE FARMS OF THE GREAT AMER-ICAN MIDWEST, THE WARM SOUTHERN COASTAL PLAIN, THE HIGH ROCKY MOUN-TAINS, THE MODERN WEST COAST AND EVEN HAWAII. THE VIRGIN ISLANDS, AN AMERICAN TERRITORY, IS REPRESENTED AS IS THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, THE UNITED STATES ALLY IN THE WESTERN PACIFIC. THERE ARE WHITE AMERICANS OF EU-ROPEAN DESCENT, BLACK AMERICANS OF AFRICAN DESCENT, MEXICAN-AMERICANS, AND AMERICANS OF ORIENTAL DESCENT. ALL COME ABOARD TO DO THEIR PART IN THE DEFENSE OF THEIR COUNTRY AND TO HELP MAINTAIN PEACE AND FREEDOM THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. THEY LIVE AND WORK TOGETHER IN HARMONY TOWARD THE COMMON GOAL OF KEEPING CONYNG-HAM ALERT AND READY. AFTER THEIR PRESENT TOUR OF SERVICE IS COMPLETE MOST WILL RETURN TO THEIR HOMES AND USE THEIR SKILLS AND TALENTS IN THE CIVILIAN ECONOMY BUT SOME WILL RE-MAIN IN THE NAVY AND WILL DEVOTE THEIR EFFORTS AND LIVES, IF NECESSARY, TOWARD THE PRESERVATION OF PEACE AND FREEDOM OF THE SEAS.



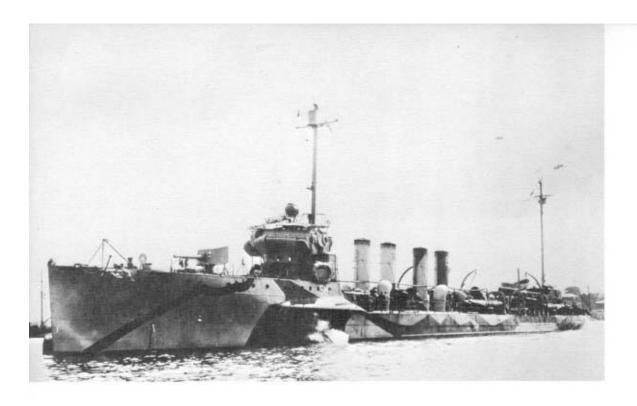


THE PRESENT CONYNGHAM WAS BUILT BY THE NEW YORK SHIPBUILDING CORPORATION, CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY. HER KEEL WAS LAID 1 MAY 1961. THE SHIP WAS LAUNCHED 19 MAY 1962 AND WAS COMMISSIONED ON 13 JULY 1963.

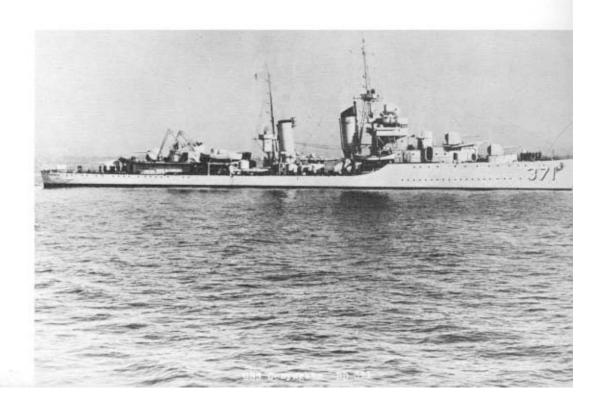
CONYNGHAM DISPLACES 4,500 TONS, IS 437 FEET LONG, AND HAS A BEAM OF 47 FEET. SHE IS MANNED BY 21 OFFICERS AND 320 MEN WHO WORK AND LIVE IN MODERN, AIR-CONDITIONED SPACES, CONYNG-HAM'S ARMAMENT INCLUDES THE TARTAR GUIDED MISSILE WEAPONS SYSTEM, THE ANTI-SUBMARINE ROCKET (ASROC) WEAPONS SYSTEM AND TWO FIVE INCH 54 CALIBER DUAL PURPOSE GUN MOUNTS. THE SHIP IS EQUIPPED WITH THE MOST MODERN COMMUNICATIONS AND ELECTRONICS EQUIPMENT AND IS CAPABLE OF DETECTING, TRACKING, AND DESTROYING ENEMY TARGETS ON, OVER AND UNDER THE SEA, AND IN SUPPORT OF AMPHIBIOUS OPERA-TIONS. HER AUTOMATIC COMBUSTION CONTROL POWER PLANT IS ONE OF THE NEWEST AND MOST MODERN TO BE INSTALLED IN DESTROYERS, EN-ABLING HER TO CARRY OUT WITH GREAT SPEED AND MOBILITY ANY TASK TO WHICH SHE MAY BE ASSIGNED.







USS CONYNGHAM (DDG-17) IS THE THIRD SHIP IN THE UNITED STATES NAVY TO BEAR THE NAME. THE FIRST CONYNGHAM WAS COMMISSIONED IN 1916 AND PARTICIPATED IN WORLD WAR I CONVOY OPERATIONS. THE SECOND CONYNGHAM (DD-371) WAS COMMISSIONED IN 1936 AND EARNED FOURTEEN BATTLE STARS DURING OPERATIONS IN THE PACIFIC OCEAN THEATRE IN WORLD WAR II.





