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DECK LOG BOOK

OF THE

U. S. S. _____ TOPEKA _____

CLG-8

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

COMMANDED BY

CAPTAIN T. C. BUELL _____, U. S. N.

Attached to { CRUISER-DESTROYER GROUP SEVENTH FLEET _____ Division,

SEVENTH _____ Fleet,

_____ Naval District,

Commencing 0001 1 MARCH 1966 _____, 19 _____
(zone time and date)

at Steaming Independently off the coast of South Viet Nam _____,
(location)

and ending 2400 31 MARCH 1966 _____, 19 _____
(zone time and date)

at U. S. Naval Station, Subic Bay, Philippines _____
(location)

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8(H) DATE TUESDAY 1 MARCH 19 66
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM SOUTH VIETNAM TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 13-17 N	BY 3	
λ 109-22.56	BY 3	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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REMARKS

ΦΦ-Φ4 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY OFF THE COAST OF SOUTH VIETNAM IN THE II CORPS AREA IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE PROVIDING DIRECT GUNFIRE SUPPORT TO TROOPS ASHORE ENGAGED IN OPERATION HARRISON. OPERATING AS A PART OF TASK UNIT 7Φ.8.9. SOPA IS COMCRUDESFLOT 3/CTG 7Φ.8 EMBARKED USS TOPEKA (CLG-8). OTC IS CTU 7Φ.8.9/CO TOPEKA. BOILERS #1 AND #3 AND GENERATORS #1, #2, AND #3 ARE ON THE LINE WITH THE PLANT SPLIT. CONDITION OF READINESS IV AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. EMCON VI IS SET. SHIP IS DARKENED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF DIMMED NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. SHIP'S COURSE IS 000°T, SPEED 5 KNOTS. ΦΦ53 C/C TO 180°T. Φ125 C/C TO 185°T. Φ21Φ C/C TO ΦΦΦ°T.

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Φ4-Φ8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Φ43Φ C/C TO 180°T. Φ52Φ C/C TO 178°T. Φ549 C/C TO 175°T. Φ6Φ5 C/C TO 178°T. Φ62Φ C/C TO ΦΦΦ°T. Φ643 C/C TO ΦΦ2°T. Φ647 C/C TO ΦΦΦ°T. Φ7Φ1 C/C TO 29Φ°T.

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Φ8-12. UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Φ105 C/C TO 285°T. COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS HEADINGS TO EFFECT A SMOOTH PORT TRANSFER WITH THE U.S.S. CANBERRA (OAG-2). Φ121 LIBERT FROM CANBERRA MADE TOPEKA'S PORT QUARTER, 4 MEN DISCHARGED PASSENGERS AND DEPARTED. Φ125 C/C TO 2 KNOTS. Φ130 C/C TO Φ125°T. Φ137 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. Φ135 C/C TO 15 KNOTS, C/C TO ΦΦΦ°T. Φ138 C/C TO 345°T. Φ142 C/C TO 348°T. Φ147 C/C TO 350°T. Φ148 C/C TO 351°T. Φ153 C/C TO 340°T. Φ159 C/C TO 342°T. SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. Φ161 FLIGHT QUARTERS. Φ165 HELD ON DECK. BRIGADIER GENERAL PEARSON, COMMANDER 1ST BRIGADE, 101ST AIRBORNE DIVISION ARRIVED ON BOARD. Φ167 C/C TO 300°T. Φ172 C/C TO 5 KNOTS. C/C TO 290°T. Φ178 C/C TO 305°T. Φ179 C/C TO 310°T. Φ174 ANCHORED OFF THE COAST OF SOUTH VIETNAM IN 13 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD AND SAND BOTTOM WITH 2Φ FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE STABOARD ANCHOR AND THE EXHAUSTING BARRING: POINT NUI LANG 306.2°T, NUI GIACH DEN 316.0°T, LAO MA NHA 168.1°T. Φ176 BRIGADIER GENERAL PEARSON DEPARTED. HELD ANCHORED TO STABOARD. Φ183 SECURED FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS. Φ185 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. Φ187 STABOARD LIBERT AT RAIL, PREPARATORY TO EFFECTING PERSONNEL TRANSFER WITH CANBERRA. Φ196 LIBERT IN

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

1000 DEPARTED FOR CANBERRA. 1000 U.S.S. CANBERRA (CAG-2) MANOUEVED OFF STARBOARD BOW, BEARING 000°T, RANGE 1000 YARDS. 1003 RECEIVED DAILY ABSENTEE REPORT. NO NEW ABSENTEES. 1013 LIFEBOAT RETURNED FROM CANBERRA. 1022 LIFEBOAT DEPARTED. 1023 CANBERRA LIFEBOAT MADE TOPEKA'S STARBOARD QUARTER. 1034 CANBERRA LIFEBOAT DEPARTED. 1040 TOPEKA BOAT RETURNED FROM CANBERRA. AT 0400. 1045 LIFEBOAT SECURED. 1056 SOUTH VIETNAMESE PATROL CRAFT PASSED CLOSE ABOARD DOWN STARBOARD SIDE, PORT SIDE. 1057 SOUTH VIETNAMESE PATROL CRAFT ALONGSIDE TO STARBOARD. U.S. GEN. ENCL. QUARTERS FOR SHORE BURBURNMENT.

R. J. Jolly
 LTJG USN

08-12 (CONT.) 1116 SET CONDITION ZEBRA THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. 1126 COMMENCED FIRING IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF 101ST AIRBORNE DIVISION ASHORE ENGAGED IN HELO OPERATION FOR OPERATION HARRISON 1203 CEASED FIRING. RECEIVED REPORT FROM AIRBORNE SPOTTER THAT TROOPS LANDING UNDER FIRE FROM VIET CONG POSITIONS RECEIVED AMMUNITION EXPENDED REPORT: 42 ROUNDS 5"/38 VT FRAG PROJECTILES, 42 ROUNDS 5"/38 FULL NON-FLASHLESS POWDER, 101 ROUNDS 6"/47 HIGH CAPACITY PROJECTILES, 101 ROUNDS 6"/47 FULL NON-FLASHLESS POWDER. 1206 SET CONDITION YOKE THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. 1207 SECURED FROM GENERAL QUARTERS, SET CONDITION OF READINESS II. 1208 SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1215 COMMENCED HEAVING AROUND ON STARBOARD ANCHOR. 1218 RELIEVED ON STATION BY USS CANBERRA (CAG-2) IN SUPPORT OF OPERATION HARRISON AND AS CTU 70.8.9. 1219 SET CONDITION OF READINESS III. 1220 ANCHOR AWEIGH, SHIP UNDERWAY. 1222 TOOK DEPARTURE FROM ANCHORAGE OFF THE EAST COAST OF SOUTH VIETNAM AND SET COURSE 053°T, SPEED 20 KNOTS FOR YOKUSKA, JAPAN. 1254 02 TO 075°T. 1212 (LATE ENTRY) LIT FIRES UNDER #2 BOILER.

R. H. Anderson
 LCDR USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1259 02 TO 052°T. 1310 EXITED THE DESIGNATED HOSTILE FIRE PAY AREA AS DEFINED IN NAVCOMPT MANUAL, PARAGRAPH 044045-2 AT LAT. 13°26.8N, LONG 109°31.4E. 1352 01s TO 22.5 KNOTS. 1433 DEPARTED THE ZONE ESTABLISHED BY EXECUTIVE ORDER #11216 OF 24 APR 65 FOR INCOME TAX EXEMPTIONS AT LAT. 13°45.0N, LONG 109°57.8E. 1452 BROUGHT #2 BOILER ON THE LINE, SECURED #3 BOILER. 1505 02 TO 054°T.

S. W. Damm
 LTJG, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

S. D. ...
 LTJG USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

R. D. Cook, LT, USN

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0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

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

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
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LEGEND: 1. CELESTIAL
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REMARKS

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1945 SET CONDITION OF READINESS II.

P. L. Gillette
Lt. USN

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 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM SOUTH VIETNAM TO YOKOSUKA

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800	-8(H)	
L 17°05.0'N		BY 234
λ 115°38.0'E		BY 234

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200	-8(H)	
L 16°18.5'N		BY 234
λ 116°55.0'E		BY 234

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 19°52.0'		BY ONE
λ 119°40.0'		BY ONE

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REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY FROM SOUTH VIETNAM TO YOKOSUKA, JAPAN IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTH-FLT QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE. OTC IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS TOPEKA (CLG-8). SOPA IS COMCRUDEFLT 3/CTG 70.8 EMBARKED HIS FLAGSHIP USS TOPEKA (CLG-8). BOILERS 1 AND 2 AND GENERATORS 1, 2, AND 3 ARE ON THE LINE WITH PLANT CROSS CONNECTED. CONDITION OF READINESS IV AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. SHIP DARKENED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF BRIGHT NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. SHIP'S COURSE IS 054°T, SPEED 22 KNOTS. 0141 C/C TO 057°T.

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04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

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 LTJG, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0715 MUSTERED THE CREW AT FAIR WEATHER PARADE: NO NEW ABSENTEES. 0800 C/C 057°T

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12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1315 THE SPECIAL COURT-MARTIAL, CDR MADDEN, R.A., USN, SENIOR MEMBER, APPOINTED BY CO, USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) LTR SERIAL 175 OF 14 FEB 1966, MET IN THE CASE OF DELAMAR, GARY G., 697 5719, SA, USN.

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 EN, USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

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18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1800 RECEIVED REPORT THAT THE SPECIAL COURT-MARTIAL WHICH MET IN THE CASE OF DELAMAR, GARY G., 697 5719, SA, USN, ADJOURNED AT 1720 THE DATE TO AWAIT THE ACTION OF THE CONVENING AUTHORITY.

