

RELATIONSHIP, ADDRESSES, NEXT OF KIN OF OFFICERS

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Number of officers - Seventeen (17)

Zone description -1

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	55-36 N	55-35 N	55-47 N
Long.	06-36 W	07-20 W	10-47 W

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OPERATIONAL REMARKS

~~WOODRICK~~

00 to 04 Steaming on course 335° (T & PGC), 355° psc, at 16 knots on boilers #2 & #3 screening convoy on station 340° relative, 2500 yards from convoy guide. Ship darkened except for Navigational lights, in condition of readiness "II M", and material condition "B". OTC., Master of S.S. SANTA PAULA; SOPA., Commanding Officer, U.S.S. ORDRONAU. 0012 passed CHICKEN ROCK LIGHT abeam to starboard, distant 5 miles. 0040 c/c to 355° (T & PGC), 006° psc. 0453 c/c to 316° (T & PGC), 318° psc.

R. M. Thomson
R. M. THOMSON,

Ensign, U. S. Navy.

04 to 08 Steaming as before. 0408 c/s to 13 knots. 0420 c/c to 316° (T & PGC), 324° psc. 0440 c/c to 320° (T & PGC), 342° psc. 0500 Sighted ALTACARRY LIGHT bearing 358° (t), distant 10 miles. 0600 Passed ALTACARRY LIGHT abeam to port, distant 4 miles. 0625 c/c to 309° (T & PGC), 329 psc. 0640 Sighted OVERSAY LIGHT bearing 348° (t), distant 12 miles. 0700 c/c to 305° (T & PGC), 325 psc. 0715 c/s to 10 knots. 0756 Passed OVERSAY LIGHT abeam to starboard, distant 5.75 miles.

J. W. Land
J. W. LAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

08 to 12 Mustered crew on stations. No absentees. 0815 General Quarters, set condition "Afirm". 0840 c/s to 10 knots. 0856 U.S.S. PARKER came alongside to port to pass sea mail. 0915 Secured from General Quarters set material condition "BAKER" 0920 c/s to 15 knots. 0951 Came along port side of U.S.S. MACLANAHAN to pass sea mail. 0958 c/s to 12 knots, c/c to 281° (T & PGC), 300° psc, assuming station in screen with guide bearing 043° (t), distant 6000 yards, of convoy T.U.3., OTC. and SOPA. COMTASKFOR 60 in U.S.S. ARKANSAS. 1143 Made sound contact sounded General Quarters. 1146 Manned and ready for General Quarters. Dropped 9 depth charges. Lost contact; continued search.

H. W. Booth
H. W. BOOTH,

Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

12 to 16 Steaming as before. Engaged in submarine attack. 1238 ceased attack, c/c to 270° (T & PGC) 300° psc, c/s to 25 knots, regaining station on convoy. 1326 c/c to 295° (T & PGC) 325° psc. 1400 set ship's clocks back 1 hour to zone zero time. 1313 c/c to 283° (T & PGC) 294° psc. 1420 In position bearing 300° relative, 6000 yards from guide, c/c to 282° (T & PGC) 293° psc, c/s 15.5 knots. 1430 Commenced zigzagging in accordance to plan 11. 1500 c/c 270° (T & PGC) 318° psc. 1520 c/s to 15 knots. 1434 ceased zigzagging, resumed base course.

R. M. Thomson
R. M. THOMSON,

Ensign, U. S. Navy.

16 to 20 Steaming as before. 1643 Changed position to night station bearing 280° relative, distant 6500 yards from the guide. 1815 c/s to 14 knots.

J. W. Land
J. W. LAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

20 to 24 Steaming as before. 2100 c/s to 12 knots.

H. W. Booth
H. W. BOOTH,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

Approved:

B. N. Rittenhouse, Jr.
B. N. RITTENHOUSE, Jr.

Commander, U.S.N., Commanding Officer.