BORN ABOUT 1744 IN DONEGAL, IRELAND, GUS-TAVUS CONYNGHAM COMMANDED THE MERCHANT BRIG, CHARMING PEGGY, IN 1775. WHEN HIS SHIP WAS INTERNED IN EUROPE, CONYNGHAM SOUGHT AND ON 1 MARCH 1777 OBTAINED A CAPTAIN'S COMMISSION IN THE CONTINENTAL NAVY. AS COM-MANDING OFFICER, SUCCESSIVELY OF, SURPRISE AND REVENGE, HE BECAME A TERROR TO BRITISH SHIPPING. HE WAS CAPTURED IN 1779, ESCAPED TO EUROPE, AND WAS RECAPTURED WHILE RE-TURNING TO AMERICA IN 1780. EXCHANGED A YEAR LATER, HE WAS IN FRANCE PREPARING TO CRUISE AGAINST THE BRITISH WHEN THE WAR ENDED. HE RETURNED TO THE MERCHANT SER-VICE AND COMMANDED THE ARMED BRIG, MARIA. DURING THE QUASI-WAR WITH FRANCE. AS A MEM-BER OF THE COMMON COUNCIL OF PHILADELPHIA. HE ASSISTED IN THE DEFENSE OF THAT CITY DURING THE WAR OF 1812. CAPTAIN CONYNGHAM DIED 27 NOVEMBER 1819, AT PHILADELPHIA, PEN-NSYLVANIA.







COMMANDER WALTER R. SHAFER, USN

COMMANDER WALTER R. SHAFER, USN, IS A NATIVE OF TROY, OHIO. HE RECEIVED HIS COMMISSION UPON GRADUATION AS A REGULAR NROTC STUDENT AT MIAMI UNIVERSITY, OXFORD, OHIO, IN JUNE 1950.

DURING THE KOREAN CONFLICTHE SAW ACTION ON BOARD USS PHILIP (DDE-498) WHERE HE SERVED IN THE OPERATIONS, WEAPONS AND ENGINEERING DEPART-MENTS. HIS SUBSEQUENT SEA DUTY HAS BEEN; COMMISSION DETAIL AND WEAPONS DEPARTMENT, USS MITSCHER (DL-2); ESTABLISHING DETAIL AND OPERATIONS OFFICER, THE STAFF OF COMMANDER ES-CORT SQUADRON SEVEN, THE SURFACE POR-TION OF THE PACIFIC BARRIER; THE COM-MANDING OFFICER, USS POLK COUNTY (LST-1084); COMMANDING OFFICER, USS ADROIT (MSO-509): AND COMMISSIONING DETAIL AND EXECUTIVE OFFICER, USS BELKNAP (DLG-26). HE HAS SERVED AS COMMANDING OF-FICER, USS CONYNGHAM (DDG-17) SINCE 7 DECEMBER 1968.

A SHORE COMMANDER SHAFER HAS SERVED AS ASSISTANT PROFESSOR OF NAVAL SCIENCE AT THE UNVERSITY OF MICHIGAN; AS A STUDENT IN ORDNANCE ENGINEERING AT THE U. S. NAVAL POST GRADUATE SCHOOL, MONTEREY, CALIFORNIA; AND AS ADVANCED WEAPONS OFFICER OF THE U. S. NAVY SECTION, MILITARY ASSISTANCE ADVISORY GROUP, WORKING WITH THE ITALIAN NAVY IN ROME, ITALY.

COMMANDER SHAFER IS MARRIED TO THE FORMER JOANNE DUBOIS OF HIGH-LAND INDIANA. THEY HAVE THREE SONS, RICHARD, JOHN AND ROBERT; AND ONE DAUGHTER, ELIZABETH.

COMMANDER SHAFER'S NEXT DUTY STATION IS THE NAVAL ORDNANCE SYSTEMS COMMAND HEADQUARTERS IN WASHINGTON, D. C. WHERE HE WILL BE THE PROJECT MANAGER OF THE POINT DEFENSE MISSILE SYSTEM.

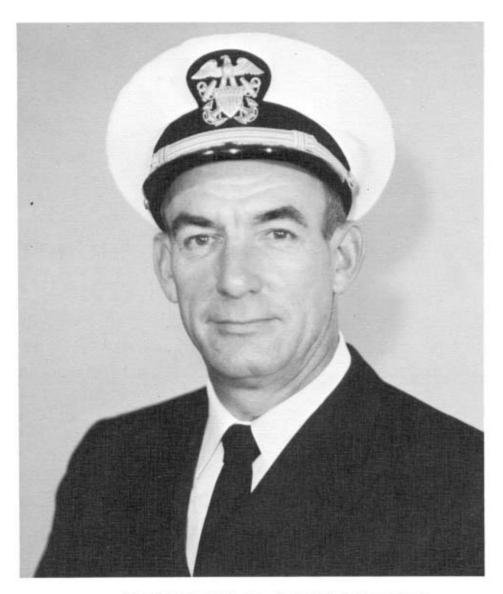
LETTER TO THE CREW

"ON THE EVE OF YOUR REUNION WITH FAMILIES AND FRIENDS, I
CONGRATULATE EVERY MAN IN YOUR CREW FOR HIS CONTRIBUTION TO
THE FINE REPUTATION EARNED BY CONYNGHAM DURING HER DEPLOYMENT TO SIXTH FLEET.

DESPITE THE MANY PROBLEMS ENCOUNTERED AND CHALLENGES PRESENTED, YOUR PERFORMANCE OF TASKS ASSIGNED IN THE CONYNGHAM MANNER HAS CONTRIBUTED SIGNIFICANTLY TO MEETING OUR WORLD WIDE COMMITMENTS. YOU HAVE HAD TO MAKE MANY SACRIFICES TO MEET THE DEMANDS PLACED UPON YOU; NOT ONLY THE NUMEROUS SLEEPLESS HOURS OF HARD WORK BUT ALSO THE PROLONGED SEPARATION FROM YOUR LOVEDONES. YOU HAVE MET THE CHALLENGES IN A MANNER BEFITTING DESTROYERMEN. OF THIS YOU CAN BE JUSTLY PROUD.

BEST WISHES FOR THE BEST OF HOMECOMINGS. WE'RE GLAD TO HAVE YOU BACK."

