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YOUR \$32112 XSHIPS HAVE NOT ARRIVED X NO INFORMATION AT HAND

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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

FROM
CGO AND COCINC
RADI WILSON

RELEASED BY
1 FEBRUARY 1942

DATE
02/10/TOR NAVCON 0520

TOR CODEROOM
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TEST

EFFECTIVE FOUR FEBRUARY AT SIX HOURS GCT TRANSFER THE SIXTH NAVAL
DISTRICT FROM THE SOUTHERN TO THE NORTH ATLANTIC NAVAL COASTAL FRONTIER X
THE TRANSFER OF NAVAL AND NAVAL COUNTRIES FROM THE SEVENTH TO THE SIXTH

NAVAL DISTRICT IS ASSUMED TO HAVE BEEN ACCOMPLISHED ACCORDING TO
CGO 2046 TRANSFER OF ADDITIONAL COUNTRIES BASED IN CGS 305234 NOT AP-
PROVED X NO REASON EXISTS WHY THE PATROL AREAS OF SECTON BASIS AND

AIRCRAFT PATROL AND TRAINING AREAS NEED BE RESTRICTED TO THE NAVAL
COASTAL FRONTER IN WHICH VESSELS AND AIRCRAFT ARE BASED AS OF FOUR
FEBRUARY CONSIDERED AS REGIONS APPOINTED AS COMMANDS SOUTHERN NAVAL

COASTAL FRONTIER X BOUNDARY BETWEEN NORTH ATLANTIC AND SOUTHERN NAVAL
COASTAL FRONTIER PASSING FROM THE SOUTH END OF THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN
NAVAL AND S COUNTRIES SOUTHERNLY TO A POINT IN LATITUDE

THIRTY FEET NORTH LATITUDE SEVENTY TWO WEST X ACTION AND INFO ADDRES
MAKE NECESSARY ARRANGEMENTS LOCAL AND SNA YEAR COAST GUARD AND CIVIL AUTHORI-
ES X PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF THE CHANGE IN DISTRICT BOUNDARIES WILL

BE MADE BY NAVY DEPT BUT NO PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF CHANGE IN NAVAL
COASTAL FRONTIER BOUNDARIES WILL BE MADE

Action - OP-13 for effecting change in Navy Regulations.

- RULEY for issue of formal orders to officers concerned.

Info - ARMY CGO AND CGO ALL BUREAUS AND OFFICES OF NAVY DEPARTMENT.

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

30 Jan 1942

Received by Tel. from Naval Communications:

From: Radio San Francisco

Entire personnel of this Naval Frontier join in sincere tribute to our Commander in Chief on occasion of his diamond jubilee celebration. They are alert and ready to press on with their assigned tasks in the united war effort.

Signed:

J. W. Greenblade
NBA

NR1563 RADIO BALBOA CK35 PASPA THIRTIETH 2100

EXCELENTISIMO SR FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT PRESIDENTE DE LOS ESTADOS UNIDOS WASHINGTON

UNIMOS A LOS BUENOS DESEOS DE TODOS LOS PUEBLOS HERMANOS DE AMERICA NUESTROS FERVIENTES VOTOS POR SU BIENESTAR PERSONAL

CLUB ROTARIO DE DAVID PANAMA

0806AC31JAN8920

NCR/8
Unanimously it is
the great desire of all
the brotherly people
of our America to
permanently hope for
your personal
well being.
NAVAL MESSAGE

FROM: LONDON
RELEASED BY:
DATE: JANUARY 30, 1942.
TOR CODEROOM:
DECODED BY:
PARAPHRASED BY: ROBINSON

ADDRESSEES: OPNAV
FOR ACTION: OPNAV
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(FROM ADMIRALTY TO OPNAV (R) SPENAVO)

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**From:** 29 JAN 1945  
**Released By:** 21 JAN 1945  
**Date:** 21 JAN 1945  
**To Code Room:** REFLECO  
**Decoded By:** ITERCO  
**Paraphrased By:**  

Indicate by asterisk addressees for which mail delivery is satisfactory.  
29192512137  

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**Text**

Your 241925 has Navy established 25 January.

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**TEXT**

WHEN DIRECTED BY CINCAF RADM WILLIAM R. PURNELL DETACHED REPORT COMMANDER US NAVAL FORCES SOUTHWEST PACIFIC DUTY AS CHIEF OF STAFF AND AIDE.

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291756
The Château Thierry is an Army transport manned by Navy personnel and operated by the Navy. COMINCH S72152 makes this vessel available transportation Navy personnel. Informed by British Ministry War Transport that assignment transportation to be made by British authorities. All transportation required for US Navy has been arranged. In order there be no misunderstanding request information whether transports in the category is to be controlled by British authorities, US Army or US Navy.

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The following is an advanced report of the 15th meeting of the committee on anti submarine attacks. Final tests mark 13 pistol show average depth detonation 33 feet. This is unsatisfactory for 25% charges. Highest priority xxxxxx being given development new fuze design to attain 25 foot detonation. Tests of anti submarine bombs show 65 percent ricochet when dropped from 100 feet at 200 knots. Experiments with spoiler ring so no give will be made. Requirements of torpex to fill aircraft depth charges and contact bombs will exceed amount now available here. 6 wellingtons now being equipped with searchlights for night attacks and expected to go in operation in about 2 weeks.

