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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTEE	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM <u>CINCPAC (NPM)</u>	FOR ACTION	NYD PUGET SOUND	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY _____			ROUTINE RRRRRR DEFERRED
DATE <u>9 MAY 1942</u>	INFORMATION	OPNAV BUSHIPS BUORD (NSS) COMINCH BUAERO	PRIORITY
TOR CODEROOM <u>0612 / 0516</u>			ROUTINE RRRRRR DEFERRED
DECODED BY <u>BUSH / BUSH</u>			
PARAPHRASED BY _____			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

090031 CCR 3442

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

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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FROM USS J FRANKLIN BELL	FOR ACTION	COMINCH CINCPAC	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 3 MAY 1942	INFORMATION	COMGEN PHIBFORPACFLT COM 12 (BY HAND)	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 2253/2045			PRIORITY
DECODED BY EDWARDS/BERRY			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

021610 CCR 2188

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME DATE TIME SET

TEXT

COM 12 HAS BY HAND X

OPNAV 231906 J FRANKLIN BELL REPORTS FOR DUTY X REQUIRE
INSTALLATION LANDING BOATS DESBASE SANDIEGO X REPLY
THROUGH RADIO SANFRAN X

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FROM <u>COMTRANS</u>	<u>10310NSERVONPAC</u>	NAS ALAMEDA	PPPPPPPP PRIORITY
RELEASED BY _____			ROUTINE
DATE <u>2 MAY 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM _____	INFORMATION	COMWSF	PPPPPPPP PRIORITY
DECODED BY <u>POWELL</u>		OPNAV	ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY <u>JENKINS</u>			DEFERRED

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ROONEY

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TEXT

1 PSP LT. GREEN SANDIEGO FOR ALAMEDA OFFSHORE SWEEP 1030
TETE PLUS 5.5

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FROM RDO SAN FRANCISCO	FOR ACTION	RADIO BALBOA	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY		RADIO ALAMEDA	ROUTINE
DATE 4 APRIL 1942		RADIO BREMERTON	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 0741 / 0741		RADIO CHOLLAS HEIGHTS	
DECODED BY BUSH / BUSH		RADIO HONOLULU	
PARAPHRASED BY	INFORMATION	RADIO WASHN DC	
			PRIORITY
			ROUTINE
			DEFERRED

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040336 CGR 7830

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TEXT COMTWELVE AND COMPATFOR TWELFTH HAVDIST BY HAND, FROM COM WEST SEA FRON X ACTION TO COMINCH INFO TO OPNAV, CINCPAC, COM NORTHWEST SEAFRON, COM 11, COM HAWAIIAN SEAF, FROM, COM PANAMA SEAFRON, COM GEN WESTERN DEFENSE COMMAND, KRMX 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 MC CAIN 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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WDDBI #1
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April 2, 1942
9:04 A. M.

INCOMING MESSAGE

PRIORITY

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 periodic 273 at 1200 GCT April 2. Above sub off Coos Bay.

Weckerling

ACTION COPY: G-2

INFO. COPY: Op. Div
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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM COM WESTERN SEA	FOR ACTION	COMINCH	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE MARCH 24 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 0518/0420	INFORMATION	CINCPAC COMSUBSPACIFIC	PRIORITY
DECODED BY COWDEN/BELL			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

240136 CCR 5661

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

u s s u b
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
HAVE ORDERED BOARD OF INVESTIGATION.

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM DPNAV	FOR ACTION	COMMONWESSEAFRON	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY RADM WILKINSON			ROUTINE
DATE 23 MARCH 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM	INFORMATION	CONSESSSEAFRON	PRIORITY
DECODED BY JERMAN			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY PHILLIPS			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

ROUTED BY KELLY

232233 NCR 09519

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DATE

TIME

GCT

TEXT REFERENCE INTELLIGENCE SUMMARY FIFTEEN OF MARCH 12 REQUEST DISPATCH RE
 REPORTS ON WHETHER SOVIET MERCHANTS ARRIVING SINCE HAVE CONTINUED USE
 TSUSHIMA STRAITS ROUTE FROM VLADIVOSTOK INSTEAD LA PEROUSE AND
 WHETHER ORANGE HAVE PROHIBITED PASSAGE VIA KURILE WATERS. FOR YOUR
 INFORMATION FOLLOWING SEVEN SOVIET SHIPS STILL EXPECTED. TURKMEN,
 KRASHY OKTYABR, ISKRA, PETROPAVLOSK, KOMSOMOLSK, KUZNETZ LESOV,
 UZBEKISTAN.