COMMANDER W. R. SHAFER



COMMANDER RICHARD C. BERRY, USN

COMMANDER RICHARD C. BERRY, USN, GRADUATED FROM BATES COLLEGE, LEWISTON, MAINE, IN JUNE 1952, ATTENDED THE OFFICER CANDIDATE SCHOOL IN NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND, AND WAS COMMISSIONED IN JUNE 1954. AFTER A TOUR OF DUTY IN USS SAVAGE (DER-386) AS OPERATIONS AND WEAPONS OFFICER, HE SERVED AS COMMANDING OFFICER, USS ACCOKEEK (ATA-181). HIS SUBSEQUENT SEA DUTY HAS BEEN: OPERATIONS OFFICER, USS JOHN PAUL JONES (DD-932); EXECUTIVE OFFICER, USS MANLEY (DD-940); AND COMMANDING OFFICER, USS HARTLEY (DE-1029).

ASHORE, COMMANDER BERRY HAS SERVED ON THE JOINT STAFF, HEADQUAR-TERS, EUROPEAN COMMAND IN PARIS, FRANCE; ON THE STAFF, COMCRUDLESLANT AS ASSISTANT OPERATIONS OFFICER; AND IN THE BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL AS THE SURFACE LIEUTENANT COMMANDER ASSIGNMENT OFFICER.

COMMANDER BERRY ATTENDED THE COMMAND AND STAFF COURSE AT THE NAVAL WAR COLLEGE AND RECEIVED HIS MASTER OF SCIENCE DEGREE IN INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS FROM GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY IN 1965. HE COMES TO CONYNGHAM FROM THE ARMY WAR COLLEGE, WHERE HE WAS A STUDENT.

COMMANDER BERRY IS MARRIED TO THE FORMER PATRICIA A. KENDRIGAN OF CHICAGO, ILLINOIS. THEY HAVE ONE SON (THOMAS) AND ONE DAUGHTER (DENISE).

LETTER TO THE CREW

"TO THE CREW.

ALTHOUGH OUR TIME TOGETHER HAS BEEN RELATIVELY SHORT,
THE PLEASURES THAT I HAVE ENJOYED AS COMMANDING OFFICER
HAVE BEEN MANY AND VARIED. HOWEVER, THE GREATEST PLEASURE
OF ALL HAS BEEN MY ASSOCIATION WITH THE FINEST SHIP'S COMPANY
I HAVE EVER KNOWN -- THE CREW OF CONYNGHAM.

YOUR SUCCESSES IN THE PAST HAVE BEEN NUMEROUS AND YOU HAVE ACCEPTED EVERY CHALLENGE IN TRUE CONYNGHAM STYLE. HOWEVER, MANY MORE CHALLENGES LIE AHEAD -- SHIPYARD OVER-HAUL, REFRESHER TRAINING AT GUANTANAMO BAY, AND, ONCE AGAIN BACK TO THE MEDITERRANEAN AS PART OF THE U. S. PEACE -- KEEP-ING FORCE. I KNOW THAT YOU WILL PERFORM AS ALWAYS BY NEVER ACCEPTING "SECOND BEST" BUT BY MAINTAINING THE STANDARD OF OUR SHIP WHICH IS, AND SHALL CONTINUE TO BE, OUTSTANDING.

DURING MY REMAINING DAYS ONBOARD, I SHALL NEVER BE ABLE
TO LISTEN TO THE TUNE, "THE WEARING OF THE GREEN" WITHOUT
THINKING HOW LUCKY AND PROUD I AM TO BE ASSOCIATED WITH THIS
MARVELOUS CREW THAT MAKES GUS' BOAT WHAT IT IS.

BEST OF LUCK IN THE FUTURE."

R. C. BERRY CDR USN COMMANDING OFFICER USS CONYNGHAM (DDG-17)



LT D.R. Hess Weapons Officer



LT P.H. Macauley Operations Officer



LCDR A.L. Shapero Executive Officer



LT H.O. Ruppmann Supply Officer

LT P.D. Ross, Jr. Engineer Officer



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LTJG W. Wells



BMC J. Kimery



BM1 A. Woodruff



BM1 W. Moody



BM1 V. Porter, Jr.



SA R. Berezanich



SN R. Axtell



SN B. Boyerinas

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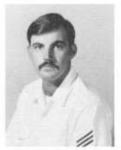


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BM3 D. Cekoric





SN W. Comer



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SA T. Graham





SN T. Janisheck





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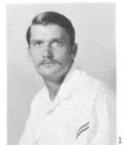
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SN G. Long



SA C. Long



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SA S. Straus



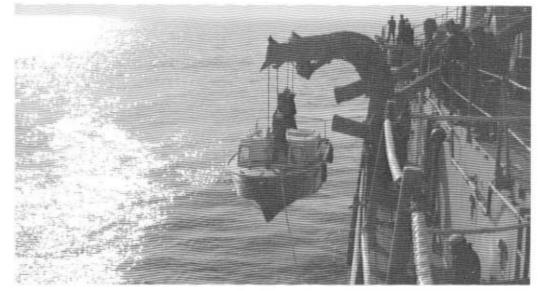
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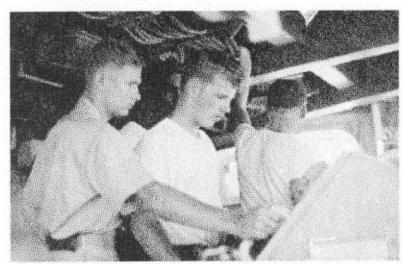