Examined:

M. Varland
M. VARLAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy, Navigator.

Zone description 0

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	55-42 N	55-40 N	54-01 N
Long.	013-19 W	13-47 W	13-48 W

OPERATIONAL REMARKS

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00 to 04 Steaming on course 270° (T & PGC) 318° psc, speed 12 knots on boilers #2 and #3. Patrolling station on screen of convoy T.U.3., 6500 yards, 280° relative from convoy guide. Ship darkened, condition of readiness "II M" and material condition "B" set. SOPA. and OTC., COMTASKFOR 60 in U.S.S. ARKANSAS. 0010 c/s to 11 knots. 0025 BEYRLIE, R.O., 663 39 28, Y3c, USNR., received deep laceration of lower leg and possible fracture of the ankle as a result of being struck by a sea breaking aboard. Placed on sick list.

R.M. Thomson
R. M. THOMSON,

Ensign, U. S. Navy.

04 to 08 Steaming as before. 0745 c/c to 265° (T & PGC) 281° psc.

J.W. Land
J. W. LAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

08 to 12 Steaming as before. 0850 c/c to 260° (T & PGC), 276° psc, c/s to 9 knots. 0937 c/c to 265° (T & PGC) 281° psc, c/s to 8 knots. 1000 Made daily inspections of magazines and smokeless powder samples. Conditions Normal.

H.W. Booth
H. W. BOOTH,

Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

12 to 16 Steaming as before. 1203 c/c to 180° (T & PGC) 204° psc. 1220 c/s to 12 knots. 1505 c/s to 13 knots. 1525 c/s to 14 knots. 1552 c/c to 175° (T & PGC) 218° psc.

R.M. Thomson
R. M. THOMSON,

Ensign, U. S. Navy.

16 to 18 Steaming as before. 1730 c/c to 180° (T & PGC), 223° psc.

J.W. Land
J. W. LAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

18 to 20 Steaming as before.

H.W. Booth
H. W. BOOTH,

Lieutenant, U. S. Naval Reserve.

20 to 24 Steaming as before.

R.M. Thomson
R. M. THOMSON,

Ensign, U. S. Navy.

Approved:

B.N. Rittenhouse, Jr.
B. N. RITTENHOUSE, JR.

Commander, U.S. Navy, *Commanding Officer.*

Examined:

M. Varland
M. VARLAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy, *Navigator.*

Zone description 0

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	51-40 N	51-12 N	50-41 N
Long.	14-42 W	16-05 W	19-18 W

OPERATIONAL REMARKS

(WABOOKS)

00 to 04 Steaming on course 180° (T & PGC) 226°psc, speed 14 knots, on boilers #2 and #3. Acting as screen for convoy T.U.3., stationed 6500 yards bearing 280° relative from guide. Ship darkened with material condition "BAKER" set, condition of readiness "II M", SOPA. and ~~OTC~~, COMTASKFOR 60 in U.S.S. ARKANSAS.

J. W. Land
 J. W. LAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

04 to 08 Steaming as before. 0415 c/c to 190° (T & PGC) 220° psc. 0430 c/c to 200° (T & PGC) 230° psc. 0445 c/c to 210° (T & PGC) 240° psc. 0500 c/c to 220° (T & PGC) 250° psc. 0518 c/s to 15 knots. 0745 Sounded General Quarters.

H. W. Booth
 H. W. BOOTH,

Lieutenant, U. S. N. R.

08 to 12 Steaming as before. 0800 c/s to 15.50 knots. 0814 Commenced casualty drill. 0830 Took day station bearing 300° relative from guide, 600 yards. 0840 Lighted ship. 0846 Secured from casualty drill. 0849 secured from general quarters, set condition of readiness "II M", material condition "BAKER". 0900 Mustered crew on stations, no absentees. 0910 c/c to 230° (T & PGC) 267°psc. 0918 c/c to 250° (T & PGC) 288°psc. 0919 exercised at gun drills, fired 1 round each from guns 2 & 4. 1110 c/s to 16 knots. 1115 Made daily inspection of magazines and smokeless powder samples. Condition normal.

R. M. Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,

Ensign, U. S. Navy.

12 to 16 Steaming as before. 1400 Set clocks back 1 hour to +½ zone time.

J. W. Land
 J. W. LAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

16 to 20 Steaming as before. 1630 Exercised at General Quarters, set condition "Affirm". 1704 Convoy ceased zigzagging. 1710 c/c to 280° (T & PGC) 297° psc. 1717 c/c to 230° (T & PGC) 254° psc. 1720 Assumed screen station, 6500 yards from guide bearing 350° (t). 1727 c/c to 250° (T & PGC) 288° psc. 1750 Secured from General Quarters set condition "Baker".

