



UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Saturday 1 Sept

19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Moored starboard side to North pier, berths 8 and 9, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, San Francisco, California, with standard mooring lines doubled plus four hurricane pendants. Engineering plant is on cold iron. Receiving miscellaneous services from the pier. Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS KENNEBEC (AO-36), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS CRAIG (DD-885), USS CHANTICLEER (ARS-7), USS ARCHERFISH (SS-311), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS REMORA (SS-487), USS VOLODOR (SS-490), plus various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. Condition of readiness six and material condition "Yoke" are set second deck and below.

*S. H. House*

S. H. HOUSE  
LTJG, USNR

04-08 Moored as before. 0410 Pursuant to BUPERS letter 597900/1100 Pers - B1511 - jas - 2 of 9 August 1962, LTJG Loren R. PETERSON, USNR, 597900 was released for active duty. 0638 Observed sunrise.

*A. J. Robertson*

A. J. ROBERTSON  
LTJG, USNR

08-12 Moored as before. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations. New absentees: KIDD, J. D., 287 88 02, BM3, USN; HAMANN, R. J., 538 32 29, FA, USN; BOOKER, C. H., 477 48 95, BTL, USN, UA from 0700, 1 Sept 1962. Absentees returned: SHORT, B. N., 370 09 78, FN, USN, returned 0915, 31 August 1962; BELL, D. E., 319 62 16, AO3, USN, returned 0900, 31 August 1962; JEMISON, L. C., 520 91 93, MM2, USN, returned 0845, 31 August 1962. 0735 Received draft report; FWD 29', 7"., AFT 31', 0". 1000 USS PYRO (AE-24) got underway and stood out of the harbor.

*J. E. Brady*

J. E. BRADY  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Moored as before. 1347 CONNEY, Robert W., ABE3, 471 09 59, returned aboard having been UA since 0730, 1 Sept 1962. 1513 Pursuant to BUPERS orders No. 149974, ENS Donald L. HANSEN, USNR, 662064, reported aboard for duty.

*D. H. Vied*

D. H. VIED  
LTJG, USN

16-18 Moored as before.

*T. S. Henderson*

T. S. HENDERSON  
LTJG, USN

18-20 Moored as before. 1939 Executed sunset.

*D. L. Armstrong*

D. L. ARMSTRONG  
ENS, USNR

20-24 Moored as before.

*M. D. Swartz*

M. D. SWARTZ  
ENS, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*F. W. Silverthorne*

F. W. SILVERTHORNE, CDR, U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION + 7<sup>(T)</sup> DATE 1 SEPTEMBER 1962  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM NORTH PIER BERTH 8+9 TO SAN FRANCISCO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	250	6	7	0vc	29.82	56	54	10	700	ST			
02	270	4	8	0vc	29.83	54	53	10	400	ST			
03	190	8	7	0vc	29.83	55	54	10	400	ST			
04	270	8	7	0vc	29.83	55	54	10	400	ST			
05	250	10	7	0vc	29.83	55	53	10	400	ST			
06	250	9	7	0vc	29.83	55	54	10	400	ST			
07	230	10	5	0vc	29.83	53	54	10	400	ST			
08	240	8	5	0vc	29.83	54	52	10	300	ST			
09	240	10	5	0vc	29.83	56	54	10	400	ST			
10	160	2	5	0vc	29.84	56	54	10	400	ST			
11	230	2	5	0vc	29.84	58	55	10	600	ST			
12	230	4	7	BKN	29.83	62	57	9	1000	ST			
13	270	9	7	3ct	29.83	64	57	1	1000	ST			
14	250	6	8	4r	29.83	67	59	-	-	-			
15	230	12	8	4r	29.80	69	59	-	-	-			
16	290	12	8	4r	29.78	69	59	-	-	-			
17	300	12	8	ch	29.77	67	59	-	-	-			
18	270	10	6	H	29.76	63	57	-	-	-			
19	270	12	4	H	29.75	60	56	3	1000	ST			
20	270	7	7	H	29.97	56	54	3	1000	ST			
21	270	7	6	H	29.93	54	52	2	1000	ST			
22	270	5	6	0vc	29.98	55	53	10	400	ST			
23	270	5	6	0vc	29.98	55	53	10	300	ST			
24	270	5	6	0vc	29.79	55	53	10	300	ST			

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
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LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
 3 - VISUAL  
 4 - D. R.

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TABLE II  
 SYNOPSIS OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPSIS OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT 5-8)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (00-36)	WIND		Visibility (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS					
		Oc-tant (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (Knots) (True)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds (0-9)	Type C (0-9)	L (0-9)	Height C (0-9)	Type M (0-9)	Type H (0-9)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	

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Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	5-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD	Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE										
							Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation				
D <sub>s</sub>	v <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>l</sub>	r	e
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MILES STEAMED  
 0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
 0000-2400

EXAMINED

*J.W. Silver*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43) Sunday 2 Sept 1962  
(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

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*K. J. Fontenot*  
K. J. FONTENOT  
CAPT, USMC

04-08 Moored as before. 0639 Observed sunrise.

*C. L. Putnam*  
C. L. PUTNAM  
ENS, USNR

08-12 Moored as before. 1045 BODFIELD, Larry K., AN, 537 47 26, returned, having been AWOL since 0700 this date.

*S. A. Finkelstein*  
S. A. FINKELSTEIN  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Moored as before. 1219 Received report that at 1015 while pouring soup, FORD, J. E., 595 86 59, AA, USN, received a burn on his left middle three fingers. Treatment by Medical Officer, disposition: duty.

*T. R. Scheck*  
T. R. SCHECK  
LTJG, USNR

16-18 Moored as before.

*T. S. Henderson*  
T. S. HENDERSON  
LTJG, USN

18-20 Moored as before. 1938 Executed sunset.

*D. O. Rickson*  
D. O. RICKSON  
LTJG, USNR

20-24 Moored as before.

*P. J. Weaver*  
P. J. WEAVER  
LT, USNR

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R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*F. W. Silverthorne*  
F. W. SILVERTHORNE, CDR,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7(T) DATE 2 SEPTEMBER 1962  
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04	270	6	6	H	29.78	55	53	10	300	ST	-	-	-
05	270	10	6	H	29.78	55	51	10	300	ST	-	-	-
06	180	6	6	HL	29.77	63	54	10	300	ST	-	-	-
07	180	8	6	H	29.78	55	53	10	400	ST	-	-	-
08	-	-	8	ovc	29.78	55	53	10	500	ST	-	-	-
09	250	3	8	ovc	29.79	56	54	10	600	ST	-	-	-
10	250	12	10	ovc	29.80	58	55	10	800	ST	-	-	-
11	250	10	10	ST	29.81	58	55	3	500	ST	-	-	-
12	250	11	10	ST	29.82	59	55	4	500	ST	-	-	-
13	250	11	10	scT	29.82	59	56	2	500	ST	-	-	-
14	250	12	10	CLR	29.80	59	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	248	13	10	CLR	29.79	61	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	245	15	10	CLR	29.78	63	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	250	8	10	scT	29.80	63	57	2	1200	ST	-	-	-
18	270	10	10	BKN	29.78	61	55	9	1200	ST	-	-	-
19	280	12	8	ovc	29.79	57	54	10	600	ST	-	-	-
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		(1-7) (GMT)	(0-3) (Degrees and tenths)	(0-36) (Degrees and tenths)		(00-36) (Code)	(True) (00-36)	(True) (Knots)		(00-99)	(0-9)			(0-9)	(0-9)	(0-9)	(0-9)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

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		Characteristics (0-9)	Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation
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MILES STEAMED  
0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
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EXAMINED J.W. Silva U. S. N. NAVIGATOR



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*G. C. Wolf*  
 G. C. WOLF  
 LT, USN

04-08 Moored as before. 0748 Installed new number three aircraft elevator. 0640 Observed sunrise. 0715 Set the special sea and anchor detail. Mustered the duty section on stations.

*R. A. Fiddaman*  
 R. A. FIDDAMAN  
 LTJG, USN

08-12 Moored as before. 0748 Pilots PEDERSEN, BASFORD and SCHULTZ came on board. 0757 YTM 219 alongside port bow, YTM 497 and YTM 266 alongside port quarter, YTL 567 and YTL 447 alongside starboard bow, YTL 510 and YTM 396 alongside starboard quarter. 0826 All lines clear, commenced moving ship from berths 8 and 9 to dry dock 4, San Francisco Naval Shipyard. First line to the dock starboard bow. 0838 First line to dock port bow. 0848 Bow passed over sill. 1028 Pilots left the ship. 1030 Commenced pumping water out of dock. 1126 Resting on keel blocks.

*R. C. Evans*  
 R. C. EVANS  
 LT, USN

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1215 Received muster report. New absentees: OSWALD, J. G. III, 541 19 71, SA, USN, UA from 0700, 3 Sept 1962; MARTINEZ, L. L., 370 53 83, SA, USN, UA from 0700, 3 Sept 1962; KRENTZ, T. L., 596 06 78, AN, USN, UA from 0700, 3 Sept 1962; MC VOY, E. L., 523 77 56, BT2, USN, UA from 0700, 3 Sept 1962; MCELTRISH, R. G., 587 64 17, FA, USN, UA from 0700, 3 Sept 1962; OWENS, S. D., 528 57 95, FN, UA from 0700, 3 Sept 1962; LINGNAW, T. L., 586 56 72, FN, USN, UA from 0700, 3 Sept 1962; Absentees returned on board: BODFIELD, L. K., 537 47 26, AN, USN, returned having been UA from 0700, 1 Sept 1962. 1505 Completed pumping out drydock. 1540 Docking officer completed inspection of ships hull.

*R. B. Buswell*  
 R. B. BUSSELL  
 LT, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1600 By order of the Commanding Officer, HARVEY, J. W., 332 86 93, FA, USN, was released from confinement and restored to duty following completion of the period of confinement awarded by NJP.

*R. H. Zinn*  
 R. H. ZINN  
 LTJG, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
 R. M. ELDER, CAPT,  
 U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*J. W. Silverthorne*  
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 U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.





UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Tuesday 4 Sept

19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

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*G. W. Billmyer*  
G. W. BILLMYER  
LTJG, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0620 CDR C. L. LEE, USN, 277785 having completed temporary duty with USS KITTY HAWK (CVA-64) returned on board and resumed his regular duties. 0641 Observed sunrise. CDR P. W. RATTE, USN, 447840, having completed temporary duty with USS KITTY HAWK (CVA-64) returned on board and resumed his regular duties. CWO C. E. TETHER, USN, 181987, returned on board having completed temporary duty with USS KITTY HAWK (CVA-64), and resumed his regular duties.

*J. O. Emry*  
J. O. EMRY  
LT, USN

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0745 Mustered the crew on stations. New Absentees: DUNCAN, R. L., 547 92 83, SA, USN; HAYES, L. D., 534 31 35, SN, USN; ALILIN, E. S., 468 01 00, AK2, USN; MCELROY, J. R., 926 59 10, AK2; COOPER, R. J., BT3, 321 41 48, USN; MCLENNAN, T., 526 39 33, EM3, USN; HAMPTON, T. J., 598 80 06, SA, USN; HARRIS, T. E., 598 73 74, FA, USN; EISENHAUER, M. A., 514 48 49, FA, USN; SKRING, J. A., 549 23 03, AN, USN; Absentees returned: CROTEAV, L. C., 444 41 43, BTL, USN; HAMAN, R. J., 538 32 29, FA, USN; SPANGLER, J. B., 583 56 87, AN, USN; MARTINEZ, L. L., 370 53 83, SA, USN; DRENTZ, T. L., 596 06 78, AN, USN. 0825 USS RANGER (CVA-61) got underway and stood out of the harbor. 0930 USS GREGORY (DD-806) stood into the harbor and moored alongside North pier, berth six. 0935 Pursuant to BUPERS ltr Pers-D1511-PEL-2 dated 21 June 1962, LTJG Armand J. ROBERTSON III, USNR, was detached from this ship and released from active duty. 1000 SPENCER, M. G., 370 61 02, FN, USN; was released from confinement for safekeeping and restored to duty by order of the Commanding Officer.

*R. Jackson*  
R. JACKSON  
LTJG, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*D. E. Zirkle*  
D. E. ZIRKLE  
ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*J. D. Manning*  
J. D. MANNING  
LT, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1939 Observed sunset.

*B. T. Haverfield*  
B. T. HAVERFIELD  
LT, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. R. Skeen*  
R. R. SKEEN  
LT, USN

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U.S.N. COMMANDING.

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U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

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AT/PASSAGE FROM DRY DOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

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04	230	10	5	OVC	2989	53	53	10	600	ST			
05	225	10	4	OVC	2989	53	53	10	600	ST			
06	240	9	4	OVC	2990	54	53	10	600	ST			
07	225	10	4	OVC	2990	54	53	10	600	ST			
08	225	6	6	OVC	2992	55	53	10	500	ST			
09	230	10	6	OVC	2992	55	53	10	500	ST			
10	230	13	6	OVC	2993	55	53	10	500	ST			
11	230	8	7	OVC	2994	57	54	10	500	ST			
12	230	8	7	OVC	2995	57	55	10	500	ST			
13	230	10	7	OVC	2994	58	55	10	500	ST			
14	230	7	7	OVC	2995	59	55	10	500	ST			
15	240	8	7	OVC	2994	59	56	10	600	ST			
16	270	11	7	OVC	2994	60	56	10	700	ST			
17	270	11	7	OVC	2993	60	57	10	700	ST			
18	270	12	7	OVC	2991	60	56	10	800	ST			
19	270	10	8	OVC	2992	58	56	10	800	ST			
20	270	12	5	OVC	2993	57	55	10	600	ST			
21	225	10	5	OVC	2993	57	55	10	500	ST			
22	225	10	5	OVC	2994	57	55	10	500	ST			
23	270	10	5	OVC	2994	57	55	10	400	ST			
24	270	10	5	OVC	2994	57	55	10	400	ST			

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
 3 - VISUAL  
 4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
TO _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
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CURRENT DATA	
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

TABLE II  
 SYNOPSIS OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPSIS OBSERVATION	POSITION OF SHIP					TIME GMT	WIND			VISIBILITY (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	Oc-tent (0-3, 5-8)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)	Total Cloud Amt (Code)		Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)	Present (00-99)		Past (0-9)	Amount of Clouds L (0-10)			Type C (0-9) L	Height C (0-9) L (Code)	Type C (0-9) M	Type C (0-9) H	
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
TO _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY (0-9)	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD				Indicator	Diff See Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE								
			Amount (Eighths)	Type	Height	Indicator				Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation			
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	#	pp	B	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>1</sub>	r	e	
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MILES STEAMED  
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FUEL CONSUMED  
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EXAMINED J.W. Silve

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Wednesday 5 September

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(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving miscellaneous services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. Ship is in condition of readiness six. Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS KENNEBEC (AO-36), USS MATAPONI (AO-41), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), plus various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft.

*M. J. Dring*  
M. J. DRING  
ENS, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0630 LCDR R. M. SHREWSBURY, USN, 496684, having completed temporary duty with USS KITTY HAWK (CVA-64), returned on board and resumed his regular duties. 0642 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations.

*S. H. House*  
S. H. HOUSE  
LTJG, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. J. Huemoller*  
R. J. HUEMOLLER  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1210 Received daily absentee report. New absentees: MCVOY, V. L., 523 97 55, BT2, USN; CHESSON, R. L., 468 45 82, TN, USN; DAVIS, R. E., 371 11 52, ABFAN, USN; unauthorized absentees from 0700, 5 Sept 1962. Absentees returned: DUNCAN, R. L., 547 92 83, SA, USN; returned 0820, 4 Sept 1962; HAYES, L. O., 534 76 49, SN, USN, returned 1110, 4 Sept 1962; MCLENNAN, T. D., 526 39 38, EM3, USN, returned 1110, 4 Sept 1962; COOPER, W. C., 321 41 48, BT3, USN, returned 0820, 4 Sept 1962; BOOKER, C. H., 477 48 95, BT1, USN, changed from muster in error on 2 Sept 1962 to absentee returned on 0810, 2 Sept 1962. 1252 Pursuant to BUPERS order 160357 CDR Fredrick W. SILVERTHORNE, USN, 125733 was detached from this ship with orders to report to CNO. 1540 Pursuant to orders of the Commanding Officer, CLARK, Thomas, C., 533 86 04, SA, USN, was released from confinement for satisfaction of sentence.

*J. E. Brady*  
J. E. BRADY  
ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1615 USS WASHBURN (AKA-108) stood in, moored berth No. 8. 1620 All sea valves and outboard fittings not in use are closed.

*D. H. Vied*  
D. H. VIED  
LTJG, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1933 Observed sunset.

