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OF THE

U. S. S. _____ CORAL SEA _____

CVA-43
IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Attached to { _____ Division,
_____ Squadron,
_____ Flotilla,
SEVENTH _____ Fleet,
_____ Naval District,

Commencing -8 H 0001 01 APRIL _____, 1973 ,
(zone time and date)

at 14-22.7 N 119-23.5 E _____,
(location)

and ending -8 H 2400 30 APRIL _____, 1973 ,
(zone time and date)

at MANILA BAY ANCHORAGE, 14°34'15"N 120°53'19"E _____
(location)

Approved by: *P. A. Peck* _____ Commanding
P. A. PECK

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-93) ZONE DESCRIPTION PH DATE SUNDAY 1 APRIL 19 73
 (Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM PHILIPPINE OPAREA E-1 TO

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 L 14-20N | BY 2 | |
| λ 119-40E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 14-38N | BY 4 | |
| λ 119-18E | BY 4 | |

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| 2000 L 14-22N | BY 2 | |
| λ 119-21E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

~~07-04~~ STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN PHILIPPINE OPAREA E-1 IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION FOUR, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. *BASE COURSE IS 354, SPEED 15 KTS. 0120 1/2 130, 0132 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL. 0200 1/2 140. 0315 1/2 270. *NUMBER THREE SHAFT IS LOCKED.

S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE * 0431 C/C 350° 0510 1/2 140° * 0549 1/2 090 0600 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATION ALL LIGHTS * 0530 SOUNDED FLIGHT QUARTERS 0630 STREAMED TARGET SPDR 1800 FT ASTERN 0632 1/2 225° * 0412 UNLOCKED #3 SHAFT 0658 1/2 270° 0712 C/S 20 KTS 0716 C/C 110° 0720 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 110° BASE SPEED 20 KTS 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS: SBB ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES

Lonnie L. Rossiter
 LONNIE L. ROSSITER FTOL USN

04-08 CONTINUED. 0749 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. C/C 310 1/2 19 KTS.

J.M. Evans
 J.M. EVANS LCDR USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0800 C/C 250° 0822 C/C 310° 0848 C/C 105° 1/2 16 KTS. 0857 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 105° SPEED 16 KTS. 0930 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 310° 1/2 25 KTS. 1011 C/C 010° 1/2 20 KTS. 1023 C/C 110° 1025 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1032 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 110° SPEED 20 KTS. 1102 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 300° 1/2 25 KTS. 1155 1/2 110° 1/2 23 KTS.

J.M. Evans
 J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

12-14 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1201 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 110°, SPEED 22 KTS. 1227 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 355, 1/2 20 KTS. 1250 1/2 310. 1316 1/2 130. 1325 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 135, SPEED 23 KTS. 1357 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 270, 1/2 15 KTS. 1446 1/2 25 KTS. 1450 1/2 150. 1455 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 150, SPEED 22 KTS. 1536 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 000, 1/2 22 KTS.

S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1609 1/2 145° 1615 C/S 24 KTS RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 145° SPEED 24 KTS 1632 COMMANDER ATTACH CARRIER STRIKING FORCE SEVENTH FLEET (CTF 77 COMCORVUS) ADM W.R. McCLendon ARRIVED ON BOARD BY AG AND BROKE HIS FLAG IN THIS SHIP.

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USS CORAL SEA (CV43)

DATE SUNDAY 1 APRIL 1973
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-24 (CONT) 1642 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 000°
C/S 17 HTS 1734 C/S 25 HTS C/C 180° 1740 RESUMED FLIGHT OP-
ERATIONS BASE COURSE 180° SPEED 25 HTS 1800 COMPLETED FLIGHT
OPERATIONS C/S 17 HTS 1818 OBSERVED SUNSET TURNED ON NAV-
IGATIONAL LIGHTS 1828 RECOVERED TARGET SPDR 1841 C/S 15 HTS
1901 C/C 000°

L. Rossier
LEANNIE L. ROSSIER, FTICLON

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2018 SOUNDED FIRE QUARTERS FOR SMOKE IN
CAMP 327-L. 2024 SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS. SMOKE DETERMINED TO BE A
RESULT OF WELDING IN PROGRESS. 2030 STOPPED NO 4 SHAFT FOR ENGINEERING
TESTS. 2105 NO 4 SHAFT RESTORED TO NORMAL SPEED. 2129 HELD STEERING
CASUALTY DRILL. 2133 C/C 180°; 2305 C/C 000°

J. Evans
J. EVANS, LCDR USN

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J. R. Wheeler
CDR J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE MONDAY 2 APRIL 19 73
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM PHILIPPINE OPAREA E-1 #0

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 L 14-25N | BY 2 | |
| λ 119-19E | BY 2 | |

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 1200 L 14-31N | BY 2 | |
| λ 119-18E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 14-08N | BY 2 | |
| λ 119-14E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

0800-04 STEERING INDEPENDENTLY AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN PHILIPPINE OPAREA E-1 IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM SEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA IS CTF 77.3 RADM W.R. McCLENDON EMBARKED CORAL SEA. OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA, READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT 15 KTS TO REMAIN WITHIN OPAREA E-1. CURRENT COURSE IS ~~090~~ 090 1/2 135. 0107 1/2 225, CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL. 0200 1/2 000, 0300 1/2 140.

S.H. Whitney
S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0420 1/2 090 1/2 0448 1/2 270 1/2 0555 C/C 090 1/2 0600 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 0630 SET GUNNERY CONDITION ONE 0643 1/2 270 1/2 0720 EXERCISED AT GUNNERY PRACTICE. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS. SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTERS.

Loanie & Rossiter
LOANIE & ROSSITER FTGLSN

04-08 CONTINUED. 0741 c/c 180°

J.M. Evans
J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0837 c/c 340 c/s 20 KTS. COMPLETED GUNNERY EXERCISE. SECURED FROM GUNNERY CONDITION ONE. 0905 c/c 115 c/s 5 KTS 0918 c/c 320 c/s 20 KTS. 0949 c/c 110 c/s 5 KTS. 1007 RADM WR McCLENDON CTF 77, COMCARDIV 5 DEPARTED THE SHIP BY HELICOPTER. HAULED DOWN HIS FLAG, 1008 c/c 320 c/s 20 KTS. 1015 COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE CONDUCTING MAN OVERBOARD DRILLS. 1016 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT. ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1115 COMPLETED MAN OVERBOARD DRILLS SET COURSE 122 SPEED 10 KTS. 1116 STREAMED TARGET SPARE TO 1500 FT ASTERN. 1133 c/c 000° 1135 c/s 13 KTS. 1144 1/2 23 KTS.

J.M. Evans
J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1201 1/2 120, 1/2 26 KTS. 1204 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 125, SPEED 26 KTS. 1237 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS 1/2 305, 1/2 25 KTS. 1314 1/2 28 KTS. 1317 1/2 120. 1320 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 120, SPEED 28 KTS. 1330 EXERCISED THE CREW AT GENERAL QUARTERS. 1342 MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA SET. 1414 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 315, 1/2 30 KTS. 1453 1/2 135. 1500 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 135, SPEED 30 KTS. 1502 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS STERETT, ASSIGNED HER PLANE GUARD DESTROYER STATION 35NX. 1507 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE. 1517 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. 1520 STERETT ASSUMED STATION. 1541 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 335, 1/2 25 KTS.

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

DATE Monday 2 April 1973
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

S.H. Whitney
S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1616 CIS 27 KTS 1621 CIC 150° CIS 24 KTS
1625 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 150°T SPEED 29 KTS
1714 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS YC 355° 1717 CIS 30 KTS
1739 RECEIVED INJURY REPORT ON WRING ROBERT A SN [FOIA(b)6] W/A DIVISION. SUBJECT MAN INJURED ELBOW WHILE COMING DOWN A LADDER. POSSIBLE PERMANENT DISABILITY? YES. DISPOSITION DUTY, IN LINE OF DUTY NOT MIS CONDUCT 1800 YC 230° 1805 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 230°T SPEED 30 KTS 1817 OBSERVED SUNSET SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN 1829 STATIONED STRETT 170°R 1 MILE 1834 STRETT ON STATION 1858 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS YC 065° 1910 CIS 24 KTS 1930 YC 30 KTS 1934 SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN 1939 YC 190°T 1944 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 190°T SPEED 30 KTS

L. Rossiter
LONNIE L ROSSITER, FTIC, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2044 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. YC 025°
2128 YC 120° SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2133 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 135° BASE SPEED 30 KTS. 2213 SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTING 2228 SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2316 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS YC 355° 2319 YC 17 KTS 2345 YC 25 KTS.

E. C. Oakeson
E. C. OAKESON, ENS, USN

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE TUESDAY 3 APRIL 19 73
 (Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM PHILIPPINE OPAREA TO _____

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
|------------------|------|------|
| 0800 L 14-24N | BY 2 | |
| λ 119-12E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 14-28N | BY 2 | |
| λ 119-11E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 14-04N | BY 2 | |
| λ 119-00E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

04-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN PHILIPPINE OPAREAS IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM SEVENTH FLEET QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA IS CTU 77.3.2 COMMANDING OFFICER STERETT. OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. STERETT IS IN STATION 170R ONE MILE. SHIP IS ON COURSE 355, SPEED 25 KTS. 0400 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS TALUGA (AO-62), COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS FOR RENDEZVOUS. 0400 FORMED UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT DISPOSITION, BASE COURSE 040, SPEED 12 KTS. 0100 COMMENCED APPROACH PORT SIDE TALUGA. 0115 ASSIGNED STERETT TO LIFEGUARD DESTROYER STATION 1000 YDS ASTERN. 0126 FIRST MESSENGER ACROSS. 0139 COMMENCED TRANSFERRING. 0143 COMMENCED RECEIVING FUEL. 0239 COMPLETED TRANSFER. 0346 COMPLETED TRANSFER OF FUEL. 0401

S.H. Whitney

S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0401 ALL LINES CLEAR TO STARBOARD, MANEUVERING TO CLEAR DISPOSITION, SET COURSE 290, SPEED 20 KTS. 0400 DETACHED STERETT TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED. 0419 DETACHED TALUGA TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED. 0426 1/2 15 KTS, 1/2 270. 0429 1/2 255.

S.H. Whitney

S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 (CONT) 0530 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL. 0547 1/2 090. 0600 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. 0630 SET GUNNERY CONDITION ONE. 0637 1/2 270. 0703 1/2 240. 0722 1/2 270. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTS. 0731 1/2 180.

L. Rossiter

LONNIE L. ROSSITER FTOL USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0826 c/c 090. 0900 c/c 270. 0935 c/c 090 c/s 20 KTS. COMPLETED GUNNERY EXERCISE. SECURED FROM GUNNERY CONDITION I. 0952 COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT MAN OVERBOARD DRILLS. 1036 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1048 COMPLETED MAN OVERBOARD DRILLS. c/c 285 c/s 15 KTS. 1105 STEAMED TARGET SPAR TO 1500 FT ASTERN. 1107 c/c 345. 1117 c/s 20 KTS. 1146 1/2 25 KTS. 1152 1/2 105.

J.M. Evans

J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1201 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 105, BASE SPEED 23 KTS. 1215 AT 230, 2 APRIL AA RODNEY HOLMES, SUSTAINED A MUSCLE CRUSH OF THE ARM WHEN CAUGHT IN WING OF AN F-4. TREATMENT ADMINISTERED BY DIRECTION OF MEDICAL OFFICER, ADMITTED TO SICK BAY; POSSIBLE PERMANENT DISABILITY. 1219 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 315, 1/2 20 KTS. 1247 1/2 355. 1305 1/2 315. 0120 1/2 155, 1/2 30 KTS.

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USS Coral Sea (CVA-43)

DATE Tuesday 3 April 1973
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

1330 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 155, BASE SPEED 30 KTS.
 1411 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/C 300, C/S 20 KTS. 1450 C/C 145, C/S 30
 KTS. 1501 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 155, SPEED 30 KTS.
 1530 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/C 350, 20 KTS. 1550 ASSUMED TACTICAL
 COMMAND OF USS STERETT (DLG-31), ASSIGNED HERE STATION 170 R ONE MILE

S. H. Whitney
 S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1610 C/S 30 KTS 1618 C/C 195
 1622 RECOVERED TARGET SPDR 1627 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS
 BASE COURSE 195 SPEED 30 KTS STERETT ARRIVED ON STATION
 1706 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 000 C/S 20 KTS
 1744 C/S 30 KTS 1748 C/C 190 1759 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS
 BASE COURSE 190 SPEED 20 KTS 1819 OBSERVED SUNSET
 TURNED SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN 1835 SUSPENDED FLIGHT
 OPERATIONS C/C 085 C/S 25 KTS TURNED ON NORMAL NAVIGATION
 DL LIGHTS 1843 C/C 000 1912 C/S 30 KTS 1913 SET LIGHT-
 ING MEASURE GREEN 1916 C/C 190 1927 RESUMED FLIGHT
 OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 190 SPEED 30 KTS

Lonnie L. Rositor
 LONNIE L. ROSITOR, ETJG, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2018 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 035
 C/S 25 KTS, SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2046 C/C 200 C/S 30 KTS SET
 LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2101 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE
 COURSE 200 SPEED 30 KTS. 2145 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 050
 C/S 25 KTS, SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2211 C/C 190 C/S 30 KTS
 SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2228 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE
 COURSE 190 SPEED 30 KTS. 2245 OBSERVED BRIGHT ORANGE FLASH APPROX-
 IMATELY 8 MILES DISTANT BEARING 220 T POSSIBLE AIRCRAFT CRASH.
 SHIP'S POSITION 13-45.13 N 118-42.5 E APPROXIMATE CRASH LOCATION
 13-45.9 N 118-38 E 2250 PASSED ABEAM LARGE BLACK SMOKE CLOUD
 TO STBD POSITION 13-44.3 N 118-40.9 E DETACHED STERETT TO INVESTIGATE
 AREA TO SEARCH FOR DEBRIS. 2300 RECEIVED REPORT THAT AIRCRAFT
 LOST IS A-7 A/C NL ~~2314~~ PILOT LT SIMKIN. 2315 SUSPENDED
 FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 040 2324 C/C 045 2335 C/C 043 COMMENCED
 SEARCHING AREA WITH SEARCH LIGHT. STERETT AND CORAL SEA
 HELD IN CRASH AREA SEARCHING, NEGATIVE RESULTS. 2338 C/C
 220. 2355 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN, CSE 200, SP 30.

J. M. Evans
 J. M. EVANS, LCDR USN

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U. S. N. COMMANDING

CDR. J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS Coral Sea (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Wednesday 4 April 1973
 (Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM PHILIPPINE OPAREAS TO _____

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 13-49N | BY 2 | |
| 118-40E | BY 2 | |

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 1200 14-22N | BY 2 | |
| 119-19E | BY 2 | |

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 2000 15-08N | BY 2 | |
| 119-10E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

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S.H. Whitely
 S.H. WHITELY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0400 CIC 044T DETACHED STERETT TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED. COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES IN SEARCH OF WRECKAGE OF DOWN A-7E AIRCRAFT 0443 SIGHTED GREEN LIGHT IN THE WATER AT 144T COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO INVESTIGATE 0554 MANEUVERED TO LOWER STBD MOTOR WHALEB TO INVESTIGATE OBJECTS IN THE WATER 0600 LAUNCHED TWO HELOS TO AIDE IN SEARCH OF DOWNED AIRCRAFT OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 0704 RECOVERED STBD MOTOR WHALEBOAT AND SECURED SAME FOR SEA NO WRECKAGE FOUND SET COURSE 090T SPEED 14 KTS 0712 HELO 005 DISCOVERED WRECKAGE IN THE WATER AND RECOVERED SAME 1/2 060T RECEIVED REPORT OF CLOSS BRAD FIRE IN #2 ENGINE ROOM CALLED AWAY FIRE QUARTERS 0716 INVESTIGATION DISCLOSED NO FIRE SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS, SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES

L. Ross
 LORNA & ROSS HAR FT COLSH

04-08 CONTINUED. 0733 SIGHTED DEBRIS 1 MILE TO STBD COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO LAUNCH STBD LIFEBOAT. 0742 LAUNCHED STBD MOTOR WHALEBOAT.

J.M. Evans
 J.M. EVANS LCDR USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0803 STBD MOTOR WHALEBOAT REPORTED ENTERING JP 5 SLICK LOCATED AT 13-48N 118-43.7 E. 0830 STBD MOTOR WHALEBOAT COMMENCED RECOVERING DEBRIS. 0842 LAUNCHED PORT MOTOR WHALEBOAT TO RECOVER DEBRIS. 0908 RECOVERED BOTH MOTOR WHALEBOATS HAVING COLLECTED CONSIDERABLE DEBRIS AT CRASH SITE. 0911 COMPLETED MANEUVERING AT SEARCH SET COURSE 050° SPEED 22 KTS. 0930 SOUNDED GENERAL QUARTERS. 0934 SET MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA. 1025 SET MATERIAL

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA 43)

DATE WEDNESDAY 4 APRIL 1973
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-12 CONTINUED, CONDITION YOKO. 1109 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. 1112 C/S 15 KTS. STREAMED TARGET SPAR TO 1500 FT ASTERN. 1122 RECEIVED MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1123 C/S 17 KTS. 1140 C/C 085° C/S 30 KTS. 1158 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 085° SPEED 30 KTS.