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20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2000 C/C TO 2015

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 AT/PASSAGE FROM SOUTH VIETNAM TO YOKOSUKA, JAPAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800	-8(H)	
L 22° 17.0' N	BY 2	
λ 123° 11.0' E	BY 2	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200	-8(H)	
L 22° 24.0' N	BY 1	
λ 124° 11.0' E	BY 1	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 22° 28.5' N	BY 2+4	
λ 124° 05.0' E	BY 2+4	

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REMARKS

07-04. STEERING INDEPENDENTLY FROM SOUTH VIETNAM TO YOKOSUKA, JAPAN IN ACCORDANCE WITH CONVENTIONAL OPERATIONS SCHEDULE. OTO IS COMMANDING OFFICER, U.S.S. TOROKA (ULG-P). SOPD IS COMBUNDERFLAT 3 / OTO 70.8 SUBDIVISION IN TOROKA. BOILERS #1 AND #2 ARE AND GENERATORS #1 AND #2 ARE ON THE LINE WITH THE PLANT CROSS-CONNECTED. POSITION OF READINESS III AND MATERIAL CONDITION VOLE ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. ENGINE CONDITION VI IS SET. THE SHIP IS DARKENED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF BRIGHT NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. SHIP'S COURSE IS 057°T, SPEED 20 KNOTS. 0310 0° TO 053°T.

B.W. Dunne
 LTJG, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

B.D. Cook
 LT, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0715 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS, ABSENTEE NO NEW ABSENTEES. 0758 C/S TO 16.5 KNOTS

R.A. Morgan
 ENS, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1252 0° TO 157 R.P.M.

Ronald T. Reitzmeier
 ENSIGN USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

B.T. Jacoff
 LT, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

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 LT USN

20-24 - UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2000 0° TO 148°T. 2200 SIGHTED GREEN MERCHANTMAN LEONIOS BEARING 030°T, RANGE 20000 YARDS BEING FROM PORTLAND, OREGON TO TONGA SHOWING NO UNDER-COMMAND LIGHTS 2230 WHEN ASKED REASON, LEONIOS REPLIED HE WAS OUT OF CONTROL DUE TO ENGINE PROBLEMS. 2235 C/S TO 10 KNOTS. 2236 WHEN ASKED IF ASSISTANCE REQUIRED, REPLIED NEGATIVE, EXPECTED TO COMPLETE REPAIR ENGINES "WITHIN HOURS" THEN PROCEEDING TO NOKA, OREGON TO COMPLETE REPAIRS. 2239 C/S TO 157 RPM. 2240 POSITION WHEN FIRST SIGHT LAT 24° 36.0' N BY LONG 126° 35.2' E.

B.W. Dunne
 LTJG, USN

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USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8(H) DATE FRIDAY 4 MARCH 19 66
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AT/PASSAGE FROM SOUTH VIETNAM TO YOKOSUKA, JAPAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 26° 09.9'N	BY 2	
λ 128° 34.9'E	BY 2	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 27° 01.0'N	BY 122	
λ 129° 32.0'E	BY 122	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 25° 26.0'N	BY 2+4	
λ 131° 30.0'E	BY 2+4	

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REMARKS

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George
LT USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

R.L. Jellison
LT USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Ø715 MUSTERED THE CREW AT FAIR WEATHER PARADE; NO NEW ABSENTEES. 1000 C/C 058°T. 1003 C/C Ø48°T.

Ronald T. Keitmeier
ENSIGN USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1525 THE COMMANDING OFFICER DETERMINED THIS DATE THAT ALL PERSONNEL SERVING ABOARD THIS COMMAND, INCLUDING CTG 70.8 AND HIS EMBARKED STAFF, ARE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE SPECIAL PAY FOR DUTY SUBJECT TO HOSTILE FIRE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF NAUCOMPT MANU MANUAL, PARA Ø44Ø45-3a, FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 1966 UNDER CONDITION 3, PROVIDING A HIGHER CONDITION OF QUALIFICATION IS NOT ATTAINED PRIOR 31 MARCH 1966. ON 2 MARCH 1966 TOPEKA WAS IN THE HOSTILE FIRE PAY AREA FROM ØØØ1H UNTIL DEPARTURE AT 1433H. DURING THIS PERIOD SHE WAS IN DIRECT SUPPORT OF U.S. FORCES ASHORE PROVIDING NAVAL GUNFIRE SUPPORT TO OPERATION HARRISON IN ACCORDANCE WITH CTG 7Ø8 MSG 221533 Z AND CTU 7Ø8.9 MSG 2Ø3Ø52 Z FEB. OFFICIAL ENTRIES IN THE QUARTERMASTERS NOTEBOOK AND DECK LOG FOR THIS DATE FURTHER STATE THAT THE SHIP COMMENCED FIRE AT 1126 AND CEASED FIRE AT 12Ø3 HAVING EXPENDED 143 ROUNDS OF 5" AND 6" AMMUNITION AND THE AIRBORNE SPOTTER REPORTED FRIENDLY TROOPS ASHORE UNDER FIRE FROM VC DURING THIS PERIOD OF TIME.

R.M. Moyam
Ens, USNR

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USS TOPKA CLG-8

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16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

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19-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

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LTJG, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2115 SIGHTED MERCHANT SHIP BEARING 043, DISTANCE ABOUT 15 MILES ON APPROXIMATELY A RECIPROCAL COURSE. 2125 IDENTIFIED MERCHANT SHIP AS SS KENMAR, U.S. REGISTRY, ROUTED INDEPENDENTLY FROM BANGKOK, THAILAND TO YOKOHAMA, JAPAN. 2157 PASSED SS KENMAR ABEAM TO PORT, DISTANCE ABOUT THREE THOUSAND YARDS.

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USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9 (I) DATE SATURDAY 5 MARCH 19 66
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 AT/PASSAGE FROM SOUTH VIETNAM TO YOKOSUKA, JAPAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 30° 26' N	BY 1	
λ 134° 09' E	BY 1	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 30° 52.0' N	BY 1	
λ 134° 59.5' E	BY 1	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 32° 35.9' N	BY 1	
λ 136° 51.3' E	BY 1	

LEGEND: 1. CELESTIAL
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REMARKS

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R. J. J. J.
 LT USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0636 C/C TO 068° T. 0640 C/C TO 048° T. 0700 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES: NO NEW ABSENTEES.

Robert N. J.
 LT USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0800 C/C TO 045° T. 0841 C/S TO 10 KNOTS. 0842 C/C TO 120° T. 0900 COMMENCED COMMANDING OFFICERS PERSONNEL INSPECTION. 0952 C/C TO 045° T. 1030 SECURED FROM COMMANDING OFFICERS PERSONNEL INSPECTION. 1055 C/S TO 18 KNOTS. 0958 (LATE ENTRY) C/C TO 043° T.

R. H. Morgan
 Eng, 9 USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1330 COMMENCED CAPTAIN'S MATERIAL INSPECTION

Ronald T. Rintmeier
 ENSIGN USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1613 C/S TO 19 KNOTS. 1614 PUT #3 BLOWER ON THE LINE. 1617 C/S TO 20 KNOTS

P. J. J.
 LT USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1757 C/S TO 18 KNOTS. 1915 C/S TO 20 KNOTS.

M. D. Cook
 LT, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2048 STEERING CASUALTY ON THE HELM. AFTER STEERING HAS CONTROL, STEERING BY RUDDER ANGLE INDICATOR. 2101 STEERING CASUALTY RESTORED. 2200 COMMENCED 15 KNOT ECONOMY RUN.

B. W. D.
 LTJG, USN

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REMARKS-CONTINUED

Thomas J. Hord
LTJG USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1330 RECEIVING ELECTRICAL POWER FROM THE PIER.

Samuel C. Gross
LTJG USNR

16-20 - MOORED AS BEFORE.

Aliebert
LTJG USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE 2219 SECURED FIRES UNDER #1 BOILER. 2220 SHIFTED TO SHORE STEAM.

J.C. Preamer
ENS USNR

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W. W. Williams U.S. N. NAVIGATOR

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AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA TO JAPAN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>IP</u>	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>IP</u>	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

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2000		
L <u>IP</u>	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

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REMARKS

00-04 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 15, US NAVAL STATION, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS III ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. ENGINEERING PLANT IS AT COLD IRON. SOPA IS RADM. D. G. IRVINE, COMCRUDES FLOT 3 EMBARKED IN ~~TOPEKA~~ TOPEKA. RECEIVING TELEPHONE SERVICES, FRESH WATER, ELECTRICAL POWER, STEAM, AND FIRE MAIN PRESSURE, WHICH IS BEING BOOSTED BY SHIP'S FIRE AND FIRE FLUSHING PUMPS, FROM THE PIER.

M. A. Stephens
Ensign USNR

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

H. A. Smygaj
LTJG USN

08-12 Moored as before. 0745 Mustered the crew at foul weather parade; no new absentees. 0859 The Commanding Officer, USS PIEDMONT (D17) came aboard to pay an official call on Rear Admiral IRVINE. 0925 USNS PENSEUS steamed into the harbor and moored to Berth 16. 0936 Commanding Officer USS PIEDMONT left the ship. 0949 Rear Admiral IRVINE, COMCRUDESGRU 7th Fleet left the ship to make an official call on COMNAVFOR JAPAN.

W. A. Hummel
LTJG USN

12-16 Moored as before. 1600 Had fire drill. 1015 Released from fire drill.