*J. E. Lowry*  
J. E. LOWRY  
LTJG, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*D. L. Armstrong*  
D. L. ARMSTRONG  
ENS, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7T DATE 5 SEPTEMBER 62

AT/PASSAGE FROM DRY DOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	230	8	5	OVC	2996	58	55	10	300	ST	-	-	-
02	230	10	5	OVC	2996	56	53	10	300	ST	-	-	-
03	230	9	5	OVC	2998	55	55	10	300	ST	-	-	-
04	230	9	5	OVC	2998	58	55	10	300	ST	-	-	-
05	230	9	5	OVC	2994	55	55	10	300	ST	-	-	-
06	225	11	6	OVC	2993	55	54	10	400	ST	-	-	-
07	225	10	7	OVC	2995	55	54	10	400	ST	-	-	-
08	240	6	6	OVC	2996	54	53	10	400	ST	-	-	-
09	245	5	6	OVC	2997	55	53	10	400	ST	-	-	-
10	245	5	6	OVC	2997	55	53	10	300	ST	-	-	-
11	350	2	6	OVC	2998	57	56	10	600	ST	-	-	-
12	CALM		6	OVC	2998	59	56	10	300	ST	-	-	-
13	250	4	6	H	2997	62	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	290	5	6	H	2996	65	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	270	6	6	H	2998	65	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	290	10	6	H	2994	65	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	280	12	6	H	2995	64	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	270	13	6	ST	2995	62	55	1	800	ST	-	-	-
19	240	10	6	BKN	2992	60	57	7	800	ST	-	-	-
20	240	10	3	BKN	2991	60	57	8	900	ST	-	-	-
21	240	2	5	OVC	2995	58	55	10	500	ST	-	-	-
22	240	2	5	OVC	2995	55	53	10	500	ST	-	-	-
23	240	7	6	OVC	2995	56	55	10	400	ST	-	-	-
24	270	3	5	OVC	2996	55	54	10	300	ST	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
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LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
2 - ELECTRONIC  
3 - VISUAL  
4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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CURRENT DATA	
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
MID. λ	

TABLE II  
SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (Coded)	WIND		Visi-bility (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS					
		Occur-ent (1-7) (GMT)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths) (0-3, 5-8)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)		Present	Past			Amount of Clouds (0-9)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (Coded)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)	
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
SET	
DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
MID. λ	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES				WAVES				ICE					
		Characteristic (0-9)	Amount Change (Tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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MILES STEAMED  
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FUEL CONSUMED  
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EXAMINED

*J. F. Davis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Thursday 6 September, 1962

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving miscellaneous services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS KENNEBEC (AO-36), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), USS WASHBURN (AKA-108), USS DIODON (SS-341), USS VOLADOR (SS-400), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS CRAIG (DD-385), plus various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft.

*M. D. Swartz*  
M. D. SWARTZ  
ENS, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0643 Observed sunrise.

*K. J. Fontenot*  
K. J. FONTENOT  
CAPT, USMC

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations. New absentees: FRITZ, G. F., 428 22 12, SM2, USN; CANTRELL, C. E., 535 89 49, SM3, USN; SNOW, F. R., 474 97 93, ABH2, USN; BINES, J. Jr., 281 77 53, TN, USN; MITCHELL, T. A., 350 31 75, AN, USN; WERLY, H. R., 593 15 62, FA, USN. 0725 THOMPSON, T. E., 546 63 84, SA, USN, was placed in confinement for safekeeping by order of the Commanding Officer. 1100 KIDD, James D., 287 88 02, BM3, USN returned on board having been AOL, since 0700, 1 Sept 1962

*P. J. Weaver, Jr.*  
P. J. WEAVER, Jr.  
LT, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1400 HOLIFIELD, Ronald, 593 33 94, AA, USN, returned on board having been AWOL since 0700, 22 Aug 1962.

*D. L. Armstrong*  
D. L. ARMSTRONG  
ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1630 HOLIFIELD, Ronald Lee, 593 33 94, AA, USN, returned on board having been AWOL since 0700, 22 Aug 1962 and was placed in confinement by order of the Commanding Officer.

*S. A. Finkelstein*  
S. A. FINKELSTEIN  
ENS, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1932 Executed sunset.

*D. J. Cunnell*  
D. J. COUNSELL  
LT, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*T. S. Henderson*  
T. S. HENDERSON  
LTJG, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7 DATE 6 SEPTEMBER 1962  
AT/PASSAGE FROM DRY DOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	240	10	5	L	2995	55	54	10	300	ST	-	-	-
02	240	12	5	L	2995	55	54	10	300	ST	-	-	-
03	240	10	5	L	2994	55	54	10	300	ST	-	-	-
04	210	8	5	OVC	2994	55	54	10	300	ST	-	-	-
05	245	8	5	OVC	2994	54	53	10	300	ST	-	-	-
06	250	8	5	OVC	2994	54	53	10	300	ST	-	-	-
07	160	5	5	OVC	2994	55	54	10	300	ST	-	-	-
08	225	3	5	OVC	2995	55	54	10	300	ST	-	-	-
09	210	7	5	OVC	2995	55	54	10	500	ST	-	-	-
10	CALM		6	OVC	2995	57	54	10	900	ST	-	-	-
11	250	2	6	OVC	2996	58	55	10	900	ST	-	-	-
12	220	3	7	SCT	2996	62	56	4	1000	ST	-	-	-
13	270	7	7	H	2994	65	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	280	11	7	H	2993	65	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	270	10	7	H	2993	65	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	270	12	7	H	2991	64	58	7	1000	ST	-	-	-
17	270	15	7	H	2990	63	58	H	1000	ST	-	-	-
18	270	14	7	OVC	2989	63	57	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
19	270	5	7	BKN	2989	60	55	8	800	ST	-	-	-
20	270	8	10	BKN	2989	59	55	7	800	ST	-	-	-
21	260	7	8	H	2989	58	55	10	800	ST	-	-	-
22	250	6	6	H	2989	57	55	10	800	ST	-	-	-
23	250	5	6	H	2989	56	58	10	800	ST	-	-	-
24	260	8	8	H	2988	55	53	10	500	ST	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
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LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
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CURRENT DATA	
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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TABLE II  
SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt	WIND		Visi-bil-ity	WEATHER		PRES-SURE	Air Temp	CLOUDS				
		Occur-ent	Latitude	Longitude			Direction	Speed		Present	Past			Baro-meter Cor-rected	Amount of Clouds	Type C <sub>L</sub>	Height C <sub>L</sub>	Type C <sub>M</sub>
(1-7) (GMT)	(0-3) (5-8)	(Degrees and tenths)	(Degrees and tenths)	(GMT)	(Code)	(True) (00-36)	(True) (Knots)	(90-99)	(00-99)	(0-9)	(mb)	(°F)	(0-9)	(0-9)	(0-9)	(0-9)	(0-9)	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff Sea Air	Dew Point	WAVES			WAVES			ICE								
		Characteristic (0-9)	Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation	
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e	

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EXAMINED J. J. Lewis U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP

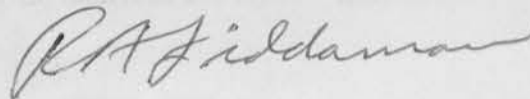
CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Friday 7 September

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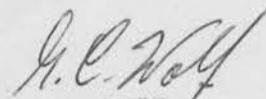
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R. A. FIDDAMAN  
LTJG, USN

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0413 Received a report from Highland, Hospital, Oakland, that WILSON, Billy E., 350 26 02, AB3, USN had been involved in an automobile accident and was being taken to Naval Hospital, Oak Knoll for treatment. Extent of injuries is unknown. 0550 Pursuant to BUPERS orders 154617 of 21 June 1962, LTJG David D. RICKSON, USNR, 590506, was detached from this ship with orders to inactive duty in the U. S. Naval Reserve.



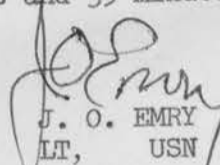
G. C. WOLF  
LT, USN

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0715 Mustered the crew at quarters. New absentees: WOOD, D. E., 370 03 39, AN, USN; DRAKE, T. W., 390 04 91, AN, USN; HAMPTON, T. J., 598 80 06, SA, USN; HOUSE, J. M. Jr., 528 04 49, EMSN, USN. 0807 The Special Court Martial, CDR, M. M. MANGER, Jr., USN, Senior Member appointed by the Commanding Officer, serial L-51-62 of 16 July 1962 met in the case of SPENCER, M. G., 370 61 02, FN, USN. 0930 USS KENNEBECK (AO-36) got underway and stood out of the harbor. 0902 The Special Court Martial which met in the case of SPENCER, M. G., 370 61 02, FN, USN, adjourned. 0930 DONCHECK, E., 598 53 96, AA, USN accused of disobedience of orders of the Commanding Officer on this date and was restricted to limits of ship by order of the Commanding Officer. EVANS, F. E., 584 93 73, BTFA, USN accused of disobedience of orders of the Commanding Officer on this date and was restricted to limits of the ship by order of the Commanding Officer.



B. O. GERULAK  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1205 DRAKE, T. W., AN, 390 02 91, returned on board at 1135 From AWOL a period of about 4 hours and 35 minutes.



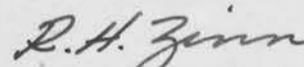
J. O. EMRY  
LT, USN

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.



R. B. BUSSELL  
LT, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1900 Executed sunset.



R. H. ZINN  
LTJG, USNR

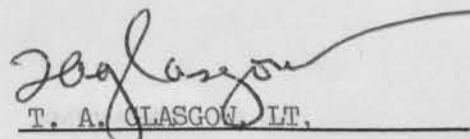
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T. A. GLASGOW, LT.

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Friday 7 September 1962  
(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

SMOOTH REMARKS--CONTINUED

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1940 In accordance with BUPERS order 159768 of 9 July 1962, CHBOSN, W-4 E. ANELOSKI, USN, 388505, reported on board for duty. 2137 LT R. W. JONSTON, USNR, 575659 having completed temporary duty with Fleet Anti-Air Warfare Training Center, returned on board and resumed his regular duties.

WARRANT OFFICER  
JAMES A. J. ...

*J. C. Coffman*  
J. C. COFFMAN  
ENS, USN

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U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.



DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION + > T DATE 7 SEPTEMBER 1962  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM DRY DOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	240	5	6	H	29.89	56	54	10	700	ST	-	-	-
02	240	11	6	H	29.88	56	54	10	700	ST	-	-	-
03	240	12	6	L	29.88	55	53	10	600	ST	-	-	-
04	270	13	6	H	29.87	55	53	10	600	ST	-	-	-
05	235	10	6	OVC	29.86	54	53	10	700	ST	-	-	-
06	270	10	6	OVC	29.85	54	53	10	600	ST	-	-	-
07	250	9	4	OVC	29.86	54	53	10	500	ST	-	-	-
08	230	8	4	OVC	29.87	55	53	10	500	ST	-	-	-
09	235	9	4	OVC	29.87	56	54	10	500	ST	-	-	-
10	240	10	4	OVC	29.87	56	54	10	500	ST	-	-	-
11	240	10	4	OVC	29.87	56	54	10	500	ST	-	-	-
12	240	8	6	OVC	29.87	58	55	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
13	290	9	7	OVC	29.86	59	55	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
14	235	12	7	OVC	29.86	60	55	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
15	235	10	7	OVC	29.86	61	56	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
16	200	8	7	OVC	29.82	59	55	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
17	190	10	7	OVC	29.85	59	56	10	700	ST	-	-	-
18	135	13	7	OVC	29.81	59	54	10	1200	ST	-	-	-
19	140	12	10	ST	29.80	56	54	4	500	ST	-	-	-
20	145	8	8	ST	29.80	56	54	4	500	ST	-	-	-
21	170	9	7	OVC	29.80	55	54	10	700	ST	-	-	-
22	210	9	7	OVC	29.80	56	54	10	900	ST	-	-	-
23	225	8	8	OVC	29.79	56	54	10	900	ST	-	-	-
24	270	7	10	ST	29.77	56	54	9	900	ST	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L	BY	
λ	BY	
1200		
L	BY	
λ	BY	
2000		
L	BY	
λ	BY	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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TABLE II  
 SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT 5-8)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	WIND			Visi-bil-ity (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Baro-meter Cor-rected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS					
		Occi-dent (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)		Total Cloud Amt (00-36)	Direction (True)	Speed (True) (Knots)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds C <sub>L</sub> (0-10)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Amount of Clouds C <sub>M</sub> (0-10)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)
		Y	Q	L <sub>0</sub> L <sub>1</sub> L <sub>2</sub> L <sub>3</sub>		L <sub>0</sub> L <sub>1</sub> L <sub>2</sub>	GG	N		dd	ff			VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
SET	
DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
MID. λ	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY (0-9)	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE								
			Amount (Eighths)	Type	Height				Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator (00-36)	Direction	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation		
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	#	DP	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>z</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e	

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UNITED STATES SHIP

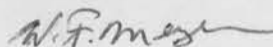
CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Saturday 8 September

19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, San Francisco California. Receiving miscellaneous services from the pier. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), USS WASHBURN (AKA-108), USS RAINIER (AE-5), USS DIODON (SS-341), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS CRAIG (DD-885), plus various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. This ship is in condition of readiness six. 0035 ROSS, L. L., 391 03 46, ETR3, USN and ALBRECHT, J. H., 492 89 16, PH2, USN returned aboard having completed TAD as Shore Patrol. 0115 Received report that TARDE, J. M., 539 52 64, EM3, USN, and SNOW, W. (n), 474 90 41, AO3, USN returned aboard having completed TAD as Shore Patrol.



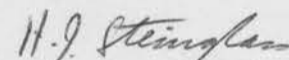
W. F. MEYER  
LTJG, USN

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0644 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations. New absentees: HARR, J. R., 390 40 25, SA, USN.



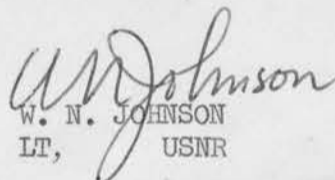
G. W. BILLMYER  
LTJG, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0800 EVANS, F. R., 534 93 73, BTFA, USN was released from confinement for safekeeping and restored to duty by order of the Commanding Officer. DONCHECK, E., 598 53 96, AA, USN was released from confinement for safekeeping and restored to duty by order of the Commanding Officer.



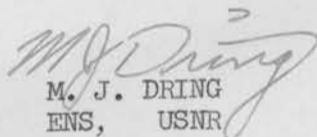
H. J. STEINGLASS  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.




W. N. JOHNSON  
LT, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.



M. J. DRING  
ENS, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1814 Held fire drill. 1821 Secured from fire drill. 1928 Observed sunset.



R. R. SKEEN  
LT, USN


20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.



D. L. JONES  
LTJG, USNR

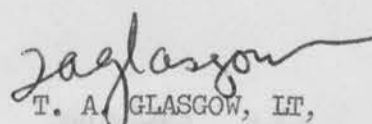
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U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7 DATE 8 SEPTEMBER 19 62
AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4, SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

Table with 14 columns: ZONE TIME, WIND (Direction, Force), VISIBILITY, WEATHER, BAROMETER, TEMPERATURE (Dry Bulb, Wet Bulb), CLOUDS (Amount, Height, Type), SEA WATER TEMPERATURE, WAVES (Direction, Height). Contains 24 rows of observations.

Table with 3 columns: POSITION, ZONE, TIME. Rows for 0800, 1200, 2000 with sub-rows for L and lambda.

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL, 2 - ELECTRONIC, 3 - VISUAL, 4 - D. R.

Table with 1 column: CURRENT DATA. Fields for FROM, TO, SET, DRIFT, POSITION BETWEEN FIXES, MID. L, MID. lambda.

Table with 1 column: CURRENT DATA. Fields for FROM, TO, SET, DRIFT, POSITION BETWEEN FIXES, MID. L, MID. lambda.

TABLE II
SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

Table with 14 columns: ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION, Day of week, POSITION OF SHIP, TIME, Total Cloud Amt, WIND, WEATHER, PRES-SURE, Air Temp, CLOUDS. Includes a grid for data entry.

Table with 1 column: CURRENT DATA. Fields for FROM, TO, SET, DRIFT, POSITION BETWEEN FIXES, MID. L, MID. lambda.

Table with 24 columns: Course of Ship, Speed of Ship, 3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY, SIGNIFICANT CLOUD, WAVES, WAVES, ICE. Includes a grid for data entry.

Table with 1 column: MILES STEAMED 0000-2400.

Table with 1 column: FUEL CONSUMED 0000-2400.

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J.F. Davis

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43)Sunday 9 September19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, San Francisco, California. Receiving miscellaneous services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS WASHBURN (AKA-108), USS RAINIER (AE-5), plus various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. This ship is in condition of readiness six.

*J. T. Kennedy*  
J. T. KENNEDY  
LTJG, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0643 Observed sunrise.

*B. F. Haverfield*  
B. F. HAVERFIELD  
LT, USN

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0715 Mustered the duty section on station. New Absentees: CARNEY, C. C., 791 80 90, SH3, USN, UA from 0700, 9 Sept 1962; HOWE, R. L., 541 55 09, FA, USN, UA from 0715, 9 Sept 1962.

*C. L. Putnam*  
C. L. PUTNAM  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. G. Huemoller*  
R. G. HUEMOELLER  
ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*K. J. Fontenot Jr.*  
K. J. FONTENOT Jr.  
CAPT, USMC

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1927 Observed sunset.