JM Evans
J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1220 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/C 300, C/S 15 KTS. 1222 STOPPED SUSPENDED LOSS OF VACUUM, LOSS OF LUBE OIL NUMBER TWO SHAW ENGINE; LOCKED SHAFT. 1250 UNLOCKED NUMBER TWO SHAFT. 1307 C/C 270, C/S 25 KTS. 1314 C/S 30 KTS, C/C 015. 1325 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 015, SPEED 30 KTS. 1406 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/C 270, SPEED 30 KTS. 1430 C/C 185. 1450 C/C 325. 1500 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 325, SPEED 30 KTS. 1526 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS STERETT (DLG-31) AND ASSIGNED HER PLANE GUARD DESTROYER STATION 38N. 1534 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/C 180, C/S 20 KTS. 1545 STERETT ASSUMED STATION.

S.H. Whitney
S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1601 C/S 30 KTS 1615 C/C 285° 1623 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 285° SPEED 30 KTS 1711 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 090° C/S 20 KTS 1742 C/S 30 KTS 1746 C/C 270° 1756 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 270° SPEED 30 KTS 1818 OBSERVED SUN SET SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN 1847 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 090° C/S 20 KTS TURNED ON NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 1923 C/S 30 KTS SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN 1926 C/C 355° C/S 22 KTS 1937 C/S 23 KTS 1942 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 355° SPEED 23 KTS

L. Rossiter
LANNIE L ROSSITER ETJG USN

16-20 CONTINUED. 1951 STOPPED AND LOCKED NO 4 SHAFT DUE TO FLOODING IN SHAFT ALLEY.

JM Evans
J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2029 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 180 C/S 15 KTS. SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2051 C/C 010 C/S 17 KTS SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2102 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 010 SPEED 17 KTS. 2050 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 210 C/S 21 KTS SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2200 UNLOCKED NO 4 SHAFT, REPAIRS COMPLETED. 2223 C/C 020 C/S 17 KTS SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2235 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 020 SPEED 17 KTS. 2322 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 210 C/S 25 KTS SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2348 C/C 030 C/S 17 KTS SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2359 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 030, SPEED 13 KTS.

JM Evans
J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE THURSDAY 5 APRIL 19 53
(Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM PHILIPPINE OPAREAS TO YANKEE STATION

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 L 14-49N | BY 2 | |
| λ 116-52E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 15-03N | BY 2 | |
| λ 115-24E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 15-24N | BY 2 | |
| λ 112-47E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

08-09 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH THE USS STERETT (DLG-31) ENROUTE YANKEE STATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTH FLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA IS CTU 77.3.2 COMMANDING OFFICER STERETT. OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINGS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO, AND LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN ARE SET THE SHIP IS CONDUCTING FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 030, SPEED 13 KTS. STERETT IS IN STATION 170R, ONE MILE, 039 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING, 4C 245, 4S 22 KTS. 0112 ASSIGNED STERETT STATION 000R 22L, 0244 STERETT ASSUMED STATION. 0247 FORMED COLUMN, STATION ONE STERETT, STATION TWO CORAL SEA. GUIDE OF FORMATION IS STERETT, DISTANCE BETWEEN UNITS 4000 YDS, BASE COURSE 245, SPEED 22 KTS.

S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0524 C/C 277° 0600 OBSERVED SONARISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS

L. Roscher
 LEANOR L. ROSCHER FTGL USN

04-08 CONTINUED. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES. 0750 C/C 260°

J.M. Evans
 J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0800 DETACHED STERETT TO PROCEED INDEPENDENTLY ALONG TRACK. 0801 SET EMCN CONDITION A. 0830 COMMENCED FORMAL PERSONNEL INSPECTION. 0835 C/C 262°. 0906 C/C 270°. 0940 C/C 265°. 0957 COMPLETED FORMAL PERSONNEL INSPECTION C/C 310° C/S 25 KTS. 1015 STATIONED STERETT 060°R AT 2000 YDS BASE COURSE 310 SPEED 25 KTS. 1034 CHANGED BASE COURSE 280° STERETT ON STATION 2000 YDS ON 5TH BEAM. 1108 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1124 C/C 040°. 1132 LAUNCHED ONE HELO. DETACHED STERETT TO MANUEVER INDEPENDENTLY FOR HELO OPERATIONS. 1133 C/C 277 C/S 20 KTS.

J.M. Evans
 J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

08-12 (CONT) 1154 ASSIGNED STERETT STATION 270R 22L

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 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1307 CHANGED BASE SPEED 25 KTS. 1313 STERETT ASSUMED STATION. 1245 CHANGED BASE COURSE 276. 1445 COMPLETED FORMAL PERSONNEL INSPECTION. 1518 STATIONED STERETT 210R 22L

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12-16 (CONT) 1537 STATIONED STRETT 170°R AT 1 MILE 1648 STRETT ON STATION

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LANNIE L ROSSITER FTOLSON

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1641 CALLED AWAY DESTROYER REPLENISHMENT STATIONS 3 AND 9 AND TRANSFER STATIONS 5 1609 CIS 12 KTS STRETT MANEUVERED TO FORM UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT FORMATION WITH THIS SHIP AND ASSUMED WAITING STATION 600 YDS ASTERN 1637 STRETT COMMENCED APPROACH TO STARBOARD OF THIS SHIP 1638 STRETT ALONGSIDE TO STARBOARD 1651 SPAN WIRE CONNECTED ON STRETT 1700 COMMENCED TRANSFER OF FUEL AND PERSONEL TO STRETT 1834 COMPLETED TRANSFER OF FUEL AND PERSONEL TO STRETT 1842 ALL LINES CLEAR STRETT MANEUVERED TO CLEAR FORMATION TO STARBOARD 1845 CIS 20 KTS 1847 CIS 15 KTS 1848 OBSERVED SUNSET TURNED ON NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS SECURED FROM UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT STATIONS 1850 SHIFTED GUIDE TO STRETT COMMENCED MANEUVER TO TAKE STATION 4000 YDS ASTERN OF STRETT BASE COURSE 270° SPEED 20 KTS 1928 ON STATION

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LANNIE L ROSSITER FTOLSON

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2002 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 275°. GUIDE IN STRETT. MANEUVERING TO MAINTAIN STATION 4000 YDS ASTERN. BASE COURSE 275° SPEED 20 KTS. 2315 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 272° MANEUVERING TO MAINTAIN STATION.

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USS Coral Sea (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -84 DATE Friday 4 April 19 73
(Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM PHILIPPINE OPAREAS TO YANKEE STATION

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| 0800 L 16-14N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-43E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 16-29N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-48E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 15-41N | BY 2 | |
| λ 110-09E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

04-04 STEERING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH THE USS STERETT (DLG-31) ENROUTE YANKEE STATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM SEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA IS CTU 77.3.2 COMMANDING OFFICER STERETT. OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. UNITS ARE IN A COLUMN, STATION ONE STERETT, STATION TWO CORAL SEA. GUIDE OF FORMATION IS STERETT, DISTANCE BETWEEN UNITS 4000 YDS, BASE COURSE 275, BASE SPEED 22 KTS. THE SHIP IS MANEUVERING TO MAINTAIN STATION. 0616 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL. 0620 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 289, CHANGED BASE SPEED 15 KTS, MANEUVERING TO MAINTAIN STATION. 0653 SHIFTED GUIDE TO CORAL SEA. 0754 DETACHED STERETT TO PROCEED TO POSITION OF POSSIBLE ENTERPRISE MANOVERBOARD; 14 54.1 N, 114 03.2 E.

S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0545 INSPECTED AND BRIEFED THE LOOKOUTS. 0612 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL. 0637 OBSERVED SUNRISE. TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. 0720 Y/C 030 T 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; SBB DTD. DCHED LIST OF ABSENT BBS

L. Rossiter
 L. ROSSITER, FTJG, USN

04-08 CONTINUED. 0749 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS WILLIAM C LAWE (DD 763) 0755 STATIONED LAWE ON PORT BEAM AT 2000 YDS. BASE COURSE 030° SPEED 15 KTS.

J.M. Evans
 J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0837 STREAMED TARGET SPAR TO 1500 FT ASTERN. 0845 SOUNDED FLIGHT QUARTERS. 0859 STATIONED LAWE 040° R AT 2000 YDS. 0916 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 0920 COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE CONDUCTING TACTICAL MANEUVERING DRILLS. 1034 COMPLETED TACTICAL MANEUVERING. Y/C 150° Y/S 25 KTS. 1036 LAWE ASSUMED PLANE GUARD STATION 25N X 1039 Y/C 190 1040 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 190 SPEED 25 KTS. 1109 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. Y/C 015 Y/S 20 KTS. 1154 Y/S 30 KTS.

J.M. Evans
 J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1201 Y/C 195 1215 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 195, SPEED 30 KTS. 1253 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, Y/C 020, Y/S 27. 1331 Y/C 160. 1345 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 170, SPEED 27 KTS. 1422 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, Y/C 020, Y/S 28.

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KTS. 1502 $\frac{1}{2}$ 170. 1511 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 170,
SPEED 28 KTS. 1550 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, $\frac{1}{2}$ 010, $\frac{1}{2}$ 28 KTS.

S.H. Waitney
S.H. WAITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1634 $\frac{1}{2}$ 170T 1641 RESUMED FLIGHT
OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 170T SPEED 28 KTS 1747 SUSPENDED FLIGHT
OPERATIONS $\frac{1}{2}$ 015T $\frac{1}{2}$ 27 KTS. 1805 $\frac{1}{2}$ 180T $\frac{1}{2}$ 23 KTS 1815 RES-
UMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 150T SPEED 23 KTS 1843 COMP-
LETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS $\frac{1}{2}$ 150T $\frac{1}{2}$ 15 KTS 1853 OBSERVED SUN-
SET TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 1910 RECORDED TAR-
GET SPDR.

Loanie L. Rossiter
LOANIE L. ROSSITER FTG USN

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20-30 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2025 $\frac{1}{2}$ 100 COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT
VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE CONDUCTING TACTICAL MANEUVERING
DRILLS WITH LAWE. OCE CORAL SEA. 2246 COMPLETED TACTICAL MANEUVERING.
TANK STATION 4000 YDS ASTERN LAWE BASE COURSE 150 SPEED 15 KTS
GUIDE IN LAWE. 2333 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 090.

J.M. Evans
J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SATURDAY 7 APRIL 1973
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 AT/PASSAGE FROM YANKEE STATION #0

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 L 16-16N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-45E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 16-09N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-54E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 16-02N | BY 2 | |
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~~08-04~~ STEERING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH THE USS WILLIAM C. LAWRE (DD-763) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM SEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION FOUR, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. UNITS ARE IN A COLUMN, STATION ONE LAWRE, STATION TWO CORAL SEA. GUIDE OF FORMATION IS LAWRE, DISTANCE BETWEEN UNITS 4000 YDS, BASE COURSE ~~090~~, SPEED 15 KTS. SHIP IS MANEUVERING TO MAINTAIN STATION. ~~0930~~ CHANGED BASE COURSE 325, MANEUVERING TO MAINTAIN STATION.

S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 0430 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL 0545 SOUNDED FLIGHT QUARTERS 0631 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 0644 SHIFTED GUIDE TO CORAL SEA STATIONED LAWRE IN PLANK GUARD STATION 2000 YDS ASTERN 0657 STARBOARD TARGET SPOR STATIONED LAWRE 3000 YDS ASTERN 0704 LAWRE STEAMED INTO STATION 3000 YDS ASTERN 0730 401657 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; SER ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES

L. Rossiter
 LONNIE L ROSSITER FTGC USN

04-08 CONTINUED 0740 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 165° SPEED 15 KTS.

J.M. Evans
 J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0802 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/S 13 KTS. 0830 C/C 010° 0901 C/C 170 c/s 16 KTS. 0908 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 170° SPEED 16 KTS. 0934 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 0951 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 000° C/S 20 KTS. 1050 C/C 165° C/S 16 KTS. 1040 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 165° SPEED 15 KTS. 1129 AIRCRAFT NL 602 F-8 LANDED AND NOSE WHEEL COLLAPSED. NO FIRE NO DAMAGE. AIRCRAFT TOWED CLEAR. 1138 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 000° C/S 20 KTS. 1146 1/2 25 KTS

J.M. Evans
 J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

12-14 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1201 1/2 165, 1/2 15 KTS. 1210 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 165, BASE SPEED 15 KTS. 1250 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 000, 1/2 20. 1308 RELEASED LAWRE TO ACT INDEPENDENTLY TO CONDUCT HELW OPERATIONS 1338 1/2 165, 1/2 10 KTS. 1345 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 165, BASE SPEED 16 KTS. 1350 LAWRE RESUMED STATION 3000 YDS ASTERN. 1417 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 000, 1/2 15 KTS. 1438 1/2 20 KTS. 1501 1/2 165, 1/2 10 KTS. 1510 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 165, BASE SPEED 16 KTS. 1545 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 000, 1/2 20 KTS.

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-93)DATE SATURDAY 7 APRIL 1973
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S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1644 C/S 20 HTS 1620 C/S 13 HTS
 1635 C/S 16 HTS C/C 155° 1643 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS
 BASE COURSE 155° SPBB 16 HTS 1647 RECOVERED TARGET SPAR
 1732 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 359° C/S 14 HTS 1757 C/C
 164° 1804 C/S 10 HTS RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE
 160° SPBB 10 HTS 1824 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C
 200° 1857 OBSERVED SUNSET TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS

L. Rossiter

LONNIE L. ROSSITER, PTC, USN

16-20 CONTINUED. 1915 MANNED STBD FUELING STATIONS 3, 7, 11 AND TRANSFER STATIONS
 1A, 1B, 9A, 9B AND VERTREP STATIONS. 1917 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF
 USS CAMDEN (AOE 2) CAPTAIN, NAVIGATOR ON THE BRIDGE. 1918 STATIONED LAWE
 4,000 YDS AHEAD OF THIS SHIP BASE COURSE 200 SPEED 10 KTS. 1928 FORMED
 REPLENISHMENT FORMATION BASE COURSE 325 SPEED 12 KTS GUIDE CAMDEN.
 COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO TAKE STATION 2000 YDS ASTERN CAMDEN.
 1930 STATIONED LAWE IN LIFE GUARD STATION 1000 YDS ASTERN THIS SHIP.
 1947 SLOWED NO 2 MAIN SHAFT DUE TO LOSS OF BOOST PUMP.

J. M. Evans

J. M. EVANS, LCDR USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2001 ON STATION 2000 YDS ASTERN
 CAMDEN BASE COURSE 325 SPEED 12 KTS. 2021 C/C 180 STATIONED
 CAMDEN 700 YDS ON STBD BEAM THIS SHIP BASE COURSE 180 SPEED
 10 KTS. LAWE IN LIFE GUARD STATION. 2022 STOOD EASY ON DECK
 REPLENISHMENT STATIONS 2048 COMMENCED VERTREP. 2154 RE-
 MANNED STBD FUELING AND REPLENISHMENT STATIONS. 2155 CDR STEELE
 ASSUMED THE CONN. 2157 COMPLETED VERTREP 2158 FORMED
 NEW REPLENISHMENT FORMATION BASE COURSE 330 SPEED 12 KTS GUIDE
 CAMDEN. MANEUVERED TO TAKE STA 500 YDS ASTERN CAMDEN. 2212
 CHANGED REPLENISHMENT COURSE TO 335° 2218 ON STATION 500 YDS
 ASTERN. 2219 COMMENCED APPROACH TO PORT SIDE OF CAMDEN. SET
 LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2228 ALONGSIDE CAMDEN TO PORT. LAWE
 IN LIFE GUARD STATION 1000 YDS ASTERN. 2239 RECEIVED FIRST MESSENGER.
 2255 COMMENCED AMMUNITION TRANSFER. 2257 CDR AITCHESON
 ASSUMED THE CONN. 2310 LAWE COMMENCED APPROACH TO STBD SIDE
 CAMDEN. 2311 COMMENCED FUELING. 2315 LAWE ALONGSIDE CAMDEN
 TO STBD. 2335 CDR FINLEY ASSUMED THE CONN. 2339 FUELING
 HOSE RUPTURED STATION 7. RETURNED RIG.