P. H. Morgan
Ensign USNR

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1741 INSPECTED THE DUTY LIFEBOAT.

John F. Richards
LTJG USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE

Chas. G. Blaylock
ENS USN

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0800			1200			2000		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 15, US NAVAL STATION, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS IV ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. ENGINEERING PLANT IS AT COLD IRON. JOPA IS RADM D. G. IRVINE, COMCRUDESFLOT 3 EMBARKED IN TOPEKA, RECEIVING TELEPHONE SERVICES, FRESH WATER, ELECTRICAL POWER, STEAM, AND FIRE MAIN PRESSURE, WHICH IS BEING BOOSTED BY SHIP'S FIRE AND FIRE FLUSHING PUMPS, FROM THE DIER.

Joseph V. Pennington
CWO USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

W. M. Munk
ENS USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE, #715 YSR -20 WAS RECEIVED ON THE PORT QUARTER. #730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION, ABSENTEES: MOORE, M.E., 5373230, CS-3, USN VA SINCE 0100 08 MARCH, 1966, DUNLAP, W.D., 5336109, RT-2, USN, VA SINCE 0100 08 MAR, 66.

H. G. Peterson
LTJG USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE.

J. D. Fomato
LTJG USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1800 WHEN BEING RETURNED TO THE SHIP FOR SUSPICION OF FIGHTING, SHIRAN, CARLTON C., 9971463, SA, WAS HIT ON THE NOSE WITH NIGHT STICK BY SHORE PATROL. INJURY TREATED BY H.A. SORENSEN HM3. DISPOSITION: REFERRED TO USNH YOKOSUKA, JAPAN.

W. J. D. D. D.
ATSIB USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R. E. Harley
ENS USN

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EXAMINED: *W. L. W...*
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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-2) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9 (I) DATE WEDNESDAY 9 MARCH 19 46
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO _____

POSITION ZONE TIME 0800 L _____ BY _____ λ _____ BY _____	POSITION ZONE TIME 1200 L _____ BY _____ λ _____ BY _____	POSITION ZONE TIME 2000 L _____ BY _____ λ _____ BY _____	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL 2-ELECTRONIC 3-VISUAL 4-D. R.
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REMARKS

00-04 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 15, US NAVAL STATION, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. CONDITION YAK (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS IV ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. ENGINEERING PLANT IS AT COLD IRON. SOPA IS RADM D.G. IRVINE COMCRUDEXT PLAT 3 EMBARKED IN TOPEKA, RECEIVING TELEPHONE SERVICES, FRESH WATER, ELECTRICAL POWER, STEAM AND FIRE MAIN PRESSURE, WHICH IS BEING BOOSTED BY SHIP'S FIRE AND FRESHWATER PUMPS. FROM THE PIER.

DA Guber
LTJG USN

04-02 MOORED AS BEFORE.

DA Guber
LTJG USN

02-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: NONE. 0820 RECEIVED YO 49 TO PORT QUARTER. 0830 COMMENCED FUELING FROM YO-49, DRAFT FORWARD 21'3", AFT 24'3".

William A. Stevens
ENS USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1200 COMPLETED RECEIVING FUEL. 1230 YO 49 CAST OFF.

Ronald T. Kettner
ENSIGN USNR

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE.

John E. Tyler
LT USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Paul P. Stein
ENS USN

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9(I) DATE THURSDAY, 10 MARCH 1966
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>IP</u>	BY _____	
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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REMARKS

00-04 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 15, U.S. NAVAL STATION, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN WITH STANDARD PULSER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. CONDITION OF READINESS II AND CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. ENGINEERING PLANT IS AT COLD IRON. SHIP IS RECEIVING TELEPHONE, FRESH WATER, ELECTRICAL POWER, STEAM, AND FIRE MAIN PRESSURE SERVICES FROM THE PIER WITH THE SHIP'S FIRE AND FLUSHING PUMPS ON THE LINE. (YLS-20) IS ALONGSIDE TO PORT SUPPLYING COMPRESSED AIR. SOPA IS CONCLUDES GRU 7TH FLEET EMBARKED ON USS TOPEKA. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS HENRY W. TUCKER (DD-875), USS MAAS (AFS-1), USS BANNER (AKL-25), AND VARIOUS OTHER UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET PLUS VAND AND DISTRICT CMAET. 0145 FLEMINGS, JAMES W., 296-68-58, Bm3, USN WAS PLACED UNDER CONFINEMENT BY COMMAND DUTY OFFICER RETRIK BEING DELIVERED ON BOARD AT 0015 BY U.S. SHORE PATROL, ACCUSED OF DESTRUCTION OF PRIVATE PROPERTY.

Richard A. France
 ENS USNR

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Clark E. Blain
 ENS USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0705 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS. 0930 RECEIVED DAILY ABSENTEE REPORT; NO NEW ABSENTEES.

M.A. Stebbins
 Ensign USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1345 RADN SAEDI ISHIZUKA DELE ABARD FOR AN OFFICIAL VISIT. 1445 RADN ISHIZUKA LEFT THE SHIP.

William
 LDO USNR

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Jack C. Presmeyer
 Ensign USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

J. G. Long
 LTJG USN

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W. Wells Jr.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9(I) DATE FRIDAY 11 MARCH 1966
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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4-D. R.

REMARKS

~~00-04~~ MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 15, U.S. NAVAL STATION, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN, WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED YSR-20 MOORED ALONGSIDE TO PORT. CONDITION OF READINESS IV AND CONDITION YOWE (MODIFIED) ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. ENGINEERING PLANT IS AT COLD IRON. SHIP IS RECEIVING TELEPHONE, FRESH WATER, ELECTRICAL POWER, STEAM, AND FIRE MAIN PRESSURE FROM THE PIER WITH THE SHIP'S FIRE AND FLUSHING PUMPS ON THE LINE. SOPA IS COM CRUDES GRU WITH FT EMBARKED IN TOPEKA. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS HENRY W. TUCKER (DDC-915), USS MARS (AFS-1), USS BANNER (AKL-25) AND VARIOUS OTHER UNITS OF THE US PACIFIC FLEET PLUS YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. 0720 COMMENCED RECEIVING STEAM FROM YSR-20 IN ADDITION TO SHORE STEAM.

Thomas J. Hood
 LTJG USNR

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Sc. Cross
 LTJG USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS. NO ABSENTEES.

Blum Danner
 LTJG, USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE 1300 COMMENCED CAPTAIN'S MAST. 1355 COMMENCED CAPTAIN'S MAST.

W. H. Hummel
 LTJG USN

~~16-20~~ MOORED AS BEFORE. 1829 LT ROBERT D. BOYLE USN REPORTED TAD WITH THE SHORE PATROL, 1840 ENS JACK C. PRIESMEYER USNR DEPARTED FOR TAD WITH SHORE PATROL.

Charles H. Pley
 ENS USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE

Joseph V. Pangme
 CWO USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

J. C. Brown

U. S. N. COMMANDING

W. H. Hood

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION _____ DATE SATURDAY 12 MARCH, 19 66
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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REMARKS

00-04 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 15, U.S. NAVAL STATION, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN, WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. CONDITION OF READINESS IV AND MATERIAL CONDITION "YDISE" ARE SET. ENGINEERING PLANT IS AT COLD IRON. THE FOLLOWING SERVICES ARE BEING RECEIVED FROM THE PIER: FRESH WATER, FIRE AND FLUSHING WATER (AUGMENTED BY #1 FIRE PUMP), ELECTRICAL POWER, STEAM, AND ~~FRESH~~ TELEPHONE SERVICE. SOPA IS COM CRU DES GRU, 7TH FLT EMBARKED IN TOPEKA. YSR-20 IS MOORED ALONGSIDE TO PORT. SHIPS PRESENT: USS HENRY W. TUCKER (DD-875), USS MARS (AFS-1), AND VARIOUS OTHER UNITS OF THE UNITED STATES PACIFIC FLEET, PLUS YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. 2358 LT. ROBERT D. BOYLE, 233000/6402 REPORTED ABOARD UPON COMPLETION OF SHORE PATROL DUTIES AT SHORE PATROL HEAD-QUARTERS, YOKOSUKA.

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ENSIGN USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

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 LTJG USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION
 NEW ABSENTEES: ~~WITT~~ WITT, GEORGE L. 3898931 RM3 USN UA SINCE 0100 THIS DATE; WIGGINS, JOHN A. 6816782 RD3 USN UA SINCE 0100 THIS DATE; GROGG, FARRIELL J. 5391882 BM2 UA SINCE 0100 THIS DATE; MALONE, LEWIS D., 5157524, UA SINCE 0100 THIS DATE; LOWE, RODERIC L. 4914881 BM2 USN UA SINCE 0100 THIS DATE.

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 LTJG USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE.

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 LTJG USNR

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1730 LTJG. JERRY B. BROWN, USN, DEPARTED FOR TAD WITH THE YOKOSUKA SHORE PATROL.

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20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 2253 LTJG JERRY B. BROWN 673273/MOP reported aboard upon completion of shore patrol duties.

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 LTJG USN

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USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9 DATE Sunday 13 March 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO -

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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3-VISUAL
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REMARKS

00-04 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 15, DRYDOCK 6, U.S. NAVAL SHIP REPAIR FACILITY, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN, WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. CONDITION OF READINESS IV AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) ARE SET. THE ENGINEERING PLANT IS IN COLD IRON STATUS. RECEIVING FRESH WATER, STEAM, TELEPHONE, ELECTRICAL POWER, FIRE MAIN AND FLUSHING PRESSURE SERVICES FROM THE PIER. FIRE AND FLUSHING PRESSURE IS BEING BOOSTED BY THE SHIP'S FIRE PUMPS. RECEIVING STEAM FROM YSR-20 MOORED TO THE PORT SIDE, AMIDSHIP. SHIPS PRESENT: USS MARS (AFS-1), USS HENRY W. TUCHER (DD-836) AND VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET, YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS COMCRUDESGRU SEVENTH FLEET EMBARKED IN TOPEKA. #1 AND #2 UTILITY BOATS ARE AT THE SHIP REPAIR FACILITY BOAT POOL.