SA W. Williams















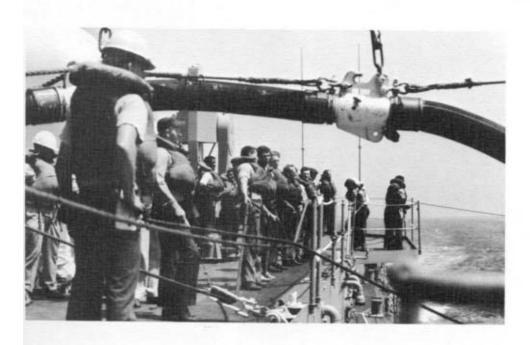


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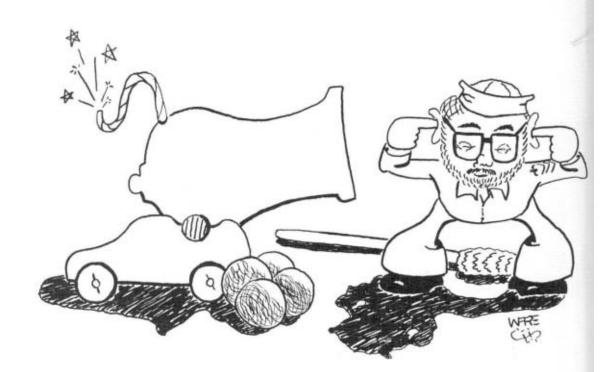




LTJG E. Procopio



FTGC H. Crawford





GMGC R. Bruner

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FTG1 J. Puls



FTGSN J. Daves



FTGSN T. Dawson



GMM1 L. Massey



SN C. DeWitt







FTG3 D. Estes



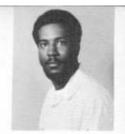
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GMG2 H. Gilliam



FTGSN T. Graham



SN C. Johnson



"OUR GANG"



GMG2 S. Lengle



GMG3 A. Lewis



SN P. O'Connor



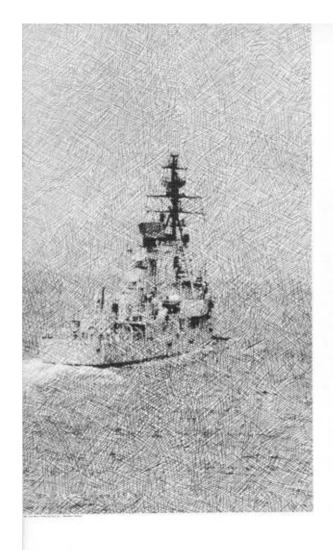
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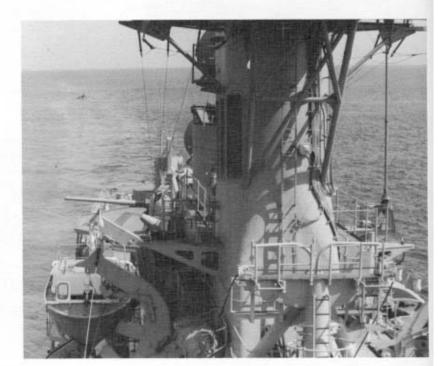


"THAT'S A BIG KITTY YA GOT THERE!"



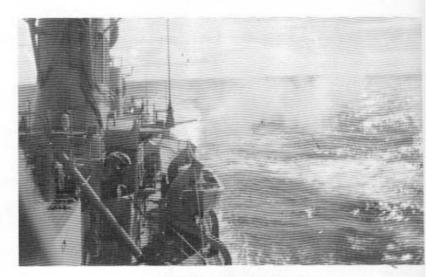




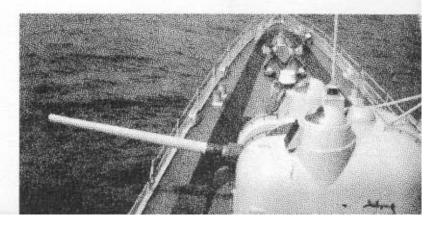


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SHOOT







LT J. Lepley



LTJG W. Greene

G-01V.



FTMC R. Cousart













FTM1 M. McCord



FTM3 J. Boemler



FTM2 S. Callicutt, II





"LOOKS LIKE OUR BATCH OF SCOTCH AND PEANUT BUTTER DOESN'T MIX!"



FTMSN J. Chase



GMM2 J. Fowler





FTM3 P.

Cosgrove

FTM2 P. Haughawout



GMMSN H. Hawn, Jr



GMM3 T. Hilty



FTMSN R. Hobbs



FTM3 R. Hoffman



FTM2 P. Holmes



GMM3 K. Johnson



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FTM3 J. Lacey, Jr.



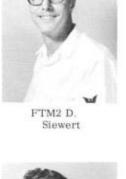
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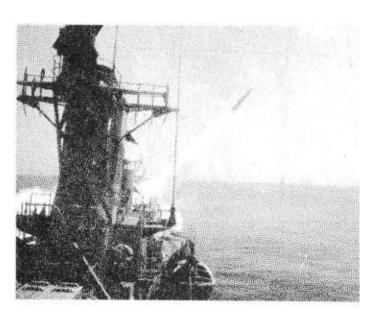


MISSILE SHOT



"READY . . .





. . . FIRE!"





STC R. Minney

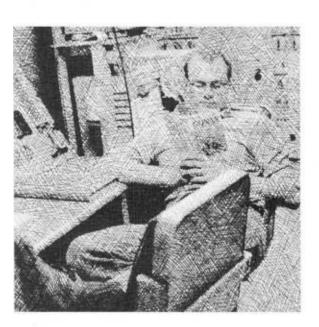


ST1 L. Kirkpatrick



ST1 R. Bares

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STG3 D. Brooks



SN R. Cook



STG3 S. Corbin



STG3 T. Hoffman



SN R. Holley





SN J. Hudson



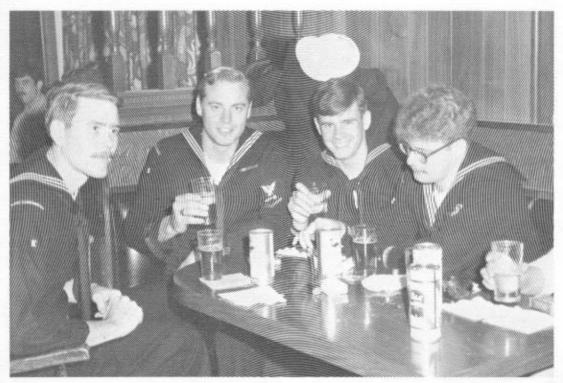
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GMGSN W. Miller