H. W. Booth
 H. W. BOOTH,

Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

20 to 24 Steaming as before.

R. M. Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,

Ensign, U. S. Navy.

Approved:

B. N. Rittenhouse, Jr.
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Commander, U.S.N., Commanding Officer.

Examined:

M. Varland
 M. VARLAND,

Lieutenant, U.S.N.,

Navigator.

Zone description +3

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	49°- 30'N	49°- 15'N	48°- 45'N
Long.	23°- 52'W	25°- 25'W	28°- 23'W

OPERATIONAL REMARKS

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00 to 04 Steaming on course 250° (T & PGC) 283° psc, speed 16 knots on boilers #2 and #3. Acting as ocean escort for convoy T.U.3., stationed 6500 yards, bearing 280° relative from the guide. Ship darkened and in material condition "Baker", condition of readiness "II M". OTC. and SOPA., COMTASKFOR 60 in U.S.S. ARKANSAS. 0110 c/c to 210° (T & PGC) 240° psc. 0119 c/c to 250° (T & PGC) 283° psc.

J W Land
 J. W. LAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

04 to 08 Steaming as before. 0740 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with plan #11. 0745 Went to General Quarters, set condition "Affirm".

H W Booth
 H. W. BOOTH,

Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

08 to 12 Steaming as before. 0845 Secured from General Quarters, set condition "II M". 0915 c/c to 255° (T & PGC) 279° psc. 0930 c/c to 260° (T & PGC) 283° psc. 0947 Fired 4 rounds from #2 40 M/M gun. 1000 Made daily inspections of smokeless powder samples and magazine spaces. Conditions normal.

R M Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,

Ensign, U. S. Navy.

12 to 16 Steaming as before. 1313 c/s to 12 knots. Ceased zigzagging. 1400 Set clocks back ½ hour to zone time +1. 1350 c/s to 14 knots. 1359 c/s to 16 knots. 1411 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with zigzag plan #11.

J W Land
 J. W. LAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

16 to 20 Steaming as before. 1653 Went to General Quarters, Set condition "Affirm". 1753 Secured from General Quarters, set conditions "II M" and "Baker".

H W Booth
 H. W. BOOTH,

Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

20 to 24 Steaming as before.

R M Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,

Ensign, U. S. Navy.

Approved:

E. N. Rittenhouse, Jr.
 E. N. RITTENHOUSE, Jr.

Commander, U.S.N., Commanding Officer.

Examined:

M. Varland
 M. VARLAND,

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy, Navigator.

Zone description +1

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	48 - 04' N	47 - 53' N	47 - 21' N
Long.	33 - 01' W	33 - 56' W	36 - 41' W

OPERATIONAL REMARKS

~~(YARD PLACE)~~

0 to 4 Steaming on course 260° (T & PGC) 297° psc, at 16 knots, on boilers #2 and #3. Acting as ocean escort for convoy T.U.3., stationed 280° relative, distant 6500 yards from convoy guide. Ship darkened and in condition of readiness "II M", material condition "B". OTC. and SOPA. COMTASKFOR 60 in U.S.S. ARKANSAS.

J.W. Land
 J. W. LAND,
 Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

4 to 8 Steaming as before. 0720 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with plan #11. 0740 Went to General Quarters; set condition "Affirm".

H.W. Booth
 H. W. BOOTH,
 Lieutenant, U. S. N. R.

8 to 12 Steaming as before. 0822 Ceased zigzagging, resumed base course. 0828 c/s to 12 knots. 0830 Secured from General Quarters, set condition "II M", material condition "B". 0831 Proceeding to fueling station, 000° relative, 1500 yards from convoy guide. 0912 Commenced receiving fuel from port side U.S.S. SALAMONIE. 0940 Completed fueling, total fuel received: 43,113 gallons at 60° f. 0951 Assumed screening station 355° relative, 7500 yards from guide. 0955 c/s to 12.5 knots. 1047 Assumed screening station 280° relative, 6500 yards from guide. 1145 Assumed screening station 305° relative, 5500 yards from guide. Daily inspection made of magazines and smokeless powder samples, conditions normal.