16....ORIG.

10/11....COMINCH....FILE

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM COMAIRCSCOFOR			PRIORITY
RELEASED BY		TEAL	ROUTINE
DATE 23 MAR 1972			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM			PRIORITY
DECODED BY		ABC TWO: NAS SANDIEGO; COMBATRON 43; COMDR ITSPAC; COM 11; COMDR WEST SEAFRON AIRSOMFOR PHOTO UNIT OPNAV: COMINCH: CINCPAC	ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY ROUSSEAU			DEFERRED

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ROONEY **211737** **NCR 07020** **MAILGRAM**
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TEXT

SURVEY LA PAZ AREA AND TOPOLOBAMPO DASH LOS MOCHIS AREA WILL BE CONDUCTED BY A PARTY LTCOMDR, CAIT BAKER JONES IN CHARGE IN ACCORDANCE WITH OPNAV 161812 AND 191651 AND VERBAL INSTRUCTIONS X TEAL PROCEED WHEN READY ABOUT ZERO SIX THIRTY TAKE MAR TWENTYFOUR TO LAPAZ 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 TWENTYEIGHT 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 DISTRIBUTION

13.....ACTION

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM CINCPAC	FOR ACTION	CTF 15 COM 12 NY MARE IS	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY W B MCCORMICK			ROUTINE
DATE 10 MARCH 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROM 1007 14 MARCH 1942	INFORMATION	COMDESBATFOR COMCRUSCOFOR COMCRUBATFOR COMSERFOR COMSCOFOR COMBATFOR	PRIORITY
DECODED BY			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY R K CRABTREE			DEFERRED

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LT WEINSTOCK**100107 NCR 1633****MAILGRAM**

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TEXT			

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

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FROM COMTASKFOR 1	FOR ACTION	MARYLAND COLORADO TENNESSEE PRESTON TALBOT SMITH FOX	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 10 MARCH 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM 1301	INFORMATION	COMINCH CIBOPAC COMBATFOR COMWESSEAFRON COM N.W. SEAFRON	PRIORITY
DECODED BY /TIERS			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

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TEXT	(MTELEGRAM)		

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PARA ONE MY OPORDER 1-42. ALONG FIRST
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 ARMY 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

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DRAFTER		EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM	NYPs	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY				ROUTINE
DATE	6 MAR 42			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM	2031/5	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY				ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY				DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

FULTON

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~~011417~~ NCR 6252

MGM

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TEXT			

RELATIVE NYD PASSIVE DEFENSE DESIRE AVAILABLE INFO JAPANESE AIR RAIDS
 X PARTICULARLY WHETHER USE OF INCENDIARIES PRECEDES OR FOLLOWS FIRST
 DEMOLITION BOMB ATTACK X SIZE DEMOLITION OR SEMIARDOR PIERCING BOMBS
 NR PLANES INVOLVED IN MAJOR RAIDS X NR WAVES AND TIME BETWEEN WAVES AND
 ANY SIMILAR PERTINENT INFO AVAILABLE

16...ACTION

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DRAFTER		EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE	
FROM	CON-TWELVE	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY	
RELEASED BY				ROUTINE	RRRR
DATE	5 MARCH 1942			DEFERRED	
TOR CODEROOM	0552	INFORMATION	CON-TWELVE BUSANDA BUSHIPS	PRIORITY	
DECODED BY	GILKER			ROUTINE	RRRR
PARAPHRASED BY	SOYLE			DEFERRED	

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TEXT			

PSS PURSE SEINERS PLACED IN SERVICE 1200 PWT THIS DATE YP293 X
296 X 297 X 298 X 300 X 307 X 309 X 319 X 320.