Daniel A. Gulber
LTJG USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Harvey S. Nelson
LTJG USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; NEW ABSENTEES: BITTNER, GARY W., 570 7313, MMI, USN AND NELSON, DONALD D., 371 18 87, BTZ, USN UA SINCE 0730 THIS DATE.

Ronald T. Reitermeier
ENSIGN USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE

John Edgar Tipton
LT USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE

Paul P. Haines
ENS USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Richard M. Green
ENS USNR

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USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9(I) DATE MONDAY 14 MAR 1966
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO _____

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

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 15, DEYDOCK 6, NAVAL REPAIR FACILITY, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. CONDITION OF READINESS IV WITH CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) SET. ENGINEERING PLANT IS IN COLD TRON STATUS. RECEIVING FRESH WATER, TELEPHONE, ELECTRICAL POWER, FIRE MAIN AND FLUSHING PRESSURE SERVICES FROM THE PIER. S TEAM IS BEING RECEIVED FROM YSR-20 MOORED ALONGSIDE TO PORT. FIRE AND FLUSHING PRESSURE IS BEING BOOSTED BY THE SHIPS PUMPS. SHIPS PRESENT ARE USS MARS (AFS-1), USS HENRY W TUCKER (DD836), AND VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC SEVENTH FLEET, YARD AND HARBOUR CRAFT, #1, 2, and 3 UTILITY BOATS ARE AT BRP SHOP 68 FOR REPAIR AND UPKEEP. SOPA IS COMCRUDESGRU SEVENTH FLEET. RADM D.G. IRVINE EMBARKED IN USS TOPEKA. 2345 RECEIVED REPORT FROM SENTRY AT THE MAIN GATE THAT KING, WILLIAM C., MM3, 6954714, USN WAS DELIVERED TO THE U.S. NAVAL HOSPITAL, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN FOR TREATMENT AND OBSERVATION OF BLEEDING FROM THE EAR. INFORMATION FROM U.S. NAVAL HOSPITAL, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN DIAGNOSED KING'S INJURY AS A TYPE "D U" CONCUSSION AND THAT HE IS BEING RETAINED FOR TREATMENT AND OBSERVATION.

Chas E. Olson
ENS USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

W. A. Stollins
LTJG USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT FAIR WEATHER PARADE; ONE NEW ABSENTEE: PALMER, D.M., 7944481 SA, USN, OA SINCE 2400, 13 MARCH 1966. 0807 LIT FIRES UNDER NUMBER ONE BOILER.

M. A. Stollins
ENS USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1130 PUT NUMBER ONE BOILER ON THE LINE. 1330 SHIFTED FROM SHORE TO SHIP'S ELECTRICAL POWER. 1438 COMNAVFOR JAPAN CAME ABOARD TO MAKE AN OFFICIAL CALL ON COMCRUDESGRU SEVENTH FLT. 1500 COMNAVFOR JAPAN DEPARTED THE SHIP. 1505 SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND

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USS TOPEKA (CLG-8)

DATE MONDAY 14 MARCH 1966
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

ANCHOR DETAIL. 1510 PILOT CAME ABOARD.

James J. Hoard
LTJG USNR

12-16 (CONTINUED) 1530 TERMINATED ALL SERVICES FROM THE PIER. 1534 OOD SWIFTED HIS WATCH FROM THE QUARTERDECK TO THE OPEN BRIDGE. 1537 UN-DELRWAY COLD IRON TO SHIPT TO PIER 10 USING TUGS AND PUSHER BOATS. 1608 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 10, PONTOON PIER, NAVAL REPAIR FACILITY, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN, WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. 1622 PUT CAPTAIN'S GIG IN THE WATER. 1625 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. OOD SHIFTED HIS WATCH FROM THE OPEN BRIDGE TO THE QUARTERDECK. 1630 PILOT LEFT THE SHIP.

Reddy
LT USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE. RECEIVING PHONE SERVICES FROM THE PIER. BOILER #1 AND GENERATORS #1 + #2 ARE ON THE LINE. 1632 YSR-20 MADE FAST TO PORT QUARTER. 1634 CAPTAIN'S GIG MOORED OFF STARBOARD BOW.

J. C. Pimmey
Ensign USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

W. R. Davis
LT USN

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USS ORCA (ULG-P) ZONE DESCRIPTION 9 I DATE WEDNESDAY 15 MARCH 1966
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM YOOSUKA, JAPAN TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>IP</u>	BY _____	
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L <u>IP</u>	BY _____	
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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4-D.R.

REMARKS

0800. MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 10, PANTON
PIEK. BASIC REPAIR FACILITY, YOOSUKA, JAPAN WITH STANDARD
REPAIR HOISTING LINES DOUBLED. BOILER #1 AND GENERATORS
#1 AND #2 ARE ON THE LINE RECEIVING FRESH WATER
AND TELEPHONE SERVICES FROM THE DIER. STEAM IS
BEING RECEIVED FROM YSR-20 HOUSING ALONGSIDE THE PORT
GENERATOR. CONDITION OF READINESS III AND MATERIAL
CONDITION YOLE (MODELS) ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP.
SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS WARS (AFS-1), USS HENRY
W TUCKER (DD-836) AND VARIOUS OTHER UNITS OF THE
US SEVENTH FLEET PLUS YARD AND HARBOUR CRANE #1, #2 AND
#3 WHICH ARE AT SELF SHIP 68 FOR UNCLE SOPA IS
UNAVAILABLE SEVENTH FLEET EMPLOYED IN USS ORCA (ULG-P).

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LTJG USNR

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE. #515 BLEW TUBES ON NUMBER ONE BOILER.

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LTJG USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. #730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON DECK.
NO NEW ABSENTEES. PALMER, DENNIS M. 794 4481, RMSA, USN
IA SINCE 2400 13 MARCH, 1966 RETURNED 1500 14 MARCH, 1966
#755 COMMENCED YO-47 CAME ALONG SIDE TO PORT. #937
COMMENCED FUELING FROM YO-47. 1019 FUELING COMPLETED
1035 YO-47 CAST OFF. 1038 BROUGHT #3 AND #4 GENERATORS
ON THE LINE. 1043 SECURED #1 AND #2 GENERATORS.

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LTJG USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1428 LITE FIRES UNDER NUMBER
4 BOILER.

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LTJG USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE. SECURED #1 BOILER

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ENS USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 2025 SECURED FIRES UNDER #4 BOILER.

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USS TOPEKA (CLG 8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE WEDNESDAY 16 MARCH 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME	POSITION	ZONE	TIME	POSITION	ZONE	TIME	LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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λ _____		BY _____	λ <u>139°14.0'E</u>		BY <u>3</u>	λ _____		BY _____	4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED STARBOARD SIDE TO BERTH 10, PONTOON PIER, NAVAL REPAIR FACILITY, YOKOSUKA, JAPAN WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. BOILER #3 AND GENERATORS #3 AND #4 ARE ON THE LINE, RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND TELEPHONE SERVICES FROM THE PIER. CONDITION OF READINESS II AND MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS MARS (AFS-1) AND VARIOUS OTHER UNITS OF THE PACIFIC FLEET PLUS YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. JOPA IS COM CRUDES GRO SEVENTH FLEET EMBARKED IN USS TOPEKA (CLG 8).

Joseph V. Conyne
CWO USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0455 LIT FIRES UNDER #1 BOILER.
R. W. Longan
Ensign USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION; ABSENTS; 0840 SELVIN, JOSEPH C. II, 997 0831, SA, USN, VA SINCE 2400 15 MARCH 1966. 0800 COMMENCED PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY, SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. 0840 THE OOD SHIFTED HIS WATCH FROM THE QUARTERDECK TO THE OPEN BRIDGE.

H. G. Nelson
LTJG USN

08-12 (CONTINUED) 0841 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. PILOT CAME ABOARD. 0858 COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. 0903 UNDERWAY FOR HONG KONG, B.C.C. IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT'S QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE, MANEUVERING TO CLEAR THE PIER, CAPTAIN AT THE CONN. 0909 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS STANDING OUT OF TOKYO BAY. 0922 OOD WAS GIVEN THE CONN. PASSED YOKOSUKA BREAKWATER LIGHT ABREAM TO PORT 200 YARDS. 0939 PASSED FORT NUMBER TWO ABREAM TO PORT ABOUT 4 MILES. 0944 C/C TO 151°T, SPEED IS 15 KNOTS. 0945 PASSED MIDCHANNEL BUOY NUMBER THREE ABREAM TO PORT 300 YARDS. 0919 (LATE ENTRY) PILOT LEFT THE SHIP. 0948 C/C TO 168°T. 0949 C/S TO 18 KNOTS. C/C TO 172°T. 0951 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL, SET CONDITION FOUR. C/C TO 190°T. 1045 C/S TO 20 KNOTS. 1146 C/C TO 213°T.

J. C. Kelly
LT USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1258 C/S TO 18 KNOTS. 1317 C/C TO 230°T. 1411 C/C TO 240°T. 1416 C/S TO 14 KNOTS. 1430 THE COMMANDING OFFICER HON (CAPTAIN'S WIFE) SECURED FROM CAPTAIN'S WIFE.