*T. S. Henderson*  
T. S. HENDERSON  
LTJG, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*L. M. Dierdorff*  
L. M. DIERDORFF  
LT, USN

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EXAMINED:

*B. M. Elder*  
B. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION + 7<sup>+</sup> DATE 9 SEPTEMBER 19 62  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	300	5	7	OVC	2983	55	54	10	400	ST	-	-	-
02	270	6	7	OVC	2983	55	54	10	300	ST	-	-	-
03	270	8	6	OVC	2984	56	55	10	300	ST	-	-	-
04	270	8	3	F	2984	55	54	10	200	ST	-	-	-
05	270	7	4	F	2985	55	54	10	200	ST	-	-	-
06	320	4	3	F	2986	55	54	10	100	ST	-	-	-
07	310	4	4	F	2986	55	54	10	200	ST	-	-	-
08	270	2	4	F	2988	55	54	10	300	ST	-	-	-
09	270	3	4	F	2989	57	53	10	600	ST	-	-	-
10	270	8	4	F	2991	58	53	10	600	ST	-	-	-
11	290	12	5	F	2994	58	53	10	600	ST	-	-	-
12	280	10	6	SCT	2988	57	53	5	600	ST	-	-	-
13	280	13	7	SCT	2988	57	55	5	800	ST	-	-	-
14	290	12	7	SCT	2988	57	53	3	800	ST	-	-	-
15	290	13	7	SCT	2989	58	53	3	800	ST	-	-	-
16	290	16	7	SCT	2990	56	54	2	800	ST	-	-	-
17	270	18	6	SCT	2991	63	53	1	1100	ST	-	-	-
18	270	21	6	SCT	2991	63	55	1	1100	ST	-	-	-
19	270	21	6	SCT	2991	63	55	1	1100	ST	-	-	-
20	270	16	6	BKN	2991	57	55	6	600	ST	-	-	-
21	270	14	7	BKN	2992	57	56	6	600	ST	-	-	-
22	270	15	7	BKN	2993	56	54	6	600	ST	-	-	-
23	270	12	7	SCT	2994	56	54	2	600	ST	-	-	-
24	270	10	7	SCT	2995	56	54	1	600	ST	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
 3 - VISUAL  
 4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

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TABLE II  
 SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	WIND			VISI-BIL-ITY (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS						
		Octant	Latitude	Longitude		Total Cloud Amt	Direction	Speed		Present	Past			Amount of Clouds	Type	Height	Type	Height	Type	Height
		(1-7) (GMT)	(0-3, 5-8) (Degrees and tenths)	(Degrees and tenths)		(00-36) (Degrees)	(True) (Knots)	(True) (Knots)		(00-99)	(00-99)			(0-9)	(0-9) L	(0-9) M	(0-9) H	(0-9) L	(0-9) M	(0-9) H
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19		
	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>		

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____	(ZT) _____ (Date)
TO _____	(ZT) _____ (Date)
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE							
		Characteristic (0-9)	Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	h	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>1</sub>	r	e
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MILES STEAMED  
 0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
 0000-2400

EXAMINED

*J. J. Davis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)Monday 10 September19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIR-ALAMEDA, SUB-SOPA is Commanding Officer USS HANCOCK (CVA-19). Ships present include HANCOCK, USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS WASHBURN (AKA-108), USS RAINIER (AE-5), plus various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Condition of readiness is six. 0130 SKINNER, Crosby L., 792 48 31, AN, USN, reported aboard for duty.

*T. R. Scheck*  
T. R. SCHECK  
LTJG, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0630 WOOD, Donald, E., AN, 370 63 39, having been UA from 0700, 7 Sept 1962 returned on board. 0646 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew at quarters. New absentees: BELL, T. K., 531 88 78, DK3, USN, UA from 0700, this date; SPANGLER, J. B., 583 56 87, AN, USN, UA from 0645 this date; RICHARDSON, J. M., 526 30 47, MM2, USN, UA from 0700 this date; LUCERO P. J., 481 24 11, BT2, USN, UA from 0700 this date. Absentees returned: HARR, J. R., 390 40 25, SA, USN, returned at 0700 this date, having been UA since 0700, 8 Sept 1962; CARNEY, C. C., 791 80 90, SH3, returned at 0700 this date, having been UA since 0700, 9 Sept 1962; HOWE, R. L., 541 55 09, FA, USN, returned at 2310, 9 Sept 1962 having been UA since 0700, 9 Sept 1962.

*M. D. Swartz*  
M. D. SWARTZ  
ENS, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0811 MATTAPONI got underway from berth 1 and stood out of the harbor. 0900 The Summary Court Martial, LCDR R. J. W. KLIMETZ, convened in the case of THOMPSON, T. E., 546 63 84, SA, USN. 0915 USS BENNINGTON (CVS-20) anchored in explosive anchorage berth 14. LUCERO, P. J., 481 24 11, BT2, returned aboard having been UA since 0700, 9 Sept 1962. 0920 Pursuant to BUPERS orders 157168, LTJG Dennis H. VIED, USN, 641815/1100 was detached from this ship to report to Guided Missile School, Damnek, Virginia. 0940 The Summary Court Martial, LCDR R. J. W. KLIMETZ adjourned.

*T. R. Scheck*  
T. R. SCHECK  
LTJG, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1130 RICHARD, James, 526 30 47, MM2, returned aboard having been UA since 0700 this date. 1130 BELL, Terrence K., 531 88 78, DK3, returned aboard having been UA since 0700 this date. 1320 In accordance with BUPERS orders 162209, LT Donald F. MELHORN, Jr., USNR, 645054, reported on board for duty. 1500 THOMPSON, Truman Eugene, 546 63 84, SA, USN, was placed in confinement for seven days in execution of Summary Court Martial adjudged this date. 1520 USS BENNINGTON (CVS-20) stood out of the harbor.

*S. A. Finkelstein*  
S. A. FINKELSTEIN  
ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1652 Held fire drill. 1705 Secured from Fire drill.

*D. J. Counsell*  
D. J. COUNSELL  
LT, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1925 Observed sunset.

*T. S. Henderson*  
T. S. HENDERSON  
LTJG, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Elascov*  
T. A. ELASCOV, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

UNITED STATES SHIP

CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Monday 10 September

1962

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

SMOOTH REMARKS--CONTINUED

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before. 2300 While on liberty, ERNEY, Ronald L, 145 60 39, PFC, USMC fell and struck right hand. Treatment administered: bandaged and splinted. Disposition: sent to Naval Shipyard dispensary.

*P. J. Weaver*  
P. J. WEAVER  
LT, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT, U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT, U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL Sea CUA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7° DATE 10 Sept 1962

AT/PASSAGE FROM: Dry Dock #4 San Francisco Naval Shipyard

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	270	9	7	BKN	29.94	55	53	7	700	ST	-	-	-
02	270	10	7	OVC	29.94	55	53	10	700	ST	-	-	-
03	270	10	6	OVC	29.93	55	53	10	700	ST	-	-	-
04	270	12	6	OVC	29.93	55	53	10	600	ST	-	-	-
05	270	11	6	OVC	29.93	54	52	10	600	ST	-	-	-
06	270	12	6	OVC	29.93	54	52	10	700	ST	-	-	-
07	270	8	5	OVC	29.94	55	53	10	800	ST	-	-	-
08	260	9	7	OVC	29.96	57	54	10	700	ST	-	-	-
09	260	10	7	OVC	29.97	57	54	10	800	ST	-	-	-
10	260	9	7	OVC	29.98	57	55	10	800	ST	-	-	-
11	260	8	7	OVC	29.99	59	55	10	800	ST	-	-	-
12	260	9	7	OVC	29.99	61	56	10	1400	ST	-	-	-
13	285	11	8	BKN	29.99	64	57	9	1500	ST	-	-	-
14	285	11	8	BKN	29.99	64	57	9	1500	ST	-	-	-
15	275	13	10	ST	29.98	65	57	2	1500	ST	-	-	-
16	270	13	10	ST	29.97	63	57	1	1500	ST	-	-	-
17	270	11	10	ST	29.97	63	58	1	1500	ST	-	-	-
18	270	10	8	ST	29.95	62	56	1	1100	ST	-	-	-
19	270	8	8	ST	29.95	60	55	1	1000	ST	-	-	-
20	270	8	8	ST	29.95	55	53	1	1000	ST	-	-	-
21	270	10	7	OVC	29.96	55	53	10	600	ST	-	-	-
22	270	10	7	OVC	29.96	55	53	10	600	ST	-	-	-
23	250	8	6	OVC	29.97	57	55	10	600	ST	-	-	-
24	240	7	6	OVC	29.96	55	54	10	500	ST	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L	BY	
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1200		
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2000		
L	BY	
λ	BY	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
2 - ELECTRONIC  
3 - VISUAL  
4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
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CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
SET	
DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
MID. λ	

TABLE II  
SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT 5-8)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT (Date)	Total Cloud Amt (00-36)	WIND		Visi-bil-ity (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb) (°F)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS						
		Occur-ent (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds L (0-10)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-3)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (0-800)	Amount of Clouds M (0-10)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-3)	Height C <sub>M</sub> (0-300)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)
		Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>s</sub>			L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>l</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG		N	dd			ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19		

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
SET	
DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
MID. λ	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE								
		Characteristic (0-9)	Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation	
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e	

MILES STEAMED  
0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
0000-2400

EXAMINED

*J. F. Davis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR



UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Tuesday 11 September

19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. SUB-SOPA is Commanding Officer, USS HANCOCK (CVA-19). Ships present include HANCOCK, USS ARCHER-FISH (AGSS-311), USS CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS WASHBURN (AKA-108), USS RAINIER (AE-5), plus various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Readiness condition is six. 0005 JENSEN, Ronald J., 371 05 02, SA, USN, was taken at 2115, 10 Sept 1962 from his residence at 145 Carrier Court, NAS Alameda to Naval hospital, Oakland, California. Naval dispensary's diagnosis (du) undetermined situational reaction suicide. 0030 OSWALD, John G., 541 19 71, SA, USN, returned on board having been AWOL since 0700, 31 August 1962, and was placed in confinement for safekeeping by order of the Commanding Officer.

*F. L. Rusby*  
F. L. RUSBY  
ENS, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0445 WERLY, H. R., 593 15 62, FA, USN, returned on board having been UA since 0700, 6 Sept 1962. 0535 WERLY, H. R., 593 15 62, FA, USN was placed in confinement for safekeeping by order of the Commanding Officer. 0647 Observed sunrise. 0700 MATTAPONI got underway and stood out of the harbor. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations. No new absentees.

*R. A. Fiddaman*  
R. A. FIDDAMAN  
LTJG, USN

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1012 USS WASHBURN (AKA-108) stood into the harbor, destination pier 8.

*J. O. Emry*  
J. O. EMRY  
LT, USN

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1233 The Summary Court Martial, LT P. J. WEAVER, USN, opened in the case of HOLIFIELD, R. L., 593 33 94, AA, USN. 1302 The Summary Court Martial in the case of HOLIFIELD, R. L., 593 33 94, AA, USN, adjourned. Sentence: to forfeit twenty-five dollars a month for one month to be confined at hard labor for thirty days, and to be reduced to next inferior rate, from E-2 to E-1. The Commanding Officer as convening authority approved and ordered executed only so much of this sentence as provides for forfeiture of twenty-five a month for one month, confinement at hard labor for thirty days, and reduction in rate from E-2 to E-1.

*B. O. Gervlak*  
B. O. GERVLAK  
ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. C. Evans*  
R. C. EVANS  
LT, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1924 Observed sunset.

*R. B. Buswell*  
R. B. BUSSELL  
LT, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43) Tuesday 11 September 1962  
 (DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

SMOOTH REMARKS--CONTINUED

09-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. H. Zinn*  
R. H. ZINN  
LTJG, USNR

09-23 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. H. Zinn*  
R. H. ZINN  
LTJG, USNR

09-22 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. H. Zinn*  
R. H. ZINN  
LTJG, USNR

09-21 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. H. Zinn*  
R. H. ZINN  
LTJG, USNR

09-20 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. H. Zinn*  
R. H. ZINN  
LTJG, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
**R. M. ELDER, CAPT,** U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
**T. A. GLASGOW, LT,** U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG - WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION + 7<sup>T</sup> DATE 11 SEPTEMBER 1962  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	240	9	7	OVC	2996	56	55	10	700	ST	-	-	-
02	240	9	7	OVC	2996	56	55	10	700	ST	-	-	-
03	250	8	6	OVC	2994	55	54	10	400	ST	-	-	-
04	260	7	7	OVC	2993	56	54	10	500	ST	-	-	-
05	230	7	6	OVC	2992	55	54	10	700	ST	-	-	-
06	260	6	7	OVC	2992	56	54	10	800	ST	-	-	-
07	200	4	7	OVC	2992	57	55	10	800	ST	-	-	-
08	200	5	7	BKN	2992	57	55	9	800	ST	-	-	-
09	180	5	7	OVC	2993	59	56	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
10	180	5	7	OVC	2993	59	56	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
11	220	6	7	OVC	2994	61	58	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
12	230	7	8	SCT	2994	64	59	4	1100	ST	-	-	-
13	280	6	10	CLR	2992	68	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	270	11	10	CLR	2991	68	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	270	8	10	CLR	2990	70	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	230	10	10	CLR	2988	70	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	270	10	10	CLR	2987	69	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	280	11	10	CLR	2986	67	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	280	11	10	CLR	2986	64	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	270	12	10	CLR	2988	59	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	280	8	10	CLR	2987	58	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	280	9	10	CLR	2988	58	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	270	10	10	CLR	2988	58	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	270	10	10	CLR	2986	58	55	-	-	-	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
2000		
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λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
 3 - VISUAL  
 4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
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TO _____	(Date)
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DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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MID. λ _____	

TABLE II  
 SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7 GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	WIND				VISIBILITY (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS					
		Oc-tant (0-3, 5-8)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)		Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)	Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)		Amount of Clouds C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)			Height C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)			
																		2	3	4
1	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>		

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____	(Date)
TO _____	(Date)
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE							
		Characteristic (0-9)	Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation
D <sub>s</sub>	v <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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				8				0			1				1								

MILES STEAMED  
 0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
 0000-2400

EXAMINED

*J. Davis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Wednesday 12 September 1962

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. SUB-SOPA is Commanding Officer, USS HANCOCK (CVA-19). Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS JOHN B CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS WASHBURN (AKA-108), USS RAINIER (AE-5), and various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Condition of readiness six.

*J. C. Coffman*  
J. C. COFFMAN  
ENS, USN

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0648 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered crew on stations.

*W. F. Meyer*  
W. F. MEYER  
LTJG, USN

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0938 Received muster report. New absentees: DOCKERY, G. H., 472 92 58, SA, from 0500, 12 Sept 1962. 0845 Special Court Martial board No. 1, LCDR R. R. COCHRANE, senior member, appointed by the Commanding Officer serial L-43-62 of 5 May 1962 convened in the case of BURDICK, M. K., 592 84 16, FA, USN. 1015 The Commanding Officer of USS HANCOCK (CVA-19) came aboard. 1115 Special Court Martial board No. 1, LCDR R. R. COCHRANE senior member in the case of BURDICK, M. K., 592 84 16, FA, USN adjourned. 1145 Commanding Officer USS HANCOCK (CVA-19) departed.

*R. W. Johnston*  
R. W. JOHNSTON  
LT, USNR

12-16 Resting in keel blocks as before. 1217 In accordance with BUPERS message 09156Z March ENS George N. MADDOX, USN, 657971 reported on board for duty. 1303 USS KOINER (DER-331) stood into harbor and moored starboard side to pier 7, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco California. 1419 SPENCER, Michael Gene, 370 61 02, FR, USN was released from confinement and transferred to Commanding Officer brig, U. S. Naval Receiving Station, Treasure Island, San Francisco, for confinement and further disposition as directed by Commanding Officer, U. S. Naval Receiving Station, Treasure Island, San Francisco, California.

*W. N. Johnson*  
W. N. JOHNSON  
LT, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*J. M. Sobierski*  
J. M. SOBIERSKI  
ENS, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1921 Observed sunset.

*R. Jackson*  
R. JACKSON  
LTJG, USNR

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*B. F. Haverfield*  
B. F. HAVERFIELD  
LT, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7 (T) DATE 12 SEPTEMBER 19 67  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	270	10	10	CLR	29.88	57	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
02	270	8	10	CLR	29.88	58	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
03	320	4	10	CLR	29.88	55	54	-	-	-	-	-	-
04	300	2	10	CLR	29.89	56	53	-	-	-	-	-	-
05	225	7	10	SCT	29.89	56	53	4	1200	ST	-	-	-
06	225	6	10	SCT	29.89	56	53	3	1200	ST	-	-	-
07	270	7	10	SCT	29.93	56	53	4	1200	ST	-	-	-
08	270	12	10	SCT	29.94	57	54	4	1200	ST	-	-	-
09	270	11	10	SCT	29.96	60	57	3	700	ST	-	-	-
10	270	11	10	SCT	29.96	61	56	3	700	ST	-	-	-
11	270	11	10	BKN	29.97	61	57	7	500	ST	-	-	-
12	240	8	10	CLR	29.97	65	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	240	7	10	CLR	29.97	68	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	220	10	10	CLR	29.97	68	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	220	10	10	CLR	29.97	68	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	270	11	10	CLR	29.95	68	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	270	18	10	CLR	29.94	67	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	270	21	10	CLR	29.93	67	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	270	17	10	CLR	29.94	64	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	270	11	10	CLR	29.95	61	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	270	14	10	CLR	29.96	60	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	270	14	10	CLR	29.96	59	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	270	5	10	CLR	29.96	59	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	270	7	10	CLR	29.96	59	57	-	-	-	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
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TABLE II  
 SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	WIND			Visi-bil-ity (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Occi-dent (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)		Direction (00-36)	Speed (Knots)	Present		Past	Amount of Clouds (0-9)			Type C (0-9)	Height C (000-8000)	Type M (0-9)	Type H (0-9)	
		Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub> L <sub>d</sub>		L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>1</sub> L <sub>2</sub>	GG	N		dd	ff			VV	ww	W	PPP	TT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
MID. λ	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD					Indicator	Diff See Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE							
			Amount (Eighths)	Type	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)				Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation			
D <sub>s</sub>	v <sub>s</sub>	e	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e	
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MILES STEAMED  
 0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
 0000-2400

EXAMINED

*J. F. Davis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Thursday 13 September, 19 62  
(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIR-ALAMEDA. SUB-SOPA is Commanding Officer, USS HANCOCK (CVA-19). Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS JOHN B CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS WASHBURN (AKA-108), USS RAINIER (AE-5), USS KOINER (DER-331), and various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Condition of readiness six. 0140 MAULL, C. L., 585 89 33, SN, returned on board having been AWOL since 0700, 21 August 1962. 0200 MAULL, C. L., 585 89 33, SN was placed in confinement for safekeeping by order of the Command Duty Officer, CDR A. F. BARNES.

