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SCHENCK, 2 PCCGs escorting convoy ONSJ 132 left Iceland 20 September to join convoy ONS 132.

PARKER left New York 19 September, due Guantanamo 23 September.

BERNADOU, 2 PCCGs escorting convoy SG-8 (4 MVs, 1 AO left Sydney 17 September for Greenland - BERNADOU to be detached enroute to join convoy GS-8.

HAMBLETON, MACOMB escorting 1 AF to New York, 2 AOs to Norfolk, left Iceland 17 September, due Norfolk 25 September.

COASTAL ESCORTS AND A/S PATROLS

MAYRANT, RHIND escorting KENMORE (AP left Norfolk 19 September, due Guantanamo 24 September.

ROPER, 2 PCCGs, 2 PCs escorting convoy KN-201 (27 MVs) left Key West 15 September, due New York 21 September.

DUPONT, 2 PCCGs, 3 PCs escorting convoy NK-503 (22 MVs) left New York 18 September, due Key West 25 September.

MacLEISH, 3 PGs, 1 PY escorting convoy NG-306 (37 MVs) left New York 17 September, due Guantanamo 24 September.

BROOME, 1 PG, 2 PCs, 1 British PG escorting convoy GH-4 (13 MVs) left Guantanamo 15 September, due New York 22 September.

BRECKENRIDGE, BLAKELEY, 2 PCs, 1 PY escorting convoy GAT-6 (24 MVs) left Guantanamo 17 September, due Trinidad 22 September.

TARBELL, 1 PG, 2 PCs, 1 SC escorting convoy TAG-7 (18 MVs) left Trinidad 19 September, due Guantanamo 24 September.

OMAHA, EBERLE, DAVIS escorting convoy Trinidad #11 (6 MVs) left Trinidad 18 September, due Santos 2 October.

CINCINNATI, WINSLOW (TG 23.4) escorting convoy B-3 left Recife 18 September, Upon arrival Paro River or if relieved prior that time will patrol Recife-St. Paul Rocks line.

ERICSSON escorting MERRIMACK (AO) left Trinidad 18 September, due Guantanamo 21 September.

I N P O R T

ICELAND

- 1 DD: LEARY
- 1 PG: WILLIAMSBURG
- 1 PCCG: DUANE
- 1 AD: MELVILLE
- 1 AO: SAPELO
- 1 AVP: BARNEGAT

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ARGENTIA

1 DD: COLE

PORTSMOUTH

1 SS: avail: 8-20

CASCO BAY

9 Dds: KNIGHT, BOYLE, LAVALLETTE, STRONG, RADFORD, MURPHY, LIVERMORE, KEARNY, TAYLOR, COWIE

1 SS: 0-4 (operating at sea daily through 20 September)

BOSTON

MASSACHUSETTS - ready 21 September.

6 Dds: BADGER, RODMAN, EMMONS; avail: CHEVALIER, BUCK, BABBITT

NEWPORT

1 SS: HERRING

NEW LONDON

4 Dds: H.P. JONES, MAYO, LANSDALE, PLUNKETT

19 SSS: 0-2, 6, 8, 10, R-5, 8-16, 17, 48, MACKEREL, SHAD, GUNNEL, BLACKFISH, BARB, MARLIN, GURNARD; avail: 0-3, 7, R-1, 15.

NEW YORK

ARKANSAS - ready 23 September

TUSCALOOSA - ready 7 October

BROOKLYN (may be enroute to Norfolk)

MEMPHIS - ready 2 November

MARBLEHEAD - ready 10 October

16 Dds: HERBERT, McCORMICK, BAINBRIDGE, MADISON, DECATUR, C.F. HUGHES, SIMPSON; avail: OVERTON, GLEAVES, BRISTOL, WOOLSEY, LUDLOW, EDISON, WILKES, NICHOLSON, SWANSON