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FROM <u>COM 12</u>	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE RRR
DATE <u>MARCH 4, 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROM <u>1005</u>	INFORMATION	BUORD BUSHIPS	PRIORITY
DECODED BY <u>EDWARDS</u>			ROUTINE RRR
PARAPHRASED BY <u>BRUMFIELD</u>			DEFERRED

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ROBINSON

032358 NCR 5246

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		13545 KCS	

TEXT

MARCH 5 SAILING DATE 9 P3S PURSE SEINERS XXXXX X YP300 ENSIGN
 THOMPSON X YP298 X 297 X 300 X 298 X 319 X 320 X 307 X 296 FOLLOWING
 PLACED IN SERVICE 1800 FEB 26TH X YP308 X 301 X 303 X 304 X 318

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
COMAIRBATFOR		BUAER	PRIORITY
FROM			ROUTINE
RELEASED BY	2 MARCH 42		NITE DEFERRED
DATE	1330/END		
TOR CODEROOM	FIELD		PRIORITY
DECODED BY	GLUCKER		ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

LT. SHELLABARGER

010101 NCR 3250

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DATE

TIME

GCT

TEXT

THE FOLLOWING IS A PARAPHRASED COPY OF MY 232359 OF FEBRUARY WHICH ALL OTHER ADEES HAVE APPARENTLY RECEIVED.-

(ACTION TO COMAIRGROUP 21 AND NAVAIRSTA MIDWAY FOR DELIVERY TO VMSB 231. INFO TO NAVAIRSTA SANDIEGO FOR DELIVERY MARAIR WINGS 1 AND 2 AND MATOFF SANDIEGO, BUAER FOR DELIVERY TO COMINCH, BY HAND TO NAVAIRSTA PEARL AND CINCPAC)

7 1535-2 ENGINES RECENTLY OVERHAULED SANDIEGO REVEALED 2 MASTER RODS AND 5 MASTER ROD BEARING CAPS CRACKED AT CAP SCREW HOLES. 1 CRACK THROUGH KNUCKLE PINHOLE FOUND AT PEARL HARBOR. RECENT FORCED LANDING DUE THIS TYPE FAILURE NECESSITATE RESTRICTION SB2U-3 AIRPLANES TO OVERLAND FLYING EXCEPT IN EMERGENCY. NO CORRECTIVE MEASURES AVAILABLE OTHER THAN REPLACEMENT DEFECTIVE PARTS WITH SIMILAR NEW PARTS AT OVERHAUL.

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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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FROM 11	KCS 15545 NPG 1972		
RELEASED BY	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
DATE 28 FEB 1942	INFORMATION		ROUTINE ROUTINE DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM		WESTSEA FRON NOB SAN PEDRO CALIF	PRIORITY
DECODED BY WEINE			ROUTINE DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY KNIGGE			

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BLOUTIN

281700 NCR 3439

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TEXT			

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

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FROM	COM 11 NO.	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY				ROUTINE
DATE	28 FEB 42	INFORMATION	COMWESTSEAFROM	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM	01/01/23			PRIORITY
DECODED BY	EDWARDS			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY	GLTUCKER			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

LT. WEINSTOCK

280105 NCR 3057

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TEXT			

AT 1620 T/ FEB 27, HMS ORION ARRIVED SANDIEGO .

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FROM NSHQ OTTAWA	FOR ACTION	ADMIRALTY 746	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 28 FEBRUARY 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM	INFORMATION	CINC A & WJ SO (1) JAMAICA BAD CINC WA	PRIORITY
DECODED BY			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY DELAWARE			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

WEINSTOCK**262235****NCR 3146**

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RECEIVED IN NCR BY MESSENGER FROM BAD**SAN FRANCISCO DEPARTURE 1235Z/26 H.M.S. ORION FOR SEA**

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JCS MEMO, 1-17-72
BY RT, DATE NOV 12 1973

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FROM <u>COMINCH</u>	FOR ACTION	COMWESTSEAFRON COMPANSEAFRON	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY _____			ROUTINE
DATE <u>27 FEBRUARY 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM <u>1753/2144</u>	INFORMATION	CINCPAC; CINCLANT COMCARIBSEAFRON BAD; OPNAV CINCAWI	PRIORITY
DECODED BY _____			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY <u>SLADE</u>			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