*D. L. Jones*  
D. L. JONES  
LTJG, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0649 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations. New absentees: LUCERO, P. J., 481 24 11, BT2, UA from 0700 this date; LAFFERTY, J. K., 582 75 34, FA, UA from 0700 this date; LOE, J. L., 521 32 82, DMSN, UA from 0500 this date; ALMERAZ, T. M., 319 45 06, SN, UA from 0700 this date. Absentees returned: BINES, J. (n), 281 77 53, TN, UA from 0700, 6 Sept 1962; MAUL, C. L., 585 89 33, SN, UA from 0700 21 Aug 1962.

*J. T. Kennedy*  
J. T. KENNEDY  
LTJG, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0800 BINES, J. (n), TN, was placed in confinement for safekeeping by order of the Commanding Officer.

*J. A. Shuler*  
J. A. SHELER  
LTJG, USN

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1435 By direction of the Commanding Officer, WERLY, H. R., 593 15 62, FA, USN was released from confinement.

*C. L. Putnam*  
C. L. PUTNAM  
ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1658 Sounded fire quarters. 1700 Secured from fire drill.

*J. J. Cox*  
J. J. COX  
LTJG, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1845 USS WASHBURN (AKA-108) got underway and stood out of the harbor. 1921 Observed sunset.

*K. J. Fontenot*  
K. J. FONTENOT  
CAPT, USMC

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before. 2030 ALMERAZ, T. M., 319 45 06, SN, USN, returned aboard having been AWOL since 0700 this date.

*J. E. Lowry*  
J. E. LOWRY  
LTJG, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS COGAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7 (T) DATE 13 SEPTEMBER 1962

AT/PASSAGE FROM DRY DOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO NAVAL SHIP YARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	240	5	8	BKN	29.96	58	57	7	800	ST	-	-	-
02	240	4	7	BKN	29.97	58	57	6	800	ST	-	-	-
03	240	2	7	BKN	29.97	59	57	8	1100	ST	-	-	-
04	240	2	7	OV	29.97	59	57	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
05	240	3	7	OV	29.97	59	57	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
06	240	7	7	OV	29.97	60	58	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
07	240	6	8	OV	29.98	60	58	10	500	ST	-	-	-
08	CA	LM	10	OV	29.98	60	57	10	500	ST	-	-	-
09	CA	LM	7	OV	30.00	60	58	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
10	240	4	8	OV	30.01	62	59	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
11	240	4	8	OV	30.01	63	59	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
12	240	4	8	OV	30.01	64	59	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
13	095	4	8	OV	30.02	69	61	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
14	240	4	8	BKN	30.02	72	63	7	1800	ST	-	-	-
15	270	4	8	SCT	30.02	72	64	4	2000	ST	-	-	-
16	270	16	8	CLR	30.00	72	63	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	270	14	8	SCT	29.99	70	63	3	700	ST	-	-	-
18	270	10	7	SCT	30.00	69	62	3	600	ST	-	-	-
19	270	8	6	SCT	29.99	64	61	3	500	ST	-	-	-
20	270	10	6	BKN	29.99	61	59	7	500	ST	-	-	-
21	270	6	7	SCT	30.00	61	59	3	500	ST	-	-	-
22	270	8	7	SCT	29.98	60	59	4	500	ST	-	-	-
23	270	8	7	SCT	29.99	59	58	2	500	ST	-	-	-
24	CA	LM	7	OV	29.99	59	58	10	500	ST	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
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TABLE II  
 SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week	POSITION OF SHIP				TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt	WIND		Visibility	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Oc-tant (1-7) (GMT)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)	Speed (Knots)			Direction (True)	Present		Past	Amount of Clouds L (0-9)			Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (Feet)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)	
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD	Indicator	Diff Sea Air	Dew Point	WAVES			WAVES			ICE										
							Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation					
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	e	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>z</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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				8				0			1					1							
				8				0			1					1							
				8				0			1					1							

MILES STEAMED  
0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
0000-2400

EXAMINED

*J. J. Lewis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43) Friday 14 September, 1962  
(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIR-ALAMEDA. SUB-SOPA is Commanding Officer, USS HANCOCK (CVA-19). Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS JOHN R. CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS RAINIER (AE-5), USS KOINER (DER-331), and various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Condition of readiness six.

*D. R. Stewart*  
D. R. STEWART  
ENS, USN

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0650 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew at quarters. Absentees: RHEA, J. W., 535 85 44, AN; RODRIGUES, A. C., 533 77 48, AN; HAMMOND, J. F., 533 44 77, AO3; WILLIAMS, D. W., 528 72 39, BT2; ESPINOZA, L. R., 534 90 65, EM3; HORSFALL, R. W., 540 41 02, FN, all AWOL since 0700 this date. Absentees returned: ALMERAZ, T. M., 319 45 06, SN; LOE, J. L., 521 32 82, DMSN; LAFFERTY, J. K., 583 75 34, FA; LUCERO, P. T., 481 21 11, BT2.

*D. L. Armstrong*  
D. L. ARMSTRONG  
ENS, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*F. L. Rusby*  
F. L. RUSBY  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1207 The Special Court Martial, LCDR R. P. SMITH convened at 0845 in the case of POWELL, Henry L., 543 90 72, AN, USN. 1209 The Special Court Martial, LCDR R. P. SMITH, adjourned at 1037 in the case of POWELL, Henry L., 543 90 72, AN, USN. 1210 By order of the Commanding Officer, POWELL, H. L., 543 90 72, AN, USN was placed in confinement for safekeeping pending approval of sentence by Special Court Martial in the ships brig. 1215 By order of the Commanding Officer, WOOD, D. E., AN, USN 870 63 39, was placed in confinement for four days. 1300 By order of the Commanding Officer, BINES, J. (n), 281 77 53, TN, USN was released from confinement at 1252. 1310 Captains mast was held at 1100 and the following non-judicial punishments and trials by Court Martial were awarded: ACKOM, F. E., 513 75 01, FN, USN, larceny of government property, warning; WOOD, D. E., 370 63 39, AN, USN, UA from 0700, 7 Sept 1962 to 0630, 10 Sept 1962, four days confinement; RICHARDSON, J. M., 526 30 37, MM2, USN, UA from 0700, 10 Sept 1962 to 1130, 10 Sept 1962, reduction in rate suspended six months; BINES, J. N., 281 77 53, TN, USN, UA from 0700, 6 Sept 1962 to 0720, 13 Sept 1962, warning; MAUL, C. L., 585 89 33, SN, USN, UA from 0700, 21 Aug 1962 to 0140, 13 Sept 1962, Special Court Martial; OSWALD, J. S., 541 19 71, SA, USN; failure to obey an order, UA from 0700 31 Aug 1962 to 0030, 11 Sept 1962; Summary Court Martial; WESTCOAT, C. (n), 903 11 04, SN, USN, drunk and disorderly as a minor; warning.

*H. D. Gibson*  
H. D. GIBSON  
LTJG, USN

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1540 MAULL, Charles L., 585 89 33, SN, USN, was released from confinement for safekeeping by order of the Commanding Officer. 1615 CWO-3 Gerald Orlando PALERMO, USN, 542671, having completed temporary duty with U. S. Naval Hospital, Oakland, California, returned on board and resumed his regular duties. 1630 Held fire drill. 1635 Secured from fire drill.

*R. C. Smith*  
R. C. SMITH  
ENS, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.



UNITED STATES SHIP

CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Friday 14 September

19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

SMOOTH REMARKS--CONTINUED

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1730 HORSFALL, R. J. W., 540 41 02, FN, USN returned on board having been AWOL since 0700 this date. 1919 Observed sunset.

*S. A. Finkelstein*  
S. A. FINKELSTEIN  
ENS, USNR

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1930 Mustered the duty section at quarters. Absentees None.

*J. A. Shepherd*  
J. A. SHEPHERD  
2ndLT USMC

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT, USN

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION 7 (T) DATE 14 SEPTEMBER 1967

AT/PASSAGE FROM DAY OCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	060	10	7	OVC	29.99	59	58	10	500	ST	-	-	-
02	290	8	7	OVC	30.00	58	56	10	400	ST	-	-	-
03	230	10	6	OVC	29.99	58	56	10	400	ST	-	-	-
04	270	7	6	OVC	29.99	58	56	10	400	ST	-	-	-
05	270	8	7	OVC	30.00	59	57	10	400	ST	-	-	-
06	270	6	7	OVC	30.00	59	57	10	400	ST	-	-	-
07	230	4	6	OVC	30.00	58	57	10	400	ST	-	-	-
08	260	8	6	OVC	30.02	58	57	10	500	ST	-	-	-
09	260	10	6	OVC	30.03	59	57	10	500	ST	-	-	-
10	260	4	7	OVC	30.04	60	58	10	600	ST	-	-	-
11	260	5	7	OVC	30.05	61	58	10	700	ST	-	-	-
12	240	5	7	OVC	30.05	65	60	10	700	ST	-	-	-
13	270	2	8	CLR	30.07	67	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	290	9	10	CLR	30.03	68	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	260	10	10	CLR	30.02	70	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	270	10	10	CLR	30.00	69	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	280	8	10	CLR	30.00	68	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	280	10	10	CLR	30.00	68	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	220	6	9	CLR	29.99	67	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	270	6	10	CLR	29.98	62	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	270	4	7	CLR	29.99	60	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	270	4	7	CLR	29.99	60	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	200	4	8	OVC	29.99	59	56	10	700	ST	-	-	-
24	240	4	8	OVC	29.99	59	57	10	700	ST	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
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4 - D. R.

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TABLE II  
SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (Coded)	WIND		Visi-bil-ity (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS					
		Occ-ant (1-7) (GMT)	Latitude (0-3) (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (5-8) (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (00-36) (True)	Speed (Knots) (True)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds C <sub>L</sub> (0-10)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (0-9) (Feet)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)	
		Y	Q	L <sub>0</sub> L <sub>1</sub> L <sub>2</sub> L <sub>3</sub>			L <sub>0</sub> L <sub>1</sub> L <sub>2</sub>	GG		N	dd			ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT
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Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE								
		Amount Change (mb) (0-9)	Character (0-9)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation	
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e	

MILES STEAMED  
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*J. Lewis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Saturday 15 September

19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIR-ALAMEDA. SUB-SOPA is Commanding Officer, USS HANCOCK (CVA-19). Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS JOHN R CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS RAINIER (AE-5), USS KOINER (DER-331), and various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Condition of readiness six. 0020 Pursuant to BUPERS orders 163929 of 9 August 1962, LTJG Timothy R. SCHECK, USNR, 597906, was released to inactive duty.

*T. S. Henderson*  
T. S. HENDERSON  
LTJG, USN

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0651 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the duty section on stations. New absentees: KLINGER, J., 548 74 21, SA, USN, UA from 0730, 15 Sept 1962; MCAEXANDER, R. D., 538 07 12, SN, USN, UA from 0700, 15 Sept 1962. Absentees returned: RODRIGUEZ, A. C., 533 77 48, AN, USN returned on board at 0740, 18 Sept 1962 having been UA from 0700, 14 Aug 1962; HAMMOND, J. F., 533 44 77, AO3, USN returned on board at 1025, 14 Sept 1962 having been UA from 0700, 14 Sept 1962; WILLIAMS, D. W., 570 72 39, BT2, USN, returned on board at 0915, 14 Sept 1962 having been UA from 0730, 14 Sept 1962; HORSFALL, R. W., 540 41 02, FN, USN, returned on board at 1730, 14 Sept 1962 having been UA from 0700, 14 Sept 1962; ESPINOZA, L. R., 534 90 65, EM3, USN, returned on board at 0830, 14 Sept 1962 having been UA from 0700, 14 Sept 1962. Mustered in error: RHEA, J. W., 535 85 53, AN, USN as indicated; LUCERO, P. J., 481 24 11, BT2, USN returned on board at 0710, 14 Sept 1962 vice 0710, 13 Sept 1962.

*W. A. Bennett*  
W. A. BENNETT  
LTJG, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. H. Zinn*  
R. H. ZINN  
LTJG, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1330 USS AEOLUS (ARC-3) stood into the harbor and ited up at berth 3.

*F. L. Wales*  
F. L. WALES  
LT, USN

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*B. O. Gerulak*  
B. O. GERULAK  
ENS, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1918 Observed sunset.

*R. C. Evans*  
R. C. EVANS  
LT, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. B. Busnell*  
R. B. BUSSELL  
LT, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA 43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7(T) DATE 15 SEPTEMBER 1962  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM DRY DOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO NAVAL SHIPYARD TO \_\_\_\_\_

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	230	4	8	ovc	29.98	59	58	10	600	ST	-	-	-
02	230	4	7	ovc	29.98	58	56	10	200	ST	-	-	-
03	280	2	4	F	29.97	57	56	10	200	ST	-	-	-
04	270	2	4	ovc	29.96	56	55	10	300	ST	-	-	-
05	270	5	4	ovc	29.96	57	56	10	300	ST	-	-	-
06	CALM	4	ovc	ovc	29.96	57	56	10	300	ST	-	-	-
07	290	2	3	ovc	29.96	57	56	10	300	ST	-	-	-
08	CALM	2	ovc	ovc	29.97	58	57	10	300	ST	-	-	-
09	CALM	2	ovc	ovc	29.98	59	57	10	300	ST	-	-	-
10	CALM	2	ovc	ovc	29.98	60	59	10	400	ST	-	-	-
11	225	2	2	BKN	29.98	63	59	9	400	ST	-	-	-
12	225	2	4	ST	29.97	65	61	4	400	ST	-	-	-
13	280	6	5	ST	29.94	67	61	4	400	ST	-	-	-
14	315	6	8	ST	29.92	73	63	2	500	ST	-	-	-
15	315	6	8	ST	29.89	77	64	3	500	ST	-	-	-
16	320	8	10	ST	29.87	82	66	2	500	ST	-	-	-
17	270	10	10	ovc	29.85	77	65	10	20,000	CI	-	-	-
18	290	10	10	BKN	29.87	75	65	7	7000	ST	-	-	-
19	230	10	10	BKN	29.87	68	59	8	800	ST	-	-	-
20	000	5	10	ST	29.87	65	59	3	10,000	CS	-	-	-
21	345	2	10	ST	29.89	65	60	2	11,000	CS	-	-	-
22	CALM	10	ST	ST	29.90	62	59	2	10,000	CS	-	-	-
23	250	2	10	ST	29.91	62	58	1	20,000	CS	-	-	-
24	270	3	10	ST	29.91	60	57	1	15,000	CS	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
 3 - VISUAL  
 4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
TO _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
TO _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

TABLE II  
 SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT 5-8)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME (GMT)	WIND			VISI-BIL-ITY (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE (00-99) (0-9)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Oc-tant (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)		Total Cloud Amt (00-36)	Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (Knots) (00-36)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds L (0-10)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)
		Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>		L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N		dd	ff			VV	ww	W	PPP	TT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
TO _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD				Indicator	Diff See Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE						
		Characteristic (0-9)	Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type	Height				Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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MILES STEAMED  
 0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
 0000-2400

EXAMINED

*J. F. Davis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43) Sunday 16 September 19 62  
(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIR-ALAMEDA. SUB-SOPA is Commanding Officer, USS HANCOCK (CVA-19). Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS JOHN R CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS RAINIER (AE-5), USS KOINER (DER-331), USS AEOLUS (ARC-3), and various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Condition of readiness six.

*D. C. Beams*  
D. C. BEAMS  
ENS, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0615 USS AEOLUS (ARC-3) stood out of San Francisco Naval Shipyard to proceed to drydock number five, Bethlehem Steel Company. 0652 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the duty section on stations. New absentees: GLOVER, J. (n), 536 76 25, ABEAN, USN, UA from 0700, 16 Sept 1962; BUSBY, W. E., 546 60 16, AN, USN, UA from 0600, 16 Sept 1962; SINCLAIR, J. W., 350 47 36, AA, USN, UA from 0715, 16 Sept 1962; JAMES, T. G., 428 38 72, EM2, absent over leave from 0800, 15 Sept 1962. Absentees returned: KLINGER J. (n), 548 74 21, SA, USN returned aboard at 1840, 15 Sept 1962 having been UA since 0730 15 Sept.