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IN ORDER TO AVOID INDIVIDUAL ACTION BY ANY GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT BEFORE INTERESTS OF OTHER DEPARTMENTS ARE CONSULTED RECOMMEND JOINT STUDY AND DECISION BY ALL DEPARTMENTS CONCERNED RELATIVE TO DISPOSITION TO BE MADE OF ENEMY ALIENS AND CITIZENS OF ENEMY ALIEN ANCESTRY.

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NAVAL MESSAGE

FROM: OPHAV
RELEASED BY: T.S. WILKINSON
DATE: 28 Jan 42
TOR CODE ROOM: COM HAWNCF COM 11,16

ADDCOM DISPATCH 251715 PASSED FOR INFORMATION AS ABOVE.

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**TEXT**

REQUEST BOARD OF INVESTIGATION BE CONVENE TO INVESTIGATE COLLISION HAMILTON AND 85 GREEN ISLAND. REFERENCE COMASFORCE 16 DESPATCH 271415.

(COMMUT, COMINCH AND OPNAV FOR INFO BY LANDLINE)

(ORIGINAL ORIGINATOR)

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CONTRAINANT DIS 271455 COMTASFOR 16 DIS 271415 SINCE NO QUESTION OF LAW OR FACT INVOLVED MERELY JUDGMENT OF COMMANDING OFFICER COM 7 OPINION BOARD OF INVESTIGATION UNECESSARY CONSUMING VALUABLE TIME OF FEW EXPERIENCED OFFICERS AVAILABLE ENGAGED IN OTHER IMPORTANT DUTIES.

OPNAV INSTRUCTIONS REQUESTED.

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NAV REGS
SPECIAL OBSERVERS HAVE AGREED WITH BRITISH SUBJECT CONFIRMATION WAR NAVY DEPARTMENTS TO USE THE FOLLOWING WORDS TO DESIGNATE U.S. FORCES IN THE UNITED KINGDOM IN CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN OBSERVERS OFFICE AND BRITISH AUTHORITIES HERE AND ULTIMATELY WITH WASHINGTON IF FOLLOWING FORCES MATERIALIZE. THESE WORDS TAKEN FROM GROUPS ASSIGNED US-BRITISH JOINT TASK FORCE WITH IN OBSERVERS LETTER SERIAL 0036 OF JAN 14TH NOW ENROUTE DEPARTMENT. SOUTHWEST SCOTLAND EQUALS "JEMMY". TOKEN FORCE IN SOUTH EAST ENGLAND EQUALS "KINDEE". BOMBER FORCE AND ARMY UNITS IN EASTERN ENGLAND EQUAL "KUDOS" BASE AREA IN MIDLANDS EQUALS "MAYFLY". FORCES NORTHERN IRELAND CONTINUE TO BE "MAGNET" AND FORCES ICELAND CONTINUE TO BE "GALLOPER." REQUEST APPROVAL BY DISPATCH.

ACTION: 20T..... ARMY......

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HAMILTON reports being holed forward in collision with US Flag Ship Green Island at 0958 GCT Jan 27 five miles east of Pacific Reefs X Freighter similar to Sub on surface X attack position assumed and attack started with identification too late to avoid striking Freighter X Fore Peak Paint Locker and Sound Room filling slowly X am sending ship base William X damage Green Island minor.
NAVAL MESSAGE
FROM
INDEFINITE CALL
RELEASED BY
JANUARY 26, 1942
TOR CODEROOM
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"MAORI" FROM NEW ZEALAND NAVAL BOARD.

REFERENCE MAORI 4, PARAGRAPH 4, TO SAFEGUARD THE POSITIONS
OF WIRELESS OPERATORS AT TARAWA ISLAND, IT IS REQUESTED THAT THE
NAME OF THE ISLAND BE TREATED AS SECRET. ADMIRALTY NUMBER 97.

* MAORI 4 WAS REFERENCE 63421/22 (263642)

N.B. "MAORI" MEANS ROUTED TO ADITY, CINC CHINA, COS SINGAPORE,
A CHB, CINCAF, CINCPAC, OPHAY, CINCHE, NOIC FIJ, FROM NZNB

ACTION: COMMUNICATION

FILE: CHC...29...OP...PMA...SECR..SECHAY.....GENERAL.....

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FLIGHT 61 DEPARTED FOR PEARL 1437; ESTIMATED TIME TRANSIT 25 1/2 HOURS.
ONE PASSENGER PATRIC HURLEY BRIG GENERAL U.S.A. FREIGHT 28 POUNDS.
 ON MAIL 73 POUNDS IN ONE ISSUING POUCH. LIGHT LOAD DUE WEATHER AND
LOSS WEATHER CONTINUITY.
MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

Our motor torpedo boats are distributed geographically as follows:

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*Originally
A small number of motor torpedo boats are not in a squadron organization and are being used for training crews.