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SUNDAY 8 APRIL 1973
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM YANKEE STATION TO _____

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 L 17-57N | BY 2 | |
| λ 108-28E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 18-43N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-30E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 19-10N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-23E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

00-04 STEERING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM C. LAW (DD-763) AND USS CAMDEN (AOE-2) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO, AND NORMAL LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN ARE SET. THE SHIP IS ALONGSIDE CAMDEN TO PORT, LAW IS ALONGSIDE CAMDEN TO STARBOARD CONDUCTING UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT, BASE COURSE 335, BASE SPEED 12 KTS. 0620 LAW MANEUVERED TO CLEAR DISPOSITION, ASSIGNED LIFEWARD STATION 1000 YDS ASTERN. 0630 LAW ASSUMED STATION. 0820 COMPLETED TRANSFER OF AMMUNITION. *NUMBER TWO SHAFT IS DRAGGING.

S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0445 COMPLETED TRANSFER OF FUEL 0501 ALL LINES CLEAR TO STARBOARD MANEUVERED TO CLEAR REPLENISHMENT FORMATION SET COURSE 320° SPEED 25 KTS TURNED ON 51ST NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING SECURED UNDERWAY REPLENISH STATIONS 0511 DETACHED CAMDEN TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED 0515 STATIONED LAW 4000 YDS ASTERN 0532 LAW ON STATION 0634 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS, SER ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES *0512 RESTORED CASUALTY TO #2 SHAFT RESUMED SPEED IN IT

L. Rossiter
 LONNIE L. ROSSITER, ETCL, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0800 C/C 339 0826 C/C 315 0834 PASSED ABEAM USSR VESSEL ABAKAN AT 248°T 4500 YDS 0857 STATIONED LAW 2000 YDS ASTERN BASE COURSE 315 SPEED 25 KTS. 0919 C/C 325 0943 C/C 315° 0957 C/C 305° 1002 LAW ASSUMED STATION 3000 YDS ASTERN FOR LIFEWARD DUTIES. 1017 C/S 15 KTS. 1038 C/S 10 KTS 1040 C/C 150 1045 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 150 SPEED 10 KTS. 1056 STREAMED TARGET SPAR TO 1500 FT ASTERN. 1102 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 290 C/S 25 KTS.

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 J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

08-12 (CONT) 1149 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT, ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL.

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 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1202 C/C 155, C/S 15 KTS 1210 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 155, SPEED 16 KTS 1242 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 325, C/S 24 KTS. 1244 DETACHED LAW TO PROCEED TO RENDEZVOUS WITH USS SAN JOSE (AFS-7), IN PREPARATION FOR UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT. 1321 C/S 18. 1322 C/C 160 FOR LAUNCH OF ONE A-6 TANKER, 1330 COMMENCED 360°

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TURN TO PORT. 1335 LAWE HAS COMPLETED REPLENISHMENT AND IS PROCEEDING TO STATION 354X. 1342 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 150, SPEED 18 KTS. ~~1440~~ 1404 LAWE RESUMED STATION. 1410 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, ~~1/2~~ 1/2 24 KTS. 1502 ~~1/2~~ ²⁰⁰ 1/2 18 KTS. 1508 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 150, SPEED 18 KTS. 1540 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, ~~1/2~~ 1/2 350, ~~1/2~~ 1/2 20 KTS.

S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1620 C/C 155° C/S 14 KTS. 1643 C/S 14 KTS. 1645 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 155° SPEED 14 KTS. 1719 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 350° C/S 20 KTS. 1801 C/C 140° C/S 14 KTS. 1808 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 140° SPEED 14 KTS. 1853 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 340° C/S 15 KTS. 1858 OBSERVED SUNSET TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. 1919 RECOVERED TARGET SPDR 1426 STATIONED LANE 170R AT 1 MILE.

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 LOAN / REGISTER PRO C/S

16-20 CONTINUED. 1931 C/C 150° C/S 13 KTS. SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 1944 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 150° SPEED 13 KTS.

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 J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2043 RECEIVED INJURY REPORT ON LTJG CRVAN NOSTRAND, USN, FOIA(b)6 WHO SLIPPED AND INCURRED A SPRAINED ANKLE, TREATMENT ADMINISTERED BY DIRECTION OF MEDICAL OFFICER. 2045 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 340 C/S 15 KTS. SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2059 C/C 155° C/S 13 KTS. SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2111 C/S 11 KTS. RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 155° SPEED 11 KTS. 2207 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/S 10 KTS. SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2208 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS SAN JOSE (AFS 7) 2219 STATIONED LAWE IN LIFEBOAT STATION 1000 YDS ASTERN. BASE COURSE 155 SPEED 10 KTS. 2220 STATIONED SAN JOSE 4000 YDS ASTERN. 2236 STATIONED SAN JOSE 400 YDS ON PORT BEAM FOR VERTREP. 2305 SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2315 COMMENCED VERTREP.

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Monday 9 April 19 73
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM YANKEE STATION TO _____

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 L 18-46N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-35E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 19-09N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-23E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 18-52N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-32E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

08-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM C. LAWE (DD-763) AND USS SAN JOSE (AFS-7) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE AND LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN ARE SET. THE SHIP IS CONDUCTING A VERTREP WITH SAN JOSE STATIONED 400 YDS ON THE PORT BEAM AND LAWE IN LIFE GUARD STATION 1000 YDS ASTERN. BASE COURSE IS 155, SPEED 10 KTS. 0854 COMPLETED VERTREP, DETACHED SAN JOSE TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED, SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 0908 ASSIGNED LAWE STATION AHEAD AT 2 MILES. 0934 LAWE ASSUMED STATION, 0935 SHIFTED GUIDE TO LAWE, GUIDE BEARS 155, 4000 YDS, MANEUVERING TO MAINTAIN STATION. 0922 SHIFTED GUIDE TO CORAL SEA. 0930 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 335 BY TURNING TO PORT TOGETHER, WHEN ON STATION LAWE BEARS 155, 4000 YDS.

S.H. Whitney
 S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0638 OBSERVED SURPRISE, SECURED NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS. SOB ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES.

E.C. Okerson
 E. C. OKERSON, EN3, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0832 STREAMED TARGET SPAC TO 1500 FT ASTERN. 0845 COINDED FLIGHT QUARTERS. 0933 COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO LEVEL DECK FOR AIRCRAFT RESPT. 0959 C/K 335° C/S 15 KTS. 1000 STATIONED LAWE IN PLANE GUARD STATION 3000 YDS ASTERN. 1018 RECEIVED DAILY MACHINE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1025 C/K 150° C/S 10 KTS. 1034 C/S 10 KTS. 1037 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 150° SPEED 10 KTS. 1114 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/K 330° C/S 25 KTS.

J.M. Evans
 J. M. EVANS, LCDR USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1201 C/K 150°, 1/2 15 KTS, STATIONED LAWE 060 FT RES. 1210 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 150, SPEED 15 KTS. 1220 LAWE ASSUMED STATION. 1244 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/K 335, 1/2 15 KTS. 1329 C/K 150°, 1/2 22 KTS. 1330 SOUNDED GENERAL QUARTERS. 1340 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 150, SPEED 19 KTS. 1341 MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA SET. 1345 STATIONED LAWE IN PLANE GUARD DESTROYER STATION 3300. 1400 LAWE ASSUMED STATION. 1410 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/K 335, 1/2 15 KTS. 1419 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL. 1503 C/K 150°, 1/2 22 KTS. 1505 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE. 1510 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 150, SPEED 22 KTS. 1525 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. 1547 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/K 330, 1/2 20 KTS. 1559 C/K 154 KTS.

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USS CORAL SEA (CV-43)

DATE MONDAY 9 APRIL 1973
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1616 C/C 320° 1617 RECOVERED
 TARGET SPAR 1622 C/C 350° C/S 26 KTS 1630 C/C 150° C/S 22 KTS
 1645 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 150° SPEED
 22 KTS 1731 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 350° C/S 25 KTS
 1803 C/C 145° C/S 23 KTS 1812 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE
 COURSE 145° SPEED 23 KTS 1855 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERA-
 TIONS C/C 350° C/S 20 KTS 1858 OBSERVED SUNSET TURNED ON
 NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 1931 C/C 140° C/S 21 KTS
 SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN 1942 RESUMED FLIGHT
 OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 140° SPEED 21 KTS

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CONNIE L ROSSITER FTGL USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2027 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS
 C/C 330° C/S 25 KTS SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2051 C/C 160°
 C/S 16 KTS SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2059 RESUMED FLIGHT
 OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 160° SPEED 16 KTS. 2106 FIRE ON FLIGHT
 DECK CATAPULT ONE AFT SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 220°
 TO OBTAIN FAVORABLE RELATIVE WIND. 2110 FIRE OUT C/C 150 SECURED
 FROM FIRE QUARTERS. 2113 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE
 COURSE 150 SPEED 16 KTS. 2140 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C
 150° C/S 10 KTS SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2148 STATIONED
 LAWE 4000 YDS ASTERN BASE COURSE 150° SPEED 10 KTS. 2217
 CHANGED BASE COURSE 180° 2232 CHANGED BASE COURSE 150°

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE TUESDAY 14 APRIL, 19 73
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM YANKEE STATION TO _____

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
|-------------------|------|------|
| 0800 L 18-48 N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-38 E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 19-13 N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-09 E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 19-08 N | BY 2 | |
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REMARKS

00-04 STEERING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM C. LAWRE (DD-763) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM SEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. LAWRE IS STATIONED 180R22Z. GUIDE OF FORMATION IS CORAL SEA. BASE COURSE IS 150, BASE SPEED 10 KTS. 0218 CHANGED BASE COURSE 335.

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S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 OBSERVED SO UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0630 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 0650 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS. SEB ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES.

John J. Rossiter
JOHN J. ROSSITER, FTIC, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0800 C/C 300° THE SHIP'S ENSIGN HALFMASTED FOR MEMORIAL SERVICES FOR LT GARY B. SIMKINS, USN, OF ATTACK SQUADRON 22. 0811 CLOSED UP SHIP'S COLORS. 0813 C/S 13 KTS. 0837 STREAMED TARGET SPAR TO 1500 FT ASTERN. 0837 STATIONED LAWRE IN LIFEGUARD STATION 3000 YDS ASTERN. 0845 SOUNDED FLIGHT QUARTERS. 0845 COMMENCED MANEUVERING FOR HELO OPERATIONS. 0935 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1010 COMPLETED HELO OPERATIONS C/C 140 1015 C/S 25 KTS. 1016 C/C 310 C/S 24 KTS. 1033 C/C 140 C/S 13 KTS. 1035 C/S 10 KTS. 1038 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 170 SPEED 16 KTS. 1054 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 310 C/S 24 KTS. 1150 1/5 15 KTS.

J.M. Evans
J.M. EVANS, LCDR, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1203 1/4 164, 1/5 17 KTS. 1210 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 150, SPEED 17 KTS. 1223 COMMANDER CARRIER DIVISION THREE, RADM McDONALD, ARRIVED ON BOARD, BROKE HIS FLAG. 1252 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/4 340, 1/5 20 KTS. 1330 1/4 150, 1/5 19 KTS. 1340 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 150, SPEED 19 KTS. 1420 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/4 340, 1/5 20 KTS. 1500 1/4 150, 1/5 19 KTS. 1510 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 150, SPEED 19 KTS. 1554 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/4 340, 1/5

S.H. Whitney
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16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1608 1/5 15 1617 1/4 150° 1637 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 150° SPEED 15 KTS. 1641 COMCARDIN 3 DEPARTED THE SHIP. 1716 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 010° 1801 1/4 140° C/S 17 KTS. 1808 RECOVERED TARGET SPAR 1846 RESUMED 1809 RESUMED

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USS COROL SEA (C-043)

DATE TUESDAY 10 APRIL 1973
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-20 CONT FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 148⁰T SPEED 17 KTS
1855 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 110⁰ C/S 15 KTS OB-
SERVED SUNSET TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS

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16-20 CONTINUED - 1937 C/C 160 C/S 10 KTS SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN.
1945 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 140 SPEED 10 KTS.

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20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2042 SUSPENDED FLT OPERATIONS C/C 300⁰ C/S 10 KTS
SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2053 C/C 150⁰ C/S 6 KTS SET LIGHTING MEASURE
GREEN. 2104 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 150⁰ SPEED 6 KTS. 2139
COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 320 C/S 1 KTS SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS.
2145 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS NAVASOTA (AO 106) AT 299⁰T 12 MILES.
FORMED REPLENISHMENT FORMATION BASE COURSE 130⁰ SPEED 12 KTS. GUIDE IN
NAVASOTA. 2147 COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO TAKE STATION 2000 YDS ASTERN
NAVASOTA BASE COURSE 130⁰ SPEED 12 KTS. 2150 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND
OF USS BUTTE (AE 27) AT 080⁰T 14 MILES. 2200 CAPTAIN, XO, NAVIGATOR ON
THE BRIDGE. 2202 MANNED STBD REFUELING STATIONS 5, 7, 11 TRANSFER STATION
9A, 9B AND VERTREP STATIONS. CDR WASSON ASSUMED THE CONN. 2215 ON
STATION. COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO STATION 500 YDS ASTERN NAVASOTA.
2250 ON STATION. COMMENCED APPROACH TO PORT SIDE NAVASOTA FOR
UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT BASE COURSE 130 SPEED 12 KTS. SET LIGHTING
MEASURE GREEN. 2255 STATIONED LAWE IN LIFEWARD STATION 1000 YDS
ASTERN NAVASOTA. 2306 ALONGSIDE NAVASOTA TO PORT. 2320 RECEIVED
FIRST MESSENGER. STATIONED BUTTE IN VERTREP STATION 500 YDS ON
PORT BEAM THIS SHIP. 2330 FIRST FUEL HOSE CONNECTED. 2338
COMMENCED VERTREP. 2341 COMMENCED RECEIVING FUEL. ENS TENNISON
ASSUMED THE CONN.

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE WED 11 APRIL 19 73
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| DB00 L 19-03N | BY 2 | |
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| 1200 L 19-11N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-13E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 18-46N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-24E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

04-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH U.S.S. WILLIAM C. LAW (DD-763), U.S.S. BUTTE (AE-27) AND U.S.S. NAVASOTA (AO-106) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTH FLEET QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER U.S.S. CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE, AND LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN ARE SET. THE SHIP IS ALONGSIDE THE PORT SIDE U.S.S. NAVASOTA RECEIVING FUEL AND CONDUCTING A VERTICAL REPLENISHMENT WITH THE U.S.S. BUTTE STATIONED 500 YARDS ON THE PORT BEAM. THE U.S.S. LAW IS IN LIFE GUARD STATION 180° R AT A DISTANCE OF ONE THOUSAND YARDS. BASE COURSE IS 130° SPEED 12 KTS. 0407 U.S.S. LAW WAS RELEASED FROM LIFE GUARD STATION AND COMMENCED APPROACH ON U.S.S. NAVASOTA STARBOARD SIDE. 0413 U.S.S. LAW IS ALONGSIDE U.S.S. NAVASOTA STARBOARD SIDE. CDR GUILIANI ASSUMED THE CONN. 0430 CDR. FINLEY ASSUMED THE CONN. 0456 BRIDGE WATCH TEAM ASSUMED THE CONN. 0147 COMPLETED TRANSFER OF FUEL. 0200 COMPLETED VERT REP WITH U.S.S. BUTTE. U.S.S. BUTTE DETACHED TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED. 0202 ALL LINES CLEAR TO STARBOARD. 0203 COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO CLEAR DISPOSITION SET COURSE 113° SPEED 20 KTS. 0209 RECEIVED REPORT OF MAN OVERBOARD PORT SIDE. SHIP'S POSITION: LATITUDE 18° 38.1' N LONGITUDE 107° 58.9' E MANEUVERED TO FACILITATE LAUNCH OF HELO. SET COURSE 140° SPEED 5 KTS. DISPLAYED MAN OVERBOARD LIGHTS. RELEASED U.S.S. LAW TO SEARCH AREA. 0219 LAUNCHED HELO TO SEARCH AREA OF MAN IN WATER. 0225 U.S.S. LAW AT AREA WHERE MAN REPORTED IN WATER. 0229 RECEIVED REPORT ON BRIDGE FROM MAN WHO HAD REPORTED MAN OVERBOARD THAT HE WAS MISTAKEN AND THAT THERE WAS NO ONE IN WATER. 0230 U.S.S. LAW AT SCENE, REPORTED NO ONE IN WATER. 0238 SECURED FROM MAN OVERBOARD. RELEASED U.S.S. LAW TO RETURN TO U.S.S. NAVASOTA AND COMPLETE UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT. 0242 SET COURSE 130° SPEED 10 KTS. SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 0305 RECEIVED REPORT OF JP-5 FUEL SPILL IN HANGAR BAY ONE. APPROXIMATELY 100 GALLONS OF FUEL SPILLED D.C. CENTRAL NOTIFIED AND SMOKING LAMP IS OUT THROUGHOUT THE SHIP.