John J. ...
LTJG USN

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8)

DATE WEDNESDAY 16 MARCH 1966
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1604 ψ 230° T. 1606 C/S 15 KTS
1702 C/S 16 KTS. 1745 C/S 17 KTS.

B.W. Turner
LTJG, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1946 ψ TO 18 KNOTS

M.D. Cook
LT, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2015 C/S TO 19 KNOTS. 2045
C/S TO 20 KNOTS.

R.L. Jelliffe
LT, USN

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USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE THURSDAY 17 MARCH 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO HONG KONG, B. C. C.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 31° 01.0 N		BY 1
λ 134° 16.2 E		BY 1

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 30° 08.0 N		BY
λ 133° 07.0 E		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 27 12.0		BY
λ 132 10.0		BY

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

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO HONG KONG, B.C.C. IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT'S QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE. OTC IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS TOPEKA EMBARKED IN USS TOPEKA (CLG-8). SOPA IS COMCRUDESFLT 3 / CTG 10.8 EMBARKED IN USS TOPEKA (CLG-8). BOILERS NUMBER 3 AND 4 AND GENERATORS 2, 3 AND 4 ARE ON THE LINE. THE PLANT IS CROSS CONNECTED. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO AND CONDITION OF READINESS IV ARE SET. COURSE 230° T AND SPEED 2.0 KNOTS. Ø311 C/C TO 260° Ø326 C/C TO 230°

R. L. Krahmer
LCDR USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

Robert Duley
LT USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS; NO NEW ABSENTEES. 1000 C/C 228° T

Donald T. Kestelien
ENSIGN USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1224 C/C TO 150° T IN ACCORDANCE TO COMPLY WITH COMSEVENTHFLT MSG 170322 Z TO PROCEED TO THE VICINITY OF 25°-25.0' N, 136°-00.0' E TO PROVIDE POSSIBLE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE IN THE RECOVERY OF GEMINI ASTRONAUTS. 1225 C/S TO 25 KNOTS. 1234 LIT FIRES UNDER #2 BOILER. 1302 LIT FIRES UNDER #1 BOILER. 1343 C/C TO 175° T TO INTERCEPT THE U.S.S. MASON (DD-852) WHICH WILL PROCEED TO OKINAWA AFTER GEMINI RECOVERY. 1352 C/C TO 184° T. 1507 #2 BOILER PLACED ON THE LINE. 1510 #2 BOILER PLACED ON THE LINE. 1515 THE ENGINEERING PLANT IS NOW SPLIT. C/S TO 27 KNOTS. 1539 C/S TO 28 KNOTS. 1551 C/S TO 29 KNOTS. 1554 C/S TO 30 KNOTS.

R. A. Morgan
ENSIGN USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1601 C/C TO 190° T. 1737 C/C TO 240° T, RELEASED TO NORMAL OPERATIONS BY CTF 130. ENROUTE TO HONG KONG, B.C.C. IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT'S QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE.

R. D. Cook
LT USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1800 C/S TO 21 KNOTS. C/C TO 241° T

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USS TORPEDO (AGS-P)

DATE 17 MARCH 19 68
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

18-20 (CONTINUED) 1849 TOOK #1 BOILER OFF THE LINE. 1857 TOOK #2 BOILER OFF THE LINE. 1905 TOOK #1 GENERATOR OFF THE LINE. 1919 SECURED #1 BOILER.

B.W. Dume
LTJG, USN

200-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2200 TOOK GENERATOR #2 OFF THE LINE

R.L. Kenner
LCDR USN

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EXAMINED: *R. W. ...*

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-5) ZONE DESCRIPTION -9 (1) DATE FRIDAY 18 MARCH 19 66

AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO HONG KONG, B.C.C.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 25° 19.0' N	BY 1	
λ 128° 09.8' E	BY 1	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 24° 47.0' N	BY 1	
λ 127° 04.0' E	BY 1	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 23° 38.0' N	BY 1	
λ 124° 56.0' E	BY 1	

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

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN, TO HONG KONG, B.C.C., IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT'S QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE. OTC IS COMMANDING OFFICER USS TOPEKA. SOPA IS COM CRUDESFLOT 3 / CTG 70.2 EMBARKED IN TOPEKA #3 AND #4 BOILERS AND #3 AND #4 GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE. THE ENGINEERING PLANT IS CROSS CONNECTED. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO AND CONDITION OF READINESS IS ARE SET. THE SHIP IS DARKENED. BASE COURSE 241° T | SPEED 21 KNOTS.

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 LT USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

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 LT USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT FAIR WEATHER PARADE. NO NEW ABSENTEES. 0801 C/G TO 240° T C/G TO 16 KNOTS

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 Ensign, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

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 ENSIGN USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, 1635 C/G 230° T C/G 17 KNOTS. 1700 C/G 240° T C/G 16 KNOTS

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18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

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 LCDR USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2005 C/G 18 KNOTS.

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8(H) DATE SATURDAY 19 MARCH, 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO HONG KONG, B.C.C.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>21°48'0N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>121°22'5E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>21°43'1N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>120°12'9E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>21°38'5N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>120°01'2E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

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

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO HONG KONG, B.C.C. IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTH FLT'S QUARTERLY EMPLOYMENT SCHEDULE. OTC IS COMMANDING OFFICER U.S.S. TOPEKA, SOPA IS COMCRUDEFLT THREE / CTG 70.8 EMBARKED IN TOPEKA. #3 AND #4 BOILERS AND #3 AND #4 GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE. THE ENGINEERING PLANT IS CROSS CONNECTED. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE AND CONDITION OF READINESS II ARE SET. THE SHIP IS DARKENED. BASE COURSE IS 240°T, SPEED 18 KNOTS.

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0650 C/C TO 252°T. *B.W. Danner*
LTJG, USN
John R. King
LT USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0900 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS AT FULL WEATHER BRASS. 0950 RECEIVED DAILY ABSENTEE REPORT. NO NEW ABSENTEES. 0950 C/C TO 275°T. TOOK DEPARTURE FROM LUZON STRAITS ENROUTE TO HONG KONG, B.C.C. VISIT CHI-HSIANG YEN ISLAND BEARING 317°T, RANGE 8.8 MILES.
Donald T. Kitzmeier
ENSIGN USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1200 C/C TO 276°T. C/S TO 17 KNOTS.
R.A. Morgan
ENSIGN USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE
P. D. Hye
LT USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.
B.W. Danner
LTJG, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2031 C/C TO 272°T, C/S TO 16 KNOTS. 2225 C/C TO 292°T. 2243 C/C TO 272°T. 2301 C/C TO 282°T. 2312 C/C TO 272°T. 2320 C/C TO 270°T.
P.D. Hye
LT, USN

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA CLG-8 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8(H) DATE SUNDAY 20 MARCH 19 66
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO HONG KONG, B.C.C.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>22° 21.2 N</u>	BY <u>3</u>	
<u>114° 11.5 E</u>	BY <u>3</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>IP</u>	BY	
<u>λ</u>	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>IP</u>	BY	
<u>λ</u>	BY	

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

REMARKS

06-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY FROM YOKOSUKA, JAPAN TO HONG KONG, B.C.C. IN ACCORDANCE WITH COMSEVENTH FLEET QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE. OTC IS CO USS TOPEKA (CLG-8). SOPA IS COMCRUDES FLOT 3/ CTG 70.8 EMBARKED USS TOPEKA (CLG-8). BOILERS #3 AND #4 AND GENERATORS #3 AND #4 ARE ON THE LINE WITH THE PLANT CROSS CONNECTED. MATERIAL CONDITION YAKE AND CONDITION OF READINESS II ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. EMCON VI IS SET. SHIP IS DARKENED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF BRIGHT NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. COURSE IS 270°T, SPEED 16 KNOTS

R. P. J. [Signature]
 LT USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0401 C/C TO 281°T. C/S TO 13 KNOTS
 0520 C/C 282°T

R. F. [Signature]
 LCDR USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0531 C/C TO 283°T. 0704 C/C TO 280°T
 0707 C/S TO 12 KNOTS. 0728 C/S TO 15 KNOTS. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION; NO NEW ABSENTEES. 0740 C/C TO 276°T. 0758 C/C TO 271°T.
 0759 C/S TO 12 KNOTS. 0802 C/C TO 272°T. C/S TO 9 KNOTS. 0806 C/C TO 274°T
 0807 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS CONFORMING TO ENTRANCE CHANNEL TO HONG KONG HARBOR. 0818 PASSED WANG LAN ISLAND LIGHT ABEAM TO PORT 2.8 MILES. 0830 STATION THE SPECIAL SEA AND MOORING DETAIL. 0846 PASSED MIDCHANNEL BUOY ABEAM TO PORT 150 YARDS. 0850 PILOT CAME ABOARD 0814 PASSED MIDCHANNEL BUOY ABEAM TO STARBOARD 100 YARDS
 0852 MOORED TO MAN OF WAR BUOY NO. ONE WITH 15 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE WILDCAT IN 45 FEET OF WATER IN HONG KONG HARBOR, HONG KONG, B.C.C.
 0858 ALL ENGINES STOP. 1019 SECURE THE SPECIAL SEA AND MOORING DETAIL.
 DOD SILETED HIS WATCH FROM THE OPEN BRIDGE TO THE QUARTERDECK

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 LT USN

08-12 (CONTINUED) MOORED AS BEFORE 1055 RECEIVED WATER BARGE ALONG SIDE PORT AMIDSHIPS

H. G. [Signature]
 LTJG USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE 1229 WATER BARGE CAST OFF FROM PORT SIDE AMIDSHIPS

D. A. [Signature]
 LTJG USNR

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE

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USS TOPEKA CLG-8

DATE SUNDAY 20 MARCH 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE 2237 MAN OVERBOARD ASTERN - POWELL, S. L. >
SW 795 7450 FELL INTO WATER WHILE WORKING ON HIS BOAT ASTERN. NO
INJURIES REPORTED

Phillip J. Davis
15711 USMC

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U. S. N. COMMANDING

William J. ...