Very respectfully,

JOHN L. McCREA
**Naval Message**

**From:** ALUSNA LONDON  
**Released By:**  
**Date:** 23 Jan 1942  
**For Action:** OPNAV  

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**Text:**

NUMBER AND GROSS TONNAGES MERCHANT SHIPS LAUNCHED AND COMPLETED UK MOUTH OF DECEMBER (A) LAUNCHED TWO TANKERS SIXTEEN THREE EIGHTY X ONE CARGO LINER SEVEN THREE HUNDRED X TWELVE CARGO TRAMPS SEVEN EIGHT NINE TEN X ONE COLLIER EIGHTEEN HUNDRED X TOTALS SIXTEEN SHIPS ONE ZERO FOUR THREE NINE ZERO GROSS TONS (B) COMPLETED THREE TANKERS TWO SIX FOUR EIGHT SEVEN X TWO CARGO LINERS TWELVE TWO SIX SIX X NINE CARGO TRAMPS FIVE EIGHT THREE FOUR TWO X ONE FOR NAVY THREE THREE THIRTEEN X TOTALS FIFTEEN SHIPS ONE ZERO ZERO FOUR ZERO EIGHT GROSS TONS

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NAVAL MESSAGE

DRATER: COAL 19

RELEASED BY: 

DATE: JANUARY 19 1942

TO: CODED ROOM: OPNAV

FROM: CINCINNATI

PRECEDECE: RRR

INFORMATION: ROUTINE

FOR ACTION: DEFERRED

DECODED BY: "SAINIK"

PARAPHRASED BY: "SAINIK"

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TEXT:

BY 173811 X SEARCH BY B PLANES THOROUGHS DAYLIGHT HOURS TODAY SHOWS
NO EVIDENCE OF VESSEL WRECKAGE OR SURVIVORS X DAYLIGHT TOMORROW
SEARCH CONTINUES BY DESTROYER
MY VESSEL @ CANTIL.

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SECRET ACTION TELEPHONES ETC INSTALLATION PLANNED AT NEWPORT
11/11...COINCH...12...39...391...OPDO...

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MY 162328 * CANCEL.

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10/11.....26T...19C..CMH0...16...2BP...FILE.
FILES.....SECNAV...DIV...CM0...29A...P1A...

REGARDING TELEPONES ETC INSTALLATION FLAGSHIP AT NEW YORK.

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FROM: ALBATROSS

RELEASED BY:

DATE: 18 JANUARY 1942

TOR CODEROOM: 2352/17

DECODED BY: HAHN

PARAPHRASED BY: SLATE

ADDRESSEES:

- CONTRAINANT
- ORNAV; NOB ARGENTIA
- COMINRON 5
- COMINRON 7
- SODA PORTLAND ME

INFORMATION:

- ORNAV; NOB ARGENTIA
- CONTRAINANT; NOB ICELAND
- COMINRON 5
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PRECEDENCE:

- PRIORITY: PPPP
- ROUTINE: PPPP
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172215 CR 0917

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TEXT:

AT 1800 GCT JANUARY 17TH, ARRIVED LONDONDERRY, NORTH IRELAND. UNABLE TO REACH DESTINATION DUE TO STRONG WESTERLY GALE. IN NEED OF EXTENSIVE REPAIRS. NO CASUALTIES TO PERSONNEL. WILL ADVISE FURTHER.

38°...009.

12/11...38...380...COMMON...12...DEP...

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180950 CR 2164

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME

DATE

TIME

GCT

TEXT

COM 5 PASSED THE FOLLOWING TO OPNAV, COMINCH, COM ATL NCF, COM SO NCF, COM NORFOLK DEPT. NORFOLK VA. FOR INFO SEARCHING IN VICINITY SUNKEN SHIP LATITUDE 35-55 NORTH LONGITUDE 74-22 WEST.

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38W...ACT.

RECORD COPY TO COMINCH...36-0...16...12...36...OPDO...

FILE...CP-20...WARDIARY...DDR...SECNAV...P1A...GENERAL.

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18 JAN. 1942

**TOR CODEROOM**

1946/18

**DECODED BY**

HEINE

**PARAPHRASED BY**

GLUNT

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181745 CR Ø338.

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FIVE PLANES AND ROE SEARCHING AROUND CONTACT POINT LATITUDE 35-57 NORTH E LONGITUDE 74-45 WEST. FROM ROE

(PASSSED BY COM 5 TO COMINCH, CHANCF, OPNAV BBM FOR INFORMATION)

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**DISTRIBUTION:**

COMINCH......COG

RECORD COPY......38W......38......380......16......12......

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TEXT

YOU ARE REQUESTED TO FURNISH GINGPAC WITH INFORMATION REGARDING DATE DEPARTURE AND ARRIVAL AT GANTON AND XMAS ISLAND CONTINGENTS, ALONG WITH NAMES OF SHIPS AND CARGO FOR EACH ISLAND. IT IS ESSENTIAL TO HAVE THIS INFORMATION NOW IN ORDER TO AVOID HAVING SHIPS FROM FRANCE TO EXPORT AT THOSE ISLANDS WHEN ABOVE SHIPS ARRIVE BECAUSE OF THE UNLOADING DIFFICULTIES INVOLVED.

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ADVANCE ARRANGEMENTS AND PROMPT INSTALLATION INCLUDING ALL INSTRUMENTS IS REQUESTED FOR THE FOLLOWING SERVICES WHILE THE FLEET FLAGSHIP IS AT NEW YORK NAVY YARD: TELEPAGE PRINTER CONNECTION TO EACH WASHINGTON NAVY DISTRICT LOOP; TELEPHONE FOR EACH ADMIRAL, OPERATIONS OFFICE, COMMANDING OFFICER.

COG: 25-E.

19/11...25-B...25-T...19-C...CRNO...16...25-P,...FILE...

FILES: CDR...SECNAV...DIV...CNO...25A...P1A.....