E.C. Okerson

E.C. OKERSON, ENSIGN, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0553 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL. 0634 OBSERVED SUNRISE. SECURED NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 0710 ASSIGNED LAW STATION ASTERN 4,000 YARDS. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES.

S.H. Whitney

S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0845 SOUNDED FLIGHT QUARTERS.
 0852 γ 150° 0920 γ 180° 0926 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE
 INSPECTION REPORT, ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 0943 STREAMED
 TARGET SPAN ~~1500~~ FT. ASTERN. 0952 γ 150°. 0956 STATIONED je
 LAWE IN PLANE GUARD STATION 3000 YARDS ASTERN. 1014 γ 330°
 1129 γ 150°.

J.M. Evans

J.M. EVANS LCDR, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1306 γ 17 KTS. 1317 COMMENCED
 FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 150° SPEED 17 KTS. 1329
 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS γ 10 KTS. 1355 RESUMED FLIGHT
 OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 150° SPEED 10 KTS. 1411 SUSPENDED FLIGHT
 OPERATIONS. γ 340° 1448 γ 16 KTS. 1457 γ 150° 1501 RESUMED
 FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 150° SPEED 16 KTS. 1513
 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, γ 10 KTS. 1531 γ 340° RETRIEVED
 TARGET SPAR.

L. Rossiter

LONNIE L. ROSSITER, FTGC, USN

12-16 (CONT) 1554 γ 155° TO LAUNCH HELO. 1559 γ 340°

S.H. Whitney

S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1630 RECEIVED REPORT FLIGHT
 OPERATIONS HAVE BEEN CANCELLED FOR REMAINDER OF DAY. 1753
 γ 150° FOR RECOVERY OF HELO. 1805 γ 180° 1859 OBSERVED
 SUNSET; SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING 1907 CONDUCTED
 STEERING CASUALTY DRILL 1935 γ 150° 1949 γ 090°

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20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2006 γ 060° 2013 γ 030° 2021
 γ 000° 2031 RELEASED LAWE TO EXERCISE INDEPENDENTLY WITHIN
 VISUAL SIGNALLING RANGE. 2315 γ 205°

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USS CORAL SEA C-943 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8A DATE THURSDAY 12 APRIL 1973

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| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 L 18-51N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-43E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 18-30N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-04E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 18-32N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-30E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASH GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM C LAW (DD763) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET BASE COURSE IS 205°T BASE SPEED IS 10 KTS LANE IS STEAMING INDEPENDANTLY WITHIN VISUAL SIGNALLING RANGE 0005 CONDUCTED STABBING CASUALTY DRILL

S. H. Whitney

S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0401 1/2 0700 0935 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS TURNER JOY (DD-951), ASSIGNED HER STATION ASTERN 3000 YDS ASSIGNED LAWE STATION 310R 222. 0500 LAWE AND TURNER JOY ASSUMED STATIONS. 0615 CALLED AWAY STARBOARD TRANSFER STATIONS 9A AND 9B. 0634 OBSERVED SUNRISE, SECURED NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 0635 ASSIGNED TURNER JOY WAITING STATION 300-500 YDS ASTERN. 0709 CHANGED BASE SPEED 12 KTS. 0711 TURNER JOY ASSUMED STATION, ASSIGNED LAWE LIFEGUARD STATION ASTERN. 0715 FORMED UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT FORMATION, BASE COURSE 070, SPEED 12 KTS.

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04-08
08-12 (CONT) 0734 FIRST MESSENGER IN HAND STATION 9. 0740 LAWE ASSUMED STATION. 0747 COMMENCED TRANSFER

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08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0801 COMPLETED TRANSFER. 0808 ALL LINES CLEAR STARBOARD SIDE. 0810 TURNER JOY MANEUVERING TO CLEAR FORMATION. 0813 DETACHED TURNER JOY TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED. 0815 1/2 200, 1/2 20 KTS, SECURED FROM STARBOARD TRANSFER STATIONS 0820 ASSIGNED LAWE RESCUE DESTROYER STATION 33NX. 0830 LAWE ASSUMED STATION. 0841 1/2 15 KTS. 0858 SCREENED TARGET SPAR 0917 1/2 20 KTS. 0930 SOUNDED GENERAL QUARTERS 0940 MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA SET. 1020 1/2 095, 1/2 15 KTS. 1040 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 030, SPEED 15 KTS. 1050 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE. 1057 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 220, 1/2 8 KTS. 1110 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. 1114 C/S 12 KTS. 1121 C/S 15 KTS.

S. H. Whitney

S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1200 1/2 045° 1/2 12 KTS. 1203 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 043°T SPEED 12 KTS. 1255 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. 1258 1/2 15 KTS. 1330 1/2 040° 1/2 15 KTS. 1336 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 040°T SPEED 08 KTS. 1351 VISIBILITY LESS THAN TWO MILES COMMENCED FOG SIGNALS. TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. 1417 CLOSED SOUNDING FOG

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USS CORAL SEA (CV-43)

DATE THURSDAY 12 APRIL 1973
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 (CONT) SIGNALS 1444 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS 4/1650
C/S 28 KTS 1446 RECEIVED REPORT OF FIRE IN HELICOPTER. 003
ON THE FLIGHT DECK. SOUNDED FLIGHT CRASH ALARM 1448 C/S 24 KTS
1454 DISCOVERED NO FIRE IN HELO 003 SECURED FROM FIRE QUAR-
TERS 1500 RESUMED SOUNDING FOG SIGNALS 1503 4/035 1509
4/25 KTS 1510 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 035
SPEED 25 KTS 1531 CEASED SOUNDING FOG SIGNALS

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16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1635 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 4/270, 4/20
KTS. 1700 SECURED NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 1706 TARGET SPAR ON DECK. 1707 4/
090, 4/22 KTS. 1715 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 090, SPEED 15 KTS.
1747 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 4/260, 4/10 KTS. 1803 DETACHED LAWE
TO INVESTIGATE POSSIBLE SOVIET MERCHANT, BEARING 070, 10 MILES. 1900
OBSERVED SUNSET; SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 1933. 4/13 KTS.

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16-20 CONTINUED. 1934 C/C 030 C/S 27 KTS. SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN.
1935 COMMENCED PREPARATIONS TO LAUNCH ALERT AIRCRAFT FOR PRACTICE.
1945 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 030, SPEED 27 KTS.

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20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2004 USS W.C. LAWE REJOINED FORMATION AND
WAS ASSIGNED STATION 170°R AT 1 MILE. 2127 COMPLETED FLIGHT
OPERATIONS 4/205 C/S 10 KTS. SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2111
COMMENCED TACTICAL MANEUVERING WITH LAWE. 2358 COMPLETED TACTICAL
MANEUVERING WITH LAWE. SET BASE COURSE 180° SPEED 10 KTS. GUIDE IN
LAWE. TRACK STATION 4000 YDS ASTERN OF LAWE.

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USS CORAL SEA (CV043) ZONE DESCRIPTION - 8H DATE FRIDAY 13 APRIL 1973
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AT/PASSAGE FROM YONNEB STATION TO _____

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 L 18-19N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-26E | BY 2 | |

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 1200 L 18-35N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-25E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 18-40N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-22E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

08-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASH GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM C LANE (DD703) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. THE SAID IS STEAMING IN A COLUMN 4000 YDS ASTERN OF LANE. BASE COURSE 180° BASE SPEED 10 KTS. LANE IS THE GUIDE 1203 CHANGED BASE SPEED 11 KTS 0231 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL

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 LONNIE L ROSSITER FTTC USN

09-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0900 CHANGED BASE COURSE 340. 0934 OBSERVED SUNRISE, SECURED NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 0718 CHANGED BASE SPEED 15 KTS. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES

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08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0845 SOUNDED FLIGHT QUARTERS. 0852 SHIFTED GUIDE TO CORAL SEA. SET BASE COURSE 165. 0859 SQUARED TARGET SPAR TO 1500 FT ASTERN. 0906 SHIFTED GUIDE TO LANE. CHANGED BASE COURSE 340. 0946 TOOK STATION 220°R AT 1 MILE FROM LANE. BASE COURSE 340° SPEED 15 KTS. 0947 RECEIVED DAILY MAINTENANCE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 0949 SOUNDED FIRE QUARTERS FOR SMOKE COMP. A-206-1L 0954 SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS; NO EVIDENCE OF FIRE. 1006 C/L 160 SHIFTED GUIDE TO CORAL SEA. 1028 C/S 22 KTS. 1030 LANE ASSIGNED PLANE GUARD STATION 3000 YDS ASTERN. 1036 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 165 SPEED 22 KTS. 1111 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/L 345 C/S 20 KTS.

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12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1202 C/L 155° 1214 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 155° SPEED 20 KTS. 1255 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/L 330° C/S 25 KTS. 1335 C/L 155° C/S 18 KTS. 1342 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 155° SPEED 18 KTS. 1426 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/L 340° C/S 25 KTS. 1458 C/L 155° C/S 21 KTS. 1507 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 155° SPEED 21 KTS. 1547 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/L 340° C/L 25 KTS.

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12-16 (CONT) 1548 CAPT GILCHRIST ARRIVED ON BOARD BY HERO.

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16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1610 C/L 330. 1614 CAPT. GILCHRIST DEPARTED BY COB, C/L 340, C/S 27 KTS. 1633 C/L 145, C/S 24 KTS. 1643 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 145, SPEED 22 KTS. 1712 SUSPENDED FLIGHT

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

OPERATIONS, 4c 350, 4s 25 KTS. 1757 4c 130, 4s 20 KTS. 1845 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 130, SPEED 20 KTS. 1836 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 4c 320 4s 20 KTS. 1859 OBSERVED SUNSET, SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 1900 TARGET SPAR RETRIEVED, STATIONED LAWE IN PLANEWARD DESTROYER STATION 25N. 1907 4c 125 FOR LAUNCH OF LOG HOLE. 1915 4c 320, LAWE ASSUMED STATION. 1930 4c 125. 1933 SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 1939 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 125, SPEED 20 KTS.

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 S.H. WHITELY, LTJG, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2012 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS CR 315 C/S 15 KTS SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2025 RECEIVED INJURY REPORT ON AN RT. THOMAS FOIA(b)6 WHO INCURRED A FRACTURED RIB TOE HAVING STEPPED UNDER AN F-4 AIRCRAFT. ADMITTED TO SICK BAY TREATMENT ADMINISTERED BY MEDICAL OFFICER, POSSIBLE PERMANENT DISABILITY. 2035 C/C 140 C/S 8 KTS. SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2045 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 140 SPEED 8 KTS. 2124 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS CAMDEN (AOE 2) FORMED REPLENISHMENT FORMATION BASE COURSE 140 SPEED 12 KTS GUIDE IN CAMDEN. 2125 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO TAKE STATION 2000 YDS ASTERN CAMDEN. 2157 MANNED STBD REFUELING STATIONS 3, 5, 7, 11 TRANSFER STATION 9B, CAPTAIN, EXECUTIVE OFFICER, NAVIGATOR ON THE BRIDGE. 2217 ENS TENNISON ASSUMED THE CONN. 2259 ON STATION 2000 YDS ASTERN. COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO STATION 500 YDS ASTERN 2249 ON STATION, COMMENCED APPROACH TO PORT SIDE CAMDEN. SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2301 ALONGSIDE CAMDEN TO PORT. STATIONED LAWE IN LIFEWARD STATION 1000 YDS ASTERN CAMDEN. 2306 RECEIVED FIRST MESSENGER, 2311 SPAN WIRE CONNECTED. 2319 COMMENCED RECEIVING FUEL.

J.M. Evans
 J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

20-24 (CONT) 2347 LAWE LEFT STATION AND COMMENCED APPROACH TO ~~PORT~~ STARBOARD OF CAMDEN.

L. L. Rissler
 LONNIE L. RISSLER, FTG USN

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CV43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE SATURDAY 14 APRIL 1973
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| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 L 18-41N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-33E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 19-00N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-03E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 18-37N | BY 2 | |
| λ 107-32E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM CLAWE (DD 763) AND USS CAMDEN (DD 82) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA THE FOURTH CONDITION OF READINESS, MATERIAL CONDITION V08B AND LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN ARE SET THE SHIP IS IN A REPLENISHMENT FORMATION STARBOARD SIDE TO CAMDEN RECEIVING FUEL LANE IS ALONGSIDE CAMDEN STARBOARD SIDE PORT SIDE TO AND ALSO RECEIVING FUEL BASE COURSE 1540° SPEED 12 KTS 0043 COMPLETED TRANSFER OF FUEL 0054 ALL LINES CLEAR TO STARBOARD COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO CLEAR FORMATION TO PORT SET COURSE 180° SPEED 14 KTS. 0056 SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING SECURED FROM REPLENISHMENT STATIONS 0105 LANE COMMENCED TO CLEAR CAMDEN TO STARBOARD 0115 DETACHED CAMDEN TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNMENT 0116 DESIGNATED LANE THE GUIDE 0115 12 KTS MANEUVERED TO TONE STATION 4000 YDS ASTERN OF LANE BASE COURSE 180° SPEED 12 KTS 0122 ON STATION COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO MAINTAIN ASSIGNED STATION 0125 COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO TONE STATION 270° 3000 YDS FROM LANE 0157 ON STATION SHIFTED GUIDE TO CORAL SEA COINTEGRATED BASE SPEED TO 10 KTS 0215 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRIFT 0235 STATIONED LANE 4000 YDS ASTERN 0242 LANE STATIONED INTO ASSIGNED STATION 0309 GC 330°

L. Rossiter

LENNIE L ROSSITER FTCE USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0632 OBSERVED SUNRISE SECURED NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING 0738 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES.

S.H. Whitney

S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 (CONT.) 0756 STATIONED THE USS LAWE (DD-763) AT 2,000 ON THE PORT BEAM. BASE COURSE 330 SPEED 10 KTS.

J.M. Evans

J.M. EVANS, LCDR USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0812 COMMENCED SMALL ARMS GUNSHOOT ON FANTAIL. 0841 CHANGED BASE COURSE AND BASE SPEED TO 310, 15 KTS. 0845 SOUNDED FLIGHT QUARTERS. 0846 SHIFTED THE GUIDE TO THE USS LAWE. 0855 VISIBILITY DECREASED TO ONE MILE. SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 0858 COMMENCED SOUNDING FOG SIGNALS AND POSTED BOW LOOKOUTS. 0904 SECURED FROM SMALL ARMS GUNSHOOT ON FANTAIL. 0925 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 0930 VISIBILITY INCREASED TO 5

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1105-12 (CONT) MILES, CEASED SOUNDING FOG SIGNALS AND
TURNED OFF NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 1134 STREAMED
TARGET SPAR TO 1500 FT. ASTERN. 1140 C/C 270°, 1151 C/C 345°.
SHIFTED THE GUIDE TO THE USS CORAL SEA. 1158 STATIONED
THE USS LAWE IN PLANE GUARD 3000 YDS. ASTERN, 1201 C/C 090°.
1048 LAUNCHED ONE HELO, 1049 C/C 300°, 1032 C/C 095°. C/S
22 KTS. 1040 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPS BASE COURSE 095 BASE
SPEED 17 KTS. 1104 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPS. C/C 270° C/S 20 KTS.

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12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1203 C/C 095° C/S 19 KTS 1245
RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 095° SPEED 19 KTS
1247 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 330° C/S 15 KTS 1334 C/S
18 KTS 1338 C/C 130° 1340 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 130°
SPEED 18 KTS 1405 ROOM W.L. REED (COMCRUDBSFLOT3) DARRIED ON BOARD
1426 COMCRUDBSFLOT3 DEPARTED 1433 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS
C/C 330° C/S 20 KTS 1458 C/C 130° C/S 18 KTS 1505 RESUMED FLIGHT
OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 130° SPEED 18 KTS

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12-16 (CONT) 1550 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/C 330°, C/S 20 KTS.

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16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1611 C/C 125°, C/S 13 KTS FOR LAUNCH OF HELO.
1624 C/C 330°, C/S 25 KTS. 1636 C/C 130°, C/S 18 KTS. 1646 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS,
BASE COURSE 130°, SPEED 20 KTS. 1730 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/C
320°, C/S 20 KTS. 1802 C/C 130°, C/S 17 KTS. 1810 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS,
BASE COURSE 320°, SPEED 17 KTS. 1858 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS,
C/C 320°, C/S 12 KTS. 1900 OBSERVED SUNSET, SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL
LIGHTING. 1915 RETRIEVED TARGET SPAR. 1928 C/S 15 KTS. 1932 C/C 135°. 1936
SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 1940 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE
COURSE 135°, SPEED 15 KTS. 1941 STATIONED LAWE 1700Z.