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USS TOPEKA (CG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 DATE Monday 21 March 1966
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN COLONY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>110</u>	BY	
λ <u>110</u>	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>110</u>	BY	
λ <u>110</u>	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>110</u>	BY	
λ <u>110</u>	BY	

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

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED TO MAN OF WAR BUOY #1 WITH 15 FEET OF CHAIN TO THE WILDCAT IN 45 FEET OF WATER IN HONG KONG HARBOR, HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN COLONY. ENGINEERING PLANT IS STEAMING AUXILIARY WITH #4 BOILER ON THE LINE AND #3 AND #20 SHIPS SERVICE TURBO-GENERATORS SUPPLYING ELECTRICAL POWER AND LIGHTING RECEIVING PHONE SERVICE FROM THE SHORE. MATERIAL CONDITION Voke (MODIFIED) AND ENGINEERING CONDITION OF READINESS IV ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS STRAUSS (DDG-16), USS VEGA (AF-59), AND USS OGDEN (LSD-5). SOPA IS COMCRUDESGRU 7TH. FLT. EMBARKED ABOARD THE USS TOPEKA (CG-8).

S. J. Tabak
 USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R. E. Hawley
 ENS. USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT FAIR WEATHER PARADE; NEW ABSENTEE: CHATMAN, SHERMAN A., 2815404, DC2, USN, UA SINCE 0745 THIS DATE, 0750 LT. PAUL F. ABRAHAMS, AND LTJG USNR, 642399, AND LTJG JERRY B. BROWN, USN, 613273, HAVING COMPLETED TAD WITH SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS, HONG KONG, B.B.C. RETURNED ABOARD AND RESUMED THEIR REGULAR DUTIES. 0905 PURSUANT TO COMSEVENTHFLTINST 50000, IC, W-3 MIKE M. ANGULO, USN, 232736, LEFT THE SHIP FOR TAD WITH SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS, HONG KONG, B.B.C. 1002 CAPTAIN E.G. KELLEY, USN, COMMANDING OFFICER, U.S.S. POLLUX (AKS 4) CAME ABOARD TO PAY AN OFFICIAL CALL TO COMCRUDESGRU 3. 1015 LCDR W.J. MORE, USN, COMMANDING OFFICER, U.S.S. LOWE (DER 325) CAME ABOARD TO PAY AN OFFICIAL CALL TO COMCRUDESGRU 3.

Ronald T. Rutledge
 ENSIGN USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1450 LCDR J.D. CONWERY (USN) DEPARTED ON TAD ORDERS AS SENIOR SHORE PATROL OFFICER HONG KONG. 1525 CHAPMAN DC2 USN RETURNED ABOARD HAVING BEEN UA SINCE 0100 21 MARCH 1966. 1530 COUNCIL GENERAL OF HONG KONG AND HIS PARTY MADE AN OFFICIAL CALL ON RAOU D.G. FEVINE USN. RETURNED HONORS. 1545 COUNCIL GENERAL OF HONG KONG DEPARTED.

Paul J. ...
 USN

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USS TOPEKA (CLG-8)

DATE MONDAY 21 MARCH 1966 ^{PS}
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Paul P. Stein
Captain USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Charles E. Olson
ENS USN

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-9) ZONE DESCRIPTION E(H) DATE TUESDAY 22 MARCH 1966
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN TO COLONY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
 2-ELECTRONIC
 3-VISUAL
 4-D. R.

REMARKS

~~01-09~~ MOORED TO MAN-OF-WAR DOCK #1, HONG KONG HARBOR, HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN COLONY, IN 45 FEET OF WATER WITH 15 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE WILDCAT SHIP IN CONDITION OF READINESS IN MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) SET. BOILER #4 IS ON THE LINE FOR AUXILIARY PURPOSES, AND GENERATORS #3 AND #4 ARE SUPPLYING SHIP'S POWER RECEIVING TELEPHONE SERVICE FROM THE SHORE ADMIRAL'S BARGE AND CAPTAIN'S BIG ARE HOISTED TO THE RAIL, PORT AND STARBOARD RESPECTIVELY OFFICER'S MOTOR BOAT IS TIED TO THE STARBOARD BOW AND UTILITY BOAT #1 IS TIED TO THE PORT BOW. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS POLIUX (AKS-4), USS OGDEN (LPDS), AND USS VEGA (AFSA). SOPA IS COMRUDESFLT 3 IN TOPEKA. ~~0130~~ W-3 MIKE M. ANGILO, USN, 232436, HAVING COMPLETED T.A.D. WITH SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS, HONG KONG, B.C.C., RETURNED ABOARD AND RESUMED HIS REGULAR DUTIES.

Ronald T. Reitmeier
 ENSIGN USNR

~~04-08~~ MOORED AS BEFORE.

Paul P. Stein
 ENSIGN USN

~~08-12~~ MOORED AS BEFORE. ~~0730~~ MUSTERED THE CREW AT FAIR WEATHER PARADE. NO NEW ABSENTEES.

MA. Stephen
 Ensign USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1510 HONG KONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK'S CO. LTD, TUG NUMBER 30P, CAME ALONGSIDE SHIP'S STARBOARD QUARTER TO SWING STERN. 1525 TUG CAST OFF FROM STARBOARD QUARTER.

James H. Hoyle
 LTJG USNR

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE.

N. R. Davis
 LT, USN

20-24. MOORED AS BEFORE. 2000 RECEIVED PFC. WALTER D. NELSON, RA 13796931, 1ST CLASS, U.S. ARMY IN CUSTODY FOR SOME REASONS PRIOR TO FURTHER TRANSFER TO SINGAPORE.

William
 LTJG USNR

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T. G. Bunn

U. S. N. COMMANDING

W. W. J.

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CGC) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 (H) DATE WEDNESDAY 23 MARCH 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG HARBOR TO HONG KONG, B.C.C.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>110</u>	BY	
<u>λ</u>	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>110</u>	BY	
<u>λ</u>	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>110</u>	BY	
<u>λ</u>	BY	

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

REMARKS

~~04-08~~ MOORED TO MAN-OF-WAR Boat #7, HONG KONG HARBOR, HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN COLONY, IN 45 FEET OF WATER WITH 15 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE WILDCAT. SHIP IN CONDITION OF READINESS II, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) SET. Boiler #4 IS ON THE LINE FOR AUXILIARY PURPOSES, AND GENERATOR No. 3 AND 4 ARE SUPPLYING SHIP'S POWER. RECEIVING TELEPHONE SERVICE FROM THE SHORE. SHIP'S PRESENT INCLUDE U.S.S. Pallax (ARS-4), U.S.S. Lowie (DER 325), U.S.S. J. Strauss (DDG-16), VARIOUS OTHER UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET AND LOCAL CRAFT. SOPA 15 COMRADES FLOT 3 EMBARKED IN THE U.S.S. TOPEKA (CGC) ENS LIEUTENANT ALVIN D. HEARLE, 655403/0202/USN HAVING COMPLETED T.A.D. WITH SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS, HONG KONG, B.C.C., RETURNED ABOARD AND RESUMED HIS REGULAR DUTIES.

J. L. Gross
Ltjg USNR

04 - 08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

J. C. Picomayed
Ens USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW AT FAIR WEATHER PARADE. NO NEW ABSENTEES. 0940 LIT FIRES UNDER #1 BOILER. 0953 SECURED FIRES UNDER #4 BOILER.

W. S. USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE.

B. W. Damm
LTJG, USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE 1545 PURSUANT TO THE COMMANDING OFFICERS HR SERIAL 28-66 OF 23 MARCH 1966, LT. ROBERT D. BOYLE, USN, 233000, LEFT THE SHIP FOR TAD AS SHORE PATROL OFFICER AT FENWICK STREET PIER, HONG KONG, B.C.C.

W. S. USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R. A. Morgan
ENS, USNR

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EXAMINED:

J. E. B...

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8(N) DATE THURSDAY 24 MARCH 19 66
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN TO COLONY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>IP</u> BY _____		
λ <u>IP</u> BY _____		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>IP</u> BY _____		
λ <u>IP</u> BY _____		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>IP</u> BY _____		
λ <u>IP</u> BY _____		

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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 4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED TO MAN-OF-WAR BUOY #1, HONG KONG HARBOR, HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN COLONY, IN 45 FEET OF WATER WITH 15 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE WILDCAT. SHIP IN CONDITION OF READINESS IV. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) SET. BOILER #1 IS ON THE LINE AND GENERATORS #1 AND #2 ARE SUPPLYING SHIPS POWER. RECEIVING TELEPHONE SERVICE FROM THE SHORE. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS POLBOX (AKS4), USS J. STRAUSS (DDG-16), USS LOWE (DER 325) AND USS VEGA (AFS9). SOPA IS COMCRUDESRAT 3 IN TOPEKA. 0130 LT ROBERT D BOYLE 233000/6402 USN HAVING COMPLETED TAD. WITH SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS, HONG KONG BRITISH COLONY, RETURNED ABOARD AND RESUMED HIS REGULAR DUTIES. 0320 PRISONER CARLTON C. SMIRAH, SA, USN, 9971463 TRANSFERRED TO QUEEN MARY HOSPITAL, HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN COLONY IN AMBULATORY STATUS. DIAGNOSIS: POSSIBLE ACUTE APPENDICITIS. RECORDS AND CHARGES TO BE FORWARDED.