STG2 F. O'Brien





GMG2 R. Syphers



STG2 A. Ware









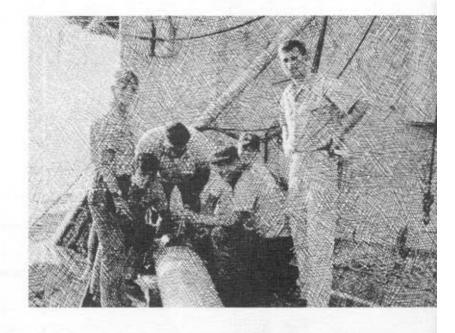
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BUCLESS STEEL





ENS F. Decker



SMC W. Whittle



RM1 S. Vontersch



RMSN R. Brame



SM2 C. Breckinridge

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RM2 J. Fennelly





RMSN D. Hardison





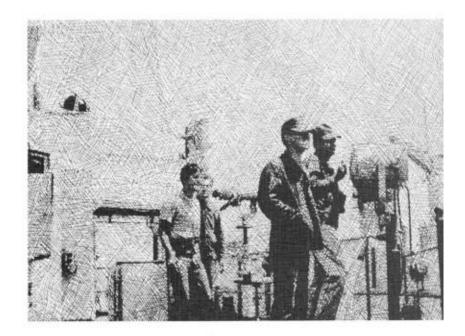
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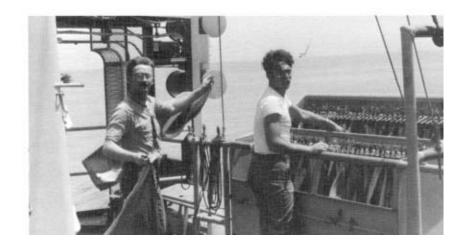


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RM3 M. Dugas







RM3 L. Young



SMSN J. Lietz



SN L. Paul



RM2 D. Roberts



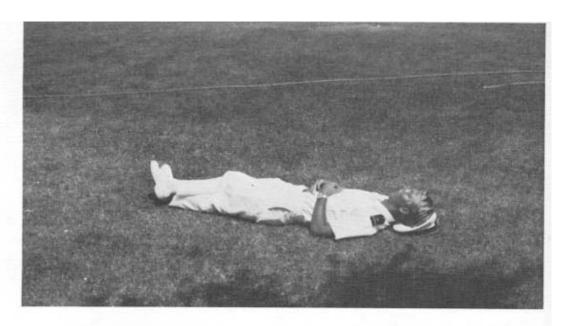


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SM2 K. Underwood















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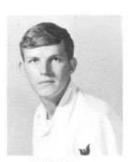
LT J. Martin



ET1 B. Myers



RD2 G. Chandler



RM3 G. Best



RD2 L. Coleman

HELO DETAIL













WO1 D. Delaney



WO1 T. Goforth



ETI G. Columbo, Jr.



ETR2 P. Hengstebeck



ETN2 E. Krause



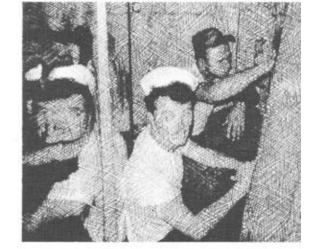




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ETN3 T. McConaghy







ETR2 C. Smith



SN M. Spencer





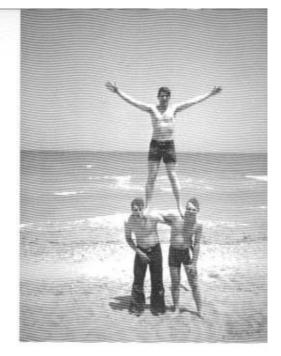
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LTJG P. Blackledge



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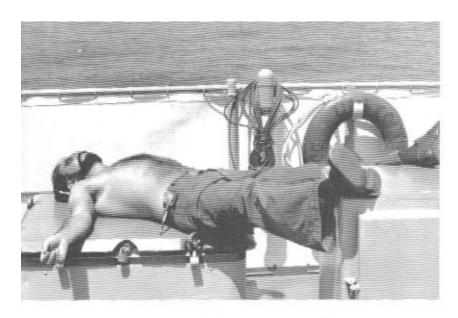


RDSN W. Brown

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RDSN B. Francis



RDSN G. Heffner



RD2 G. Hueftlein



RDSN W. Jones



RD3 G. Burton



RD3 R. Caish



RD2 J. Convey



RD3 E. Featherston







RDSA J. Killgore



RD3 S. Laudicino



RDSN R. Matheny



RD3 J. Renfro



RD2 E. Slot



RDSA W. Thore



RD2 C. Ugaldea



RD3 R. Ulrich



RD3 R. Umholtz



"SOME JOBS REQUIRE YOU TO BE TWO PLACES AT ONCE! RIGHT, UGALDEA?"