*W. G. Pilat*  
W. G. PILAT  
ENS, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1030 BUSBY, W. E., 546 60 16, AN, USN, returned on board having been UA since 0600, 16 Sept 1962.

*W. N. Johnson*  
W. N. JOHNSON  
LT, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1500 WALKER, Murray A., 534 70 22, SA, USN, returned on board having been UA since 0730, 16 Sept 1962.

*J. T. Kennedy*  
J. T. KENNEDY  
LTJG, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1600 By order of the Commanding Officer, HALL, J. H., FR, 298 20 16, USN, was released from confinement and restored to duty, following completion of the period of confinement adjudged by sentence of Summary Court Martial. 1600 THOMPSON, T. E., SA, 546 63 84, USN, was released from confinement and restored to duty following completion of the period of confinement adjudged by sentence of Summary Court Martial. 1630 DEMPSEY, J. C., 549 50 55, SA, USN, returned on board having been UA since 0730 this date.

*D. L. Jones*  
D. L. JONES  
LTJG, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1916 Observed sunset.

*B. T. Haverfield*  
B. T. HAVERFIELD  
LT, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. R. Skeen*  
R. R. SKEEN  
LT, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7(F) DATE 16 SEPTEMBER 1962  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD, CALIFORNIA

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	CALM	10	SCT	29.87	60	58	2	20,000	CI	-	-	-	
02	CALM	10	SCT	29.87	61	59	2	20,000	CI	-	-	-	
03	CALM	10	SCT	29.90	59	57	1	20,000	CI	-	-	-	
04	CALM	10	SCT	29.90	59	57	1	20,000	CI	-	-	-	
05	357	2	10	SCT	29.89	58	57	2	20,000	CI	-	-	
06	010	3	10	SCT	29.90	58	56	2	20,000	CI	-	-	
07	360	2	10	BKN	29.90	58	57	6	900	ST	-	-	
08	360	3	10	CLR	29.90	60	58	-	-	-	-	-	
09	330	3	10	CLR	29.90	61	59	-	-	-	-	-	
10	360	4	10	CLR	29.90	65	62	-	-	-	-	-	
11	350	4	10	CLR	29.90	67	64	-	-	-	-	-	
12	330	4	10	CLR	29.90	73	63	-	-	-	-	-	
13	340	4	10	CLR	29.88	76	64	-	-	-	-	-	
14	350	3	10	CLR	29.88	76	64	-	-	-	-	-	
15	270	8	10	CLR	29.96	80	59	-	-	-	-	-	
16	270	8	10	CLR	29.83	84	66	-	-	-	-	-	
17	270	8	10	CLR	29.83	84	66	-	-	-	-	-	
18	315	6	10	CLR	29.82	83	64	-	-	-	-	-	
19	315	5	10	CLR	29.82	77	63	-	-	-	-	-	
20	045	6	10	CLR	29.82	71	61	-	-	-	-	-	
21	045	5	10	CLR	29.82	68	61	-	-	-	-	-	
22	045	3	10	CLR	29.83	66	60	-	-	-	-	-	
23	045	3	10	CLR	29.84	65	60	-	-	-	-	-	
24	045	2	10	CLR	29.83	65	60	-	-	-	-	-	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L	BY	
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1200		
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2000		
L	BY	
λ	BY	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
 3 - VISUAL  
 4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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TABLE II  
 SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (00-99)	WIND		Visibility (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Lat (Degrees and tenths)	Long (Degrees and tenths)	Dir (True) (00-36)			Spd (True) (Knots)	Present (00-99)		Past (0-9)	Amount of Clouds (00-99)			Type C (0-9)	Type L (0-9)	Type H (0-9)	Type M (0-9)	Type W (0-9)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>	L <sub>0</sub> L <sub>1</sub> L <sub>2</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
SET	
DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
MID. λ	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY (0-9)	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD	Indicator	Diff Sea Air	Dew Point	WAVES			WAVES			ICE										
							Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation				
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
D <sub>s</sub>	v <sub>s</sub>	h	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>z</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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				8				0			1				1								

MILES STEAMED  
 0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
 0000-2400

EXAMINED J.F. Lewis

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Monday 17 September

19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIR-ALAMEDA. SUB-SOPA is Commanding Officer, USS HANCOCK (CVA-19). Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS RAINIER (AE-5), USS JOHN R CRAIG (DD-885), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS KOINER (DER-311), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), plus various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Condition of readiness six is set.

*R. Jackson*  
R. JACKSON  
LTJG, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0652 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered crew at quarters for muster, hanger deck parade. New absentees: EARLYWINE, D. A., 540 15 57, SFM3, UA from 0700, 17 Sept 1962; GRESSENS, G. W., 237 49 91, FN, UA from 0700, 17 Sept 1962; YOUNG, E. J., 587 93 86, SA, UA from 0700, 17 Sept 1962; WALKER, M. A., 524 70 22, RMSA, UA from 0730, 16 Sept 1962; TAPPAN, R. T., 587 26 54, SA, UA from 0730, 15 Sept 1962.

*D. E. Zirkle*  
D. E. ZIRKLE  
ENS, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0800 YOUNG, E. J., SN, 687 93 86, reported aboard having been UA from 0700, 17 Sept 1962. 0920 USS RAINIER (AE-5) got underway and stood out of the harbor. 1130 In accordance with BUPERS orders 146369 and 146369(1), CDR John F. DAVIS, 282291, reported on board for duty as Navigator.

*M. D. Swartz*  
M. D. SWARTZ  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1400 HOLLY, L. D., 353 63 84, FA, USN, and CALVIN, C. M., 588 81 59, FN, USN, were released from confinement for safekeeping by order of the Commanding Officer. 1420 In accordance with BUPERS order 164803 of 8 Aug 1962, ENS P. G. PARKER, USNR 664410 reported on board for duty.

*J. A. Sheler*  
J. A. SHELER  
LTJG, USN

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*C. L. Putnam*  
C. L. PUTNAM  
ENS, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1915 Observed sunset.

*J. J. Cox*  
J. J. COX  
LTJG, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*K. J. Fontenot Jr.*  
K. J. FONTENOT Jr.  
CAPT, USMC

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG - WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +17(T) DATE 17 SEPTEMBER 1962  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAKAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	030	4	10	CLR	2983	62	59	—	—	—	—	—	—
02	320	4	10	CLR	2983	62	59	—	—	—	—	—	—
03	340	4	10	CLR	2983	62	59	—	—	—	—	—	—
04	320	3	10	CLR	2982	61	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
05	320	3	10	CLR	2982	61	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
06	320	3	10	CLR	2982	61	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
07	320	3	10	CLR	2983	59	57	—	—	—	—	—	—
08	320	7	7	CLR	2984	58	55	—	—	—	—	—	—
09	320	7	7	CLR	2986	60	57	—	—	—	—	—	—
10	320	7	7	CLR	2988	61	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
11	340	10	7	CLR	2989	64	59	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	310	7	7	CLR	2989	64	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
13	310	8	7	CLR	2989	64	59	—	—	—	—	—	—
14	310	14	7	CLR	2989	67	60	—	—	—	—	—	—
15	310	14	7	CLR	2989	69	61	—	—	—	—	—	—
16	270	16	7	ovc	2989	68	61	10	800	ST	—	—	—
17	270	17	7	ovc	2989	66	61	10	900	ST	—	—	—
18	270	14	7	BKN	2988	63	59	9	1000	ST	—	—	—
19	270	16	7	BKN	2988	62	58	8	800	ST	—	—	—
20	270	13	7	BKN	2900	61	58	7	800	ST	—	—	—
21	270	12	7	BKN	2925	61	58	7	900	ST	—	—	—
22	270	10	7	ovc	2993	61	58	10	1200	ST	—	—	—
23	270	12	7	BKN	2993	62	58	7	1200	ST	—	—	—
24	270	10	7	ovc	2993	61	57	10	1500	ST	—	—	—

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
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LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
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CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
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TABLE II  
 SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT) (5-8)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (Code)	WIND		Visi-bil-ity (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Cor-rected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Occi-dent (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)		Present	Past			Amount of Clouds L <sub>h</sub> (0-10)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Amount of Clouds L <sub>h</sub> (0-10)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>s</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

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FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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MID. λ	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff See Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES				WAVES				ICE					
		Characteristic (0-9)	Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	8	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e

MILES STEAMED  
 0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
 0000-2400

EXAMINED

*J.F. Lewis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR



UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)Tuesday 18 September19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the pier. SOPA is COMFAIR-ALAMEDA. Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS JOHN R CRAIG (DD-885), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS KOINER (DER-331), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), plus various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Material condition of readiness six is set.

*J. E. Lowry*  
J. E. LOWRY  
LTJG, USN

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0653 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations.

*D. R. Stewart*  
D. R. STEWART  
ENS, USN

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0757 Report received, HUNT, W. E., MM2, 524 14 72, USN, fell from his rack and received a forehead laceration not of his own misconduct. Treatment administered by medical department. Disposition: duty. 0800 USS HAMNER (DD-718) got underway and stood out of the harbor. 0901 Pursuant to Commanding Officer's orders of 18 September 1962, LTJG Joseph T. KENNEDY, 645808/1105, USNR left the ship for temporary duty with C. O. Naval Air Station, Alameda. 1100 The Commanding Officer held mast and imposed Non-judicial punishment as follows: CARNEY, C. C., 791 80 90, SH3, USN, offense: unauthorized absence one day. Punishment: Dismissed with warning. MARTINEZ, L. L., 370 53 83, SA, USN offense: misbehavior of a sentinel. Punishment: 4 days brig. 1200 Received daily muster report. New absentees: BALOCCA, J. H., 332 85 37, AA, USN, UA from 0700, 18 Sept 1962; BIDDY, J. E., 587 70 67, AA, USN, UA from 0700, 18 Sept 1962; GEE, C. P., 361 77 07, ABEL, USN, UA from 0700, 18 Sept 1962; ELROD, D. R., 599 38 78, AA, USN, UA from 0500, 18 Sept 1962; HOFFMAN, W. D., 541 19 86, AN, USN, UA from 0700, 18 Sept 1962; MCFRAE, P. M., 350 25 77, AN, USN, UA from 0700, 18 Sept 1962; PLEETS, Q. F., 592 73 27, SA, USN, UA from 0500, 18 Sept 1962; ROMERO, A. A., 529 30 39, FA, USN, UA from 0700, 18 Sept 1962; mustered in error: EARLYWINE, D. A., 540 15 57, SFM3, USN, as indicated; GRESSENS, G. W., 237 49 91, FN, USN, as indicated.

*E. E. Skillman*  
E. E. SKILLMAN  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*F. L. Rusby*  
F. L. RUSBY  
ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*H. D. Gibson*  
H. D. GIBSON  
LTJG, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1725 ROMERO, A. A., 529 30 39, FA, USN returned on board, having been AWOL since 0700, 18 Sept 1962. 1913 Observed sunset. 1900 BALOCCA, J. H., 339 85 37, AA, USN, returned on board having been AWOL since 0700 this date.

*R. C. Smith*  
R. C. SMITH  
ENS, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

UNITED STATES SHIP

CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Tuesday 18 September

19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

SMOOTH REMARKS--CONTINUED

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*S. A. Finkelstein*  
S. A. FINKELSTEIN  
ENS, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT.

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DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7T DATE 18 SEPTEMBER 1962  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM DRY DOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	270	12	7	OVC	29.93	60	56	10	2000	ST	-	-	-
02	250	4	7	OVC	29.94	60	56	10	2100	ST	-	-	-
03	260	8	7	OVC	29.94	62	57	10	2300	ST	-	-	-
04	270	8	8	OVC	29.94	62	57	10	2800	ST	-	-	-
05	270	8	7	OVC	29.94	62	57	10	2800	ST	-	-	-
06	230	6	8	OVC	29.94	62	57	10	3000	ST	-	-	-
07	270	6	10	OVC	29.96	63	57	10	3000	ST	-	-	-
08	260	7	10	OVC	29.98	63	57	10	3000	ST	-	-	-
09	270	7	10	BKN	29.99	63	57	6	3000	ST	-	-	-
10	270	7	10	SCT	29.99	63	58	5	3000	ST	-	-	-
11	270	8	10	SCT	29.99	63	58	5	3000	ST	-	-	-
12	270	8	10	SCT	30.01	69	58	3	3500	SC	-	-	-
13	270	10	10	SCT	30.01	72	60	1	3500	SC	-	-	-
14	270	10	10	CLR	29.99	73	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	270	14	10	CLR	29.96	73	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	270	15	10	CLR	29.96	73	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	280	18	10	CLR	29.97	71	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	270	16	10	CLR	29.97	69	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	270	14	10	CLR	29.95	68	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	270	10	10	CLR	29.94	64	64	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	270	14	10	CLR	29.95	63	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	295	4	10	CLR	29.95	62	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	270	2	10	CLR	29.95	62	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	230	6	10	CLR	29.95	62	55	-	-	-	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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2000		
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LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
 3 - VISUAL  
 4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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TABLE II  
 SYNOPSIS OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPSIS OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	WIND				VISIBILITY (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE (00-99)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS					
		Octent (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)		Total Cloud Amt (00-36)	Direction (True)	Speed (Knots)	Present		Past	Amount of Clouds (0-9)			Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)		
		(5-B)	(Degrees and tenths)	(Degrees and tenths)		(Code)	(00-36)	(Knots)	(00-99)		(0-9)	(mb)			(°F)	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>
1	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT		N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>	

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY (0-9)	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD				Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE							
			Amount (Eighths)	Type	Height	Indicator				Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation		
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	I	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	I	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>z</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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FUEL CONSUMED  
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EXAMINED  
*J. F. Davis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43) Wednesday 19 September 19 62  
 (DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco, Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the pier. SOPA is COMFAIR-ALAMEDA. Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS JOHN R CRAIG (DD-885), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS KOINER (DER-331), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), plus various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Material condition of readiness six is set. 0255 GEE, C. P., 361 77 07, ABEL, USN returned on board having been AWOL since 0700, 18 Sept 1962.

*J. A. Shepherd*  
 J. A. SHEPHERD  
 2nd LT, USMC

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0654 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations.

*W. A. Bennett*  
 W. A. BENNETT  
 LTJG, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0910 Pursuant to BUPERS msg 312038 of August 1962, LT Paul A. CORNETT, USN, 526629, was detached from this ship with orders to report to NAVNUCPOWERSCOL MARE Naval Shipyard, duty under instruction. 1000 The Summary Court Martial, Captain K. J. FONTENOT, USMC, opened at 1000 in the case of OSWALD, J. G., III, 541 19 71, SA, USN, and adjourned at 1045 to await the action of the convening authority. 1047 Received muster report. New absentees: VAUGHIN, C. R., 534 78 64, SFM3, USN; MARVIN, W. R., 585 05 00, FN, USN; HOFFMAN, W. D., 541 19 86, AN, USN; JEPPSON, D. C., 370 20 19, AA, USN, absent without authority from muster.

*J. C. Coffman*  
 J. C. COFFMAN  
 ENS, USN

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. H. Zinn*  
 R. H. ZINN  
 LTJG, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*F. L. Wales*  
 F. L. WALES  
 LT, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1912 Observed sunset. 1907 Fire reported on hangar bay no. 2, port side, electrical fire. 1914 Secured from fire quarters. Light damage to welding equipment.

*B. O. Gerulak*  
 B. O. GERULAK  
 ENS, USNR

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. C. Evans*  
 R. C. EVANS  
 LT, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
 R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
 T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA (CUA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION +7(T) DATE 19 SEPTEMBER 1962  
AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	045	2	10	scT	29.95	59	56	1	3500	ST	-	-	-
02	135	1	10	scT	29.95	58	57	1	1200	ST	-	-	-
03	135	4	10	scT	29.95	58	57	1	1200	ST	-	-	-
04	270	6	10	scT	29.94	58	56	3	1200	ST	-	-	-
05	270	6	10	scT	29.94	58	56	3	1200	ST	-	-	-
06	225	6	10	BKN	29.95	57	56	6	800	ST	-	-	-
07	245	4	10	ovc	29.94	57	56	10	700	ST	-	-	-
08	180	3	7	BKN	29.95	57	55	7	800	ST	-	-	-
09	160	5	7	scT	29.95	60	56	2	900	ST	-	-	-
10	160	7	7	CLR	29.95	62	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	160	6	7	CLR	29.95	64	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	160	6	8	CLN	29.94	68	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	290	10	10	CLN	29.93	72	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	290	12	10	CLN	29.91	71	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	290	20	10	CLN	29.89	71	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	330	21	10	CLN	29.87	71	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	340	20	10	CLR	29.86	69	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	270	18	10	CLR	29.86	68	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	270	18	10	CLR	29.85	65	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	270	20	10	CLR	29.85	61	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	280	20	10	CLR	29.85	60	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	275	20	10	CLR	29.85	60	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	280	17	10	CLR	29.85	59	54	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	290	12	10	CLN	29.85	59	56	-	-	-	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
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λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
2 - ELECTRONIC  
3 - VISUAL  
4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____	(Date)
TO _____	(Date)
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DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
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TABLE II  
SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME (GMT)	WIND			VISI-BIL-ITY (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE (00-99)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Occi-dent (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)		Total Cloud Amt (00-36)	Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (Knots) (00-99)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)
		2	3	4		5	6	7		8	9			10	11	12	13	14
1	Y	Q	L <sub>0</sub> L <sub>0</sub> L <sub>0</sub>	L <sub>0</sub> L <sub>0</sub> L <sub>0</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____	(Date)
TO _____	(Date)
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE							
		Characteristics (0-9)	Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>1</sub>	r	e
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MILES STEAMED  
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FUEL CONSUMED  
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EXAMINED J. P. Davis

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Thursday 20 September

1962

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

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*R. H. Zinn*

R. H. ZINN  
LTJG, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0330 JEPPEPERSON, D. C., 370 20 19, AA, USN, returned on board having been AWOL since 0645, 19 Sept 1962. 0655 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations. New absentees: EMFINGER, D. E., 370 69 45, SN, USN; FISHER, F. E., 540 02 04, SK3, USN; JENSEN, R. H., 470 90 66, SK1, USN; SPRAGUE, F. E., 537 25 22, SK3, USN. Absentees returned: VAUGHN, C. R., 534 78 64, SFM3, USN; MARVIN, W. R., 585 05 00, USN; PLEETS, Q. F., 592 73 27, SA, USN; HOFFMAN, W. R., 541 19 86, USN.