Joseph V. Pennington
 CWO USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE

Charles Y. Blum
 ENS USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS; ABSENTEES: ~~SEN SELVIN~~ JOSEPH E. II, SA, 9970831, USN ^{AGN} VA SINCE 2400, 15 MARCH 1966. 1030 COMMODORE HONG KONG ARRIVED ON BOARD AND MADE AN OFFICIAL CALL ON REAR ADMIRAL IRVINE U.S.N. (~~SEN~~ CRUDESRAT 7th FLT). FULL HONORS WERE RENDERED. 1059 COMMODORE HONG KONG DEPARTED THE SHIP HAVING COMPLETED HIS OFFICIAL CALL. 1127 WATER BARGE M 204254 WAS RECEIVED ALONG SIDE TO PORT AMIDSHIPS.

Harvey D. Nelson
 LTJG USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1352 LT PAUL F. ABRAMMS, USNR, 642399 LEFT THE SHIP FOR TAD WITH SHORE PATROL.

Paul F. Abramms
 1STLT USMC

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE

Bill Lawrence
 LTJG USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 2045 RECEIVED DELAUNTELL JESSE BLAIR, FA, 7720888 FROM THE USS LOWE (DER 325) FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT. DIAGNOSIS: FRACTURED NOSE. DISPOSITION: ADMITTED OVERWITE.

Jesse Blair
 2ND LT USN

APPROVED:

EXAMINED:

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NAVPERS-719 (REV. 10-64)

DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8th DATE FRIDAY 25 MARCH 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN TO COLONY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>114°54'9" N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>114°52'2"</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>19°54'9" N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>114°52'2"</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>19°52'0" N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>114°35'0" E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

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

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED TO MAN-OF-WAR BUOY #1, HONG KONG HARBOR, HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN COLONY, IN 45 FEET OF WATER WITH 15 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO THE WILDCAT, SHIP IN CONDITION OF READINESS IV, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) SET. BOILER #1 IS ON THE LINE AND GENERATORS #1 AND #2 ARE SUPPLYING SHIPS POWER, RECEIVING TELEPHONE SERVICE FROM THE SHORE. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS POLLUX (AKSU), USS JOSEPH STRAUSS (DDG-16), USS LOWE (DER-325) AND USS VEGA (AF59), SOPA IS COMCRUDESFLOT 3 IN TOPEKA. 0120 #2 UTILITY BOAT AND CAPTAIN'S GIG HOISTED ABOARD. 0122 LTJG JERRY B. BROWN, 673273/1100, USN, HAVING COMPLETED TAD WITH SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS, HONG KONG, BRITISH COLONY, RETURNED ABOARD AND RESUMED HIS REGULAR DUTIES. 0137 LT PAUL E. ABRAHAM, 642399/1105, USNR, HAVING COMPLETED TAD WITH SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS, HONG KONG, BRITISH COLONY, RETURNED ABOARD AND RESUMED HIS REGULAR DUTIES.

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LTJG, USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0650 RECEIVED M20-285 ALONG SIDE TO PORT.

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LTJG USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS. NO NEW ABSENTEES.

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08-12 (CONTINUED) 0842 PILOT CAME ABOARD. 0845 STATIONED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 0855 COMPLETED ALL PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY. 0900 UNDERWAY FOR SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, IN COMPLIANCE WITH COMSEVENTHFLT'S QUARTERLY OPERATIONS SCHEDULE. CAPTAIN AT THE CONN, MANEUVERING TO CLEAR THE BUOY. 0905 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS STANDING OUT OF HONG KONG HARBOR. 0917 PASSED HONG KONG FAIRWAY BUOY ABEAM TO PORT 150 YARDS. 0938 PASSED LEIU MUN PASS SOUTH LIGHT ABEAM TO STARBOARD 300 YARDS. EXITED HONG KONG HARBOR. 0940 PILOT LEFT THE SHIP. C/L TO 132° T. C/S TO 12 KNOTS. 0948 PASSED TAT HONG FAIRWAY BUOY ABEAM TO PORT 280 YARDS. 0949 C/L TO 152° T. C/S TO 15 KNOTS. 0957 PASSED TAT HONG POINT LIGHT ABEAM TO STARBOARD 1000 YARDS. 0958 C/L TO 106° T. 1001 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 0951 (LATE ENTRY) OOD WAS GIVEN THE CONN. 1002 C/S TO 20 KNOTS. 1048 C/L TO 129° T. 1052 C/L TO 128° T. 1150 LOST BOOSTER PRESSURE. SECURED ALL THROTTLES. 1152 RESUME 20 KNOTS. *[Signature]*

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8)

DATE FRIDAY 25 MARCH 1966
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REMARKS-CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1420 $\frac{1}{2}$ 146°T.
P. J. Miller
LT, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.
P. A. Morgan
ENSIGN, USNR

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.
S. W. Damm
LTJG, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 200 FT C/S TO 18.5 HTS.
P. J. Cook
LT, USN

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T. C. Brown U. S. N. COMMANDING

P. J. Miller U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SATURDAY 26 MARCH 19 66
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 -AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG, B.C.E. TO SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
<u>14° 55.5N</u>		BY <u>284</u>
<u>118° 40.0E</u>		BY <u>284</u>

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
<u>L 15° 40.0N</u>		BY <u>213</u>
<u>λ 119° 21.5E</u>		BY <u>213</u>

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
<u>L I.P.</u>		BY
<u>λ</u>		BY

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

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY FROM HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN COLONY TO SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES IN ACCORDANCE WITH CONSEQUENT THIRD QUARTER OPERATION SCHEDULE. BASE COURSE IS 146°T AND BASE SPEED IS 18.5 KNOTS. ENGINEERING PLANT IS CROSS CONNECTED WITH BOILERS #1 AND #2 AND GENERATORS #1 AND #2 ON THE LINE. THE SHIP IS DARKENED EXCEPT FOR RUNNING LIGHTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO AND CONDITION OF READINESS IV ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP SOPA IS ^{COMBINED} SEVENTH FLEET, EMBARKED ON THE USS TOPEKA (CG-8).

John W. Damm
 LT USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0550 SIGHTED SHIP BEARING 120°T DISTANCE ABOUT 12 MIKES ON A COURSE OF ABOUT 230°T. IDENTIFIED THE SHIP AS THE USNS LST 732 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY FROM TAIWAN TO VIETNAM. 0638 C/C TO 220°T AND C/S TO 22 KNOTS TO AVOID USNS LST 732. 0640 C/C TO 146°T AND C/S TO 18.5 KNOTS WITH USNS LST 732 PASSING ASTERN, DISTANCE ABOUT 1000 YARDS.

John W. Damm
 LTJG, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0715 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS FOR INSPECTION AT FAIR WEATHER PARADE. 0804 C/C TO 148°T. 0825 RECEIVED DAILY MUSTER REPORT: NO NEW ABSENTEES.

Ronald T. Kirtman
 ENSIGN USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1238 C/S TO 15 KNOTS. 1430 LIT FIRES # 4 BOILER. 1507 C/S TO 14 KNOTS.

RA Morgan
 ENSIGN USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1602 C/C TO 092°T. 1612 C/S TO 13 KNOTS. 1702 C/C TO 015°T. 1705 C/C TO 019°T. 1716 C/C TO 021°T. STATION THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL; OOD AT THE CONN. 1721 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS CONSIDERING TO THE ENTRANCE CHANNEL TO SUBIC BAY. 1736 PASSED MA ANGA LIGHT ABEAM TO PORT 3000 YARDS. 1744 PASSED KALAKLAN POINT LIGHT ABEAM TO PORT 1400 YARDS. 1745 CAPTAIN TOOK THE CONN. 1749 PILOT CAME ABOARD. 1758 MOORED PORT SIDE TO USS CAMBERA (CAG-2), BERTHS 2, 3, AND 4, ALAYA PIER, SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. 1818 STOPPED ALL ENGINES. SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL. 1819 PILOT LEFT THE SHIP.

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-2)

DATE SATURDAY 26 MAR. 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

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LT USN
18-20 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1945 USS GOLDSBOROUGH MOORED
ALONGSIDE TO STARBOARD.

MOORED AS BEFORE.
20-24^ 2130 COMMENCED RECEIVING TELEPHONE SERVICES
FROM THE PIER.

Paul P. Stein
ENS. USN

Ronald T. Reitmier
ENSIGN USN

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -84 DATE Sunday 27 March 19 66
 (Day) (Date) (Month)
 AT/PASSAGE FROM US NAVAL STATION TO SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>IP</u>	BY	
λ <u>IP</u>	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
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λ <u>IP</u>	BY	

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

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED PORT SIDE TO USS CAMBELLA (CAG-2) WITH USS GOLDSBOROUGH (DDG-20) MOORED OFF THE STARBOARD SIDE AT BERTHS 2, 3, AND 4 ALAUA PIER, U.S. NAVAL STATION, SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. SHIP IN CONDITION OF READINESS TD MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) SET. ENGINEERING PLANT HAS # 2 BOILER AND # 1 AND # 2 GENERATORS ON THE LINE. SHIP IS RECEIVING TELEPHONE AND FRESH WATER SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS KITTY HAWK WITH SOPA, COMCARDIN FIVE EMBARKED, USS CAMBELLA (CAG-2), USS YORKTOWN (PA-10), AND VARIOUS OTHER UNITS OF U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, PLUS YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT.