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REGARDING THIS Bulletin AS MY PERS, STANDARD PROCEDURE AS
FOLLOWS REQUESTED:
O从严 NAVY DELIVER NAVAL STAFF HEADQUARTERS OTTAWA
HOWEVER IF O从严 PREFERENCES WE CAN SEND OTTAWA DIRECT IN SP SYSTEM
SUBJECT DELAYS INCIDENT TO USE OF THAT SYSTEM. COM-PAC-SOU-NCF
DELIVER TO BRITISH LIASON OFFICER SAN FRANCISCO. COM-PAC-NOR-NCF
DELIVER NAVAL OFFICER IN CHARGE ESQUIMALT. TO ENABLE RAPID DISSENI-
ATION TO OUR FORCES AN USING THIS SY-STEM PENDING COMPLETION DIS-
TRIBUTION CDF 1212, AND FORWARDING TO BRITISH ADDRESSEES, A PARAPHRASED
VERSION IN SP SYSTEM.

COWICHAN...ACT.
RECORD COPY TO 12...16...30...36...0PD0...290...
FILES...CH...OR-29...PAC...HARDIARY...ERM...SENAV...GENERAL.

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**Naval Message**

**Drafter**: COMPACSONAVCOFRONT  
**Released By**:  
**Date**: JAN 17 1942  
**TOR Coderoom**:  
**Decoded By**: GERMAN  
**Paraphrased By**: GLUNT  
**OPNAV**  
**Addressees**: COMPACSONAVCOFRONT  

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**Information**: COMPACSONAVCOFRONT  

**Indicate by asterisk Addressees for which mail delivery is satisfactory**: 178252CR0787  

**Unless otherwise indicated this dispatch will be transmitted with deferred precedence**:  

**Originator fill in date and time**:  
**Date**:  
**Time**:  
**GCT**:  

**Text**: RECOMMENDATION COMPACSONAVCOFRONT 140410 CONCURRED IN BY WESTERN  
DEFENSE COMMAND  

178252CR0787  

**DISTRIBUTION**:  
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**COMINCH....10/11...12...16...38...290P...SECMAN...SR...**  
**P1A...WAR DIARY...FILE**  

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TO DNC JAN 10-1942

PLEASE RELAY FOR CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION OF PRESS RELATIONS AND DOMESTIC INTELLIGENCE QUOTE
FYI PRESS CABLE FROM WILLIAM HICKEY TO LONDON DAILY EXPRESS FILED BEVERLY HILLS, CALIFORNIA, JANUARY 9 1132 SAYS IN PART "SOMETHING WILL PROBABLY HAVE TO BE DONE TO MODERATE DRUNKENNESS IN SAN DIEGO - BEING WHERE AND WHAT IT IS - BEFORE WAR IS MUCH OLDER X EVERY NIGHT IS LIKE SATURDAY NIGHT IN UNION STREET, PLYMOUTH, IN THE OLD DAYS X HEAVEN KNOWS NONE CAN BLAME MEN WHO LIKE SOME EYE NET HAVE JUST GOT BACK FROM HAWAII SEMICOLON BUT DRINK CERTAINLY INJURIOUS TO SECRECY NAVAL AUTHORITIES HAVE NOT YET THOUGHT FIT RELEASE ALL DETAILS WHAT HAPPENED PEARL HARBOR X SEVERAL TIMES SAILORS (PARDONABLY HIGH) HAVE BOASTED THEY COULD IF LET TELL ME WORLD SHOCKING STORY STILL UNKNOWN TO AMERICA X NO DOUBT THEY EXAGGERATED SEMICOLON BUT THEY WERE OBVIOUSLY BURSTING TO TALK /X AS NEWSMAN EYE FOUND IT DISTRESSING TO FEEL BOUND TO TELL THEM GENTLY TO KEEP IT TO THEMSELVES" X CNX X END OF QUOTE
1700 CCC 3494
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TEXT

FROM OBSERVATION PLUS EXAMINATION OF CAPTURED PILOTS THE FOLLOWING INFO REVEALED ABOUT ENEMY AIR OPERATIONS BURMA. FIGHTERS ARE CHIEFLY TYPE 97. ONLY 15 ZERO MODEL WERE AT BANGKOK ON 23RD, AND SOME OF THESE HAVE BEEN SINCE SHOT DOWN. THE MAJORITY OF THIS LATTER MODEL SAID RETAINED SIBERIAN FRONTIER IN NOVEMBER AND FLEW TO THAILAND IN 6 HOPS. CAPTIVES SAID THEY WERE TOLD ONE HOUR BEFORE TAKEOFF THAT JAPS AT WAR WITH US AND GBRTITA IN, AND THAT THEY HAD NOT KNOWN IT BEFORE THAT TIME. BOMBERS USED BOTH LIGHT AND MEDIUM TYPE. ALL PLANES CONTAINED DETAILED SKETCHES RANGOON FIELD PLUS COMPLETE INFORMATION COVERING THE NORTHERN BURMA AREA.

ACTION: 16

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THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

Roberts board arrived in San Francisco today at 12:26 p.m. (Washington time)

TOR 1430, by phone from G-2

Ens. Carson
LEASE OF HOTEL ON TERMS MENTIONED APPROVED PROVIDED RENTAL IS WITHIN THE 15% LIMITATION FIXED BY 49 USC 278A. IN ORDER TO REDUCE GOVERNMENT LIABILITY TO A MINIMUM ALL ITEMS OF FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT WHICH ARE NOT ESSENTIAL FOR OPERATION OF HOTEL UNDER NAVAL CONDITIONS SHOULD BE INVENTORIED, CAREFULLY PACKED AND STORED. CAREFUL INVENTORY OF HOTEL CONTENTS SHOULD BE MADE AND TERMS OF LEASE SHOULD INCLUDE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH PROPERTY IS TO BE RETURNED TO OWNERS. REFERENCE YOUR DISPATCH 072345.
Your 0623512 by 041810 was predicated on what I assumed to be Admiralty implication that if Magnet movement was delayed you would be able to provide suitable escort at Hopp on Feb 27. I request therefore you reexamine as change in my commitments would be most awkward.