ADVANCES IN RATE















LTJG L. Norris, III



HMC T. Tinkham



YN1 W. Dotson

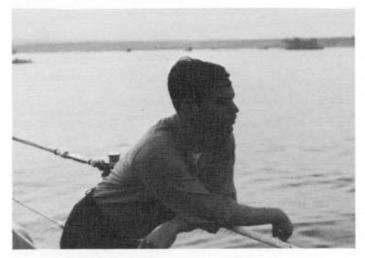


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PC1 D. Jurgensmeyer









PN1 O. Scoggins



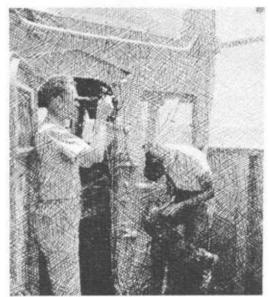
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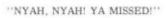


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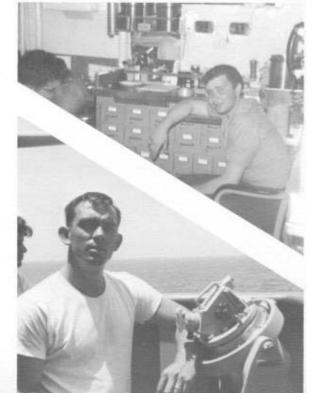


QM3 T. Morgan











YN2 N. Morris, Jr.



YN3 T. Roark



YN3 K. Talbert





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LTJG J. Middlebrooks



MMCM G. Ochs



BTCS J. Waterfield



BTC N. Mashore



MMC W. Swank

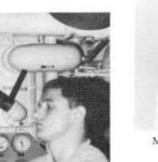


BT1 R. Collins





BT1 D. Gregory



MM1 J. Hunter



BT2 F. Alessio



BT2 J. Bruce



MM3 J. Burger







BT3 J. Cantwell, II



FN A. Cantz



BT2 H. Coombs



BTFN R. Corsi



BTFN G. Engle



BT3 R. Fernandez



BT2 A. Fischer





FN N. Franklin



MM2 W. Giltner





FN R. LaPorte



FN J. Lastinec



FA.P. Laughlin



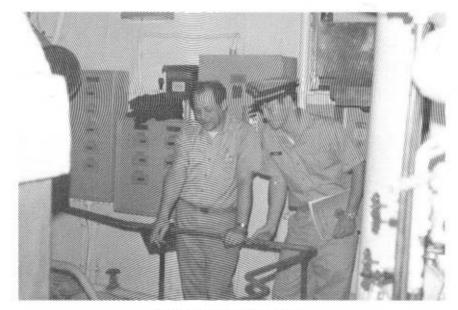
MM2 R. Lauro



BT2 E. Lawrence







"NOW THIS IS AN ENGINE . . .



BT3 R. Manning



BT2 R. McKinnis



... AND THESE ARE 'SNIPES'!"







FN D. Mize



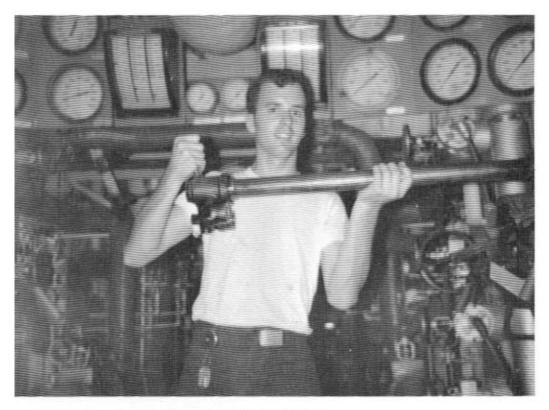
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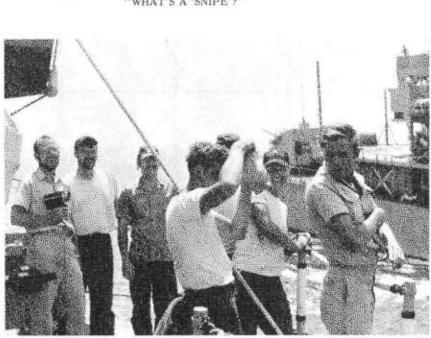
FN J. Petrino



MM2 F. Robinson



"WHAT'S A 'SNIPE'?"



"IT'S MY DAY TO BE CHIEF!"



MM2 J. Robinson



BT3 C. Schaub



BT3 R. Schepp



MM3 E. Seitz







FA B. Teja



MMFN W. Thomas

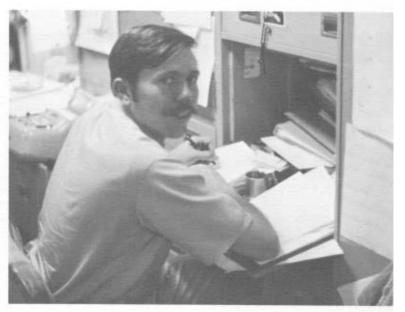


MMFN R. Winn



MMFN J. Wisniewski





"INSPECTION IN 10 MINUTES, MR. MIDDLEBROOKS!"





















LT E. Davis



MMC E. Impson



SF1 E. Businelle



IC1 F. Norton



MM1 L. Stiles



SF1 C. Turner



EN2 W. Bell



DC3 H. Bush



FN P. Businelle



DCFN T. Callen



EN2 J. Chalonec



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EMFN J. Elder



FN L. Goss



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SN C. Evans



ICFN J. Gurge



FN B. Hagerman



YN3 D. Harrison



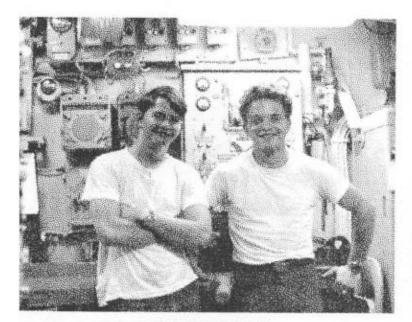
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FN C. Kardulis



FN J. Leslie











EM3 K. Lukens



FN G. Maggiacomo



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FN F. McFadyen



MM2 R. Norris



EM2 M. Polychroni



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EMFN G. Sevigny



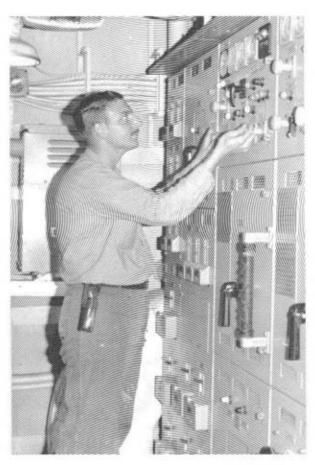
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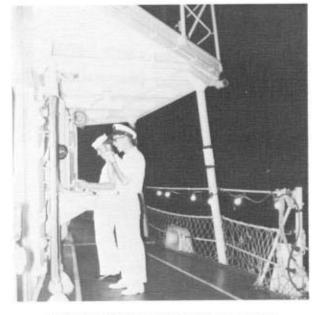
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"WOULD YOU BELIEVE A MAD SCIENTIST AT WORK?"