Richard A. Stevens
 ENS USNR

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

William A. Stevens
 LTJG USNR

8 AM MOORED AS BEFORE. 0700 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION; NO NEW ABSENTEES.

Jo. P. Pimentel
 ENS USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE 1200 COMBANDER FLOT THREE AND CTG 70.8 EMBARKED IN USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ASSUMED SOPA.

A. R. Dennis
 LT USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE 1750 LTJG Peter R. White, USN, 669664 DEPARTED THE SHIP FOR TELETYPE UNIT WITH SUBIC BAY STATION. 1820 LTJG DANIEL A. ZUBER, USN, 647225 REPORTED BACK BOARD TO RESUME REGULAR DUTIES HAVING BEEN TAD WITH SUBIC BAY STATION PATROL.

William A. Stevens
 LTJG USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

James J. Reed
 LTJG USNR

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William J. ...

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE MONDAY 28 MARCH 19 66
 AT/PASSAGE FROM US NAVAL STATION TO SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>IP</u>	BY	
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POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>IP</u>	BY	
λ	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>IP</u>	BY	
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
 2-ELECTRONIC
 3-VISUAL
 4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED PORT SIDE TO USS CANBERRA (CAG-2) WITH USS GOLDSBOROUGH (DDG-20) MOORED TO STARBOARD SIDE AT BERTHS 2, 3, AND 4, ALAVA PIER, U.S. NAVAL STATION, SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS TV ARE SET. RECEIVING TELEPHONE AND FRESH WATER SERVICES FROM THE PIER. A SLUDGE BARGE IS MOORED OFF THE STARBOARD QUARTER. ENGINEERING PLANT HAS #2 BOILER ON THE LINE AND #1 & #2 GENERATORS ON THE LINE. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS KITTY HAWK (CVA 63), USS YORKTOWN (LPH-10), USS MAHAN (DLG-11) AND VARIOUS OTHER UNITS OF THE US PACIFIC FLEET. SOPA IS RADM. D.G. IRVINE, COMCRUDESGRU, SEVENTH FLT. EMBARKED IN USS TOPEKA (CLG-8).

M.A. Stebbins
 Ensign USNR

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

S.C. Moran
 Ltjg USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0700 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS: NO NEW ABSENTEES. 0710 SET THE SPECIAL SEA DETAIL TO BREAST OUT FROM THE USS CANBERRA (CAG-2). 0722 PILOT ON BOARD, ALL LINES CLEAR OF CANBERRA, COMMENCED BREASTING OUT. 0748 USS CANBERRA (CAG-2) PULLED AWAY FROM ALAVA PIER. 0800 MOORED PORT SIDE TO BERTHS 2, 3, AND 4 ALAVA PIER, U.S. NAVAL STATION, SUBIC BAY PHILIPPINES WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. #2 BOILER AND #1 AND #2 GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE WITH THE ELECTRICAL LOAD SPLIT. COMMENCED RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND PHONE SERVICES FROM THE PIER. USS GOLDSBOROUGH IS MOORED TO STARBOARD.

B. Morgan
 Ensign, USNR.

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE 1520 THE DISPENSING OFFICER RETURNED TO THE SHIP WITH TWO HUNDRED SEVENTY THOUSAND (270,000) DOLLARS IN U.S. CURRENCY. 1530 PURSUANT TO THE COMMANDING OFFICER'S LTR SERIAL 20-66 OF 27 MARCH 1966, LT. ROBERT D. BOYLE LEFT THE SHIP FOR TAD FOR SHORE PATROL DUTY AT THE ARMED FORCES POLICE HEADQUARTERS. 1540 THE USS EDSON (DD 946) AND USS O'BANNON (DD 450) CAME ALONGSIDE AND MOORED OUTBOARD IN NEARBY WITH USS GOLDSBOROUGH (DDG 20).

R.H. Hummel
 LTJG USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE.

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-D)

DATE MONDAY 28 MARCH 19 60
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS-CONTINUED

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE

Charles J. Blazis
ENS USA

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG 8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE TUESDAY 29 MARCH 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM US NAVAL STATION TO SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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λ <u>10</u>	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>10</u>	BY	
λ <u>10</u>	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>10</u>	BY	
λ <u>10</u>	BY	

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

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED PORT SIDE TO ALAVA PIER BERTHS 2, 3 AND 4, US NAVAL STATION SUBIC BAY PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED FORWARD AND AFT. NUMBER (2) TWO BOILER AND NUMBER (1) ONE AND (2) TWO GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE. THE ELECTRICAL LOAD IS SPLIT AND RECEIVING PHONE AND FRESH WATER SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE U.S.S. GOLDSBOROUGH (DDG-20), U.S.S. EDSON (DD 946), U.S.S. O'BANNON (DD 450) U.S.S. KITTY HAWK (CVA 63), U.S.S. YORKTOWN (LPH-10) AND OTHER UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET PLUS VARIOUS YARD AND SERVICE CRAFT. SOPA IS COMCRUDESFLOT 3 EMBARKED ON THE U.S.S. TOPEKA (CLG 8). MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS II ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. 0025 LT ROBERT D BOYLE, USN, 233000/6402, HAVING COMPLETED TAD AT SHORE PATROL HEADQUARTERS, SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES, RETURNED ABOARD AND RESUMED HIS REGULAR DUTIES.

Joseph V. Enagme
CWO USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

John F. Richards
LTJG USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT FAIR WEATHER PARADE. NO NEW ABSENTEES. 0810 COMMENCED FUELING FROM YO 264 MOORED TO FANTAIL AND YO 116 MOORED ACROSS THE PIER. 0815 PURSUANT TO TOPEKA LTR SERIAL 1321 OF 28 MARCH 1966, LT ROBERT T. DERBY, USN, 647466, LEFT THE SHIP FOR TAD AT DAVAO, REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES.

A. G. Nelson
LTJG USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Shall P. Down
LTJG USMC

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1030 PURSUANT TO THE C.O.'S LTR SERIAL NO. 29-66 OF 29 MARCH 1966, LTJG JERRY B. BROWN, 673273 USN LEFT THE SHIP FOR TAD AT THE ARMED FORCES POWER Hdg's

SP7 Robert
USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

O. R. Muz
LTJG USN

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA CLG-8 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 DATE 30 WEDNESDAY 30 MARCH 19 66
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM US NAVAL STATION, SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>IP</u>	BY	
λ <u>IP</u>	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>IP</u>	BY	
λ <u>IP</u>	BY	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>IP</u>	BY	
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED PORT SIDE TO ALAVA PIER, BERTHS 2, 3 AND 4, U.S. NAVAL STATION, SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOUBLED. MOORED OUT BOARD TO STARBOARD USS GOLDSBOROUGH (DDG-20) USS O'BANNON (DD-450), AND USS EDSON (DD-942). #2 BOILER AND #1 AND #2 GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS 4 ARE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND PHONE SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE THE USS YORKTOWN (CVS-10) AND USS GOLDSBOROUGH (DDG-20) AND VARIOUS OTHER UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS CRU DES GRU 7TH FLT EMBARKED IN USS TOPEKA (CLG-8).

LTJG USNR

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

LTJG USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION. ABSENTEES NONE. 1130 LIT FIRES UNDER #3 BOILER.

LTJG USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE.

ENS USNR

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE.

LT USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

ENS USN

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T.C. Bunn

U. S. N. COMMANDING

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DECK LOG - REMARKS SHEET

USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 (H) DATE THURSDAY 31 MARCH 19 66
 (Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM US NAVAL STATION, SURIG RAY, TO PHILIPPINES

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
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λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>P</u>	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
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LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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REMARKS

00-04 MOORED PORT SIDE TO NAVAL PIER, BERTHS 2,3, AND 4, U.S. NAVAL STATION, SURIG RAY, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, WITH STANDARD CRUISER MOORING LINES DOWRED. MOORED OUTBOARD TO STARBOARD ARE USS GOLDBOROUGH (DDG-20), USS O'BANNON (DD-450), AND USS EDSON (DD-948). #2 BOILER AND #1 AND #2 GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE (MODIFIED) AND CONDITION OF READINESS TO ARE SET. RECEIVING FRESH WATER AND TELEPHONE SERVICES FROM THE PIER. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE USS YORKTOWN (CVS-10) AND VARIOUS OTHER UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, YARD AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SO. PA IS COMCRUDEFLT 3 EMBARKED IN USS TOPEKA (CLG-8).

Check 2. Olsen
 ENR USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

Ronald T. Pettinier
 ENSIGN USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0730 MUSTERED THE CREW AT FAIR WEATHER PARADE ABSENTS: NONE. 1910 DISBURRING OFFICER RETURNED ABOARD WITH 30 THOUSAND PHILIPPINE PEGS. 1035 USS GOLDBOROUGH (DDG-20) USS O'BANNON (DD-450) AND USS EDSON (DD-948) MOOR ALONGSIDE SAUSURY SOUND (AV-13). 1135 RADAR T.S. MINK, USN, COMCRUDEFLT 11 BROKE HIS FLAG IN THIS SHIP AND ASSUMED COMCRUDEFLT SEVENTH FLEET. COMCRUDEFLT 11 SHIPED HIS FLAG FROM USS TOPEKA (CLG-8) TO USS BRUCE CANTON (AR-36).

John E. Egan
 LT USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE.

W.A. Stebbins
 Ensign USNR

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE

L.C. Hoess
 Ltjg USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

William
 LTJG USNR

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