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20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2130 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS,
C/C 140° C/S 22 KTS. SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2136 C/S 15 KTS.
2138 STATIONED USS LAWE AHEAD AT 4000 YDS. BASE COURSE 140° SPEED
15 KTS. 2145 CHANGED BASE SPEED 23 KTS. 2208 SHIFTED GUIDE TO
USS LAWE, COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO MAINTAIN STATION 4000 YDS
ASTERN OF USS LAWE. BASE COURSE 140° BASE SPEED 23 KTS. 2226
CALLED AWAY FLYING SQUAD FOR FLOODING IN COMPT. A-701-E.

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USS COAL SEA (CFAH3) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Sunday 15 April 19 73
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AT/PASSAGE FROM YORK STATION TO _____

| POSITION | ZONE | TIME |
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| 0800 L 16-18N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-34E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 15-55N | BY 2 | |
| λ 110-14E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 16-26N | BY 2 | |
| λ 110-42E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

08-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM CLAWB (DD763) IN ACCORDANCE WITH CONVENTIONAL QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 773 COMMANDING OFFICER COAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKB, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. THE FORMATION IS STEAMING IN A COLUMN LANE 1B IN STATION 1 CORDA SEA IN STATION 2 4000 YDS ASTERN OF LANE BASE COURSE IS 140°T SPEED 23 KTS. 0923 COMPARTMENT A791-E REPORTED AS DAMAGED. SECURED THE FLYING SQUAD. 0204 YC 160°T 0221 YC 140°T 0310 YC 125°T YS 10 KTS

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LENNIE L ROSSITER FTCL USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0632 OBSERVED SUNRISE. SECURED NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS. SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTS.

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E. O. OKBYSON ENS, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0908 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE TEMPERATURE REPORT. ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1100 COMMENCED MANEUVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE CONDUCTING TACTICAL MANEUVERING DRILL WITH USS LAWE AS OCE.

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12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1215 COMPLETED TACTICAL MANEUVERING WITH LAWE SET COURSE 345°T SET SPEED 15 KTS STATIONED LANE 3000 YDS ASTERN. COAL SEA IS GUIDING 1300 YC 345°T 1308 YC 065°T LANE ON STATION 1317 YC 023°T 1339 YC 025 STATIONED LANE AT 3000 YDS ABOARD TO PORT 1347 LANE ON STATION 1424 COMBINED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSE AND SPEEDS WHILE CONDUCTING TACTICAL MANEUVERING DRILL WITH LANE BASE COURSE 025°T SPEED 12 KTS

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16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1620 COMPLETED TACTICAL MANEUVERING EXERCISE, SET COURSE 060, SPEED 20 KTS. 1718 YC 090, YS 10 KTS. 1759 YC 190. 1852 OBSERVED SUNSET; SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING.

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20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2015 DETACHED USS LAWE TO EXERCISE INDEPENDENTLY WITHIN VISUAL SIGNALING RANGE. 2115 STATIONED USS LAWE 160°R 4000 YDS.

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -814 DATE MONDAY 10, APRIL, 19 73
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| 0800 | | |
| L 16-24N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-46E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 | | |
| L 16-20N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-39E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 | | |
| L 16-06N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-56E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

ΦΦ-Φ4 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM C. LAWRE (DD763) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM SEVENTH FLEET QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. LAWRE IS STATIONED 100°R 4,000 YDS. GUIDE IS USS CORAL SEA. BASE COURSE IS 190°T BASE SPEED IS 10KTS. Φ1ΦΦ CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 315°T. Φ126 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILLS.

Lonnie L. Rossiter
 LONNIE L. ROSSITER, FTG, USN

Φ4-Φ8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Φ511 C/O 3ΦΦ. Φ554 C/O 315. Φ66Φ STATIONED LAWRE 170°T 222. Φ623 COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO LAUNCH TARGET BALLOON FOR GUNNERY EXERCISE. Φ63Φ SET GUNNERY CONDITION ONE. Φ632 OBSERVED SUNRISE, SECURED NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. Φ633 BALLOON LAUNCHED, SET COURSE 35Φ, SPEED 15KTS. Φ646 C/O Φ9Φ. Φ15 10KTS STATIONED LAWRE 180°R 222. Φ653 RECEIVED REPORT OF CLASS A FIRE IN COMPARTMENT A-0113-C FRAMES 25-3Φ, CENTERLINE, SOUNDED FIRE QUARTERS. Φ659 C/O 27Φ. Φ713 SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS. Φ718 COMMENCED GUNNERY EXERCISE, MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES. Φ72Φ STATIONED LAWRE 180°R 221. Φ73Φ MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES.

Sh. Whitney
 SH. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

Φ4-Φ8 (CONT) Φ749 C/O 13KTS.

T.E. Tennison
 T.E. TENNISON, ENS, USN

Φ8-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE CONDUCTING MAN OVERBOARD DRILL. Φ8Φ9 SECURED FROM GUNNERY EXERCISE. Φ842 COMMENCED TACTICAL MANEUVERING DRILL WITH LAWRE. CORAL SEA OCE. BASE COURSE 22Φ. BASE SPEED 12KTS. Φ95Φ UNLOCKED NUMBER 3 SHAFT. Φ25 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE REPORT TEMPERATURE REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. Φ42 COMPLETED TACTICAL MANEUVERING DRILL WITH LAWRE. STATIONED LAWRE IN LIFEGUARD DESTROYER STATION 3ΦΦΦ YDS. ASTERN. BASE

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USS CORAL SEA (OVA-43)

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COURSE $\phi 90^\circ$, SPEED 12 KTS. 1456 $\phi 13$ KTS, 1127 $\phi 145^\circ$

J. E. Tennison

T. E. TENNISON, ENS, USN

 $\phi 8-12$ (CONT.) 1145 $\phi 15$ 22 KTS, 1153 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE $145^\circ T$, BASE SPEED 22 KTS.

S. H. Whitney

S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

12-14 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, 1225 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, $\phi 325^\circ T$, 1312 $\phi 145^\circ T$, 1318 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE $145^\circ T$ BASE SPEED 21 KTS, 1334SOUNDEN GENERAL QUARTERS, 1342 MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP, 1407 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, $\phi 340^\circ T$ $\phi 15$ 25 KTS, 1445 $\phi 140^\circ T$ $145^\circ T$ $\phi 15$ 21 KTS, 1455 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE $140^\circ T$ BASE SPEED 21 KTS, 1511 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE THROUGHOUT THE SHIP, 1520 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS, 1534 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS $\phi 335^\circ T$ $\phi 15$ 20 KTS.

S. H. Whitney

S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1616 $\phi 140^\circ T$ $\phi 15$ 22 KTS 1622 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE $140^\circ T$ BASE SPEED 22 KTS. 1701 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS $\phi 330^\circ T$ $\phi 15$ 20 KTS, 1900 OBSERVED SUNSET TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS, 1921 $\phi 140^\circ T$ $\phi 15$ 22 KTS 1928 SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN

L. Rossiter

LONNIE L. ROSSITER, FTG, USN

16-20 (CONT) 1934 $\phi 15$ 18 KTS, 1922 $\phi 155^\circ$, 1945 STATIONED LAWE $170^\circ R$ 2400 YDS, 1947 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 155° , BASE SPEED 18 KTS.

J. E. Tennison

T. E. TENNISON, ENS, USN

24-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2035 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS $\phi 320^\circ T$ $\phi 15$ 15 KTS. SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 2107 $\phi 15$ 10 KTS.

J. E. Tennison

T. E. TENNISON, ENS, USN

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -2H DATE TUESDAY 17 APRIL 1973
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| 0800 L 16-16N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-50E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 15-54N | BY 2 | |
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| 2000 L 15-41N | BY 2 | |
| λ 110-29E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

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S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

~~04-08~~ UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0516 C/C 315, 0631 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 0655 C/S 20 KTS. 0730 MUSTERED THE CPBN ON STATIONS, SERIALIZED LIST OF OBSERVERS. MANNED VERTICAL REPLENISHMENT STATIONS 0731 C/S 15 KTS.

John E. Tennison
 LEANIE E. ROSSITER FTG 030
 J.E. TENNISON

~~04-08~~ (CONTD.) 0737 C/S 15 KTS. 0747 C/C 150 C/S 20 KTS. 0754 C/S 15 KTS C/S 10 KTS.

T.E. TENNISON ENSIGN USN

~~08-12~~ UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0807 SET EMERGENCY CASUALTY CONTROL PROCEDURES. 0810 STATIONED USS LAWE 150R 2 MILES. TOOK TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS WHITE PLAINS (AFS-4) AND STATIONED HER ON PORT BEAM 300 YDS. COMMENCED VERTREP WITH USS WHITE PLAINS. 0906 ATTACK CARRIER STRIKING FORCE SEVENTH FLEET, RADM. W.R. MCCLENDON, ARRIVED ON BOARD BY HELO FROM USS CONSTELLATION (CVA-64) AND HIS FLAG BROKEN. 0928 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE TEMPERATURE REPORT. ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 0949 COMPLETED VERTREP WITH USS WHITE PLAINS AND DETACHED HER TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED. 1010 ATTACK CARRIER STRIKING FORCE SEVENTH FLEET, RADM. W.R. MCCLENDON, DEPARTED BY HELO RETURNING TO USS CONSTELLATION. 1040 C/C 310 C/S 15 KTS. 1045 SECURED FROM EMERGENCY CASUALTY CONTROL PROCEDURES. STATIONED USS LAWE 210R 2 MILES. STREAMED TARGET SPAR 1500 FT. ASTERN. 1108 STATIONED USS LAWE IN RESCUE DESTROYER STATION 300 YDS. ASTERN.

J.E. Tennison
 T.E. TENNISON ENSIGN USN

~~08-12~~ (CONT) 1135 C/C 090. 1158 C/C 145, C/S 25 KTS.

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12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1203 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 145, SPEED 25 KB. 1225 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/C 000, C/S 20 KB. 1312 C/S 20 KB. 1320 C/C 140. 1325 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 140, SPEED 27 KB. 1420 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, C/C

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350, $\frac{1}{2}$ 25 KTS 1452 $\frac{1}{2}$ 190, $\frac{1}{2}$ 30 KTS 1505 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS
BASE COURSE 135, SPEED 30 KTS. 1540 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, $\frac{1}{2}$
320, $\frac{1}{2}$ 25 KTS.

S.H. Whitney
S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1613 $\frac{1}{2}$ 30 KTS 1617 $\frac{1}{2}$ 120°
1625 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 120° SPEED 30 KTS
1710 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS $\frac{1}{2}$ 300° $\frac{1}{2}$ 25 KTS 1747 C/C
115° C/S 29 KTS 1755 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 115°
SPEED 29 KTS 1835 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS $\frac{1}{2}$ 300° $\frac{1}{2}$ 27 KTS
1901 OBSERVED SUNSET TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 1917
 $\frac{1}{2}$ 100° SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN 1925 RESUMED
FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 100° SPEED 27 KTS.
1935 STATIONED LAWE 170° AT 1 MILE

L. Rossiter
LONNIE L ROSSITER FRODOGN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2120 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. C/C 290°
C/S 15 KTS. SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING. 2139 ASSUMED TACTICAL
COMMAND OF USS WABASH (AOR-5). RECOVERED TARGET SPAR. C/S 20 KTS. 2234
FORMED UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT FORMATION GUIDE IN WABASH. REPLENISHMENT
COURSE 315°, SPEED 12 KTS. COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES
AND SPEEDS TO TAKE STATION 500 YDS. ASTERN OF WABASH. CAPTAIN
NAVIGATOR ON THE BRIDGE. 2240 MANNED STARBOARD REFUELING STATIONS 3,
5, 7, AND 11 AND REPLENISHMENT STATION 9A. 2306 ON STATION 500 YDS.
ASTERN. SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. COMMENCED APPROACH TO PORT
SIDE OF WABASH. 2318 ALONGSIDE WABASH TO PORT. STATIONED
LAWE IN LIFEGUARD STATION 1000 YDS. ASTERN. 2324 RECEIVED FIRST
MESSENGER. 2332 FIRST FUEL HOSE CONNECTED. 2335 COMMENCED TRANSFERRING
MAIL. 2354 COMMENCED RECEIVING FUEL.

T.E. Tennison
T. E. TENNISON ENSIGN USN

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U. S. N. COMMANDING

CDR. J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE WEDNESDAY 18 APRIL 19 23
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 AT/PASSAGE FROM YANKEE STATION TO _____

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| 0800 L 16-44N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-23E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 16-31N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-34E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 16-32N | BY 2 | |
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REMARKS

06-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM C. LAW (DD-763) AND USS WABASH (AGOS) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3, COMMANDING OFFICER USS CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE, AND LIGHTNING MEASURE GREEN ARE SET. THE SHIP IS ALONGSIDE PORT SIDE OF USS WABASH RECEIVING FUEL. THE LAW IS STATIONED IN LIFE GUARD STATION 1,000 YRDS. ASTERN, BASE COURSE 315° BASE SPEED 12 KTS. 0628 DETACHED LAW FROM LIFE GUARD STATION TO GO ALONGSIDE STBD SIDE USS WABASH TO REFUEL. USS LAW COMMENCED APPROACH ON WABASH. 0935 USS LAW ALONGSIDE STBD SIDE WABASH. 0143 COMPLETED TRANSFER OF FUEL. 0155 ALL LINES CLEAR STARBOARD SIDE. 0156 COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO CLEAR DISPOSITION. SET COURSE 306° SPEED 20 KTS. 0201 SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING 0207 1/2 315° 1/2 10 KTS. 0208 STATIONED LAW 170° R AT 2 MILES.

E. C. Okerson
 E. C. OKERSON, ENS, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0427 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS STERETT (DLG31) AND ASSIGNED HBR TO A STATION 300° AT 5 MILES 0606 STERETT ON STATION 0631 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 0728 1/2 120° 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES.

Louie E. Rossiter
 LOUIE E. ROSSITER, FTCLSK

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0807 DETACHED THE USS STERETT TO UNREP WITH THE USS WABASH. 1015 C/C 300° 1030 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE TEMPERATURE REPORT. ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1035 C/S 15 KTS. 1100 STATIONED USS STERETT AT 315° T 5 MILES. 1123 C/C 105° 1140 C/C 300°. DETACHED USS LAW TO CONDUCT HELO OPERATIONS. 1145 LAW RESUMED PLANE GUARD DESTROYER STATION

T. E. Tennison
 T. E. TENNISON, ENSIGN, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1203 1/2 125, 1/2 27 KTS. 1210 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 125, SPEED 27 KTS. 1230 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 300, 1/2 17. DETACHED LAW TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED, STERETT ASSIGNED PLANE GUARD DESTROYER STATION 300° 400 YDS ASTERN. 1324 1/2 30 KTS. 1325 1/2 130. 1330 SOUNDED GENERAL QUARTERS. 1332 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 130, SPEED 30 KTS. 1341 MATERIAL CONDITION ZEBRA SET. 1413 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 290, 1/2 20 KTS. 1454 1/2 30 KTS. 1459 1/2 125. 1502 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE. 1505 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 125, SPEED 30 KTS. 1510 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. 1548 1/2 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, 1/2 330, 1/2 27 KTS.

S. H. Whitely
 S. H. WHITELY, LTJG, USN

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EXAMINED:

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

DATE WEDNESDAY 18 APRIL 1973
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1625 C/C TO 135° 1626 C/S TO 30 KTS. 1630 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 135° BASE SPEED 30 KTS 1713 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/S TO 27 KTS C/C TO 330° 1759 C/C TO 110° 1804 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 110° BASE SPEED 27 KTS 1843 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 330° C/S 27 KTS. 1901 OBSERVED SUNSET. TURNED ON ALL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. 1909 ASSIGNED STERETT PLANE GUARD STATION 170° R 2000 YDS. ~~1909 STATIONED SET~~ 1914 STERETT ON STATION 1927 C/C 100° C/S 25 KTS 1936 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 100° SPEED 25 KTS SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN

Lonnie L. Rossiter, Field Officer

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2014 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. C/C 300° C/S 27 KTS. SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. 2041 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 100° BASE SPEED 25 KTS. SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. 2109 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS C/C 305° C/S 27 KTS. SET NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 2235 SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN. C/C 105° C/S 24 KTS. 2239 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 105° BASE SPEED 24 KTS.

T.E. TENNISON

20-24 (CONT) 2347 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, SET NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING, 4/15 15 KTS, DETACHED STERETT TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED 2359 TARGET SPARE RETRIEVED ON DECK.

S.H. Whitney, LTJG, USN

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EXAMINED:

J.R. Wheeler

U. S. N. COMMANDING

CDR J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (LVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE THURSDAY 19 APRIL 19 73
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| 0800 L 16-29N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-37E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 16-22N | BY 2 | |
| λ 110-21E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 16-28N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-48E | BY 2 | |

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REMARKS

~~08-08~~ STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE, SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. BASE COURSE IS ~~080~~, SPEED IS KTS. ~~0830~~ COMMENCED ENGINEERING CASUALTY DRILLS. ~~0145~~ COMPLETED ENGINEERING CASUALTY DRILLS. ~~0200~~ CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL ~~0244~~ $\frac{1}{2}$ 270 $\frac{1}{4}$ 10 KTS.