271630 CCR 477

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TEXT			

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

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER		EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEE	PRECEDENCE
FROM	CINCPAC	FOR ACTION	COMINCH	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY				RRRRRR
DATE	27 FEB 42			ROUTINE
TOR CODEROOM	0842/0725	INFORMATION		DEFERRED
DECODED BY	EGGEMAN			PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY	EGGEMAN			ROUTINE
				DEFERRED

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TEXT

TASK FORCES STILL MAINTAINING RADIO SILENCE. YOUR 261⁵30
 UNDER CONSIDERATION. NO ENEMY ACTIVITY THIS AREA.

F-1.....ACT

*Re use of fuel of
 Calif + Budget
 found for
 training purposes*

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM COM-ELEVEN	FOR ACTION	COMWESTSEA FRONTIER COM-12: BUORD:COM-15: OPNAV:BUNAV:	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE RRR
DATE 27 FEBRUARY 1942			DEFERRED
FOR CODEROOM 0242	INFORMATION	NOB SAN PEDRO COM-14 COM-13	PRIORITY
DECODED BY KALIADJIAN			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY			DEFERRED RRR

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TEXT

18 EX TUNA BOATS WERE READY FOR DEPARTURE 25 FEBRUARY, 14 DEPARTED AT NOON 25 FEB SPEED 8¹/₂ KNOTS AND 2 BEING HELD FOR SAN FRANCISCO GROUPS X YP-287 RETURNED MINOR AUXILIARY ENGINE DEFECT X REPAIRS COMPLETED NOW 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 SEINER EL PADRE FROM SAN PEDRO WITH YP284 7 MARCH, 3RD GROUP 12 PURSE SEINERS PLUS BELLE OF PORTUGAL 9 MARCH.

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FROM COM-TWELVE	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 27 FEBRUARY 1942	INFORMATION	COM-11	DEFERRED RARR
TOR CODEROOM 0301			PRIORITY
DECODED BY KALADITIAN			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY SOWLE			DEFERRED RARR

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TEXT

P33 PURSE SEINERS ARMED MANNED READY TO SAIL THIS DATE ARDITO
 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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FROM COMINCH	FOR ACTION	CINCPAC	PPPP PRIORITY
RELEASED BY ADMIRAL KING			ROUTINE
DATE FEB 26 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODER ROOM 1548/1721	INFORMATION	COM N W SEA FRONTIER COM WES SEA FRONTIER	PPPP PRIORITY
EN DECODED BY WINTER			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY COWDEN			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

261530 CCR 0462 W

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CONTINUOUS USE OF CHESAPEKE BAY AS SECURE TRAINING AREA PROMPTS SUGGESTION THAT PUGET SOUND AND AREA NORTHWARD BE USED FOR SIMILAR PURPOSE PARA USE OF GULF OF MEXICO FOR SHAKEDOWN OF LARGE SHIPS ALSO SUGGESTS SIMILAR USE OF GULF OF CALIFORNIA AS AFFORDING CORRESPONDING DEGREE OF SECURITY.

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DRAFTER		EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM	COMINTCH	FOR ACTION	COMWESTERNSEA FRONT	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY	WILLSON			ROUTINE
DATE	26 FEB 1942			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM	1554/1712	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY	HIGGINS			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY				DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

251520 CCR 443

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TEXT

REPORT LOCATION OF SEA FRONTIER FORCES DURING SUBMARINE
SHELLING NEAR SANTA BARBARA X ALSO LOCATION LOCAL DEFENSE
FORCES IN THAT VICINITY

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEE	PRECEDENCE
FROM <u>COM WEST SEAFRON</u>	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE RRRRR DEFERRED
DATE <u>26 FEB 42</u>	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
TOR CODEROOM <u>0938/26TH</u>			ROUTINE
DECODED BY <u>HUTCHINSON</u>			DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY <u>GI. TUCKER</u>			