BERMUDA

3 SSS: R-6, 7, 9

NORFOLK

INDIANA - ready 21 September

TEXAS - ready 28 September

NEW YORK - ready 26 September

RANGER

AUGUSTA

WICHITA

PHILADELPHIA - ready 23 September

SAVANNAH

CLEVELAND

COLUMBIA

CHARGER - ready 23 September

BANGAMON

SANTER

10 Dds: ELLYSON, HOBSON, CORRY, NIBLACK, BENSON, ELLIS, ROWAN, JENKINS, avail: WAINWRIGHT, TRIPPE

CHARLESTON

2 Dds: avail: MOFFETT, BIDDLE

KEY WEST

3 Dds: DAHLGREN, NOA, DICKERSON

7 SSS: R-2, 10, 13, 14, 20; avail: R-4, 11

GALVESTON

2 Dds: FORREST, FITCH

COCO SOLO

3 Dds: TATTNALL, BARRY, COFF

6 SSS: 8-12, 14, BONITA; avail: BASS, BARRACUDA, 8-15

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~~QUANTANAMO~~

4 DDs: J.F. TALBOT, BORIE, UPSHUR, TILLMAN
1 SS: R-12

~~SAN JUAN~~

1 DD: DALLAS

~~ST. THOMAS~~

1 SS: R-16

~~CHACAGO~~

2 DDs: BARNEY, GREER (making temporary repairs)

~~TRINIDAD~~

4 DDs: LEA, MERVINE, QUICK, BEATTY
1 SS: R-18

~~BELEM~~

1 DD: SOMERS

~~RECIFE~~

~~MILWAUKEE~~

2 DDs: ROE, JOUETT

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CONCORD, McDUGAL, SAMPSON left Balboa 16 September for patrol
TRENTON patrolling SW of CALLAO.
CROSBY left San Francisco 19 September, due San Diego 21 September.
S-11 and S-13 patrolling north of Galapagos Islands.
S-23 left Dutch Harbor 20 September, due San Diego 3 October.

IN PORT

SEATTLE

TENNESSEE - availability until 15 February.

NEVADA - ready 23/29 November

6 DDs: CALDWELL, HUMPHREYS, CRANE, HATFIELD; avail: TALBOT, BROOKS

SAN FRANCISCO

12 DDs: WOODWORTH, WHIPPLE, CRAVEN, ALDEN, FRAZIER, COGHLAN, SHAW,
BAILEY; avail: BARKER, PAUL JONES, RALPH TALBOT, MONAGHAN.

8 SSs: PORPOSIE; avail: WHALE, PICKEREL, TARPON, PIKE, STINGRAY,
PERMIT, NARWHAL.

SAN PEDRO

1 DD: KENNISON

SAN DIEGO

LONG ISLAND

3 DDs: RATHBURN, KILTY, GANSEVOORT

2 SSs: S-18, 35

BALBOA

RICHMOND

1 DD: WARRINGTON

NORTH PACIFIC

INDIANAPOLIS, LOUISVILLE, ST. LOUIS, NASHVILLE, HONOLULU, GRIDLEY,
KANE, McCALL, CASE, REID, DENT, KING, SANDS in Adak - Atka area.

S-28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, GRUNION, HALIBUT, GATO in Aleutian - Alaskan
area.

IN PORT

GOLD BAY

1 DD: FOX

DUTCH HARBOR

3 DDs: GILMER, WATERS, BANCROFT

2 AGs: CUYAMA, BRAZOS, RAMAPO

KODIAK

1 AD: BLACKHAWK

1 AVD: THORNTON

1 AT: MAHOPAC

NOKE

1 DMS: PERRY

1 PG: CHARLESTON

SEWARD

1 DD: LAWRENCE

1 DMS: ELLIOT

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RALEIGH escorting 2 APs left Suva 18 September, due Pearl about 24 Sept.

CHESTER escorting convoy 2132 (4 MVs) left San Francisco 2 September, due Noumea 22 September.

DUNLAP, FANNING escorting convoy 4212 (1 AP, 2 AFS, 1 MV) left Pearl 17 September, due San Francisco 23 September.

J.D. EDWARDS, J.D. FORD escorting convoy 2134 (13 MVs) left San Francisco San Pedro 11 September, due Pearl 22 September.

SILVERSIDES, POMPAÑO, HADDOCK, GROWLER, KINGFISH, GROUPEE, FLYINGFISH, HXT NAUTILUS on Empire patrol - to return to Pearl or Midway.