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TOR NCR 2937

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16. ORIGINATOR RECORD COPY TO COMINCH NAVALDE 12/38

Re "forces available"

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ORDER FOR EVACUATION CLEARLY UNDERSTOOD THIS STATION

BUT MAN ATTACHED TO PATROL WING BROUGHT HIS WIFE HERE IN THE SPRING

SLIGHTLY PREGNANT RIGHT AWAY CONDITION GREW FROM DAY TO DAY

SINCE DOCTOR SAYS IT'S UP TO ME TO KEEP THIS LADY OFF THE SEA

THIS INCREASES ONE OR MORE DEPENDENTS THAT MUST LEAVE OUR SHORE

BUT CONGRESS WILL BE GLAD TO KNOW THAT SAILOR PAYS THE EXTRA DOUGH.

AS YOUR INSTRUCTIONS GOVERN HERE THE COMMANDANT IS IN THE CLEAR

FOR YOU SAID USE CONSIDERATION EVACUATION OF THIS STATION.

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**FOR ACTION**

- OPNAV
- COMTWELVE BUSHIPS

**INFORMATION**

- PRIORITY
- ROUTINE
- DEFERRED

**PARAPHRASED BY**

- CLR

**INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.**

- **01948 CR0533**

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**TIME**

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- AMC 58 COMPLETED TODAY JAN FIRST

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ON ASSUMING COMMAND PACIFIC FLEET THIRTY ONE DECEMBER ADMIRAL C W NIMITZ REQUESTS ALL PRESENT CINCPAC STAFF CONTINUE DUTY WITH HIM EXCEPT REAR ADMIRAL M F DRAEMEL DETACHED COMDESBAT FOR TO CHIEF OF STAFF AND AIDE AND CAPT W W SMITH DETACHED CHIEF OF STAFF AND AIDE TO ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF X ADDITIONAL OFFICERS FOR CINCPAC STAFF WILL BE RECOMMENDED LATER X RECOMMEND REAR ADMIRAL R A THEOBALD BE ORDERED COMDESBAT FOR AND TO COMMAND DES FLOTS ONE AND TWO DISTRIBUTION BUNAV.....ACTION MARK ANY REPLY RESTRICTED

10/11..38..20..05..FILE COPY COPY COPY COPY COPY COPY
CANCEL MY 271315 X NOT NECESSARY IMMIGRATION REPORTS DEPORTATIONS

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December 30, 1941.

MEMORANDUM FOR

MR. HOPKINS

Enclosed copies were delivered to this Office. Communication Watch Officer has been instructed to deliver others to Mr. Harriman.

G.A. Leahey, Jr.,
Lieutenant Commander, U. S. Navy.

Re: State (s) 301226,

C.R. 0572, originator Green —

To Harriman & Stetson.

Both copies del'd. Mr. Hopkins.
PASSENGERS ON THE LURLINE, NAVAL DEPENDENTS, OFFICERS, CIVIL EMPLOYEES 1389. MEDICAL CASES STRETCHER 40, WALKING 25, HOSPITAL CORPSE 10, RED CROSS NURSES 6, ENLISTED 41, TOTAL 1511.

SUNAV...COG.

10/11...12...38...16...26...FILES...OP-22...P1A...SEGNAV...WAR DIARY
### NAVAL MESSAGE

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**DATE:** 27 DEC 41

**TO CODE ROOM:** 1RD/27TH

**DECLARED BY:** CANNING

**PARAPHRASED BY:** GTHORER

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276836 CR 5389

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TODAY, HAVE NOTHING TO REPORT.

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

NAVAL MESSAGE

FROM COM 12
RELEASED BY
DATE 27 DEC 1941
TOR CODEROOM
DECODED BY MELVIN
PARAPHRASED BY GLUNT

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271315 CR0479

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME

TEXT

IMMIGRATION REQUESTS CO CUTTER UNALGA TRANSPORT 55 DEPORTEES TO BRITISH ISLAND ANGUILLA 14 TO FRENCH ST. MARTIN'S REQUEST APPROVAL.

STATE DEPARTMENT.

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December 27, 1941.

MEMORANDUM FOR GENERAL WATSON:

Attention is invited to the possible compromising of train movements. Will you inform the War Department whether any military train guards are desired?

M. S. Haller,
Major, General Staff Corps.
Telephone conversation between Colonel Hill, Acting Chief of Staff, First Corps Area and Major Taylor at 10:45 p.m., December 27. Colonel Hill gave the following information:

The First Corps Area has received information from an Army officer in Manchester, Vermont to the effect that the Central Vermont Railroad has requested that officer to furnish military guards for two special trains, including Prime Minister Churchill’s party. The railroad furnished the Manchester officer with the following schedule of the trains:

Arrival at Brattleboro at 11:00 p.m., Sunday December 26
Arrival at White River Junction at 1:15 a.m., December 27
Arrival at Saint Albans at 4:15 a.m. December 27
Leave 4:30 a.m., December 29.

