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90031 CCR 3442

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NAVY YARD PUGET INFORM SARATOGA. INFO OPNAV BUSHIPS BUORD & COMINCH BUAERO FROM CINCPAC.

IMPERATIVE SARATOGA COMPLETION AND READINESS DATES OPNAV 202100 OF FEBRUARY BE MET. REQUEST THEY BE ANTICIPATED AS PRACTICABLE. SERVICES URGENTLY REQUIRED. ADVISE

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NAVAL MESSAGE

FROM: USS J FRANKLIN BELL

RELEASED BY:

DATE: 3 MAY 1942

TOR CODEROOM: 2253/2045

DECODED BY: EDWARDS/BERRY

PARAPHRASED BY:

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COMMUNICATIONS CENTERS:

COM 12 (BY HAND)

INFORMATION:

COM 12 HAS BY HAND X

COMMEN 25126 J FRANKLIN BELL REPORTS FOR DUTY X REQUIRE INSTALLATION LANDING BOATS DESBASE SAN DIEGO X REPLY THROUGH RADIO SAN FRAN X

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME.

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FROM COMTRANSITON SVRONPAC
RELEASED BY
DATE 2 MAY 1942
TOR CODEROOM
DECODED BY POWELL
PARAPHRASED BY JENKINS

NAS ALAMEDA
FOR ACTION
INFORMATION

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ROONEY 21740 NCR 9894

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TEXT

1 PSP LT. GREEN SAN DIEGO FOR ALAMEDA OFFSHORE SWEEP 1030

TETE PLUS 5.5

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\[442336\] CCR 7830

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**TEXT**

COMTWELVE AND COMPAT FOR TWELFTH NAVAID BY HAND, FROM COM WEST SEA FRON X ACTION TO COMINCH INFO TO OPRAY, CINCPAC, COM NORTHWEST SEAFRON, COM 11, COM HAWAIIAN SEAFRON, COM PANAMA SEAFRON, COM GEN WESTERN DEFENSE COMMAND, KARRS COM GEN FOURTH AIR FORCE, COM PATROL WING 8

EFFECTIVE THIS DATE THERE IS ESTABLISHED WITHIN THE WESTERN SEA FRONTIER QUOTE COMMANDER AIRCRAFT WESTERN SEA FRONTIER UNQUOTE CONSISTING OF TWO SECTORS NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN. REAR ADMIRAL JOHN S MCCAIN USN ASSIGNED TEMPORARY ADDITIONAL DUTY AS COMMANDER AIRCRAFT AND COMMANDER AIRCRAFT SOUTHERN SECTOR WESTERN SEA FRONTIER WITH HEADQUARTERS AT NAS NORTH ISLAND. CAPTAIN JOHN DOG PRICE USN ASSIGNED TEMPORARY ADDITIONAL DUTY AS COMMANDER AIRCRAFT NORTHERN SECTOR WITH HEADQUARTERS NAS ALAMEDA.

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From: WDC & 4th Army
To: WDGBI

No. 35 April 2, 1942

Navy reports reliable citizen sighted and watched sub for 30 minutes off Oregon coast at 2330 April 1. This period 273 at 1200 GCT April 2. Above sub off Coos Bay.

Weckerling

ACTION COPY: G-2
INFO. COPY: Op. Div
White House
ONI
JIC
A-2
TAG
FILE

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CM-IN-0405 (4/2/42)
GATO ON DEPARTURE SAN FRAN WITH SURFACE ESCORT ATTACKED
WHILE SUBMERGED BY ZED ROGER THIRTEEN X RETURNED NYMI X
NO INJURY PERSONNEL X REQUIRES DOCKING AND MINOR REPAIRS
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**RoutED** by KELLEY

**232233** **NCR 89519**

UNless otherwise indicated this dispatch will be transmitted with deferred precedence.

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**TEXT**

REFERENCE INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY FIFTEEN OF MARCH 12 REQUEST DISPATCH RE REPORTS ON WHETHER SOVIET MERCHANT SHIPS ARRIVING SINCE HAVE CONTINUED USE TSUSHIMA STRAITS ROUTE FROM VLADIVOSTOK INSTEAD LA PÉROUSE AND WHETHER ORANGE HAVE PROHIBITED PASSAGE VIA KURILE WATERS. FOR YOUR INFORMATION FOLLOWING SEVEN SOVIET SHIPS STILL EXPECTED: TURKUEN, Krasny Oktyabr, Iskra, Petropavlosk, Komsonolsk, Kuznetz Lesov, Uzbekistan.