R.M. Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,
 Ensign, U. S. Navy.

12 to 16 Steaming as before. 1230 Assumed screening station 330° relative, distant 4500 yards from convoy guide. 1400 Set clocks back ½ hour to zone time +1½. 1400 Assumed screening station 6000 yards, 300° relative from convoy guide. 1410 c/s to 16 knots. 1455 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with zigzag plan #11.

J.W. Land
 J. W. LAND,
 Lieutenant, U.S.N.

16 to 18 Steaming as before. 1701 General Quarters, set condition "Affirm". 1741 Ceased zigzagging.

H.W. Booth
 H. W. BOOTH,
 Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

18 to 20 Steaming as before. 1801 Secured from General Quarters, set condition "II M", material condition "B". 1805 Assumed screening station 280° relative, 6500 yards from convoy guide. 1947 c/s to 15.5 knots.

R.M. Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,
 Ensign, U. S. Navy.

20 to 24 Steaming as before.

J.W. Land
 J. W. LAND,
 Lieutenant, U.S.N.

Approved: *B. N. Rittenhouse, Jr.*
 B. N. RITTENHOUSE, JR.
 Commander, U.S.N., Commanding Officer.

Examined: *M. Varland*
 M. VARLAND,
 Lieutenant, U. S. Navy, Navigator.

Zone description $+1\frac{1}{2}$

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	46°- 46'N	46°- 35'N	45°- 56'N
Long.	41°- 02'W	42°- 27'W	45°- 12'W

OPERATIONAL REMARKS

~~IVAR VARLAND~~

0 to 4 Steaming on course 260° (T & PGC), 297°psc at 16 knots, on boilers #2 and #3. Acting as ocean escort for convoy T.U.3., station 300° relative, distant 6500yards from convoy guide. Ship darkened and in condition of readiness "II M" material condition "Baker". OTC. and SOPA. COMTASKFOR 60 in U.S.S. ARKANSAS.

L. H. Sell
 L. H. SELL,
 Lieutenant (jg), U.S. Navy.

4 to 8 Steaming as before. 0745 Went to General Quarters, set condition "Affirm"

R. M. Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,
 Ensign, U. S. Navy.

8 to 12 Steaming as before. 0805 Assumed station 6000 yards, 300° relative from convoy guide. Commenced zigzagging in accordance with zigzag plan #11. 0845 Secured from General Quarters. Set condition "Baker". 0915 Ceased zigzagging. 1142 c/c to 255° (T & PGC) 295° psc. Made daily inspection of magazines and smokeless powder samples. Condition normal.

J. W. Land
 J. W. LAND,
 Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

12 to 16 Steaming as before. 1400 Set clocks back $\frac{1}{2}$ hour to time zone +2. 1423 c/s to 15.5 knots. 1538 c/s to 16 knots.

H. W. Booth
 H. W. BOOTH,
 Lieutenant, U. S. Naval Reserve.

16 to 20 Steaming as before. 1720 Went to General Quarters, set condition "Affirm". 1741 Assumed night screening station bearing 280° relative, distant 6500 yards from convoy guide. 1807 Secured from General Quarters, set condition "II M" on the battery, material condition "Baker"

R. M. Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,
 Ensign, U. S. Navy.

20 to 24 Steaming as before. 2230 c/s to 15 knots.

J. W. Land
 J. W. LAND,
 Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

Approved:

B. N. Rittenhouse, Jr.
 B. N. RITTENHOUSE, Jr.

Commander, U.S.N., Commanding Officer.

Examined:

M. Varland
 M. VARLAND.

Lieutenant, U. S. Navy,

Navigator.

Zone description +2

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	45°- 17'N	45°- 16'N	44°- 45'N
Long.	47°- 56'W	47°- 56'W	50°- 22'W

OPERATIONAL REMARKS

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0 to 4 Steaming on course 252° (T & PGC), 298°psc at 15 knots on boilers #2 and #3. Acting as ocean escort for convoy T.U.3., station 280° relative, distant 6500 yards from convoy guide. Ship darkened and in condition of readiness "II M" material condition "Baker". OTC. and SOPA. COMTASKFOR 60 in U.S.S. ARKANSAS. 0225 c/s to 14 knots. 0235 c/s to 12 knots.