*D. C. Beams*

D. C. BEAMS  
ENS, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. Jackson*

R. JACKSON  
LTJG, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1450 OSWALD, J. G., III, SR, USN, 541 19 71, was placed in confinement in execution of the sentence assigned him by a Special Court Martial. 1509 Fire reported at frame 112, port side, second deck, class "a" fire. 1511 Secured from fire quarters.

*R. R. Skeen*

R. R. SKEEN  
LT, USN

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*S. H. House*

S. H. HOUSE  
LTJG, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1910 Observed sunset.

*R. W. Johnston*

R. W. JOHNSTON  
LT, USNR

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*J. M. Sobierski*

J. M. SOBIERSKI  
ENS, USN

APPROVED:

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*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

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DECK LOG - WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION + 7<sup>T</sup> DATE 20 SEPTEMBER 19 62  
AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	290	10	10	CLR	2985	59	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
02	220	6	10	CLR	2983	57	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
03	320	6	10	SCY	2983	58	56	1	1000	ST	-	-	-
04	270	10	10	BKN	2983	57	55	6	600	ST	-	-	-
05	250	6	10	OVC	2984	57	55	10	600	ST	-	-	-
06	225	7	10	OVC	2984	57	55	10	800	ST	-	-	-
07	225	8	10	OVC	2983	56	54	10	800	ST	-	-	-
08	180	10	10	OVC	2984	56	54	10	800	ST	-	-	-
09	230	6	10	OVC	2984	57	55	10	900	ST	-	-	-
10	090	4	10	OVC	2985	60	55	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
11	180	4	10	CLR	2985	63	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	140	4	10	CLR	2985	66	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	150	2	7	CLR	2984	68	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	250	11	10	CLR	2984	68	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	270	10	10	CLR	2981	72	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	270	10	10	CLR	2980	73	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	270	10	10	CLR	2980	73	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	310	8	10	CLR	2978	65	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	320	7	10	CLR	2977	62	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	270	10	10	CLR	2977	60	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	CALM		10	CLR	2978	57	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	CALM		7	CLR	2978	57	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	210	2	7	CLR	2979	57	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	220	8	7	CLR	2979	59	57	-	-	-	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
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2000		
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λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
2 - ELECTRONIC  
3 - VISUAL  
4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____	(ZT) _____ (Date)
TO _____	(ZT) _____ (Date)
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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CURRENT DATA	
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DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

TABLE II  
SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (Code)	WIND		Visi-bil-ity (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Baro-meter Cor-rected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS					
		Occi-dent (0-3) (5-8)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds C <sub>L</sub> (Code)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (Code)	Amount of Clouds C <sub>H</sub> (Code)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>H</sub> (Code)
		Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>			L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG		N	dd			ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____	(ZT) _____ (Date)
TO _____	(ZT) _____ (Date)
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY Characteristic (0-9)	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD				Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE							
			Amount (Eighths)	Type	Height	Indicator				Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator (00-36)	Direction	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation		
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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MILES STEAMED  
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EXAMINED

*J.F. Davis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Friday 21 September

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(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the pier. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. Ships present include: USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS JOHN R CRAIG (DD-885), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS KOINER (DER-331), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), and various units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Material condition of readiness six is set. 0001 FLEENOR, Robert P. Jr., 592 79 33, FA, USN, AWOL since 0645, 26 Aug 1962 returned on board 2400, 20 Sept 1962 and by order of the Commanding Officer, was placed in confinement for safe-keeping.

*D. E. Zirkle*

D. E. ZIRKLE  
ENS, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0656 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations.

*D. L. Jones*

D. L. JONES  
LTJG, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0930 Received absentee report, no new absentees. Absentees returned: FLEENOR, R. B., FA, 592 79 33, USN. 0935 Pursuant to BUPERS orders 159393, LTJG Ramon VASQUES, USN, 631155/6372 reported aboard for duty. 1130 USS PROCYON (AF-61) stood into the harbor and moored along side berth six.

*L. M. Dierdorff*

L. M. DIERDORFF  
LT, USN

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*M. D. Swartz*

M. D. SWARTZ  
ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1545 By order of the Commanding Officer, MARTINEZ, L. L., SA, 370 53 83, USN was released from confinement awarded by NJP.

*J. A. Sheler*

J. A. SHELER  
LTJG, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1909 Observed sunset.

*C. L. Putnam*

C. L. PUTNAM  
ENS, USNR

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*J. J. Cox*

J. J. COX  
LTJG, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT.

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT.

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.



DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION + 7<sup>(T)</sup> DATE 21 SEPTEMBER 1962

AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4, SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	270	5	7	CLR	29.80	59	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
02	250	6	7	CLR	29.80	59	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
03	250	6	7	CLR	29.80	58	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
04	240	6	7	CLR	29.80	57	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
05	260	6	7	CLR	29.80	56	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
06	270	6	7	CLR	29.80	56	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
07	270	1	7	CLR	29.82	56	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
08	270	1	7	CLR	29.82	56	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
09	155	4	5	SCT	29.84	61	58	3	800	ST	-	-	-
10	270	4	5	SCT	29.84	64	60	2	800	ST	-	-	-
11	270	4	5	SCT	29.84	64	60	1	800	ST	-	-	-
12	000	7	5	H	29.85	66	64	1	800	st	-	-	-
13	300	12	6	H	29.85	70	60	1	800	st	-	-	-
14	260	9	6	H	29.85	70	60	1	800	st	-	-	-
15	290	8	6	H	29.82	71	63	2	800	st	-	-	-
16	330	8	7	CLR	29.88	74	63	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	320	7	7	CLR	29.88	73	63	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	180	4	7	CLR	29.84	70	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	160	1	7	CLR	29.80	66	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	200	4	7	CLR	29.81	63	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	250	7	7	SCT	29.82	60	58	4	800	ST	-	-	-
22	270	6	7	BKN	29.82	58	56	7	800	ST	-	-	-
23	275	7	7	BKN	29.83	57	56	8	800	ST	-	-	-
24	270	8	7	OC	29.84	58	56	10	800	st	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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λ _____	BY _____	
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L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
2 - ELECTRONIC  
3 - VISUAL  
4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
TO _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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MID. λ _____	

TABLE II  
SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPSIS OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (Code)	WIND		Visiblity (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb) (°F)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS					
		Octant (0-3, 5-8)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds C <sub>L</sub> (Code)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (Code)	Amount of Clouds C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
		Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>a</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
TO _____ (ZT) _____ (Date)	
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE							
		Characteristic (0-9)	Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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EXAMINED *J.F. Davis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP

CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Saturday 22 September

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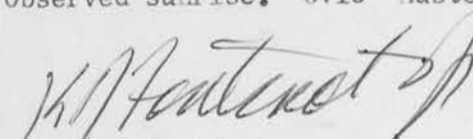
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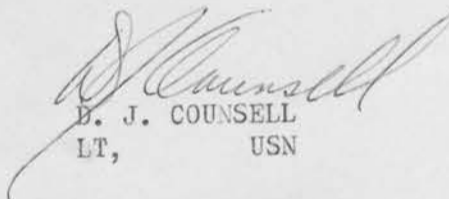
L. W. COOR  
LT, USN

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0656 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations.



K. J. FONTENOT Jr.  
CAPT USMC

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1037 Received daily report of absentees. New absentees: SHELTON, R. V., 350 26 39, USN, UA since 0700 this date; BRIGHT, D. L., 587 27 03, SA, USN, UA since 0700 this date; FLOWERS, A. C., 546 12 87, FN, USN, UA since 0645 this date; BIESTLINE, B. M., 548 58 36, AN, USN, UA since 0645 this date; STRONG, E. D., 537 87 67, PN3, USN, UA since 0715 this date.



E. J. COUNSELL  
LT, USN

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.



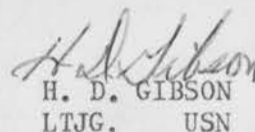
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ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.



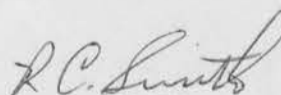
F. L. RUSBY  
ENS, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1851 The USS MATTAPONI (AO-41) stood into berth one. 1907 Observed sunset.



H. D. GIBSON  
LTJG, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.



R. C. SMITH  
ENS, USNR

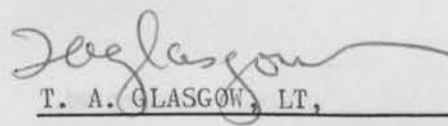
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R. H. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.



T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION +7<sup>(T)</sup> DATE 22 September 19 68  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM Dry Dock IV, SAN FRANCISCO NAVAL SHIPYARD, Hunter's Point, Calif.

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	210	6	7	CL	29.84	57	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
02	290	9	8	CL	29.84	57	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
03	290	11	8	CL	29.84	57	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
04	270	12	8	CLR	29.84	56	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
05	250	7	8	CLR	29.85	56	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
06	270	5	8	CLR	29.86	55	54	-	-	-	-	-	-
07	260	4	7	ovc	29.86	56	55	10	600	ST	-	-	-
08	CALM	5	ovc	29.85	56	56	10	600	ST	-	-	-	-
09	CALM	5	ovc	29.85	58	56	10	600	ST	-	-	-	-
10	CALM	5	ovc	29.87	60	56	10	600	ST	-	-	-	-
11	265	4	5	CLR	29.90	64	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	245	4	6	H	29.90	67	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	260	7	6	H	29.89	70	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	270	9	6	H	29.87	70	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	290	6	6	H	29.86	70	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	290	6	6	H	29.85	67	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	310	5	5	H	29.84	68	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	335	5	5	H	29.84	69	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	335	5	5	H	29.84	60	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	225	4	5	H	29.84	58	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	225	3	6	H	29.85	58	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	CALM	6	H	29.86	57	54	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	CALM	6	H	29.86	56	55	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	270	2	7	H	29.86	56	55	-	-	-	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L	BY	
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LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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TABLE II  
 SYNOPSIS OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPSIS OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (00-36)	WIND		Vis-ibility (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Octant (0-3, 5-8)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)
1	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>a</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
SET	
DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
MID. λ	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff See Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE								
			Amount (Eighths)	Type	Height				Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	PERIOD	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation		
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>1</sub>	r	e
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*J. F. Davis*

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UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)Sunday 23 September19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the pier. SOPA is COMFAIR-ALAMEDA. Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS JOHN R CRAIG (DD-885), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS KOINER (DDR-331), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS PROCYON (AF-61), USS THORE (ARC-4), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), and various units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Material condition "Yoke" is set second deck and below. Condition of readiness six is set. 0015 SHELTON, R. V., 350 26 39, AN, USN returned on board having been UA from 0700, 22 Sept 1962. 0100 CONKLIN, P. E., 547 56 26, FA, USN returned on board having been UA from 2400, 22 Sept 1962.

*S. A. Finkelstein*  
S. A. FINKELSTEIN  
ENS, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0657 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the duty section on stations.

*J. A. Shepherd*  
J. A. SHEPHERD  
2nd LT, USMC

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*H. D. Gibson*  
H. D. GIBSON  
LTJG, USN

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1230 Received daily report of absentees. New absentees: MISTER, L. T., 532 26 48, FN, USN; OREN, D. W., 524 78 70, AN, USN; STROPE, R. I., 537 27 89, SN, USN, all UA since 0700 this date. Absentees returned: SHELTON, R. V., 350 26 39, AN, USN returned at 0015 this date, having been absent since 0700, 22 Sept 1962. 1240 STROPE, T. I., 537 27 89, SN, USN, returned on board having been absent since 0700 this date.

*D. J. Cunnell*  
D. J. COUNSELL  
LT, USN

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*G. C. Wolf*  
G. C. WOLF  
LT, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1905 Observed sunset.

*F. L. Rusby*  
F. L. RUSBY  
ENS, USNR

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. A. Fiddaman*  
R. A. FIDDAMAN  
LTJG, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*T. A. Glasgow*  
T. A. GLASGOW, LT,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7<sup>T</sup> DATE 23 SEPTEMBER 62

AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	290	2	7	H	2986	56	55	1	100	ST	-	-	-
02	300	3	7	H	2986	56	55	1	200	ST	-	-	-
03	310	2	7	H	2985	55	54	1	200	ST	-	-	-
04	340	2	7	CLR	2984	55	54	-	-	-	-	-	-
05	340	2	7	CLR	2984	55	54	-	-	-	-	-	-
06	340	3	2	SCT	2984	55	54	3	100	ST	-	-	-
07	000	4	1	F	2986	53	53	7	200	ST	-	-	-
08	CALM	1	F	2987	53	54	10	200	ST	-	-	-	-
09	CALM	1	F	2987	56	53	3	200	ST	-	-	-	-
10	CALM	1	F	2988	61	58	3	200	ST	-	-	-	-
11	315	4	1	F	2988	61	58	2	200	ST	-	-	-
12	315	5	5	H	2986	65	59	2	500	ST	-	-	-
13	300	5	6	H	2985	70	61	2	800	ST	-	-	-
14	270	6	6	H	2983	72	62	2	1000	ST	-	-	-
15	280	6	6	H	2981	72	62	2	1000	ST	-	-	-
16	280	6	6	H	2981	74	64	2	1000	ST	-	-	-
17	270	9	7	H	2978	73	63	2	1000	ST	-	-	-
18	280	6	7	H	2978	68	61	1	1000	ST	-	-	-
19	290	6	7	H	2977	65	57	1	1000	ST	-	-	-
20	290	6	7	SCT	2978	60	56	5	20000	CI	-	-	-
21	290	6	7	CLR	2979	58	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	280	6	7	CLR	2979	57	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	CALM	7	CLR	2979	56	54	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	280	2	7	CLR	2980	55	53	-	-	-	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L		BY
λ		BY
1200		
L		BY
λ		BY
2000		
L		BY
λ		BY

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
2 - ELECTRONIC  
3 - VISUAL  
4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA

FROM (ZT) (Date)

TO (ZT) (Date)

SET

DRIFT

POSITION BETWEEN FIXES

MID. L

MID. λ

CURRENT DATA

FROM (ZT) (Date)

TO (ZT) (Date)

SET

DRIFT

POSITION BETWEEN FIXES

MID. L

MID. λ

TABLE II  
SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	WIND			VISIBILITY (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS					
		Oc-tant (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)		Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)	Present (00-99)		Past (0-9)	Amount of Clouds (0-9)			Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (Code)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)		
																		Y	Q
1		2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19

CURRENT DATA

FROM (ZT) (Date)

TO (ZT) (Date)

SET

DRIFT

POSITION BETWEEN FIXES

MID. L

MID. λ

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY (0-9)	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD	Indicator	Diff Sea Air	Dew Point	WAVES			WAVES			ICE										
							Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation				
20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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				8				0			1				1								
				8				0			1				1								
				8				0			1				1								
				8				0			1				1								

MILES STEAMED  
0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
0000-2400

EXAMINED

*J. F. Lewis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)Monday 24 September19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the pier. SOPA is COMFAIR-ALAMEDA. Ships present include: USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS JOHN R CRAIG (DD-885), USS HIGBEE (DDR-806), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS ARCHERFISH (AGSS-311), USS PROCYON (AF-61), USS THOR (ARC-4), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), and various units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet yard and district craft. Condition of readiness is six. 2355 BRIGHT, D. L., 587 27 03, SN, USN, returned on board having been AWOL since 0730, 23 Sept 1962.

*R. C. Smith*  
R. C. SMITH  
ENS, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0658 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew at quarters. Absentees: JOHNSON, R. A., 370 50 27, SN, USN; POLLETT, T. G., 371 05 72, SA, USN; HAMMOND, J. F., 533 44 77, A03, USN; FONTES, J. R., 596 99 03, AA, USN; JONES, L. H., 586 25 22, FA, USN; MOAD, S. H., 597 21 92, AA, USN, absent without authority from 0700 this date.