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NAVAL MESSAGE

FROM: COMAIRSCOFOR

RELEASED BY: WE ORDER

DATE: 23 Mar 19-2
TOR CODEROOM: FIRST AT CHIEF

DECORED BY: ROUSSEAU

PARAPHRASED BY: ROUSSEAU


FOR ACTION: CIT 15: PRIORITY
TEAL: ROUTINE
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ADDRESSSES: PRIORITY

PRECEDENCE: PRIORITY

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ROONEY 211737 NCR 070520 MAILGRAM
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TEXT
SURVEY LA PAZ AREA AND TOPOLOBAMPO DASH LOS MOCHIS AREA WILL BE CONDUCTED BY A PARTY LTCOMDR. CALT BAKER JONES IN CHARGE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OPNAV 161813 AND 191651 AND VERBAL INSTRUCTIONS X TEAL PROCEED WHEN READY ABOUT ZERO SIX THIRTY TAE MAR TWENTYFOUR TO LA PAZ ANCHORAGE IN ACCORDANCE WITH VERBAL INSTRUCTIONS X STOP AT ENSENADA ENROUTE ABOUT FOURTEEN HUNDRED SAME DATE TO EMBARK TWO OFFICER REPRESENTATIVES OF GENERAL CARDENAS X ARRIVE OFF LA PAZ FORENOON MARCH TWENTY EIGHT X PROVIDE SERVICES FOR SURVEY PARTY X UPON COMPLETION AT LA PAZ IN THREE TO FIVE DAYS SHIFT BASE TO TOPOLOBAMPO AREA AND PROVIDE SIMILAR SERVICES THERE FOR THREE TO FIVE DAYS X UPON COMPLETION RETURN SANDIEGO X ADVISE ORIGINATOR UPON DEPARTURE TOPOLOBAMPO WHETHER STOP AT ENSENADA WILL BE NECESSARY X ORIGINATOR HAS ISSUED SEPARATE ORDERS FOR THAT PORTION PARTY PROCEEDING BY AIR

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SHIPS OF TASK FORCE 15 HEREBY GRANTED RESTRICTED AVAILABILITY NYMI FOR URGENT REPAIR AND AUTHORIZED ALTERATIONS SUCH AVAILABILITIES NOT TO INTERFERE WITH SCHEDULED OPERATIONS X COM 12 KEEP NYMI INFORMED OF PERIODS SHIP CAN BE AVAILABLE

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PARA ONE. MY OPORDER 1-42.

ABOUT 19 HOURS 20 MINUTES FEB. 23 ELWOOD CALIFORNIA

WAS FIRED UPON BY ENEMY CRAFT BELIEVED TO BE ONE OR

TWO JAPANESE SUBMARINES.

AFTERNOON FEB 25 ARMED REPORTED SIGHTING SUBMARINE

CONNING TOWER 16 MILES SOUTH 2 MILES OFF SHORE POINT

ST GEORGE CALIFORNIA.

ALSO AFTERNOON FEB. 25 SUBMARINE WAS SIGHTED

OFF FARALLON ISLANDS.

ACTION... F-H
RELATIVE NVD PASSIVE DEFENSE DESIRE AVAILABLE INFO JAPANESE AIR RAIDS
X PARTICULARLY WHETHER USE OF INCENDIARIES PRECEDES OF FOLLOWST FIRST
DEMOLITION BOMB ATTACK X SIZE DEMOLITION OR SEMI-ALFADOR PIERCING BOMBS
X PLANES INVOLVED IN MAJOR RAIDS X NR WAVES AND TIME BETWEEN WAVES AND
ANY SIMILAR PERTINENT INFO AVAILABLE

16...ACTION

COMINCH...16/11...325...34...35...270P...FILE

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P3S PURSE seiners placed in service 1230 PM THIS DATE YP293 X 296 X 297 X 298 X 306 X 357 X 369 X 319 X 320.

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20P....19C....FILE.
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NAVAL MESSAGE

FROM  COM 12  
RELEASED BY  
DATE  MARCH 4, 1942  
TOR CODEROOM  1235  
DECODED BY  EDWARDS  
PARAPHRASED BY  BRUMFIELD  

ADDRESSSEES  OPNAV  
INFORMATION TO ACTION  
PRECEDENCE  PRIORITY ROUTINE DEFERRED  RRR  

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ROBINSON  

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TEXT

MARCH 5 SAILING DATE 9 P36 PURSE SEINERS XXXXX X YP306 ENSIGN  
THOMPSON X YP298 X 297 X 303 X 298 X 319 X 326 X 307 X 296 FOLLOWING  
PLACED IN SERVICE 1630 FEB 20TH X YP306 X 321 X 323 X 314 X 318