General Millikin considers there are two questions involved. First, the railroad company has telephoned in the clear this highly confidential information and may have compromised the secrecy thereby. Second, General Millikin considers that in all probability adequate steps have been taken in Washington to insure the guarding of the trains by other agencies. Pending instructions by the War Department, he proposes to do nothing about the request for the guards for the two trains.

Major Taylor authorized Colonel Hill to do nothing further unless subsequent instructions were received from Washington.
ITALIANS HAVE USED TORPEDO CONTROLLED FOR PART OF RUN BY TWO MENS. IT IS REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN TRANSPORTED TO VICINITY OF ATTACK LASHED TO A SUBMARINE BUT DIMENSIONS INDICATE POSSIBILITY OF TRANSPORTATION IN TORPEDO TUBE. DIAMETER 21 INCHES LENGTH 22 FEET. THERE ARE FOUR DIVISIONS NAMELY AFTER TRIMMING TANK BATTERY ROOM ENGINE ROOM AND FORWARD TRIMMING TANK. 500 POUNDS EXPLOSIVE CHARGE DETONATED BY DELAYED ACTION FUSE IN SIX FOOT THREE INCH LONG HEAD. MAXIMUM SPEED BELIEVED 30 MILES PER HOUR. EQUIPPED WITH HAND OPERATED SHEARS WITH LONG ARMS TO PROVIDE LEVERAGE.

TWO MAN CREW WEAR QUOTE UNDERWATER SUITS UNQUOTE. PROCEDURE IS FOR CREW TO PASS TORPEDO THROUGH NETS AND BARRIER TO VICINITY TARGET AND RELEASE.
PC 451 collided with and sank the tug Nancy Moran at 0845 today 12 miles off Port Lauderdale. No casualties. Navy ship reports seaworthy when all tug crew aboard. Directed PC land survivors Miami and for Port Director Miami to conduct preliminary investigation securing statements. PC 451 will then proceed Key West.

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OFFICER WHOSE SIGNAL NUMBER IS 54 ARRIVED 7THS TODAY THURSDAY.

PHONE:- ADM. STARK AT 2936/2B(M.A.S.) ADM. JACOBS, OP29, OSSA, WHITE HOUSE.

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TEXT

THERE IS NO IMMEDIATE PROSPECT OF ENGLISH ASSISTANCE FROM GREAT BRITAIN AS WE BELIEVE THEY HAVE NO NEED FOR AUSTRALIA OR ANY OTHER GOVERNMENTAL UNIT IN AREAS MENTIONED AS REQUESTED.

IT WILL PROBABLY BE FOR UK TRADE THEN EFFECT OF PRESENT OR POSSIBLE FUTURE DISTORTIONS CAUSED STOCK POSITION TO BEGIN TO FALL UNDESIRABLY LOW. THOUGH ABOVE STATEMENTS ARE BASED ON ASSUMPTION THAT THERE WILL BE NO FURTHER SUPPLIES FROM ENGLAND.

BRITISH BELIEVE PROSPECTS OF FURTHER LOADING THERE ARE NOT HOPEFUL. MEANWHILE, ADJUDICATION INSTRUCTIONS FOR ROUTING SHIPS IN INDIAN OCEAN ARE NOT CAUSING UNEXPECTEDLY LONG VAGUE. IF NOT LOADING BECOMES IMPOSSIBLE EQUALS AT ABADAN WILL PROBABLY BE WORKING TO CAPACITY.

BRITISH PURCHASING COMMISSION IN US CAN FURNISH NAVY DEPARTMENT WITH STOCKS OF BOTH SEASONS FOR EASTERN AREAS MENTIONED. PLEASE PASS TO MARITIME COMMISSION AND AWARDEE HARRINGTON. FOR USE OF NAVY DEPARTMENT ONLY, XX ADJUDICATION FIELD POSITIONS IN THESE AREAS, WILL FOLLOW IN A SEPARATE DESPATCH.

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TEXT REGARDING BY 161602 THE FOLLOWING IS THE LATEST AND MORE ACCURATE RESUME OF COMMERCIAL OIL SITUATION IN UNITED KINGDOM, AFRICAN MIDDLE EAST, INDIA OCEAN AND AUSTRALASIA AREAS. FOR SEVERAL MONTHS BRITISH HAVE BEEN BUILDING STOCK IN UK AND AUSTRALASIA WHILE MAINTAINING CONSUMPTION IN AFRICA, MIDDLE EAST AND INDIAN OCEAN. AT OUTBREAK OF HOSTILITIES WITH JAPAN, STOCK SITUATION WAS VERY GOOD IN UK, SATISFACTORY IN AUSTRALASIA AND UNSATISFACTORY IN OTHER MENTIONED AREAS, BUT PARTICULARLY IN MIDDLE EAST. NO IMMEDIATELY AFTER OUTBREAK OF HOSTILITIES ALL LOADED TANKERS IN UK NOT NEEDED FOR SPECIAL VOYAGES BY LOCAL BRITISH AUTHORITIES WERE SENT TO AUSTRALASIA AND HAVE PRESUMABLY DISCHARGED THERE. AS THESE INCLUDED SOME CARGOES FOR SOUTH AFRICAN AND MIDDLE EAST AUSTRALASIAN STOCK POSITION IS PROBABLY EVEN BETTER THAN ANTICIPATED. AT SAME TIME BRITISH DIVERTED 15 TANKERS FROM UK ROUTES TO FEED SOUTH AFRICA AND MIDDLE EAST AND TAKE UP SLACK WHICH WOULD BE CAUSED THROUGH DELAYS IN PORT, REROUTING AND LONGER ROUTING OF TANKERS IN OR PROCEEDING TO AUSTRALASIAN INDIAN OCEAN-AUSTRALASIAN AREA.