S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USN/C

~~04-08~~ UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. ~~0602~~ CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL. ~~0631~~ OBSERVED SUNRISE. TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. ~~0730~~ MASTERED THE CREAM OF STATIONS; SEE ATTACHED LIST OF OBSERVATIONS.

Lennox L. Rissara
 LENNOX L. RISSARA, PROBES

~~08-12~~ UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. ~~0828~~ c/c ~~095~~ c/s 15 KTS. ~~0933~~ ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS PYRO (AE-24). ~~0943~~ MANNED STARBOARD REPLENISHMENT STATION ~~4~~ B. ~~0944~~ FORMED REPLENISHMENT FORMATION WITH GUIDE IN PYRO BASE COURSE ~~095~~. BASE SPEED 12 KTS. COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO TAKE STATION ~~2000~~ YDS ASTERN PYRO. ~~0948~~ SET EMERGENCY CASUALTY CONTROL PROCEDURES. ~~1005~~ TOOK STATION ~~2000~~ YDS ASTERN PYRO. PROCEEDED TO STATION ~~500~~ YDS ASTERN PYRO. ~~1013~~ RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE TEMPERATURE REPORT. ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. ~~1015~~ TOOK STATION ~~500~~ YDS ASTERN PYRO. COMMENCED APPROACH TO PORT SIDE OF PYRO. ~~1022~~ CLOSED UP DAY SHAPES FOR SPECIAL OPERATIONS. ~~1040~~ ALONGSIDE PYRO TO STARBOARD. ~~1046~~ STATIONED ~~10~~ MADE RENDEZVOUS WITH USS STERETT (DLG-31) AND STATIONED HER IN LIFEGUARD STATION ~~1000~~ YDS ASTERN. ~~1053~~ RECEIVED FIRST MESSENGER. ~~1056~~ COMMENCED TRANSFER OF WEAPONS. ~~1145~~ COMPLETED TRANSFER OF WEAPONS. ~~1155~~ COMMENCED BREAKAWAY AS ALL LINES CLEARED TO STARBOARD. SET BASE COURSE ~~300~~ SPEED ~~20~~ KTS. ~~1157~~ SECURED FROM EMERGENCY CASUALTY CONTROL PROCEDURES.

T.E. Tension
 T.E. TENNISON, ENSIGN USN

~~12-16~~ UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. ~~1201~~ DETACHED PYRO TO PROCEED ON DUTY, ASSIGNED. ~~1204~~ SECURED FROM STARBOARD REPLENISHMENT STATIONS. ~~1209~~ $\frac{1}{2}$ 10 KTS. ~~1214~~ SOUNDED FLIGHT QUARTERS. ~~1236~~ $\frac{1}{2}$ 125. ~~1249~~ $\frac{1}{2}$ 140 $\frac{1}{4}$ 20 KTS. ~~1255~~ LAUNCHED ONE A-4, RECOVERED COD. ~~1301~~ $\frac{1}{2}$ 280. ~~1316~~ ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS WILLIAM C. LAWE (DD-763). ~~1322~~ $\frac{1}{4}$ 10 KTS. ~~1342~~ EXERCISED THE CROW AT FLIGHT DECK FIRE AND MASS CASUALTY, SOUNDED GENERAL QUARTERS, COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS. ~~1353~~ SET COURSE ~~100~~, SPEED ~~10~~ KTS. ~~1419~~ $\frac{1}{2}$ 300. ~~1420~~ STATIONED LAWE 310 R. ~~2000~~ YDS. ~~1437~~ SECURED FROM MASS CASUALTY DRILL, SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS. ~~1440~~ STATIONED LAWE IN PLANEBOARD DESTROYER STATION ~~2000~~

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

YARDS ASTERN 1453 1/3 15 KTS. 1502 1/2 180, 1/5 20 KTS. 1508 LAUNCHED TWO AIRCRAFT. 1551 1515 1/2 200, 1/5 10 KTS. SHW

SHAWHIT
S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USN/R

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1810 C/C 100 1815 RELEASED LAWE TO ACT INDEPE EXERCISE INDEPENDENTLY WITHIN VISUAL SIGNALS. 1902 OBSERVED SUNSET. TURNED ON ALL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS.

LENNIE L ROSSITER FTGWR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2115 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS McCAFFERY (DD-860). 2117 STATIONED USS McCAFFERY 2 MILES AHEAD. 2155 FORMED COLUMN FORMATION IN THE FOLLOWING SEQUENCE: McCAFFERY, CORAL SEA, LAWE. FOUR THOUSAND YARDS STANDARD DISTANCE. GUIDE IN McCAFFERY. BASE COURSE 140° SPEED 10KTS. COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION 4000 YDS. ASTERN GUIDE. 2317 DETACHED USS McCAFFERY. GUIDE OF FORMATION SHIFTED TO CORAL SEA.

J.E. Tennison
T.E. TENNISON ENS USN

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CDR. J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CV43) ZONE DESCRIPTION - 8 H DATE FRIDAY 24 APRIL 19 73
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| 0800 L 16-38N | BY 2 | | 1200 L 16-19N | BY 2 | | 2000 L 16-35N | BY 2 | | 1-CELESTIAL |
| λ 109-23E | BY 2 | | λ 109-32E | BY 2 | | λ 109-47E | BY 2 | | 2-ELECTRONIC |
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REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH THE USS WILLIAM CLAWSON (DD 763) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSOUTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. REDINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YORK AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET THE LANE IS IN STATION ASTERN, 4000 YDS BASE COURSE IS 100° SPEED 19KTS 0035 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL 0100 CHANGED BASE COURSE 290° 0205 42270 0355 42290°

S.H. Whitney
 S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0627 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS, SEA ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTS SOUNDED FLIGHT QUARTERS 0745 42075°

L. J. Rossiter
 LUNNIE L ROSSITER ETOC USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0831 42085° 0840 STREAMED TARGET SPDR 1500 FT 0850 FIRE IN COMPARTMENT B-215-L. 0855 SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS 0858 42160° ~~BASE SPEED 27KTS~~ 0904 42102° 0915 STATIONED IN USS LANE IN LIFE GUARD STATION 3000 YDS ASTERN 4227KTS 0925 42160° 0930 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 160° BASE SPEED 27KTS 1012 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS 42000° RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE TEMPERATURE REPORT: ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL 1050 42350° 1104 42165° 4230KTS 1115 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 165° SPEED 30KTS

T.E. Tennison
 T. E. TENNISON, ENS USN

08-12 (CONT) 1157 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS 42000° 425KTS

S.H. Whitney
 S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1244 42530KTS 1244 42165 1300 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 165° SPEED 30KTS 1343 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS 42000° 425KTS 1430 42165° 1446 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 165° SPEED 25KTS 1522 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS 42000° 425KTS

S.H. Whitney
 S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1616 42155° 425KTS 1625 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 155° SPEED 25KTS 1708 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS 42000° 1803 42130° 425KTS 1815 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 130° SPEED 30KTS 1853 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS 42290° 425KTS 1901 OBSERVED SUNSET TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS 1916 RECOVERED TARGET SPDR 1930 42530KTS 1933 42130° 1935 SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN 1945 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 130° BASE SPEED 30KTS

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVD43)

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16-20 (CONT) STATIONED LOWE 170R AT 2000 VDS

L. J. Rossiter

LANNIE L ROSSITER ETCC USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 2108 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS SET
NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING 2112 C/L 055° C/S 17NHS 2119 DETACHED
LOWE TO EXERCISE INDEPENDENTLY WHILE REMAINING IN VISUAL
SIGNALING RANGE 2128 C/S 10 NHS

T. E. Tennison

T. E. TENNISON ENS USN

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CDR. J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-93) ZONE DESCRIPTION -84 DATE SATURDAY 21 APRIL 1973
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| 0800 L 16-42N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-45E | BY 2 | |

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| 1200 L 16-08N | BY 2 | |
| λ 110-14E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 16-18N | BY 2 | |
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REMARKS

~~08-09~~ STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH THE USS WILLIAM C. LAWE (DD-763) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COM SEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. THE LAWE IS STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY WITHIN VISUAL SIGNALING RANGE. BASE COURSE IS 055, BASE SPEED 14 KTS. 0230 CHANGED BASE COURSE 275.

S. H. Whitney
 S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0614 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL 0627 OBSERVED SMOKE TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING 0722 062301 0730 MANNED THE GUN ON STATIONS. SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES

L. Rosster
 LONNIE L. ROSSITER FTCL USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0825 C/S 140° C/S 15 KTS. 0845 C/S 25 KTS. 1011 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE TEMPERATURE REPORT. ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL 1045 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS MARIAS (AO-57). 1052 COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO TAKE STATION 3000 YDS. ASTERN OF MARIAS. 1103 MANNED STARBOARD REFUELING STATIONS 5, 7, AND 11 AND TRANSFER STATION 9B. 1115 FORMED UNDERWAY REPLENISHMENT FORMATION WITH GUIDE IN MARIAS. BASE COURSE 310° BASE SPEED 12 KTS. 1116 TOOK STATION 3000 YDS. ASTERN. COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO TAKE STATION 500 YDS. ASTERN. CAPTAIN NAVIGATOR ON THE BRIDGE. 1120 TOOK STATION 500 YDS. ASTERN. COMMENCED APPROACH TO PORT SIDE OF MARIAS. CLOSED UP DAY SHAPES FOR SPECIAL OPERATIONS. STATIONED USS LAWE IN LIFEGUARD STATION 1000 YDS. ASTERN. 1140 ALONGSIDE MARIAS TO STARBOARD. 1143 RECEIVED FIRST MESSENGER. 1150 FIRST FUEL HOSE CONNECTED. 1153 COMMENCED RECEIVING FUEL.

T. E. Tennyson
 T. E. TENNISON ENSIGN USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1215 LAWE COMMENCED APPROACH STARBOARD SIDE MARIAS. 1307 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS JOHN KING (DDG-3) 1315 ASSIGNED KING LIFEGUARD STATION 1000 YDS. ASTERN. 1318 LAWE COMPLETED REPLENISHMENT, MANEUVERED TO CLEAR FORMATION. 1320 ASSIGNED LAWE STATION 270° R 2000 YDS. 1321 CAPT. MORIN ARRIVED ON BOARD BY HELO. 1347 CHANGED BASE COURSE 315. 1351 CHANGED BASE SPEED 15 KTS. 1436 KING COMMENCED APPROACH STARBOARD SIDE MARIAS. 1440 ALL LINES COMPLETED TRANSFERRING FUEL. 1445 ALL LINES CLEAR ^{SEA} TO STARBOARD, MANEUVERING TO CLEAR FORMATION, SET COURSE 200° ^{SEA} 140, SPEED 20 KTS. 1447 DETACHED MARIAS AND KING TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED, ASSIGNED LAWE PLANEGUARD DESTROYER

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

STATION 2000 YDS ASTERN, HAULED DOWN DAY SHAPES 1448 SECURED FROM STARBOARD REPLENISHMENT STATIONS 1500 1/3 25 KTS. FOR LAUNCH OF COO 1509 1/3 10 KTS. 1534 1/4 280. 1550 RELEASED LAWE TO STEAM INDEPENDENTLY WITHIN VISUAL SIGNALLING RANGE.

S.H. White
S.H. WHITEY, LTJG, USNJR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1658 C/C 150° 1700 C/C 140° 1704 CAPTAIN MORIK DEPARTED 1714 COMMENCED TACTICAL MANEUVERING WITH LAWE BOSE COURSE 140° SPEED 10KTS 1800 COMPLETED TACTICAL MANEUVERING SBT COURSE 080° SPEED 10KTS LAWE TOOK STATION ON THE PORT QUARTER AT 2000 YDS 1902 OBSERVED SCLERT TURNED ON NAVIGATION DL LIGHTS 1910 STATIONED LAWE 020° AT 2000 YDS 1928 LAWE ON STATION

Lennio L. Ross
LENNIO L. ROSS, FTG, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2116 STATIONED USS LAWE 170°R 4000 YDS. 2133 STATIONED USS LAWE IN LOOSE LINE OF BEARING 170°R 4000 YDS. 2245 C/C 045°

T.E. Tennison
T.E. TENNISON, ENSIGN, USN

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CDR. J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -B14 DATE SUNDAY 22 APRIL 1973
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| 0800 L 16-39N | BY 2 | |
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| λ 109-31E | BY 2 | |

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| 2000 L 16-45N | BY 2 | |
| λ 109-48E | BY 2 | |

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 4-D. R.

REMARKS

~~00-04~~ STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM C. LAWE (DD-763) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKG, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. LAWE IS STATIONED IN LOOSE LINE OF BEARING 170R, 4000 YDS. BASE COURSE IS 045, SPEED 14 KTS. 0015 CHANGED BASE COURSE 270 0129 1/2 280, 1/3 15 KTS. 0208 1/2 270, 1/2 10 KTS.

S.H. Whitney
 S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0513 CONDUCTED STEERING CASUALTY DRILL 0629 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATION & LIGHTS 0709 C/C 120 0730 MUSTARD TURNED ON STATIONS, SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTS SQUADRON FLIGHT QUARTERS

Lonnie L. Rossiter
 LONNIE L. ROSSITER PFC USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0845 STREAMED TARGET SPAR 1500 FT. ASTERN. 0850 ASSIGNED USS LAWE DUTIES AS CTU 77.3.2, SCREEN COMMANDER. FORMED BENT LINE SCREEN NUMBER 303, SCREEN AXIS 165. WITH LAWE IN STATION 1. 0907 ASSUMED TACTICAL COMMAND OF USS CHANDLER (DD-717). SCREEN COMMANDER STATIONED CHANDLER IN PLANE-GUARD STATION 3000 YDS ASTERN. 0920 C/C 165 C/S 17 KTS. 0928 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 165. BASE SPEED 17 KTS. 0953 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. CHANGED BASE COURSE 345. 1019 CHANGED BASE SPEED 20 KTS. 1034 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE TEMPERATURE REPORT. ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1040 REORIENTED SCREEN AXIS 165. 1046 CHANGED BASE COURSE 165. 1053 CHANGED BASE SPEED 17 KTS. RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 165. BASE SPEED 17 KTS. 1130 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS CHANGED BASE COURSE 350. CHANGED BASE SPEED 15 KTS.

T.E. Tennison
 T. E. TENNISON ENSIGN USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1216 CHANGED BASE COURSE 170, SPEED 17 KTS. 1219 REORIENTED SCREEN AXIS 160. 1226 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 170, SPEED 17 KTS. 1249 REORIENTED SCREEN AXIS 180. 1312 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, CHANGED BASE COURSE 000, SPEED 15 KTS. 1339 REORIENTED SCREEN AXIS 165. 1347 CHANGED BASE COURSE 175, SPEED 17 KTS. 1357 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 175, SPEED 17 KTS. 1409 REORIENTED SCREEN AXIS 184 185. 1428 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, CHANGED BASE COURSE 010, SPEED 20 KTS. 1500 REORIENTED SCREEN AXIS TO 170. 1516 CHANGED BASE COURSE 175, SPEED 20 KTS. 1525 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 175, SPEED 20 KTS.

S.H. Whitney

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

U. S. N. COMMANDING

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS Coral Sea (CVA-13)

DATE 22 SUNDAY 22 APRIL 1973 ²²
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

SH. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1603 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS
46010 CHANGED BASE COURSE 010° CHANGED BASE SPEED 22 KTS
1648 CHANGED BASE COURSE 170° ~~SP~~ SPEED 20 KTS REORIENTED
SCREEN AXIS 165° 1655 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 170°
SPEED 20 KTS 1723 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS CHANGED BASE CO
URSE 005° SPEED 15 KTS 1746 RECOVERED TARGET SPAR 1817 CHANGED
BASE COURSE 165° SPEED 20 KTS REORIENTED SCREEN AXIS 160° 1824
RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS BASE COURSE 165° SPEED 20 KTS 1901 OBSERVED
SUNSET SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN 1944 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPER
ATIONS CHANGED BASE COURSE 355° SPEED 15 KTS SET NORMAL
NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTING

L. J. Ross

LOUIE J. ROSSITER ETAL USN

16-20 (CONT'D) 1948 C/C 165° C/S 20 KTS. SET LIGHTING MEASURE GREEN.
1954 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 165° SPEED 20 KTS.

J. E. Tennison

T. E. TENNISON ENSIGN USN

20-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2011 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. SET
NORMAL NAVIGATION LIGHTING. 2015 C/C 090° C/S 10 KTS. FORMED BENTLINE
SCREEN 302, SCREEN AXIS 090°.