H. W. Booth
H. W. BOOTH,
Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

4 to 8 Steaming as before. 0405 c/s to 10 knots. 0642 c/s to 9 knots.

R. M. Thomson
R. M. THOMSON,
Ensign, U.S. Navy.

8 to 12 Steaming as before. 0800 mustered crew on stations, No absentees. 0840 Resumed station 300° relative, 6000 yards from the convoy guide. 0930 c/c to 250° (T & PGC) 298°psc. Make daily inspection of magazine and smokeless powder samples. Conditions normal.

J. W. Land
J. W. LAND,
Lieutenant, U.S. Navy.

12 to 16 Steaming as before 1332 c/s to 12 knots, 1400 Retarded clocks one half hour in accordance with time zone plus two and one half. 1413 c/s to 13 knots. 1425 c/s to 14 knots. 1500 c/s to 15 knots.

H. W. Booth
H. W. BOOTH,
Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

16 to 20 Steaming as before. 1605 c/s to 15.5 knots. 1708 Went to general quarters, set condition "Affirm" throughout the ship. 1725 Commenced simulated battle problem. 1810 Secured from battle problem and General Quarters, set condition "Baker".

R. M. Thomson
R. M. THOMSON,
Ensign, U. S. Navy.

20 to 24 Steaming as before. 2334 c/c to 220° (T & PGC), 261°psc. 2354 c/c to 250° (T & PGC), 311°psc.

J. W. Land
J. W. LAND,
Lieutenant, U.S. Navy.

Approved:

B. N. Rittenhouse, Jr.
B. N. RITTENHOUSE, JR.
Commander, U.S.N. *Commanding Officer.*

Examined:

M. Varland
M. VARLAND,
Lieutenant, U.S. Navy. *Navigator.*

Zone description +2 1/2

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	43°-47'N	43°-20'N	42°-44'N
Long.	53°-55'W	55°-10'W	57°-31'W

OPERATIONAL REMARKS

~~NAVY DIARY~~

0 to 4 Steaming on course 250° (T & PGC), 299° psc. at 15.5 knots on boilers #2 and #3. Acting as ocean escort for convoy T.U.3., station 280° relative, distant 6500 yards from convoy guide. Ship darkened and in condition of readiness "II M", material condition "Baker" OTC. and SOPA. COMTASKFOR 60 in U.S.S. ARKANSAS.

H. W. Booth

H. W. BOOTH,
Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

4 to 8 Steaming as before. 0435 c/s to 15 knots. 0730 went to General Quarters, set condition "Affirm".

R. M. Thomson

R. M. THOMSON,
Ensign, U. S. Navy.

8 to 12 Steaming as before. 0825 Secured from General Quarters, set condition "II M", material condition "Baker". 0852 c/c to 245° (T & PGC), 290° psc. 1010 Mustered crew on stations, No absentees. Made daily inspection of magazines and smokeless powder samples. Condition normal.

J. W. Land

J. W. LAND,
Lieutenant, U.S. Navy.

12 to 16 Steaming as before. 1400 Set clocks back in accordance with time zone plus three. 1430 commenced zigzagging in accordance with plan #11.

H. W. Booth

H. W. BOOTH,
Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

16 to 18 Steaming as before. 1715 went to General Quarters, set condition "Affirm". 1735 c/c to 249° (T & PGC) 296° psc. 1730 ceased zigzagging, resumed base course.

R. M. Thomson

R. M. THOMSON,
Ensign, U. S. N.

18 to 20 Steaming as before. 1812 Secured from General Quarters, set condition "II M", material condition "Baker".

J. W. Land

J. W. LAND,
Lieutenant, U.S. Navy.

20 to 24 Steaming as before.

H. W. Booth

H. W. BOOTH,
Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

Approved:

B. N. Rittenhouse, Jr.

B. N. RITTENHOUSE, JR.
Commanding Officer, U.S.N.

Examined:

M. Varland

M. VARLAND,
Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

Navigator.