*S. A. Finkelstein*  
S. A. FINKELSTEIN  
ENS, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0815 JOHNSON, R. A., 370 50 27, SN, USN, returned on board having been UA since 0700, this date. 0820 HAMMOND, J. F., 533 44 77, A03, USN, returned on board having been UA since 0700 this date. 0915 POLLETT, T. G., SA, returned aboard having been UA from 0700 this date.

*D. E. Zirkle*  
D. E. ZIRKLE  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. W. Johnston*  
R. W. JOHNSTON  
LT, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*L. R. Rodke*  
L. R. RODKE  
LT, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1904 Observed sunset.

*R. R. Skeen*  
R. R. SKEEN  
LT, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*W. N. Johnson*  
W. N. JOHNSON  
LT, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*J. F. Davis*  
J. F. DAVIS, CDR,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION 7<sup>(T)</sup> DATE 24 SEPTEMBER 1962  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD, CALIFORNIA.

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	315	6	7	CLR	29.80	55	53	—	—	—	—	—	—
02	315	6	7	CLR	29.80	54	53	—	—	—	—	—	—
03	CALM		7	SCT	29.80	54	53	2	700	ST	—	—	—
04	295	6	7	SCT	29.80	54	53	3	700	ST	—	—	—
05	295	4	7	BKN	29.79	54	53	6	500	ST	—	—	—
06	295	5	7	BKN	29.80	54	53	6	500	ST	—	—	—
07	295	4	2	F	29.84	53	52	10	500	ST	—	—	—
08	270	2	3	OVC	29.82	53	52	10	500	ST	—	—	—
09	219	5	5	OVC	29.82	54	52	10	500	ST	—	—	—
10	—	—	10	OVC	29.80	56	54	10	600	ST	—	—	—
11	270	6	6	H	29.84	63	57	—	—	—	—	—	—
12	270	6	6	H	29.83	64	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
13	270	5	7	CLR	29.83	64	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
14	270	8	7	CLR	29.82	65	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
15	270	6	7	CLR	29.81	65	58	—	—	—	—	—	—
16	250	7	7	CLR	29.81	67	59	—	—	—	—	—	—
17	250	12	5	CLR	29.81	63	57	—	—	—	—	—	—
18	270	12	5	SCT	29.81	61	55	2	1000	ST	—	—	—
19	270	10	4	BKN	29.81	57	55	6	400	ST	—	—	—
20	270	10	5	SCT	29.81	56	54	4	500	ST	—	—	—
21	270	8	6	BKN	29.82	56	54	6	200	ST	—	—	—
22	260	8	6	BKN	29.83	60	54	8	400	ST	—	—	—
23	240	9	6	OVC	29.84	62	55	10	700	ST	—	—	—
24	270	5	6	OVC	29.85	56	54	10	200	ST	—	—	—

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L	BY	
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1200		
L	BY	
λ	BY	
2000		
L	BY	
λ	BY	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
 3 - VISUAL  
 4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
SET	
DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
MID. λ	

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
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TABLE II  
 SYNOPSIS OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPSIS OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (00-36)	WIND		Visi-bility (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Oc-tent (0-3) (5-8)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds (0-9)	Type C (0-9)	Height C (Code)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)
1	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L	
MID. λ	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	2-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD	Indicator	Diff Sea Air	Dew Point	WAVES			WAVES			ICE										
							Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Beating	Distance	Orientation				
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	e	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>z</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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				8				0			1				1								
				8				0			1				1								
				8				0			1				1								

MILES STEAMED  
 0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
 0000-2400

EXAMINED

*J. J. Davis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)Tuesday 25 Sept19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

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*B. F. Haverfield*  
B. F. HAVERFIELD  
LT, USN

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0659 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations. Absentees: JAMES, T. G., 428 38 72, EM2, USN, AWOL since 0700, 21 Sept 1962; BOURGOYNE, J. P., 584 19 36, FA, USN, UA since 0500, 27 Aug 1962; TAPPAN, R. T., 587 26 54, SA, USN, UA since 0730, 15 Sept 1962; SPANGLER, J. B., 583 56 87, AN, USN, UA since 0700, 10 Sept 1962; HAMPTON, T. J., 598 80 06, SA, USN, UA since 0645, 7 Sept 1962; BIDDY, J. E., 587 70 67, AA, USN, UA since 0700, 18 Sept 1962; MCRAE, P. M., 350 25 77, AN, USN, UA since 0700, 18 Sept 1962; ELROD, D. R., 599 38 78, AA, USN, UA since 0500, 18 Sept 1962.

*J. M. Sobierski*  
J. M. SOBIERSKI  
ENS, USN

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*D. L. Armstrong*  
D. L. ARMSTRONG  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*J. E. Lovley*  
J. E. LOVLEY  
LTJG, USN

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. L. Jones*  
R. L. JONES  
LT, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1902 Observed sunset.

*M. D. Swartz*  
M. D. SWARTZ  
ENS, USNR

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*J. E. Brady*  
J. E. BRADY  
ENS, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*J. F. Davis*  
J. F. DAVIS, CDR,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.



DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA (VA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION +T DATE 25 SEPTEMBER 19 62

AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	270	5	6	OVC	2985	56	54	10	200	ST	-	-	-
02	270	5	6	OVC	2987	57	53	10	200	ST	-	-	-
03	270	8	6	OVC	2987	57	53	10	300	ST	-	-	-
04	270	8	6	OVC	2986	58	53	10	400	ST	-	-	-
05	270	8	6	OVC	2985	58	53	10	500	ST	-	-	-
06	270	6	6	OVC	2986	57	53	10	400	ST	-	-	-
07	270	12	6	OVC	2986	56	54	10	800	ST	-	-	-
08	270	6	6	OVC	2987	58	53	10	900	ST	-	-	-
09	270	9	6	SCT	2988	59	53	3	800	ST	-	-	-
10	270	8	6	SCT	2989	58	53	4	800	ST	-	-	-
11	270	9	6	BKN	2990	59	56	6	800	ST	-	-	-
12	270	8	6	SCT	2990	60	53	5	800	ST	-	-	-
13	270	6	6	OVC	2990	61	53	10	800	ST	-	-	-
14	270	10	6	OVC	2989	62	56	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
15	270	10	6	BKN	2987	64	57	8	2000	ST	-	-	-
16	270	10	6	BKN	2987	65	57	7	4500	CU	-	-	-
17	270	10	6	BKN	2987	65	57	7	4000	CU	-	-	-
18	270	9	6	BKN	2989	61	57	7	10000	CU	-	-	-
19	260	9	6	BKN	2986	61	57	8	1000	CU	-	-	-
20	260	9	7	OVC	2987	60	57	10	900	ST	-	-	-
21	250	8	7	OVC	2987	59	56	10	900	ST	-	-	-
22	240	9	7	OVC	2987	59	56	10	900	ST	-	-	-
23	250	9	7	OVC	2987	58	56	10	900	ST	-	-	-
24	230	8	7	OVC	2987	58	56	10	900	ST	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
2 - ELECTRONIC  
3 - VISUAL  
4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____	(Date)
(ZT)	
TO _____	(Date)
(ZT)	
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____	(Date)
(ZT)	
TO _____	(Date)
(ZT)	
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

TABLE II  
SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	WIND			VISIBILITY (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Octant (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)		Total Cloud Amt (00-36)	Direction (True)	Speed (Knots)		Present	Past			Amount of Clouds (0-9)	Type C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Height C <sub>L</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>M</sub> (0-9)	Type C <sub>H</sub> (0-9)
		(1-7) (GMT)	(0-3)	(Degrees and tenths)		(Degrees and tenths)	(00-36)	(True)		(Knots)	(90-99)			(00-99)	(0-9)	(0-9)	(0-9)	(0-9)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub> L <sub>d</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

CURRENT DATA	
FROM _____	(Date)
(ZT)	
TO _____	(Date)
(ZT)	
SET _____	
DRIFT _____	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
MID. L _____	
MID. λ _____	

Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY		SIGNIFICANT CLOUD			Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE							
		Characteristics (0-9)	Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type				Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>s</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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MILES STEAMED  
0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
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EXAMINED J. Davis

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)Wednesday 26 September19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, U. S. Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the pier. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. SUB-SOPA is Commanding Officer, USS HANCOCK (CVA-19). Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS HIGBEE (DD-806), USS JOHN R CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS RONQUIL (SS-396), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS THOR (ARC-4), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), USS PROCYON (AF-61), and various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. Condition of readiness six. 0445 HARTMAN, Henry E., 198 11 40, PVT, USMC, UA from 0700, 17 August 1962, was placed in confinement for safekeeping by order of the Commanding Officer.

*R. J. Huemoeller*  
R. J. HUEMOELLER  
ENS, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0700 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations.

*L. W. Coor*  
L. W. COOR  
LT, USN

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0940 Received muster report. Absentees: LOE, J. L., 521 32 82, DMSN, USN, UA from 0500, 26 Sept 1962; NIERSTHEIMER, M. E., 995 63 75, FA, USN, UA from 0700, 26 Sept 1962; WALKER, T. M., 596 22 83, AA, USN, UA from 0645, 26 Sept 1962; JEPPSON, D. C., 370 20 19, AA, USN, UA from 0645, 26 Sept 1962; HURTADO, J. (n), 544 09 62, SN, USN, UA from 0700, 26 Sept 1962; BULOW, J. T., 391 64 08, SA, USN, UA from 0700, 26 Sept 1962; WILBUR, E. C., 537 31 56, SN, USN, UA from 0700, 26 Sept 1962; SMOCK, D. R., 549 57 22, SA, USN, UA from 0700, 26 Sept 1962; GARY, L. A., 537 30 64, SN, USN, UA from 0645, 26 Sept 1962.

*P. J. Weaver Jr.*  
P. J. WEAVER Jr.  
LT, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1235 BULOW, John T., 391 64 08, SN, USN; SMOCK, Dale R., 549 57 23, SA, USN, and WILBUR, Earl C., Jr., 537 31 56, SN, USN returned aboard having been UA from 0700 this date. 1515 USS INTERPRETER (AGR-14) stood into the harbor and moored at berth 2.

*R. A. Eddaman*  
R. A. EDDAMAN  
LTJG, USN

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1650 Held fire drill. 1702 Secured from fire drill.

*D. J. Counsell*  
D. J. COUNSELL  
LT, USN

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1900 Observed sunset.

*G. C. Wolf*  
G. C. WOLF  
LT, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*F. L. Rusby*  
F. L. RUSBY  
ENS, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*J. F. Davis*  
J. F. DAVIS, CDR,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7T DATE 26 SEPTEMBER 1962

AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Symbols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	230	10	7	OVC	29.87	57	54	10	900	ST	-	-	-
02	230	11	7	OVC	29.87	56	53	10	800	ST	-	-	-
03	230	10	7	OVC	29.87	56	53	10	700	ST	-	-	-
04	230	10	7	OVC	29.87	56	53	10	700	ST	-	-	-
05	230	11	6	OVC	29.86	56	53	10	800	ST	-	-	-
06	230	11	6	OVC	29.85	56	53	10	800	ST	-	-	-
07	230	11	7	OVC	29.85	55	53	10	800	ST	-	-	-
08	245	12	8	OVC	29.86	57	54	10	800	ST	-	-	-
09	240	11	8	OVC	29.88	58	55	10	900	ST	-	-	-
10	230	8	7	OVC	29.89	58	55	10	800	ST	-	-	-
11	230	9	7	OVC	29.90	59	55	10	800	ST	-	-	-
12	240	8	7	OVC	29.90	58	55	10	1200	ST	-	-	-
13	240	8	7	OVC	29.90	58	55	10	1200	ST	-	-	-
14	260	10	7	OVC	29.90	61	56	10	1200	ST	-	-	-
15	270	11	8	OVC	29.89	61	56	10	1500	ST	-	-	-
16	270	14	8	BKN	29.87	63	57	8	1700	SC	-	-	-
17	260	15	8	OVC	29.87	61	56	10	1700	SC	-	-	-
18	270	15	8	BKN	29.87	60	56	8	1700	SC	-	-	-
19	270	18	8	BKN	29.87	59	55	9	1000	SC	-	-	-
20	270	14	8	BKN	29.87	59	55	9	1000	SC	-	-	-
21	270	15	10	OVC	29.87	59	55	10	1000	ST	-	-	-
22	270	15	10	OVC	29.87	59	55	10	1300	ST	-	-	-
23	270	15	10	OVC	29.87	58	55	10	1300	ST	-	-	-
24	270	14	10	OVC	29.89	58	55	10	1500	ST	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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2000		
L		BY
λ		BY

LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
 3 - VISUAL  
 4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA

FROM (ZT) (Date)

TO (ZT) (Date)

SET

DRIFT

POSITION BETWEEN FIXES

MID. L

MID. λ

CURRENT DATA

FROM (ZT) (Date)

TO (ZT) (Date)

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DRIFT

POSITION BETWEEN FIXES

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TABLE II  
 SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (Code)	WIND		Visibility (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb) (°F)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Occult (0-3)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (Knots) (00-99)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds L (Code)	Type C (0-9)	Height C (Code)	Type M (0-9)	Type H (0-9)
		2	3	4			5	6		7	8			9	10	11	12	13
1	Y	Q	L <sub>a</sub> L <sub>b</sub> L <sub>c</sub>	L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub> L <sub>o</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

CURRENT DATA

FROM (ZT) (Date)

TO (ZT) (Date)

SET

DRIFT

POSITION BETWEEN FIXES

MID. L

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Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY (0-9)	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD				Indicator	Diff See Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE									
			Amount (Eighths)	Type	Height	Indicator				Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation				
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	a	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>s</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e		

MILES STEAMED  
 0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
 0000-2400

EXAMINED J. J. Davis U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Thursday 27 September 19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, U. S. Naval Shipyard, Hunter's Point, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the pier. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. Ship in condition of readiness six. Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS HIGBEE (DD-806), USS CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS RONQUIL (SS-396), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), USS PROCYON (AF-61), USS INTERPRETER (AGR-14), and various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft.

*H. D. Gibson*  
H. D. GIBSON  
LTJG, USN

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0701 Observed sunrise. 0715 Quarters for muster. Absentees: HOUSE, J. M., Jr., 528 03 49, BMSN, SAULSBERRY, M. C., 535 88 31, AN, NORRIS, D. B., 370 89 19, ICFN, BODFIELD, L. K., 537 47 26, AN, FALLER, C. C., 598 01 53, all UA from 0700.

*R. C. Smith*  
R. C. SMITH  
ENS, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0830 FALLER, C. C., 598 01 53, AA, returned from UA a period of about one hour and 45 min.

*J. O. Emry*  
J. O. EMRY  
LT, USN

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*W. F. Meyer*  
W. F. MEYER  
LTJG, USN

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*R. B. Busnell*  
R. B. BUSSELL  
LT, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1859 Observed sunset.

*F. L. Wales*  
F. L. WALES  
LT, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*J. C. Coffman*  
J. C. COFFMAN  
ENS, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. W. Elder*  
R. W. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*J. F. Davis*  
J. F. DAVIS, CDR,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) ZONE DESCRIPTION +7 (+) DATE 27 September 1962  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM Dry Dock #4, SAN FRANCISCO to Naval Shipyard, Hunterspoint, Calif.

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	250	10	10	BKN	29.89	59	55	9	1600	ST	-	-	-
02	240	10	10	BKN	29.89	59	55	9	1800	ST	-	-	-
03	240	10	10	BKN	29.89	59	56	9	1600	ST	-	-	-
04	230	9	10	BKN	29.89	59	55	9	1600	ST	-	-	-
05	225	10	10	BKN	29.89	59	55	9	1400	ST	-	-	-
06	230	7	10	OVC	29.88	59	55	10	1400	ST	-	-	-
07	230	7	10	BKN	29.89	58	55	9	1200	ST	-	-	-
08	230	7	10	OVC	29.90	59	55	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
09	230	7	10	OVC	29.90	60	57	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
10	230	3	10	BKN	29.92	62	57	8	1400	ST	-	-	-
11	230	5	10	SC	29.91	63	58	4	1700	ST	-	-	-
12	230	4	10	BKN	29.91	65	59	7	1200	ST	-	-	-
13	135	3	8	BKN	29.93	65	59	7	2000	ST	-	-	-
14	140	4	6	BKN	29.91	65	59	8	2000	ST	-	-	-
15	190	4	7	BKN	29.89	66	60	7	2000	ST	-	-	-
16	170	7	8	OVC	29.88	66	62	10	20,000	ST	-	-	-
17	180	8	8	OVC	29.89	64	62	10	20,000	ST	-	-	-
18	200	8	8	OVC	29.89	63	61	10	20,000	ST	-	-	-
19	210	8	8	OVC	29.88	63	60	10	20,000	ST	-	-	-
20	200	15	8	OVC	29.87	61	59	10	15,000	ST	-	-	-
21	220	9	7	OVC	29.88	60	58	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
22	240	8	7	OVC	29.89	59	57	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
23	260	12	8	OVC	29.91	59	57	10	1100	ST	-	-	-
24	240	10	8	OVC	29.91	59	57	10	900	ST	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1 - CELESTIAL  
 2 - ELECTRONIC  
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 4 - D. R.