J. E. Tennison

T. E. TENNISON ENSIGN USN

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EXAMINED:

J. R. Wheeler

U. S. N. COMMANDING

COR. J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE MONDAY 23 APRIL 1973
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| 2000 L 14-51N | BY 2 | |
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REMARKS

~~01-04~~ STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM C. LAWE (DD-763) AND USS THEODORE E. CHANDLER (DD-717) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. SCREEN COMMANDER IS CTU 77.3.2 COMMANDING OFFICER LAWE. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. SCREENING UNITS ARE IN A BENTLINE SCREEN 302, SCREEN AXIS 090. BASE COURSE IS 090, BASE SPEED 12 KTS. 0802 CHANGED BASE COURSE 070. 0855 REORIENTED SCREEN AXIS 285. 0900 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 285. 0920 EXECUTED SECTOR SCREEN, LAWE'S STATION 290T-280T, 3000 TO 5000 YDS, CHANDLER'S STATION 290T-330T, 3000 TO 5000 YDS. 0935 CIRCULAR SCREEN EXECUTED, LAWE'S STATION 225T 4000 YDS, CHANDLER'S STATION 315T 4000 YDS.

S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0402 EXECUTED BENTLINE SCREEN LAWE'S STATION 235T AT 5,600 YDS CHANDLER'S STATION 335T AT 5,600 YDS. 0503 EXECUTED SECTOR SCREEN LAWE'S SECTOR 230T-260T 3000-5000 YDS CHANDLER'S STATION 310T-330T 340T 3000-5000 YDS. 0526 DETACHED CHANDLER TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED. 0535 YC 130 0541 YS 13 HTS 0551 YS 24 HTS STATIONED LAWE 170T AT 4000 YDS. 0603 LAWE ON STATION. 0626 OBSERVED SUNRISE. TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. 0658 YS 27 HTS. 0736 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; SEE ATTACHED LIST OF OBSERVERS.

L. Rossiter
 LONNIE L ROSSITER, FTOL USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0935 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE TEMPERATURE REPORT ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1025 C/C 099°.

T.E. Tennison
 T.E. TENNISON, ENSI, USN

~~Underway~~ 12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1205 YC 150 FOR LAUNCH OF ONE A-1. 1216 YC 099. 1340 SOUNDED FLIGHT QUARTERS. 1419 YC 097. 1457 YC 100. 1502 COMMENCED FLIGHT OPERATIONS, BASE COURSE 160, SPEED 27 KTS. 1529 SUSPENDED FLIGHT OPERATIONS YC 095.

S.H. Whitney
 S.H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1619 C/C 160T. 1622 RESUMED FLIGHT OPERATIONS. BASE COURSE 160T. SPEED 27 HTS. 1636 COMPLETED FLIGHT OPERATIONS YC 095T. 1643 DETACHED LAWE TO STEAM INDEPENDENTLY WITHIN "U.H.F." SIGNALLING RANGE. 1838 OBSERVED SUNSET. TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS.

L. Rossiter

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

U. S. N. COMMANDING

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (C-1043)

DATE Monday 23 April 1973
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

LONNIE L ROSSITER FTGC USN

E. C. Okerison
E. C. OKERSON, ENS, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

U. S. N. COMMANDING

J. R. Wheeler
CDR. J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION 74 DATE TUESDAY 29 APRIL 1973
(Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM YANKEE STATION TO SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES

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REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 77.3 IN COMPANY WITH USS WILLIAM C. LAWE (DD-763) IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. SOPA AND OTC IS CTG 77.3 COMMANDING OFFICER CORAL SEA. READINESS CONDITION FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO, AND NORMAL NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ARE SET. LAWE IS RELEASED TO STEAM INDEPENDENTLY WITHIN VHF RANGE. BASE COURSE IS 095, SPEED 30 KTS. 0445 CHANGED BASE COURSE 090.

S. H. Whitney
 S. H. WHITNEY, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0447 UL 1308 0454 C/O 090° 0639 OBSERVED SUNRISE 0539 OBSERVED SUNRISE TURNED OFF NAVIGATION. 0605 LIGHTS 0605 COMMENCED MANEUVERING TO ENTER AND REMAIN WITHIN ULM-4 RANGE. 0628 DETACHED LONG TO PROCEED ON DUTIES ASSIGNED.

L. Rossiter
 LONNIE L ROSSITER FTCC USN

04-08 (CONTD.) 0745 DEPARTED ULM-4 RANGE. SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. C/O 0757 C/S 12 KTS.

T. E. Tennison
 T. E. TENNISON ENSIGN USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0840 PILOT, CAPT. BARRY, ARRIVED ON BOARD. COMMENCED MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS CONFORMING TO SUBIC BAY HARBOR. CAPTAIN AND NAVIGATOR ON THE BRIDGE. 0848 PILOT, CAPT. BARRY ASSUMED THE CONN. 0853 PASSED BUDY #8 TO STARBOARD. 0934 FIRST LINE ON THE PIER. 0937 SHIP IS MOORED STARBOARD SIDE AT ALAVA PIER BERTHS 2-6 SUBIC BAY PHILIPPINES. ALL MOORING LINES DOUBLED PLUS HEAD AND STEER WIRES. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS PONCHATOUA (AO-148), USS LAWE (DD-763), USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10), USS KING (DD-631), USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) AND VARIOUS OTHER SHIPS, YARD, AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS COMNAVPHIL. 0959 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE TEMPERATURE REPORT. ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL. 1010 SECURED FROM SPECIAL SEA ANCHOR DETAIL. SHIFTED WATCH FROM BRIDGE TO QUARTERDECK.

T. E. Tennison
 T. E. TENNISON ENSIGN USN

08-12 (CONTD.) 1016 USS LAWE (DD-763) STANDING IN TO RAZERA.

R. W. Dammie
 R. W. DAMMIE, CWO3, USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1325 USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2) STANDING IN TO WHITE PIER WITH COMMANDER MINE WARFARE FORCES, 2ADM McCauley, EMBARKED. 1417 USS INCHON (LPH-12) STANDING IN TO ANCHORAGE 29. 1452 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED THE SHIP.

J. H. Blakeney
 J. H. BLAKENEY, LT, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

U. S. N. COMMANDING

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43

DATE Tuesday 24 APRIL 19 73
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-18 MOORED AS BEFORE 1639 GOT UNDERWAY USS LAWE DD 763 1702
USS WHITE PLAINS AFS4 GOT UNDERWAY AND STOOD OUT OF HARBOR.

D. Bailey
D. BAILEY CWO-2, USN

18-20 MOORED AS BEFORE, 1815 OBSERVED SUNSET. SET NORMAL
LIGHTING.

T.E. Tennison
T.E. TENNISON ENS USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 2013 REQUESTED BY PROVOST MARSHALL'S
OFFICE, NAVAL STATION, SUBIC BAY, P.I., TO SEND ESCORT FOR HALL,
RICHARD, P03, FOUND LYING BY BASE POST OFFICE. DISPATCHED TWO SHIP'S
MAA SINCE HALL WAS REPORTED TO BE VIOLENT. 2058 RECEIVED
REPORT FROM SHIP'S MAA'S THAT HALL, RICHARD, P03, HAD BEEN
RETURNED TO SHIP BY PMO AND THAT HAYNES, STEPHEN W., BTFN,
FOIA(b)6, WAS BEING HELD BY PMO. HAYNES WAS EXAMINED BY
HM2 WOY, BASE DISPENSARY, NAVAL STATION, SUBIC BAY, P.I. DIAGNOSIS:
POSSIBLY ACUTE ALCOHOLISM. HM2 WOY REQUESTED ASSISTANCE TO
RETURN HAYNES TO SHIP FOR EXAMINATION BY SHIP'S DOCTOR. 2100
DISPATCHED TWO SHIP'S MAA TO ESCORT HM2 WOY AND HAYNES TO SHIP.
2135 HAYNES, STEPHEN W., BTFN, FOIA(b)6 RETURNED TO SHIP.
EXAMINATION CONDUCTED BY DIRECTION OF MEDICAL OFFICER. DISPOSITION:
RETURNED TO PARENT DIVISION. 2319 FIRE AND FLUSHING PUMPS
TAKEN OFF LINE TO FACILLITATE REPAIRS TO FIREMAIN VALVE.
2336 SECURITY WATCH REPORT PARTIALLY OUT SECURING LINE ON
STARBOARD LIFERAFT AT FLIGHT DECK LEVEL.

Daniel L. Hoover
DANIEL L. HOOPER, WOL, USN

20-24 (CONT) 2345 BUREK, FRANCIS P, OSSAN, FOIA(b)6
WAS FOUND IN AN UNCONSCIOUS STATE ON BASE AND
WAS RETURNED TO SHIP BY SHIP'S PERSONEL. MAN WAS
BROUGHT UNCONSCIOUS TO QUARTERDECK AND A CORSPMAN
WAS CALLED. MAN WAS TAKEN TO SICK BAY FOR TREATMENT
AND OBSERVATION.

F.D. DeMasi
F. D. DEMASI ENS USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

J. R. Wheeler
CR. J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. COMMANDING

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Wednesday 25 April 1973
 AT/PASSAGE FROM NAVAL BASE SUBIC BAY ^(Day) Republic ^(Date) ^(Month) of Philippines

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REMARKS

00-04 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO ALAVA PIER, BERTHS 2-6 SUBIC BAY PHILLIPINES WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES, DOUBLED AND HEAD AND STERN WIRES. READINESS CONDITION VI AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE ARE SET RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10), USS DURHAM (LKA-114) USS TOLOVANA (AO-64) USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11), USS KING (DD-631) AND VARIOUS OTHER SHIPS, YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS COMNAVPHIL. 0015 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED TO THE SHIP. 0030 RECEIVED REPORT OF FLOODING IN COMPARTMENT C-266-6L FRAMES 194-201. D.C. CENTRAL NOTIFIED. 0200 BENTLEY R. LEE AMH3, FOIA(b)6 RETURNED TO SHIP BY SHIPS MAA FORCE FROM PROVOST MARSHALLS OFFICE. CHARGED WITH VIOLATIONS OF ARTICLES 91, 92 AND 95 OF THE UCMJ. MAN WAS PLACED ON RESTRICTION BY THE AUTHORITY OF THE COMMAND DUTY OFFICER. 0255 ABH2 Robert PARKER, SHIPS MASTER-AT-ARMS FORCE REPORTED THAT AT APPROXIMATELY 2310 MOSELEY B.M, AOAN, FOIA(b)6 OF VA-94 WAS RETURNED TO THE SHIP BY A MAA AND A FIRST CLASS PETTY OFFICER FROM VA94 VIA THE AFTERBROW. MOSELEY IS CHARGED WITH VIOLATIONS OF ARTICLES 91, 92 AND 95 AND POSSIBLY OTHERS OF THE UCMJ BY THE BASE SHORE PATROL. MAN WAS NOT BROUGHT TO QUARTER DECK AT THE TIME OF HIS RETURN TO THE SHIP. MOSELEY WAS APPARENTLY TAKEN TO HIS BERTHING COMPARTMENT AND PUT TO BED.

F.D. Demasi
 F. D. DEMASI ENS USNR.

14-14 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1444 RECEIVED REPORT OF CLASS CHARLIE FIRE IN COMPARTMENT C-248-L, 2ND DECK, CENTERLINE, FR 168. FIRE SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS. 0933 RECEIVED REPORT OF CLASS ALFA FIRE ON FANTAIL, FR 225, MAIN DECK, CENTERLINE. FIRE SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS.

R.P. Guthrie
 R. P. GUTHRIE, LTJG, USNR.

14-14 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1437 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT. 1451 RECEIVED REPORT OF A CLASS C FIRE IN COMPARTMENT C-255-9E, 2ND DECK, FR. 222. FIRE SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS. 1225 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED THE SHIP. 1327 RECEIVED REPORT OF A CLASS A FIRE IN COMPARTMENT B-214-2A-EL, 2ND DECK, FR 115-123, PORT SIDE. FIRE SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS.

R.J. Barrett
 R. J. BARRETT, ENS, USNR.

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EXAMINED:

U. S. N. COMMANDING

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (VA 43)

DATE WEDNESDAY 25 APRIL 1973
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

14-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1410 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED ABOARD 1416
USS BLUE RIDGE (LCC-19) STOOD INTO HARBOR AND MOORED AT ALAVA
PIER. 1445 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED THE SHIP.

T.M. Dillon

T.M. DILLON LT USN

16-18 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1645 WHILE WORKING WITH LEATHER SOKARODAR, L.E. AT 2 USN
FOIA(b)6 SUFFERED A 1/4" CIRCULAR LACERATION TO LEFT THUMB. INJURY WAS NOT DUE TO
OWN MISCONDUCT. TREATMENT ADMINISTERED BY THE MEDICAL OFFICER. DISPOSITION DUTY.
1730 ROGERS, DAVID E. FR USN FOIA(b)6 WAS CONFINED FOR DETAINMENT. CONFINEMENT
ORDERED BY LCDR GRAFF, COMMAND DUTY OFFICER. CHARGE, VIOL ART 134 - BREAKING RESTRICTION

M.E. Craine

K.E. CRAINE ENS USNR

18-22 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1800 USS WILLIAM C. LAWE STOOD IN
AND MOORED TO BERTH RP 16-17.

T.E. Stone

T.E. STONE, ENS, USNR

22-24 MOORED AS BEFORE 2240 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED TO
THE SHIP

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

J.R. Wheeler

U. S. N. COMMANDING

CDR. J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE THURSDAY 26 APRIL 19 73
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AT/PASSAGE FROM NAVAL BASE SUBIC BAY TO REPUBLIC OF PHILIPPINES

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REMARKS

08-02 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO ALAYA PIER, BERTHS 2-6, SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES, DOUBLED PLUS HEAD AND STERN WIRES. READINESS CONDITION VI AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE ARE SET. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS WILLIAM C. LAWE (DD-763), USS PONCHA TOULA (AD-148), USS T. KING (DD-63), USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10), USS HALEAKALA (AE-25), USS SHASTA (AE-33), USS WABASH (AOR-5), USS THOMASTON (LSD-1191), USS PEDRIA (LST-1133), USS RACINE (LST-1191), USS DURHAM (LKA-114), USS TOLOUVANA (AO-64), USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11), USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2), USS INCHON (LPH-12), USS BLUERIDGE (LCC-19) AND VARIOUS OTHER YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS COMNAVPHIL.

R. P. Finw
 R. P. FINW, ATC, USN

02-06 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0202 RECEIVED REPORT OF A CLASS B FIRE IN COMPARTMENT C-210-4L FRAME 145 0207 SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS.

E. H. Kirkpatrick
 E. H. KIRKPATRICK LT USN

06-10 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0627 USS CONSTELLATION (CVA-64) STOOD INTO THE HARBOR AND MOORED AT CARRIER PIER, NAVAL AIR STATION, CUBI POINT, REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES. 0930 COMMANDING OFFICER USS LAWE (DD 763) ARRIVED.

C. A. Bellis Jr
 C. A. BELLIS JR CAPT. USMC

06-10 CONTINUED. 0830 LATE ENTRY. COMMENCED RECEIVING JP-5 FUEL. 0840 LATE ENTRY COMMENCED OPERATION QUEBEC. 0959 COMMANDING OFFICER USS LAWE (DD 763) DEPARTED.

R. P. Avers
 R. P. AVERS LT USN

10-14 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1030 USS McCaffery (DD-860) STANDING INTO THE HARBOR. 1050 COMMANDING OFFICER ATTACK CARRIER AIR WING 15 DEPARTED. 1052 SECURED FROM OPERATION QUEBEC. 1150 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED.

R. P. Avers
 R. P. AVERS LT USN

14-18 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1405 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED. 1451 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED. 1651 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED.

J. R. Madewell
 J. R. MADEWELL, CWO-2, USN

14-18 CONTINUED. 1630 SECURED FROM RECEIVING JP-5 FUEL. 1530 COMMENCED FIRE DRILL. 1550 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILLS. (LATE ENTRY).

J. R. Madewell
 J. R. MADEWELL, CWO-2, USN

18-22 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1810 COMMANDING OFFICER ATTACK CARRIER

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USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

DATE TUESDAY 26 APRIL 1973
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

AIR WING 15 RETURNED. 1942 COMMANDING OFFICER AND
COMMANDING OFFICER ATTACK CARRIER AIR WING 15 DEPARTED
2115 WHILE LIGHTING A CIGARETTE, HUTSON, R.G., SK5N
USN [FOIA(b)6], SUFFERED CHEMICAL BURNS TO
LEFT EYE WHEN BOX OF MATCHES EXPLODED. THE ACCIDENT
OCCURRED AT GRANDE ISLAND. INJURY NOT DUE TO HIS OWN
MISCONDUCT. INJURY WAS IN LINE OF DUTY. TREATMENT
ADMINISTERED BY MEDICAL CORPSMAN. DISPOSITION: LOSS OF
DUTY FOR 24 HOURS. POSSIBLE PERMANENT DISABILITY.

