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Position	0800	1200	2000
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~~DECK LOG~~
~~OPERATIONAL REMARKS~~
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0 to 4

Moored starboard side to Pier #6, Berth #19, Bethlehem Steel Company Shipyard, San Francisco, California. Ship is receiving steam, electricity, and water from dock installations. The following men returned to the ship from authorized leave: HENDERSON, C.F., GM(AA), USN; MCGUINNESS, H., Jr., Flc, USNR; NIETZER, H.C., Slc, USNR; BECKER, H. (n), GM3c, USNR; WALLACE, M.W., MMLc, USN; RICHARDSON, G.R., F2c, USNR.

C.C. Harvey
 C.C. Harvey,
 Ensign, U.S.N.R.

4 to 8

0430 The following men returned to the ship four hours absent over leave due to transportation delays: GOLEMBIEWSKI, L.J., GM2c, USN; BUFFINGTON, C.R., RM3c, USNR; CAPSTRAW, R.J., Slc, USNR; McCLENDON, G.J., PhM3c, USNR; WIGGINS, M.L., MMLc, USN; KULAK, E.B., MM2c, USNR; THOMAS, L.(n), Ck3c, USN; Ensign V.J. ROBISON, C-V(G), U.S.N.R. returned to the ship from authorized leave.

W.B. Brann
 W.B. Brann,
 Ensign, U.S.N.

8 to 12

0800 Held quarters for muster, absentees: CUTLER, D.G., S2c, USNR; WALTMAN, G.(n) S2c, USNR; BELTRAN, R.G., S2c, USNR; LONG, J.H., S2c, USNR; WOOD, W.T., Slc, USN; ASSARIAN, L.N., Flc, USN; WISE, W.M., Slc, USNR; FLEMING, J.C., Slc, USNR, ORLAND, J.R., Cox, USNR; AHEARN, C.J., Slc, USNR; HUBBARD, R.A., MM2c, USN; NOONE, J.J., Flc, USNR; FAUSZ, H.J., WT3c, USN. WOOD, W.T., Slc, USN was declared a straggler having been absent without leave since 0800 15 January 1944. 1000 Commander Benjamin KATZ, U.S. Navy was relieved of command by Commander N.J. FRANK, Jr., U.S. Navy in compliance with BuPers Restricted Despatches 291008 of November 1943, and 160948 and 310103 of December 1943.

H.O. Rydstrom
 H.O. Rydstrom,
 Ensign, U.S.N.R.

12 to 16

The following men returned to the ship twelve hours absent over leave due to transportation delays: SMITH, N.B., Slc, USNR; BERETTA, W.B., Slc, USN; BARRON, R. J., Slc, USN; OLSEN, G.L., Slc, USNR; AYLWARD, W.J., Slc, USN, FISHER, W.O., MM2c, USN, BOWMAN, F.W., Jr., WT3c, USNR; BETHMANN, A.C., Flc, USNR; QUAID, W.W., Slc, USNR; BRYANT, W.H., Slc, USN; BRISTOL, J.P., Slc, USNR; BAISLEY, C.L., FC3c, USNR; LINN, G.H., FC2c, USNR, LEWIS, J. (n), Slc, USN; MARSHALL, S.L., CBM(AA), USNR. 1300 Lighted fires under Boiler #3. 1515 Secured Boiler #3.

C.C. Harvey
 C.C. Harvey,
 Ensign, U.S.N.R.

16 to 20

No remarks.

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W.B. Brann
 W.B. Brann,
 Ensign, U.S.N.

Approved:

N.J. Frank, Jr.
 N.J. FRANK, Jr., Commander, U.S.N.

Commanding Officer.

Examined:

Heath Angela, Jr.
 HEATH ANGELA, Jr., Lieut-Comdr., U.S.N.R.
Navigator.

UNITED STATES SHIP

TAYLOR (DD468)

Tuesday 6 February 1945
(Day) (Date) (Month)

0 to 4

0000 Anchored 500 yards bearing 000°T from the center of berth #103, MANGARIN BAY, MINDORO ISLAND, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS, in 27 fathoms of water with 75 fathoms of chain to the port anchor. Anchorage bearings are as follows: Left Tangent MANDAI ISLAND 139°T, Left Tangent AMBULONG ISLAND 173°T, Right Tangent AMBULONG ISLAND 183°T. Boiler #2 is steaming for auxiliary purposes.

W.B. Lynn
W. B. LYNN,
Lieut.(jg).U.S.N.R.

4 to 8

0400 Anchored as before.

W. Goloviznin
W. GOLOVIZNIN,
Lieut.(jg).U.S.N.R.

8 to 12

0800 anchored as before. 0800 Mustered crew on stations. No absentees. 0315 Lighted fires under Boiler #3. 0900 Captain J.K.B. GINDER, CDS-21, came aboard to witness change of command ceremony. 0910 Pursuant to BuPers dispatch 071343 of January, 1945, Cincpac dispatch 090249 of January, 1945, and Comdespac dispatch 090249 of January, 1945, Commander Nicholas J. FRANK, Jr. (62590), U.S. Navy, was relieved as Commanding Officer of this vessel by Lieutenant Commander Henry H. deLAUREAL (31115), U.S. Navy. 0915 Stationed the special sea details. 0920 Pursuant to BuPers dispatch 071343 Commander Nicholas J. FRANK (62590), U.S. Navy, was detached this date to proceed to the nearest Naval District, United States, for assignment to temporary duty. 0930 Underway to assume anti-submarine patrol off entrance of MANGARIN BAY, MINDORO ISLAND, in accordance with CDS-21 dispatch 050614 of February, 1945. Maneuvering on various courses at various speeds with the Commanding Officer at the conn and the Navigator on the bridge. Draft of ship upon getting underway: 12 ft. 4 in. fwd; 14 ft. 9 in. aft. 0938 Secured the special sea details. 0950 Made daily inspection of magazine temperatures and smokeless powder samples, conditions normal. 1000 TAYLOR relieved LAVALLETTE on station at A/S patrol area "BAKER" off MANGARIN BAY. Commenced patrolling on courses 130-310°T at speed 12 knots, 119 rpm. O'BANNON assumed patrol in area "CHARLIE" and JENKINS in area "ABAB".

R.R. Ormiston
R. R. ORMISTON,
Lieut.(jg).U.S.N.R.

12 to 16

1200 Steaming as before. 1225 GARRETT, Leroy (n) #631 11 11 SoM3c, V6, U.S.N.R. and CLEVELAND, Jerry E. #297 65 36 Slc(SM), U.S.N. were released from confinement by order of the Commanding Officer. 1338 Master gyro temporarily deenergized. 1400 Master gyro energized.

W.B. Brann
W. B. BRANN,
Lieut.(jg). U.S.N.

16 to 18

1600 Steaming as before.

O.M. Ueland
O. M. UELAND,
Lieut.(jg).U.S.N.R.

18 to 20

1800 Steaming as before.

R.R. Ormiston
R. R. ORMISTON,
Lieut.(jg).U.S.N.R.

20 to 24

2000 Steaming as before.

W.B. Brann
W. B. BRANN,
Lieut.(jg).U.S.N.