GENERAL SITUATION HAS NOT ENTIRELY CLARIFIED AND IT IS REALIZED THAT DAY TO DAY DEVELOPMENTS MAY CHANGE IT MATERIALY, NOR IS POSITION AND FUTURE MOVEMENTS OF EVERY TANKER IN THE AREA DEFINITELY KNOWN. HOWEVER PRESENT PROSPECT IS THAT AUSTRALASIA STOCK POSITION CAN BE MAINTAINED AND SOUTH AFRICAN, THE MIDDLE EASTS AND INDIA IMPROVED WITHOUT ANY IMPORTANT ADDITIONS TO PRESENT NUMBER OF TANKERS EMPLOYED IN THE VOYAGING TO OR NON DESIGNATED FOR THOSE AREAS. DELIVER

SECRET
ADVANCE PROOF SHEETS DECEMBER ISSUE ARCHITECTURAL FORUM PUBLISHED BY TIME AND LIFE CORPORATION, ROCKEFELLER CENTER, SHOWS SKY PICTURES NEW CONSOLIDATED AIRCRAFT PLANT SAN DIEGO. RECOMMEND THIS ISSUE BE CENSORED. FOREGOING RECEIVED FROM RELIABLE INFORMANT.

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Lies M. Berney
SEVERAL INSTANCES HAVE ALREADY OCCURRED WHICH APPEAR TO INDICATED REPORTS MADE AND/OR ACTION TAKEN WITHOUT DUE CONSIDERATION AND WITH CONSEQUENT DISTURBANCE TO OTHER FLEET ACTIVITIES AND UNDUE SOMETIMES WIDE-SPREAD ALARM TO FEDERAL AND STATE AGENCIES WHILE IT IS APPRECIATED THAT SUCH REPORTS OR SUCH ACTION SPRING FROM BOTH ZEAL AND ALERTNESS ALL HANDS MUST ACCUSTOM THEMSELVES AT ONCE TO EVALUATE INCIDENTS ON THEIR MERITS WITH DUE ATTENTION TO WHETHER THE INDICATIONS ARE POSITIVE, PROBABLE OR POSSIBLE.

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SEE ARTICLE 76(4) NAV REGS.
MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

Word has been received from Naval Air Station, Anacostia, via OpNav Duty Officer, that Secretary Knox is expected to arrive in Washington at about eight o'clock tonight.

Respectfully,

G. A. LEAHY, Jr.,
Watch Officer.
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

December 14, 1941
1210

MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

Colonel Knox has not taken off from Midland, Texas, yet. Weather chart shows foul weather there. A message to Anacostia states he will probably take off at 1100. On that basis, earliest arrival Washington about 2130.

Secretary Knox will be informed on landing at Anacostia to come directly to the White House.

Respectfully,

J. R. BEARDALL
MEMORANDUM FOR THE PRESIDENT

The Under Secretary of the Navy telephoned and said, "The Secretary of the Navy will return at about 4:00 P.M., Sunday.

L. R. SCHULZ,
Lieutenant, U. S. Navy.
Watch Officer.

Received at 1945, EST, 13 December.
NPQ 2419
FROM: CON 12 10/1943CR425 DEC 19 1941 JK
ACTION: OPNAV DEFERRED
INFO: SHIPS COMING TO PATROL SAN FRANCISCO MOTOR YACHT COLLEN RETURNED TO OWNER SUITABLE FOR SMALL VESSELS ACQUIRED BY PURCHASE THIS DATE FOR COAST ARTILLERY MAGNA X ANNAAGONA X A562 X SANTO PADRE X A881 X FAITH X AMEN TA X JOSELENA X LINCOLN X KATHERINE X FOR NAVY X YP PEZES PADA SECOND X ELOGIER X ADVENTURERS X KENNY LEE X BALBOA XX ANADU X SKEETER X PAT PENDING X SORRENKA SECOND X BIGANET X MARY KAY X SEAMONGER X INTREPID X MIAHELA SECOND X SPINNER X MABI SECOND X BOUNTY X BONNIE DUNDEE THIRD X FELICIA X JUNE ELFEE
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NAVAL COMMUNICATION SERVICE

Telephone message from Washington Navy Yard for the President:

SPokesMAN FOR DELEGATION OF MACHINISTS AT NAVY YARD REPORTS DOUBLED PRODUCTION LAST NIGHT X EVERY MAN PLEDGED TO ALL OUT SUPPORT OF THE PRESIDENT

tor - 1385, 12/8/41
SD Washington DC Dec 7 1941.

From Department of State.

For Navy.

Confidential.

Wilcox, American Minister Panama responsive inquiry relating to one of States under date December 6, 11:46 PM Panamanian Consul Buenos Aires requests by telegram authority without change nationality transfer Dolphin to Ultragar which Section de Naves approved by cable.

(Nosignature)

To: 1134 PM Dec 7, 1941. X.

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CFM, Section de Naves.

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State Dept. Letter, 1-1-41
By R. H. Parks Date._

AUG 29 1972
INFORM U.S. MARSHALL THAT NAVAL FORCES WILL BE REMOVED FROM ODEGWALD AFTER ONE WEEK AND HE MUST ASSUME OBLIGATION OF OTHERWISE GUARDING SHIPS AND CARGO. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE BEING NOTIFIED.