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LT. WEINSTOCK

252358 NCR 1045

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TEXT			

REGARDING COMINCH 251520 SANDS LAWRENCE TALBOT ESCORT DUTY KING
READY DUTY SANFRAN HUMPHREYS PERSEUS ARIADNE MARE ISLAND SHAWNEE
BUREKA DAPHNE ALERT CG BASE ALAMEDA PULASKI PATROL OUTSIDE SANFRAN
KILTY HERMES ESCORT DUTY CROSBY PATROL OUTSIDE SANDIEGO CRANE READY
DUTY SANDIEGO KENNISON OVERHAUL SANDIEGO CAHOONE PATROL OUTSIDE SAN
PEDRO AMETHOUL UPKEEP SANPEDRO. DILIGENCE TERMINAL IS PATWING 8
NAVAIRSTA ALAMEDA VP 44 NAVAIRSTA ALAMEDA ZP 32 NAVAIRSTA SUNNYDALE
VS 1D 12 NAVAIRSTA ALAMEDA VS 1 D 11 NAVAIRSTA TERMINAL IS VP 43
NAVAIRSTA SANDIEGO VP 13 NAVAIRSTA SANDIEGO MARWING 1 NAVAIRSTA
SANDIEGO. NO LOCAL DEFENCE FORCES IN VICINITY SANTA BARBARA 1900
FEBRUARY 23RD EXCEPT CGR 298 IN SANTABARBARA.

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FROM COM 12

RELEASED BY

DATE FEB 25 1942

TOR CODEROOM

DECODED BY

PARAPHRASED BY O'BRIEN

FOR ACTION

OPNAV

INFORMATION

COM 11
BUSANDA
BUORD
BUSHIPS

PRIORITY

ROUTING RRRRR

DEFERRED

PRIORITY

ROUTING RRRRR

DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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250334 CR 1290

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TEXT

EXPECT FOLLOWING PREP THREE SEIL PURSE SEINERS MANNED AND
 READY BY TWENTY SIXTH FEBRUARY X EL CAPITAN X JUANITA X
 EL REYRX NEW ST JOSEPH X NEW REX X FOLLOWING SCHEDULED COMPLETE
 DONVERSION TWENTY EIGHT FEBRUARY X SANTA RITA X JACKIE BOY X
 AMERICAN ROSE X CITY OF MONTEREY X VITTORIA X SEA GIANT X ANNA
 B(B) X LITTLE FLOWER X ST ANTHONY X CAVALIERI

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FEB 24 1942

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PRIORITY

1015 / 0935

OPNAV

COMINCH

PORTER

BUSH

240652 CCR 2770

T
OIL DEPOT ELWOOD CALIFORNIA 34-25 NORTH 119-55 WEST
SHELLED BY SUBMARINE AT 0200Z. DAMAGE SLIGHT NO
CASUALTIES.

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FROM <u>WEST SEA FISH</u>	FOR ACTION	COM 11 OPNAV	PRIORITY PPP
RELEASED BY _____			ROUTINE
DATE <u>FEB 22, 1942.</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODER ROOM _____	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY _____			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY <u>ROBINSON</u>			DEFERRED

INDICATE **FULTON** RISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

212328 CR 09326

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TEXT			

DUE TO THE FACT THAT THERE IS NO LONG DISTANCE RADIO INSTALLATION IN PURSE SEINERS, HAVE DIRECTED ONE TUNA CLIPPER FROM SANDIEGO TO ACCOMPANY NINE PURSE-SEINERS SAILING SANFRANCISCO FEB 23RD ARRIVING RENDEZVOUS ABOUT FEB 25TH. RECOMMEND SECOND TUNA CLIPPER BE RETAINED SANDIEGO TO ACCOMPANY SECOND GROUP PURSE-SEINERS SAILING ABOUT MARCH 5TH FROM SANFRANCISCO.

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FROM	COM 11	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	INFORMATION		PPPPPPP	
RELEASED BY						ROUTINE	
DATE	17 FEBRUARY 1942					DEFERRED	
TOR CODEROOM	2229/17					PRIORITY	
DECODED BY	GILKER					ROUTINE	
PARAPHRASED BY	V TUCKER					DEFERRED	

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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TEXT				

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.

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