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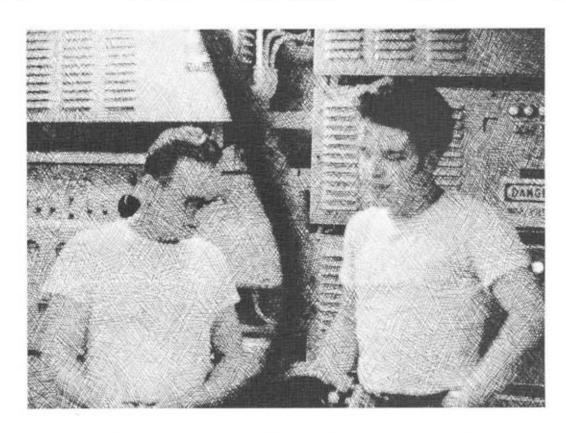
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ICFN J. Wooten



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STEAK FRY ON THE FANTAIL









SUPPLY





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CSC O. Andrey



SKC R. Panko



GMG1 R. Byrd



SH1 C. Collins



DK1 R. Foley





SK1 G. Hall



SD1 L. Matias



SK1 T. Westbrooks



SK1 J. Witkowski



TN T. Abalde



CS3 R. Ashley



SD2 P. Banaga



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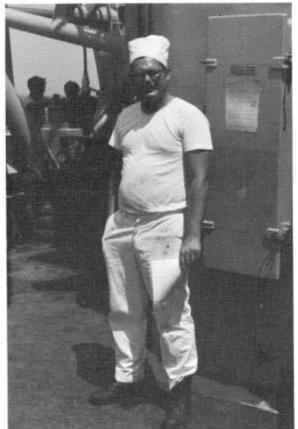
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SN S. Hall



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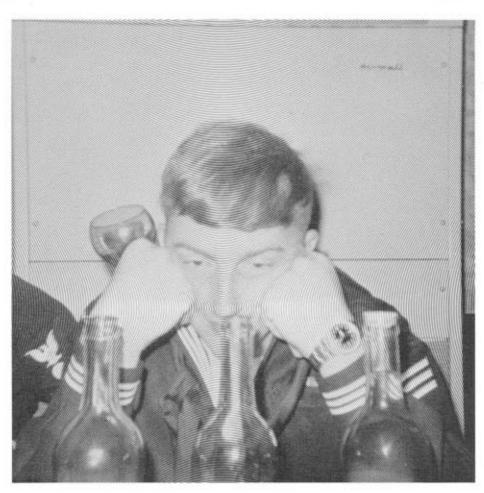
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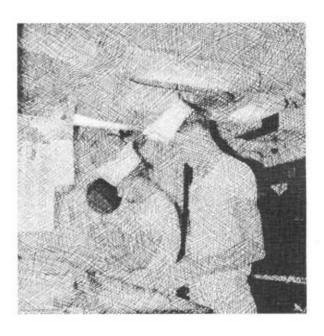
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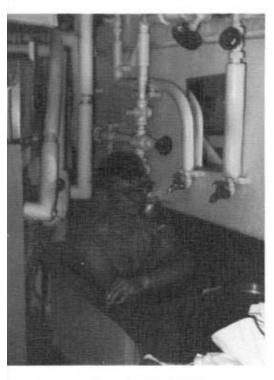
SKSN J. West



SN W. Wilde



SKSN A. Yanni



"SANDY BEATS THE HEAT IN LAUNDRY."



"THE NOSE KNOWS SOMETHIN'S BURNIN'!"





SOME WATCHES JUST DRAG, HUH, GUYS?"







HI-LINE











FRANCE



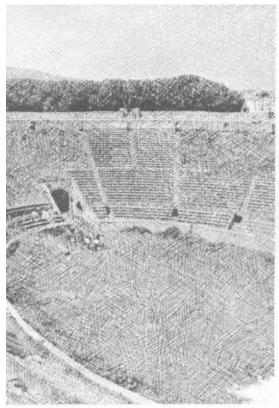










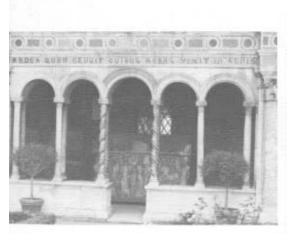








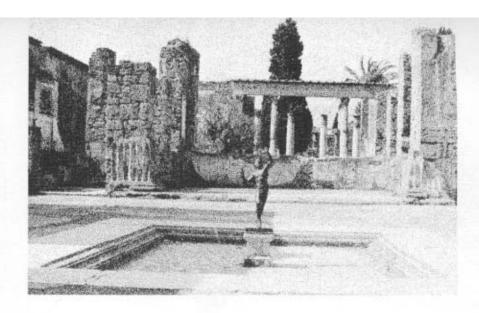
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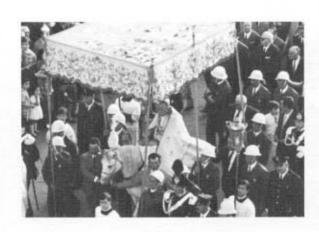