M.F. Boyle

M.F. BOYLE, ENS. USAR

22-24 MOORED AS BEFORE 2350 RECEIVED A VERBAL INJURY REPORT FROM
DUTY CORPSMAN H.D. CABLE, S-3 DIV IN A KNIFE FIGHT. REC. STAR WOUND
IN ABDOMEN. MAN IS IN SURGERY AT NAVAL HOSP. THIS TIME.

R.E. Knight

R.E. KNIGHT, ACC, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

J.R. Wheeler

U. S. N. COMMANDING

CDR. J. R. WHEELER

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE FRIDAY 27 APRIL 19 73
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REMARKS

00-07 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO ALAVA PIER, BERTHS 2-6, SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED, PLUS HEAD AND STERN WIRES. READINESS CONDITION II AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO ARE SET. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM PIER SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS WILLIAM C. LAWRE (DD-763), USS PONCHAOTOLA (AD-148), USS T. KING (DD-63), USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10), USS HALEAKALA (AE-25), USS SHASTA (AE-33), USS WABASH (AGOS), USS THOMASTON (ASD-1171), USS PEORIA (LST-1133), USS RACING (LST-1191) USS DURHAM (LKA-114), USS ~~FOR~~ TOLOUVANA (AD-64), USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11), USS VANCOUVER ^{RK} (LDD-2), USS ENCHON (LPH-12), USS BLUERIDGE (LCC-19), USS CONSTELLATION (CVA-64) USS MCCAFFERY (DD-860) AND VARIOUS OTHER YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS COMMANDER PHIL 0071 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED. COMMANDING OFFICER ATTACK CARRIER AIR WING 15 RETURNED. 0106 REF INJURY REPORTED AT 2354 CABLE, HERBERT D. SN 440566124 WAS STABBED BY UNKNOWN SAILOR FROM USS CONSTELLATION (CVA-64). ADMITTED TO USNA SUBIC BAY, P.P.

R.E. Knight
 R.E. KNIGHT, ACC, USN

02-06 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0200 RECEIVED INJURY REPORTS ON FA T.E. ALLEN, FOIA(b)6, STRUCK ON CHEST BY FALLING BLOCK, NO MISCONDUCT, TREATED BY DIRECTION OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER AND HM-3 W.H. SPATZ, FOIA(b)6 HIT HEAD WHILE DIVING INTO A SWIMMING POOL, NO MISCONDUCT, TREATED BY THE MEDICAL OFFICER. 0202 RECEIVED A REPORT OF FIRE IN COMPT C-210-6L, FRAME 171 TO 175 WENT TO FIRE QUARTERS. 0205 SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS.

K. Verhage
 KLOYD K. VERHAGE COO, USN

06-10 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0845 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED THE SHIP.
William M. Borkesch
 WILLIAM M. BORKESCH, LT, USN

10-14 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1020 RECEIVED DAILY MARINE INSPECTION REPORT, ALL SECURE. 1112 CO AIR WING 15 DEPARTED. 1130 RECEIVED ROSENBERG, VIRGIL RICHARD, BMCSA, USN, FOIA(b)6 FROM USS JOHN KING FOR CONFINEMENT AT THREE DAYS FRESH AND WATER. 1320 CO AIR WING 15 RETURNED ABOARD.

D.B. Macomber
 D.B. MACOMBER 1LT USMC

10-14 CONTINUED. 1340 RECEIVED INJURY REPORT ON SA MICHAEL GARRETT FOIA(b)6 OF 2ND DIVISION. MAN WAS PLAYING BASKETBALL AND INJURED ANKLE. DIAGNOSIS: SOFT TISSUE INJURY. PROGNOSIS: LIGHT DUTY. 1355 CARRIER AIR WING 15 COMMANDER DEPARTED THE SHIP.

J.F. Cummins
 J.F. CUMMINS
 ACCS USN

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14-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1400 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1419 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL. 1500 HELD BLUE FOX DRILL. 1504 SECURED FROM BLUE FOX DRILL. 1431 LATE ENTRY. COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED ABOARD.

J. Cummins
J. F. CUMMINS
ACCS USN

16-18 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1615 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED THE SHIP. 1645 RECEIVED INJURY REPORT ON DONOHUE, MICHAEL OSSA FOIA(b)6 OI DIVISION. HORSE FELL ON TOP OF DONOHUE. DIAGNOSIS, MULTIPLE ABRASIONS, LACERATION OVER EYE, 1 1/2" CIRCULAR LACERATION ON RIGHT HAND AND PALM, NOT MISCONDUCT, 16 HOUR LIGHT DUTY. 1715 RECEIVED INJURY REPORT ON HEGEWALD STEVE AA FOIA(b)6 G.M. DIVISION. WHILE AT GRANDE ISLAND WATER SKIING, SKI ROPE WRAPPED AROUND LEFT HAND MIDDLE FINGER CAUSING PARTIAL AMPUTATION. DIAGNOSIS, PARTIAL TRAUMATIC AMPUTATION DISTAL TIP OF LEFT HAND THIRD DIGIT; NOT MISCONDUCT, RETURNED TO DUTY.

R.O. Davis
R.O. DAVIS CW02 USN

18-22 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1802 COMMANDING OFFICER ATTACK CARRIER AIR WING FIFTEEN RETURNED. 1903 COMMANDING OFFICER ATTACK CARRIER AIR WING FIFTEEN DEPARTED.

R.D. Olsen
R.D. OLSEN, WO, USN

22-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

K.W. Dazelle
K.W. DAZELLE, WO1, USN

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USS CORAL SEA (CUA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SATURDAY 28 APRIL 1973
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REMARKS

00-02 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO ALAVA PIER, BERTHS 2-6, SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES, PLUS HEAD AND STERN WIRES, READINESS CONDITION VI AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE ARE SET. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM PIER, SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS PONCHATAULA (AO-148), USS T. KING (DD-63), USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10), USS HALEAKALA (AE-25), USS SHASTA (AE-33), USS WABASH (AOR-5), USS THOMASTON (LSD-1191), USS PEDRIA (LST-1183), USS RACINE (LST-1191), USS DURHAM (LKA-114), USS TBLOVANA (AO-64), USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2), USS INCHON (LPH-12), USS BLUE RIDGE (LCC-19), USS CONSTELLATION (CUA-64) AND VARIOUS OTHER YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS CTF-77/COMCARDIUM FIVE IN USS CONSTELLATION (CUA-64) 0025 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED.

K.W. Dazelle
 K.W. DAZELLE, WO1, USN

02-06 MOORED AS BEFORE

A.R. Tuck
 A.R. TUCK, LT, USN

06-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

L.M. Lynch
 L.M. LYNCH, LT, USN

~~08-12~~

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0856 COMMANDING OFFICER OF USS J. KING (DDG-3) AND USS WADDELL (DDG-24) ARRIVED ON BOARD. 0940 COMMANDING OFFICERS OF USS KING (DDG-3) AND USS WADDELL (DDG-24) DEPARTED THE SHIP. 0950 WHILE IN THE CITY OF PLONGAPO, DAVIS, RAY BELL, AA USN RECEIVED A ONE INCH LACERATION TO HIS RIGHT THUMB. INJURY NOT DUE TO MISCONDUCT. 1029 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE INSPECTION REPORT; ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL.

FOIA(b)6

J.H. Badaney
 J.H. BADANEY, LT/USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1310 USS NAVASOTA (AO-106) STOOD INTO HARBOR.

R.H. Westray
 R.H. WESTRAY, LT, USN

12-16 (CONT) 1545 COMMENCED RECEIVING ND FUEL.

R. J. Steele
 R. J. STEELE ENS USNR

16-18 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1605 COMMENCED FIRE DRILL. 1625 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL. 1655 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED THE SHIP.

R. J. Steele
 R. J. STEELE ENS USNR

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18-20 MOORED AS BEFORE 1900 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED ONBOARD 1925
COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED THE SHIP

D. Bailey
D. BAILEY, CWO, USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE 1945 BRIG PRISONER MARVIN NMAN
GREEN, FR, FOIA(b)6, B DIVISION ESCAPED FROM HIS GUARD.
MARINE DETACHMENT AND MAFFORCE CONDUCTING A SEARCH OF THE SHIP AT
THIS TIME. 2100 SECURED FROM RECEIVING ND FUEL. 2145 BRIG
PRISONER MARVIN NMAN GREEN RECAPTURED ON THE PORT CATWALK OF
THE FLIGHT DECK AND RETURNED TO THE BRIG.

R. Dammme
R. DAMME, CWO3, USN

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REMARKS

00-04 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO ALAVA PIER, BERTHS 2-6, U.S. NAVAL BASE, SUBIC BAY, R.P., WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED, PLUS HEAD AND STERN WIRES. READINESS CONDITION IV AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE ARE SET. RECEIVING MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES FROM PIER, SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS CONSTELLATION (CVA-64), USS TRIPOLI (LPH-10), USS INCHON (LPH-12), USS THOMASTON (LSD-1191), USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2), USS BLUERIDGE (LEC-19), USS DURHAM (LKA-114), USS PONCHATAULA (AO-148), USS NAVASOTA (AO-106), USS HALEAKALA (AE-25), USS SHASTA (AE-33), USS WABASH (AOR-5), USS TOLOVANA (AO-64), USS PEDRIA (LST-1183), USS RACINE (LST-1191), USS KING (DD-63), USS WADDELL (DDG-24) AND VARIOUS YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS CTF 77/COMBAR DIV FIVE EMBARKED IN USS CONSTELLATION (CVA-64). 0037 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED. 0043 NOTICED APPARENT NAVY DISTILLATE FUEL LEAK. NOTIFIED ENGINEERING DUTY OFFICER TO INVESTIGATE. 0235 RECEIVED FUEL BARGE ALONG PORT SIDE, STATION NO. TWO. 0240 INVESTIGATION OF FUEL LEAK REVEALED THIRTY GALS OF NAVY DISTILLATE WERE LOST FROM OVERFLOW TANKS. PORT AUTHORITY NOTIFIED. 0247 NOTIFIED BY ENGINEERING DUTY OFFICER THAT PORT AUTHORITY WILL DISPATCH OIL SKIMMER TO CONTAIN SPILL. 0315 COMMENCE TAKING ON NAVY DISTILLATE AT STATION NO. TWO.

Daniel L. Hoover
 DANIEL L. HOOVER, WO1, USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0740 DISCONTINUED TAKING ON NAVY DISTILLATE. 0745 MUSTER ON STATION. SEE ATTACHED LIST OF ABSENTEES.

R.D. Olsen
 R.D. OLSEN, WO, USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0830 REC'D DRAFT RPT - DRAFT FWD 35' 3" AFT 35' 1" MEAN 35' 2" 0850 REC'D INJURY RPT AA MICHAEL A. CONNELLY, USN, FOIA(b)6 - MBR FELL DWN LADDER TO V-3 BERTHING - STRIKING HIS KNEE. NO SIGN OF FRACTURES. CAUSE OF INJURY PERSONAL ERROR. DUTY STATUS - WITHIN COMMAND NOT WORK. 0910 CAPT A.J. HODDER JR, USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2) ARRIVED ONBD. 0930 CAPT P. SPEER, USS CONSTELLATION (CVA-64) ARRIVED ONBD. 0935 CAPT C.J. KEMPF, USS DUBUQUE ARRIVED ONBD. 0937 CAPT L.W. FISHER, SHIP REPAIR FACILITY SUBIC ARRIVED ONBD. 1007 CAPT A.J. HODDER JR, USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2) AND CAPT P. SPEER USS CONSTELLATION (CVA-64) DEPARTED.

R.L. Drane
 R.L. DRANE, WO2, USN

12-16. MOORED AS BEFORE. 1203 SHIP REPAIR FACILITY, SUBIC DEPARTED

C. Bellis
 CABELLIS JR CAPT USMC

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12-16 CONTINUED. 1203 USS DUBUQUE DEPARTED. 1215 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED. 1257 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1325 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL.

CD Bell
CABELLIS JR, CAPT. USMC

12-16 CONTINUED. 1555 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED.

R. J. Kelly
R. T. KELLY LT USN

16-18 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1616 COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED.

R. J. Kelly
R. T. KELLY LT USN

18-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

RJ Barrett
R. J. BARRETT, ENS, USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 2057 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED

ABOARD. 2300 RECEIVED INJURY REPORT ON DERNER, JAMES, AN, USN, FOIA(b)6

FOIA(b)6. SUBJECT MAN SPRAINED ~~AA~~ RIGHT HAND ABOUT 1600 WHILE IN THE CLUB OLANOAO CITY. INJURY NOT DUE TO OWN MISCONDUCT. TREATMENT ADMINISTERED BY MEDICAL OFFICER. DISPOSITION: LIGHT DUTY. RECEIVED INJURY REPORT ON MURPHY, TIMOTHY, AA, USN, FOIA(b)6. SUBJECT MAN STEPPED ON A PIECE OF GLASS AND WAS TREATED FOR POSSIBLE BLOOD POISONING. INJURY NOT DUE TO ~~OWN~~ OWN MISCONDUCT. TREATMENT ADMINISTERED BY MEDICAL OFFICER. DISPOSITION DUTY.

T M Dixon
T M DIXON LT USN

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FOIA(b)6

SUBJECT MAN STRAINED ELBOW WHILE WORKING ON BLOWER. INJURY NOT DUE TO OWN MISCONDUCT, TREATMENT ADMINISTERED BY MEDICAL OFFICER. DISPOSITION DUTY.

M. P. Haine

K. F. CRONE ENS USNA

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

T. E. Stone

T. E. STONE, ENS USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0825 USNS WASHOE COUNTY (T-LST 1165) STOOD OUT OF THE HARBOR. 0915 USS MCCAFFERY (DD-860) STOOD OUT OF THE HARBOR. SET SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 0940 HARBOR PILOT CAME ABOARD, CAPT. R. TAN TORRES. 1015 OOD SHIFTED THE WATCH TO THE BRIDGE.

J. N. Helton

J. N. HELTON, LTJG, USN

10-16 (CONT'D) * 0730 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE * 0845 COMMENCED TESTING MAIN ENGINES. * 1000 COMPLETED PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. DRAFT: FWD 35 FT 6 IN. AFT 35 FT 3 IN. CAPTAIN, NAVIGATOR, ON BRIDGE. PILOT AT THE CONN. 1009 UNDERWAY INDEPENDENTLY AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 72.3 IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND VARIOUS SPEEDS CONFORMING TO SUBIC BAY HARBOR. 1031 LCDR ALDEN ASSUMED THE CONN. 1036 PILOT DEPARTED THE SHIP. 1033 PASSED BLACK AND WHITE BUOY 'A' TO STARBOARD. 1053 SECURED FROM SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1055 C/C 160°. C/S 25 KTS. 1103 C/C 157°. 1105 FIRE IN COMPT. C-121-E III SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS. 1115 C/S 27 KTS. 1145 C/C 106°. 1156 C/C 103°

T. E. Tennison

T. E. TENNISON, ENS, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1205 C/S 20 KTS. 1210 C/C 073°. 1218 C/C 070° W/S C/C 070°

S. WHITNEY LTJG USN

12-16 (CONT'D) 1239 C/C 063° 1242 SET EMERGENCY CASUALTY CONTROL PROCEDURES. C/C 175° FIRE IN 1A BOILER ROOM. 1246 C/C 063°. C/C 060° 1300 SECURED FROM FIRE QUARTERS. PILOT, CAPT. SUZERA, ARRIVED ON BOARD. 1310 CAPTAIN, NAVIGATOR, PILOT ON BRIDGE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT

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VARIOUS SPEEDS CONFORMING TO MANILA HARBOR 1357 LET GO STARBOARD ANCHOR, SHIFTED COLORS. SHIP IS ANCHORED IN MANILA BAY AT 14°31'15" N 124°53'19" E. 60 FATHOMS OF CHAIN AT THE HOUSE ON STARBOARD ANCHOR. 1405 SECURED FROM SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL, SHIFTED WATCH FROM BRIDGE TO QUARTERDECK.

T.E. Tennison

T.E. TENNISON ENSIGN USN

12-16 (CONTINUED) MOORED AS BEFORE. SHIPS PRESENT ARE USS THOMASTON (LSD-28) AND USS PONCHATOUA (AO-148). SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER OF CTU 77.3. 1440 US NAVAL ATTACHE ARRIVED. 1454 CO DEPARTED. 1454 US NAVAL ATTACHE DEPARTED

B.C. Chien

B.C. CHIEN ENS USNR

16-20 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 1748 COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED TO THE SHIP. 1815 HELD FIRE DRILL. 1835 SECURED FROM FIRE DRILL. 1858 COMMANDING OFFICER USS THOMASTON (LSD-28) ARRIVED ON BOARD. 1930 COMMANDING OFFICER USS THOMASTON DEPARTED THE SHIP.

R. P. Avers

R. P. AVERS LT USN

20-24 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

J.R. Madewell

J.R. MADEWELL, CWO-2, USN

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