CURRENT DATA	
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
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POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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TABLE II  
 SYNOPSIS OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPSIS OBSERVATION	Day of week	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (Code)	WIND		Visi-bil-ity (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Berometer Corrected (mb) (°F)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Occur-ent	Latitude	Longitude			Direction	Speed		Present	Past			Amount of Clouds L (0-10)	Type C (0-9)	Height C (0-10)	Type C (0-9)	Type C (0-9)
		(1-7) (GMT)	(0-3, 5-8) (Degrees and tenths)	(Degrees and tenths)			(00-36) (True)	(Knots) (True)		(00-99)	(0-9)			N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Y	Q	L <sub>1</sub> L <sub>2</sub> L <sub>3</sub>	L <sub>0</sub> L <sub>1</sub> L <sub>2</sub>	GG	N	dd	ff	VV	ww	W	PPP	TT	N <sub>h</sub>	C <sub>L</sub>	h	C <sub>M</sub>	C <sub>H</sub>

CURRENT DATA	
FROM	(ZT) (Date)
TO	(ZT) (Date)
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DRIFT	
POSITION BETWEEN FIXES	
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Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	5-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD					Indicator	Diff Sea Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE						
			Amount Change (mb and tenths)	Indicator	Amount (Eighths)	Type	Height				Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation
D <sub>s</sub>	V <sub>s</sub>	e	pp	8	N <sub>s</sub>	C	h <sub>s</sub> h <sub>h</sub>	0	T <sub>s</sub> T <sub>s</sub>	T <sub>d</sub> T <sub>d</sub>	I	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	1	d <sub>w</sub> d <sub>w</sub>	P <sub>w</sub>	H <sub>w</sub>	C <sub>2</sub>	K	D <sub>i</sub>	r	e
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MILES STEAMED  
 0000-2400

FUEL CONSUMED  
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EXAMINED J. Davis U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)

Friday 28 September

19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, U. S. Naval Shipyard, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. Ships present include: USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS HIGBEE (DD-806), USS HAMNER (DD-718), USS CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS RONQUIL (SS-396), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), USS PROCYON (AF-61), USS INTERPRETER (AGR-14), and various other units of the U. S. Pacific Fleet yard and district craft. Ship is in condition of readiness six.

*D. C. Beams*

D. C. BEAMS  
ENS, USNR

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0702 Observes sunrise. 0715 Mustered crew at quarters for instruction and inspection. New absentees: none. Absentees returned: FALLER, C. C., AA, 598 01 53; NORRIS, D. B., ICFN, 370 89 19, and SAULSBURRY, M. C., AN, 535 88 31, USN.

*W. G. Pilat*

W. G. PILAT  
ENS, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*B. F. Haverfield*

B. F. HAVERFIELD  
LT, USN

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1500 Pursuant to orders of the Commanding Officer of 28 Sept 1962, CDR, J. F. DAVIS, USN, 282981, left the ship for TAD with USS RANGER (CVA-61). 1515 Pursuant to the orders of the Commanding Officer of 25 Sept 1962, LTJG, D. L. JONES, USNR, 634097; LTJG R. VASQUES, USN, 631155; ENS R. C. SMITH, USNR, 591359 left the ship for TAD with NUWPNTACENPAC, San Diego, California.

*H. J. Steinglass*

H. J. STEINGLASS  
ENS, USNR

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1645 Held fire drill. 1700 LTJG J.T. KENNEDY, USNR, 645808, having completed TAD at Naval Air Station, Alameda returned on board. 1701 LTJG J. T. KENNEDY, USNR, 645808, left the ship for TAD at NUWPNTACENPAC, San Diego, California. 1702 Secured from fire quarters. 1703 CRONE, Rodney L., 34988 87, DC3, USN, returned on board having been UA since 0700 this date.

*R. Jackson*

R. JACKSON  
LTJG, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1859 Observed sunset.

*R. W. Johnston*

R. W. JOHNSTON  
LT, USNR

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before. 2005 Ceased receiving electrical power from the dock due to power failure. 2036 Commenced receiving electrical power from the dock.

*W. N. Johnson*

W. N. JOHNSON  
LT, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*J. F. Davis*  
J. F. DAVIS, CDR,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-43 ZONE DESCRIPTION + 7 (T) DATE 20 SEPTEMBER 19 60  
AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4, SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISIBILITY (Miles)	WEATHER (Sym-bols)	BAROMETER (Inches)	TEMPERATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPERATURE	WAVES	
	DIRECTION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIRECTION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	225	0	8	ovc	29.91	58	56	10	800	ST	-	-	-
02	240	12	8	ovc	29.91	57	56	10	800	ST	-	-	-
03	270	6	8	BKN	29.91	57	55	6	900	ST	-	-	-
04	270	6	8	BKN	29.91	57	55	6	900	ST	-	-	-
05	270	6	8	BKN	29.91	57	55	6	900	ST	-	-	-
06	225	2	8	BKN	29.91	58	56	6	800	ST	-	-	-
07	270	6	10	BKN	29.91	57	53	8	900	ST	-	-	-
08	270	6	10	BKN	29.93	57	54	7	1200	ST	-	-	-
09	260	6	10	scT	29.93	59	56	3	1500	AC	-	-	-
10	270	2	10	scT	29.94	61	57	4	1700	SC	-	-	-
11	170	4	10	scT	29.95	64	59	3	1800	SC	-	-	-
12	120	6	10	scT	29.95	65	59	3	1500	SC	-	-	-
13	240	4	10	scT	29.95	66	59	2	1800	SC	-	-	-
14	240	4	10	scT	29.94	66	59	2	1800	SC	-	-	-
15	180	7	10	scT	29.96	70	61	1	2000	SC	-	-	-
16	180	9	10	scT	29.92	69	62	1	2000	SC	-	-	-
17	200	12	10	scT	29.92	66	61	3	1700	SC	-	-	-
18	190	10	10	scT	29.91	64	63	3	1500	SC	-	-	-
19	200	12	8	BKN	29.89	65	61	7	1800	SC	-	-	-
20	180	8	5	ovc	29.90	63	61	10	1200	SC	-	-	-
21	200	8	5	ovc	29.91	62	62	10	800	SC	-	-	-
22	200	8	3	ovc	29.91	62	62	10	800	SC	-	-	-
23	200	8	3	ovc	29.91	62	62	10	800	SC	-	-	-
24	135	4	5	BKN	29.93	62	62	7	400	SC	-	-	-

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (0-10)	WIND		Visi-bility (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Barometer Corrected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS				
		Octant (0-3, 5-8)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Direction (True) (00-36)	Speed (True) (Knots)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds L (0-10)	Type C (0-9)	L (0-9)	Type C (0-9)	M (0-9)
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			Amount (Eighths)	Type	Height			Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Height	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation			
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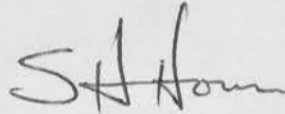
*J. J. Lewis*

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)Saturday 29 September, 1962

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

00-04 Resting on keel blocks in drydock number four, San Francisco Naval Shipyard, San Francisco, California. Receiving all services from the dock. SOPA is COMFAIRALAMEDA. Ships present include USS HANCOCK (CVA-19), USS HIGBEE (DD-806), USS CRAIG (DD-885), USS DIODON (SS-349), USS RONQUIL (SS-396), USS VOLADOR (SS-490), USS MATTAPONI (AO-41), USS PROCYON (AF-61), USS INTERPRETER (AGR-14), and various other units of the Pacific Fleet, yard and district craft. 2400 While walking back toward the ship, DAYRIT, A. C., 537 80 42, TN, USN, received a scalp laceration and contusion of the left calf, when he was attacked by unknown assailants. Treatment administered by the Medical Officer. Disposition: placed on binnacle list. 0100 MCRAE, P. M., 350 25 77, AN, USN, returned on board having been AWOL since 0700, 18 Sept 1962 and was placed in confinement for safekeeping by order of the Commanding Officer. 0100 BIDDY, J. E., 587 70 67, AA, USN, returned on board having been AWOL since 0700, 18 Sept 1962 and was placed in confinement for safekeeping by order of the Commanding Officer.


S. H. HOUSE  
LTJG, USNR

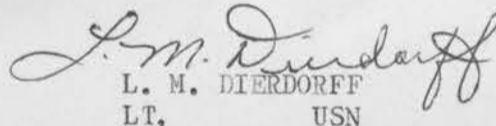
04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0704 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the duty section on stations.


R. R. SKEEN  
LT, USN

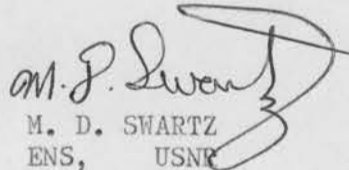
08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0955 Received absentee report. Absentees: None. Absentees returned: BIDDY, J. E., 587 70 67, AA, UA from 0700, 18 Sept 1962; MCRAE, P. M., 350 25 77, AN, UA from 0700, 18 Sept 1962. 1030 DEMPSEY, J. C., 547 50 55, SA, USN received a corneal foreign body in his eyes from a sander. Treatment administered by the medical officer. Patient then was admitted to Letterman Hospital for further treatment.


R. L. JONES  
LT, USN

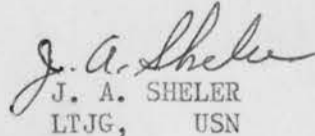
12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1315 Pursuant to USS CORAL SEA (CVA-43) serial 1321/1 of 28 Sept 1962, CW02 C. E. TETHER, USN, 181987/7211 departed the ship for temporary additional duty at Treasure Island. 1500 DEMPSEY, J. C., 547 50 55, SA, USN, arrived aboard from Letterman Hospital and placed on the injured list.


L. M. DIERDORFF  
LT, USN

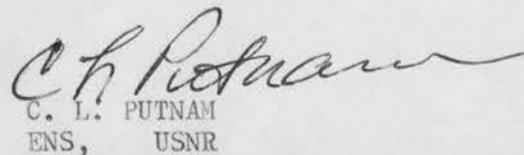
16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.


M. D. SWARTZ  
ENS, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1856 Observed sunset.


J. A. SHELER  
LTJG, USN

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.


C. L. PUTNAM  
ENS, USNR

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:



R. M. ELDER, CAPT,

U.S.N. COMMANDING.



J. F. DAVIS, CDR,

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.



DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA 43 ZONE DESCRIPTION +7T DATE 29 SEPTEMBER 62  
 AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	220	6	3	SCT	2993	62	62	5	500	ST	-	-	-
02	240	8	7	SCT	2993	61	61	4	600	ST	-	-	-
03	240	8	7	SCT	2993	61	61	4	600	ST	-	-	-
04	240	6	1	F	2994	58	58	10	100	ST	-	-	-
05	190	4	5	F	2994	58	58	9	400	ST	-	-	-
06	290	3	7	BKN	2994	59	58	6	1200	ST	-	-	-
07	330	5	7	BKN	2997	59	58	6	1100	ST	-	-	-
08	330	6	7	BKN	2998	59	58	6	1100	ST	-	-	-
09	360	6	7	BKN	2998	59	58	6	1100	ST	-	-	-
10	300	6	7	SCT	3000	63	59	5	1100	ST	-	-	-
11	230	6	7	SCT	3002	65	61	5	1100	ST	-	-	-
12	300	7	7	SCT	3002	67	62	5	1100	ST	-	-	-
13	300	5	10	SCT	3001	68	61	5	1000	ST	-	-	-
14	300	10	10	SCT	2999	68	61	4	1100	ST	-	-	-
15	310	12	10	CLR	2997	70	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	340	10	10	CLR	2995	72	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	340	10	10	CLR	2994	73	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	290	11	10	ST	2995	70	62	2	10000	ST	-	-	-
19	290	11	10	ST	2995	70	62	2	10000	ST	-	-	-
20	300	8	10	ST	2995	67	60	1	1000	ST	-	-	-
21	325	7	10	CLR	2995	65	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	330	4	10	CLR	2995	62	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	320	4	10	CLR	2995	61	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	CALM		10	CLR	2995	60	58	-	-	-	-	-	-

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 SYNOPTIC OBSERVATIONS

ZONE TIME OF SYNOPTIC OBSERVATION	Day of week (1-7) (GMT)	POSITION OF SHIP			TIME GMT	Total Cloud Amt (0-10)	WIND		Visi-bil-ity (90-99)	WEATHER		PRES-SURE Baro-meter Cor-rected (mb)	Air Temp (°F)	CLOUDS					
		Oc-tant (0-3) (5-8)	Latitude (Degrees and tenths)	Longitude (Degrees and tenths)			Dirac-tion (True) (00-36)	Speed (Knots) (True)		Present (00-99)	Past (0-9)			Amount of Clouds L (0-10)	Type C (0-9)	Height C (0-9)	Amount of Clouds L (0-10)	Type C (0-9)	Height C (0-9)
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	

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Course of Ship (0-9)	Speed of Ship (0-9)	3-HOUR PRESSURE TENDENCY (0-9)	SIGNIFICANT CLOUD	Indicator	Diff See Air °F	Dew Point °F	WAVES			WAVES			ICE												
							Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	Indicator	Direction (00-36)	Period	HEIGHT	Kind	Effect	Bearing	Distance	Orientation							
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EXAMINED J. F. Davis U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

UNITED STATES SHIP CORAL SEA (CVA-43)Sunday 30 September19 62

(DAY) (DATE) (MONTH)

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*J. J. Cox*  
J. J. COX  
LTJG, USN

04-08 Resting on keel blocks as before. 0704 Observed sunrise. 0715 Mustered the crew on stations. Absentees: LUCERO, P. J., 481 24 11, BT3, USN, UA since 0900, 29 Sept 1962; BODFIELD, L. K., 537 47 26, AN, USN, UA since 2400, 26 Sept 1962; JAMES, T. G., 428 38 72, EM2, USN, UA since 0700, 21 Sept 1962; ELROD, D. R., 599 38 78, AA, USN, UA since 0500, 18 Sept 1962; TAPPAN, R. T., 587 26 54, SA, USN, UA since 0730, 15 Sept 1962; SPANGLER, J. B., 583 56 87, AN, USN, UA since 0700, 10 Sept 1962; HAMPTON, T. J., 598 80 06, USN, UA since 0645, 7 Sept 1962.

*R. J. Huemoeller*  
R. J. HUEMOELLER  
ENS, USNR

08-12 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*D. L. Armstrong*  
D. L. ARMSTRONG  
ENS, USNR

12-16 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*D. R. Stewart*  
D. R. STEWART  
ENS, USN

16-18 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*J. E. Brady*  
J. E. BRADY  
ENS, USNR

18-20 Resting on keel blocks as before. 1806 Held fire drill. 1814 Secured from fire drill. 1859 Observed sunset.

*M. D. Swartz*  
M. D. SWARTZ  
ENS, USNR

20-24 Resting on keel blocks as before.

*J. A. Sheler*  
J. A. SHELER  
LTJG, USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

*R. M. Elder*  
R. M. ELDER, CAPT.

U.S.N. COMMANDING.

*J. F. Davis*  
J. F. DAVIS, CDR.

U.S.N. NAVIGATOR.

DECK LOG-WEATHER OBSERVATION SHEET

USS CORAL SEA CVA-42 ZONE DESCRIPTION J7T DATE 30 SEPTEMBER 1962  
AT/PASSAGE FROM DRYDOCK #4 SAN FRANCISCO TO NAVAL SHIPYARD.

TABLE I

ZONE TIME	WIND		VISI-BIL-ITY (Miles)	WEATH-ER (Sym-bols)	BARO-METER (Inches)	TEMPER-ATURE		CLOUDS			SEA WATER TEMPER-ATURE	WAVES	
	DIREC-TION (True)	FORCE (Knots)				Dry Bulb	Wet Bulb	Amount (Tenths)	Height	Type		DIREC-TION (True)	HEIGHT (Feet)
01	CALM		10	CLR	29.96	60	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
02	CALM		10	CLR	29.96	60	55	-	-	-	-	-	-
03	090	2	10	CLR	29.96	60	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
04	CALM		10	CLR	29.97	60	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
05	CALM		10	CLR	29.97	60	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
06	CALM		10	CLR	29.97	60	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
07	300	4	7	CLR	29.97	57	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
08	320	4	10	CLR	29.97	58	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
09	345	4	10	CLR	29.97	60	58	-	-	-	-	-	-
10	350	4	10	CLR	29.98	64	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
11	345	4	10	CLR	29.98	65	59	-	-	-	-	-	-
12	310	2	7	CLR	29.98	71	65	-	-	-	-	-	-
13	320	4	8	CLR	29.97	73	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
14	310	8	10	CLR	29.94	74	61	-	-	-	-	-	-
15	300	9	10	CLR	29.91	80	63	-	-	-	-	-	-
16	290	9	10	CLR	29.90	82	69	-	-	-	-	-	-
17	290	9	10	CLR	29.90	81	69	-	-	-	-	-	-
18	270	12	10	CLR	29.89	77	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
19	270	12	10	CLR	29.89	77	62	-	-	-	-	-	-
20	250	5	10	CLR	29.89	75	60	-	-	-	-	-	-
21	CALM		10	CLR	29.90	71	57	-	-	-	-	-	-
22	CALM		10	CLR	29.91	67	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
23	CALM		10	CLR	29.91	66	56	-	-	-	-	-	-
24	CALM		10	CLR	29.91	62	57	-	-	-	-	-	-

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EXAMINED J. Davis

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