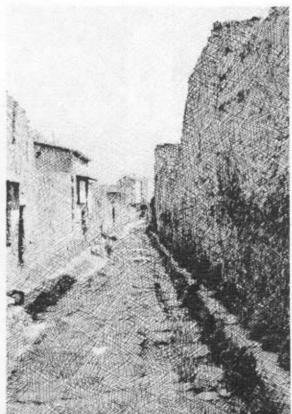


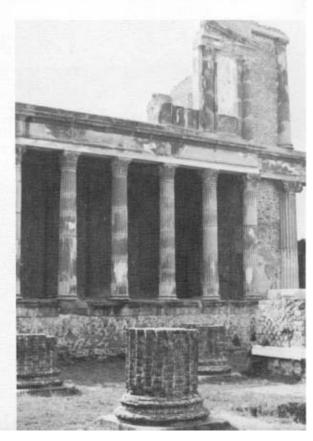






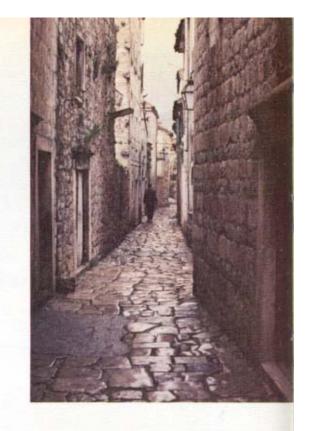






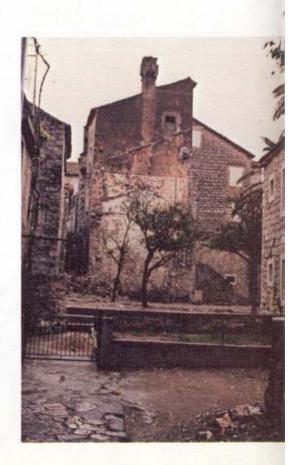


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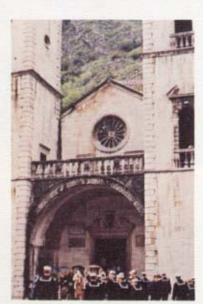


















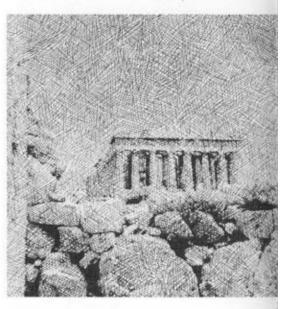


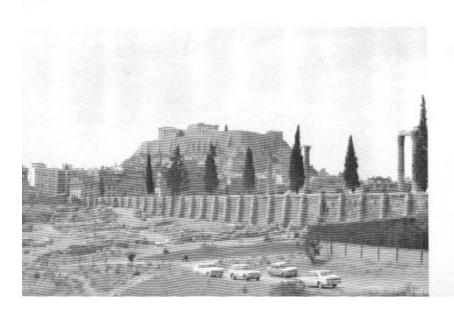


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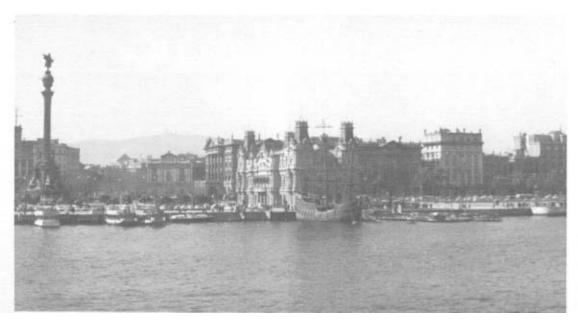




BARCELONA, SPAIN











GENERAL VISITING





















"TOGETHERNESS IS . . . "



"THIS IS THE WAY TO TAKE A CRUISE!"

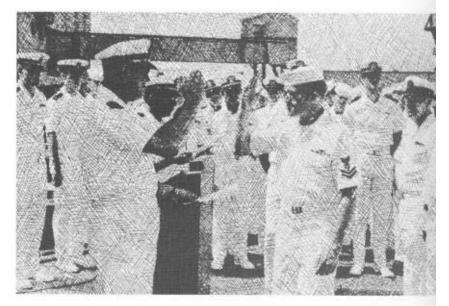


"AWAY THE MOTOR WHALEBOAT!"



"WE LOVE IT!"





"WHATTAYA MEAN I HAVETA INDIAN WRESTLE YA FOR IT CAP'N?"



"OUR RUSKIE COMPANION."

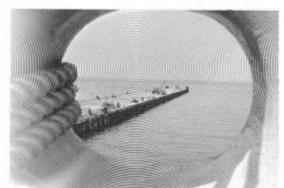


"NOONER TIME!"



"TODAY'S GEOGRAPHY LESSON WILL BE . . . "





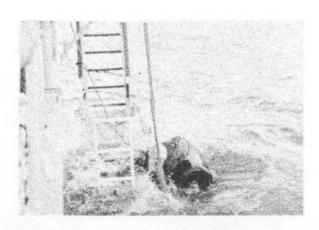


"YOU SCRATCH MY BACK I'LL SCRATCH YOURS!"



"SOME GUYS CAN SLEEP ANYWHERE!"







CHANGE OF COMMAND



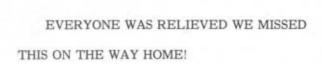


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HOME

AT LAST!





"WELCOME HOME TO THE
OFFICERS AND MEN OF
DESRON 32 TO VERY HAPPY
REUNIONS WITH YOUR FAMILIES AND FRIENDS. YOUR
INDIVIDUAL AND COLLECTIVE ACHIEVEMENTS
EARNED FOR DESRON 32 AN
ENVIABLE REPUTATION IN
THE SIXTH FLEET. I LOOK
FORWARD WITH MUCH PLEASURE TO YOUR RETURN."
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