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THE FOLLOWING IS A PARAPHRASED COPY OF MY 232359 OF FEBRUARY WHICH ALL
OTHER ADDRESSES APPEAREDLY RECEIVED.-

ACTION TO COMAIRGROUP 21 AND NAVAIRSTA MIDWAY FOR DELIVERY TO VMQB 231.
INFO TO NAVAIRSTA SAN DIEGO FOR DELIVERY MARAIR WINGS 1 AND 2 AND
MATTOSF SANDIEGO, BUAER FOR DELIVERY TO COMINCH, BY HAND TO NAVAIRSTA
PEARL AND CINSPAC)

7 1535-2 ENGINES RECENTLY OVERHAULED SAN DIEGO REVEALED 2 MASTER RODS
AND 5 MASTER ROD BEARING CAPS CRACKED AT CAP SCREW HOLES. 1 CRACK THROUGH
KNOCK PINHOLE FOUND AT PEARL HARBOR. RECENT FORCED LANDING DUE TO
TYPE FAILURE NECESSITATE RESTRICTION SB3U-3 AIRPLANES TO OVERLAND FLYING
EXCEPT IN EMERGENCY. NO CORRECTIVE MEASURES AVAILABLE OTHER THAN RE-
PLACEMENT DEFECTIVE PARTS WITH SIMILAR NEW PARTS AT OVERHAUL.

NOTE: (REF 232359 WAS UNDECIPHERABLE AND VERIFICATION WAS REQUESTED BY
CODE ROOM)

BUAER......ACT.
024ER........FILE.....COMINCH....
FROM: PORT DIRECTOR (NTS) SAN PEDRO, CALIF 251900 NCR 4497 2 MAR 42 PHP
ACTION: OPNAV
INFO: BUSHIPS; COM 11TH ND; COM 12TH ND; PD-SD

RESTRICTED/AIRMAILGRAM

PURSE SEINER EL PADRE NO 236-387 ACCEPTED UNDER BARE BOAT CHARTER AT 0800 FEBRUARY 25 1942 AT SAN PEDRO X VESSEL ONE OF THOSE FROM 12ND FOR ASSIGNMENT 15ND X LIMITED CONVERSION AT WILMINGTON BOAT WORKS X DATE OF READINESS ABOUT MARCH 4

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10/11 05 20 BUSHIPS 23 30 39 BUNAV COMINCH 00A 01A 21 FILE

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BLOUNT 281706 NCR 3439

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THREE ARE NO JAPANESE ALIENS OR CITIZENS OF JAPANESE ANCESTRY EITHER RESIDENTS OR WORKERS REMAINING ON TERMINAL ISLAND

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AT 1620 T/FEB 27, HIS ORION ARRIVED SAN DIEGO.
NAVAL MESSAGE

FROM NSHQ OTTAWA
RELEASED BY
DATE 28 FEBRUARY 1942
TOR CODEROOM
DECODED BY
PARAPHRASED BY DELAWARE

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JAMAICA
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SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTURE 1235Z/26 H.M.S. ORION FOR SEA

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BY RT. DATE NOV 12 1973

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HMS ORION EXPECTS COMPLETE SANFRANCISCO ABOUT SIX MARCH X COMWESTSEAFRON ROUTE PANAMA X THENCE TO BERMUDA BY COMPHARSEAFRON X DESIRES FUEL PANAMA

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TASK FORCES STILL MAINTAINING RADIO SILENCE. YOUR 261/30 UNDER CONSIDERATION. NO ENEMY ACTIVITY THIS AREA.

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16 EX TUNA BOATS WERE READY FOR DEPARTURE 25 FEBRUARY, 14 DEPARTED AT 
NOON 25 FEB SPEED 8½ KNOTS AND 2 BEING HELD FOR SAN FRANCISCO GROUPS X 
YP-287 RETURNED MINOR AUXILIARY ENGINE DEFECT X REPAIRS COMPLETED NON 
READY X TUNA BOAT BELLE OF PORTUGAL TAKEN OVER TODAY X NO MACHINE GUNS 
OR AMMUNITION AVAILABLE X REQUEST ASSIGNMENT OF YP NUMBER X DATE OF 
READINESS FOR SEA 6 MARCH X INFORMATION FROM SAN FRANCISCO X INDICATES 
THAT THEY WILL HAVE GROUPS OF PURSE SEINERS READY FOR DEPARTURE FROM 
SAN DIEGO WITH EX TUNA CLIPPERS ON THE APPROXIMATE DATES AS FOLLOWS 
FIRST GROUP HIRE PURSE SEINERS PLUS YP291 2 MARCH, 2ND GROUP 11 PURSE 
SEINERS PLUS PURSE SEINNER EL PADRE FROM SAN PEDRO WITH YP284 7 MARCH, 
3RD GROUP 12 PURSE SEINERS PLUS BELLE OF PORTUGAL 9 MARCH.