Zone description +3

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	41°- 31'N	41°- 18'N	40°- 30'N
Long.	61°- 21'W	62°- 35'W	64°- 49'W

OPERATIONAL REMARKS

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0 to 4 Steaming on course 249° (T & PGC) 295°psc. speed 16 knots on boilers #3 and #4. Patrolling screening station 280°relative, 6500 yards from guide of convoy T.U.3., ship darkened, condition "II M" set on the battery, material condition "Baker". OTC. and SOPA. COMTASKFOR 60 in U.S.S. ARKANSAS.

R. M. Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,
 Ensign, U. S. Navy.

4 to 8 Steaming as before. 0720 Went to General Quarters. Set material condition "Affirm".

J. W. Land
 J. W. LAND,
 Lieutenant, U.S.Navy.

8 to 12 Steaming as before. 0800 Took station 305° relative, 5500 yards from guide. 0820 Secured from General Quarters set condition "II M" and "Baker". 1155 c/s to 15 knots. Made daily inspection of magazines and smokeless powder samples, conditions normal.

H. W. Booth
 H. W. BOOTH,
 Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

12 to 16 Steaming as before. 1220 Commenced zigzagging in accordance with plan #11. 1332 c/c to 348° (T & PGC) 294°psc. 1335 c/s to 15.5 knots. 1400 retarded ships clocks 30 minutes to zone plus 3½, 1532 Assumed screening station 322° relative, 5000 yards from convoy guide.

R. M. Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,
 Ensign, U. S. Navy.

16 to 20 Steaming as before. 1718 Went to General Quarters. Set material condition "Affirm". 1750 Ceased zigzagging. Assumed station 6500 yards, 280° relative from convoy guide. 1820 Secured from General Quarters. Set condition of readiness "II M", material condition "BAKER" 1958 c/s to 14 knots.

J. W. Land
 J. W. LAND,
 Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

20 to 24 Steaming as before.

H. W. Booth
 H. W. BOOTH,
 Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

Approved: *B. N. Rittenhouse, Jr.*
 B. N. RITTENHOUSE, JR.
 Commander, U.S.Navy. Commanding Officer.

Examined: *M. Varland*
 M. VARLAND,
 Lieutenant, U.S. Navy., Navigator.

Zone description +3 1/2

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	39°- 44'N	39°- 45'N	39°- 27'N
Long.	67°- 29'W	68°- 28'W	71°- 19'W

OPERATIONAL REMARKS

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0 to 4 Steaming on course 248° (T & PGC) 295°psc at 14 knots on boilers #2 and #3. Patrolling screening station 280° relative, 6500 yards from guide of convoy T.U.3., OTC. and SOPA. COMTASKFOR 60 in U.S.S. ARKANSAS.

R. M. Thomson
 R. M. THOMSON,
 Ensign, U. S. Navy.

4 to 8 Steaming as before. 0620 Lighted fires under #1 and #4 boilers. 0715 Went to General Quarters. Set condition "Affirm".

J. W. Land
 J. W. LAND,
 Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.

8 to 12 Steaming as before. Mustered the crew on stations, no absentees. 1150 c/s to 15 knots. Made daily inspection of magazines and smokeless powder samples, conditions normal. Made weekly inspection of magazine sprinkling system, conditions normal.

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 Lieutenant, U.S.N.R.

12 to 16 Steaming as before. 1400 retarded clocks one half hour to zone plus four. 1340 c/c to 240° (T & PGC) 280° psc, increasing speed slowly preparatory to full power run. 1350 c/c to 230° (T & PGC) 275°psc. 1427 c/c to 225° (T & PGC) 265°psc. 1500 Commenced full power run at 32 knots. 1543 c/c 330° (T & PGC) 010°psc.

R. M. Thomson
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 Ensign, U. S. Navy.

16 to 20 Steaming as before. 1650 c/c to 340° (T & PGC) 355°psc. 1700 Completed full power run. 1705 On various courses at various speed, slowing and taking position in convoy screen. 1801 Assumed station 7500 yards, bearing 255° relative from convoy guide. 1815 Secured boilers #1 and #2. 1835 Lighted fires under #1 boiler. 1840 Secured boiler #3.

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20 to 24 Steaming as before. 1145 c/c to 300° (T & PGC) 312°psc.

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