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INSTITUTE CENSORSHIP ALL RADIO AND CABLE OUTGOING IMMEDIATELY

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DOUBLE GUARD AND TAKE ALL NECESSARY PRECAUTIONS AGAINST SABOTAGE

FOR ALL INDUSTRIAL ESTABLISHMENTS WORKING ON NAVY CONTRACTS

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INFO: BUAER, BUNAV, CINCLANT, COMAIRLANT, ALL AIRCRAFT ESSEX, COMFLTAIRDDET
AT NORFOLK, COMFIVE

F4F-3 BUREAU NUMBER 3864 PILOT CONNIE MACK DOZEY ENSIGN, A-V(N) USNR
CRASSED 0945 6 DEC 1941 ONE HALF MILE NORTH OF PUNGO FIELD WHILE ON
ROUTINE DIVE BOMBING FLIGHT X CAUSE UNKNOWN X PILOT KILLED X PLANE
COMPLETELY DEMOLISHED X NEXT OF KIN J T DOZEY FATHER MONTGOMERY
LOUISIANA NOTIFIED

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ENSIGN CONNIE MACK DOZEY AVN USNR ON ACTIVE DUTY KILLED IN AIRPLANE CRASH
THIS DATE ONE HALF MILE NORTH OF PUNGO FIELD NORFOLK VIRGINIA IN LINE OF
DUTY X NEXT OF KIN MR J T DOZEY FATHER MONTGOMERY LOUISIANA NOTIFIED AND
WILL WIRE DISPOSITION OF REMAINS WHICH IS AT NAVAL HOSPITAL PORTSMOUTH

VIRGINIA X PAY PER MONTH ONE HUNDRED TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS PLUS SIXTY TWO
DOLLARS FIFTY CENTS AVIATION PAY X MRS JOHN T DOZEY MONTGOMERY LOUISIANA

BENEFICIARY X TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS GOVERNMENT LIFE INSURANCE LAST
PAYMENT DECEMBER ONE 1941

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FROM NAS PENSACOLA
ACTION DPNAV
INFO BUAER

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AT ABOUT 1650 SAIL UNIT DASH TWO AIRPLANE SERIAL 9115
PILOT AVCAD JAMES E EDWARDS USNR NO PASSENGER CRASHED THREE
MILES SOUTHWEST FIELD 91913 AFTER PILOT PARACHUTED FROM TWO THOUSAND
FEET THEN ENGINE FAILED X NO INJURIES \\
WRECK

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FROM : COM 12
ACT : OPNAV
INFO : BUSANDA BUSHIPS RUNAV JAG  ROUTINE/SW
USS HENRY T ALLEN AP30 PLACED IN COMMISSION IN ORDINARY, 1900
SAT DEG SIXTH AT FORTMASON SANFRAN

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NAVAL MESSAGE

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DEPT OF STATE, WASHINGTON, D.C. EMERGENCY RETURNING. EXTREMELY URGENT WE REACH ICELAND SOON AS POSSIBLE. APPRECIATE YOU ARRANGE PASSAGE SPEEDY WARSHIP MEETING US ENROUTE. IF IMPOSSIBLE BEFORE HALIFAX PLEASE ARRANGE OUR LANDING HALIFAX AWAITING WARSHIP THERE. PLEASE REPORT SITUATION TO ICELAND GOVERNMENT, ICELAND DELEGATION.

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FORCED OUT OF CONVOY BY DECK CARGO ADrift. WHILE RIDING OUR
STORM LOST ALL POWER DUE TO DIFFICULTIES AUXILIARY DIESEL ENGINES
MADE EMERGENCY CONNECTIONS TO RUN ESSENTIAL MAIN ENGINE AUXILIARIES
FROM EMERGENCY LIGHTING SET. STEERING BY HAND UNABLE TO USE
RADIO WITHOUT STOPPING MAIN ENGINE. MADE BEST OF WAY TOWARD
COAST NOW OFF NEWFOUNDLAND DO NOT CONSIDER IT PRACTICAL PROCEED
ORIGINAL DESTINATION. DIPLOMATIC MISSION HAVE REQUESTED STATE
DEP'T FURNISH WARSHIP FOR THEIR PASSAGE. EXPECT TO BE OFF HALIFAX
0800 DEC. 6TH. IF DIPLOMATS TO BE TRANSFERRED THERE REQUEST THEY
BE MEL OFF PORT. CANNOT RAISE ANCHOR IF DROPPED. SUBMIT THIS
VESSEL PROCEED NEW YORK,
TO ARRIVE FORENOON 8TH. REQUIRE RELIABLE
SOURCE OF POWER BEFORE AGAIN PROCEEDING AND BOILER AND REFRIGER-
ATION PLANTS SHOULD BE TAKEN CARE OF. REQUEST CONVOY COMMODORE BE
NOTIFIED SAFETY OF SHIP AND PLANS FOR TECHNICIANS NOW ON BOARD BE
OBTAINED FROM QUONSET. NOW COPYING FOX SCHEDULES.

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STEPHEN M. SCHULTZ:
PRESIDENTIAL SPECIAL TRAIN LYNCHBURG VIR:

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DAVIU UVHAU MXISV XOUCO GSRWA HOBTZ FYQRD GZEWX DEQEC=
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