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**INFORMATION**

(PLOUIN) 270342 NCR2498

**TEXT**

P3S PURSE SEINERS ARMED MANNED READY TO SAIL THIS DATE ADDITO
LIEUTENANT C H LINCOLN USN X NEW HOPE X J DM MAGUIO X EL CORTEZ X
NEW ST JOSEPH X EL REY X NEW REX X JUANITA X EL CAPITAN X OPNAV PASS
TO BUSHIPS BUORD BUNAV BUSANDA FOR INFO.

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NAVAL MESSAGE
FROM CON WEST SEAFRON
RELEASED BY
DATE 26 FEB 42
TOR CODEROOM 0929/26TH
DECODED BY HUTCHINSON
PARAPHRASED BY GL TUCKER

OPNAV
INFORMATION
OPNAV

NAVY DEPARTMENT
PRIORITY
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PRECEDENCE
DETERMINATION

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LT. WEINSTOCK 252353 NCR 1945

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME

TEXT

RECOMMEND CONINCH 251526 SANDS LAWRENCE TALBOT ESCORT DUTY KING
RECOMMEND DUTY SANFRAN HUMPHREYS PERGEUS ARIADNE MARE ISLAND SHAMROCK
BUREKA DAPHNE ALERT CG BASE ALAMEDA PULASKI PATROL OUTSIDE SANFRAN
KILTY HERMES ESCORT DUTY CROSSBY PATROL OUTSIDE SAN DIEGO CRANE READY
DUTY SAN DIEGO KENNISON OVERHAUL SANDIEGO CAHOONE PATROL OUTSIDE SAN
PEDRO AMETHYF UPKEEP SANPEDRO. GILZERG TERNIAL IS PATWING 8
NAVIRESTA ALAMEDA VP 44 NAVIRESTA ALAMEDA 3P 32 NAVIRESTA SUNNYDALE
VS 1D 12 NAVIRESTA ALAMEDA VS 1D 11 NAVIRESTA TERMINAL IS VP 43
NAVIRESTA SAN DIEGO VP 13 NAVIRESTA SAN DIEGO MARWING 1 NAVIRESTA
SAN DIEGO. NO LOCAL DEFENCE FORCES IN VICINITY SANTA BARBARA 1900

FEBRUARY 23RD EXCEPT CBR 298 IN SANTA BARBARA.

COMINCH.... ACT.

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EXPECT FOLLOWING PREP THREE SEIL PURSE SEINERS MANNED AND READY BY TWENTY SIXTH FEBRUARY X EL CAPITAN X JUANITA X

EL REY X NEW ST. JOSEPH X NEW REX X FOLLOWING SCHEDULED COMPLETE CONVERSION TWENTY EIGHT FEBRUARY X SANTA RITA X JACKIE BOY X AMERICAN ROSE X CITY OF MONTEREY X VITTORIA X SEA GIANT X ANNA B(8) X LITTLE FLOWER X ST ANTHONY X CAVALIERI

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T OIL DEPOT ELWOOD CALIFORNIA 34-25 NORTH 119-55 WEST
SHELLED BY SUBMARINE AT Ø2ØØZ. DAMAGE SLIGHT NO
CASUALTIES.

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<td>DUE TO THE FACT THAT THERE IS NO LONG DISTANCE RADIO INSTALLATION IN PURSE SEINERS, HAVE DIRECTED ONE TUNA CLIPPER FROM SAN DIEGO TO ACCOMPANY NINE PURSE-SEINERS SAILING SAN FRANCISCO FEB 23RD ARRIVING RENDEZVOUS ABOUT FEB 25TH. RECOMMEND SECOND TUNA CLIPPER BE RETAINED SAN DIEGO TO ACCOMPANY SECOND GROUP PURSE-SEINERS SAILING ABOUT MARCH 5TH FROM SAN FRANCISCO.</td>
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SITUATION OF JAPANESE IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA IS VERY CRITICAL. MANY ARE FORCED TO MOVE WITH NO PROVISION AS TO SUBSEQUENT HOUSING OR MEANS OF LIVELIHOOD. MANY FAMILIES ALREADY DESTITUTE. ALL LOCALITIES OBJECT TO MOVEMENT OF EVACUEES INTO THEIR AREA. RECOMMEND THAT THE DEPARTMENTS CONCERNED MAKE IMMEDIATE PLANS FOR THE EVACUATION AND REESTABLISHMENT OF ALIENS REMOVED FROM THE AREAS DESIGNATED BY MILITARY AUTHORITIES.