ALBACORE, WAHOO, AMBERJACK on mandate patrol - to return to Pearl or Midway.

TROUT left Pearl for Mandate patrol enroute to Fremantle.

IN PORT

PEARL HARBOR

PENNSYLVANIA

MISSISSIPPI

COLORADO

NEW MEXICO

MARYLAND

IDAHO

WEST VIRGINIA - availability

CALIFORNIA - availability

ENTERPRISE - availability until 25 September

PORTLAND

SAN JUAN - availability

15 DDs: SMITH, DRAYTON, MAHAN, CUSHING, PRESTON, PORTER, LAMSON, LITCHFIELD, PERKINS, MAURY, BALCH, FLUSSER, PARROTT, BULMER, avail: ELLET

4 DDs: ALLEN, SCHLEY, CHEW, WARD

12 Ss: PLUNGER, POLLACK, DOLPHIN, TRIGGER, CACHALOT, GREENLING, CUTTLEFISH; avail: PINBACK, ARGONAUT, TUNA, GRAYLING, TRITON

MIDWAY

2 Ss: DRUM, GUARDFISH

1 AS: FULTON

1 PY: CRYSTAL

SOUTH PACIFIC

COPAHKE, McALLA left Pearl 17 September, due Suva 25 September.

OBANNON, FLETCHER left Canal Zone 11 September, due Borabora 26 Sept.

SOUTH DAKOTA, SARATOGA, NEW ORLEANS, PHELPS, DEWEY, WORDEN, CUMMINGS, WILSON (TF 11) left Tongatabu about 12 September for Pearl.

* See *Admiral*
MINNEAPOLIS, LEANDER, BOISE, GWIN, MEREDITH, GRAYSON, MONSSEN, FARRAGUT, McDONOUGH (TF 64) at Espiritu Santo.

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ASTORIA, QUINCY, VINCENNES, HULL - unassigned

IN PORT

BOHABORA

1 AT: TERN

SAMOA

DETROIT (probably enroute to Auckland)

1 D: STACK

1 AG: CAMANGA

TONGATAHU

1 AR: VESTAL

SUVA

HALEIGH

2 DDs: CONYNGHAM, AYLWIN

ESPIRITU SANTO

3 DMS: TRACY, GAMBLE, BREWER

2 AVDs: McFARLAND, BALLARD

1 AVP: MACKINAC

1 AV: CURTIS

GUADALCANAL

1 DD: STERRETT

1 AK: RETELGEUSE

NOUMEA

ATLANTA

3 DDs: LANG, BUCHANAN, WALKER

3 APDs: MANLEY, STRINGHAM, McKRAN

1 AD: WHITNEY

4 AOs: GUADALUPE, CIMARRON, KANAWHA, SABINE

2 AGs: ARGONNE, SUMNER

1 AK: LASSEN

1 APV: HAMMONDSPORT

AUCKLAND

ACHILLES - repairing

1 AR: RIGEL

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC

PHOENIX, AUSTRALIA, HOBART, BAGLEY, SELFRIDGE, HELM, HENLEY in Coral Sea area.

KANIMBLA, MANOORA left Fremantle 7 September on escort duty.

IN PORT

PORT MORESBY

2 DDs: ARUNTA, STUART

DARWIN

1 DD: VOYAGER

BRISBANE

10 SSs: S-37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47 (less some on patrol)

1 AS: GRIFFIN

1 PG: TULSA

PORT STEPHENS

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SYDNEY

CHICAGO - repairing

MONAWAI

CAP DES PALMES

5 DDs: PATTERSON, CLARK, BENHAM, repairing: MUGFORD, LE TRIOMPHANT

1 PG: CHEVREUIL

1 AD: DOBBIN

1 AG: repairing: VICTORIA

MELBOURNE

1 DD: repairing: VENDETTA

1 AG: GOLD STAR

ALBANY

1 AS: PELIAS

FREMANTLE

ADELAIDE

TROMP

22 SSs: SALMON, SEAL, SKIPJACK, SNAPPER, STURGEON, SARGO, SAURY,
SPEARFISH, SCULPIN, SAILFISH, swordfish, seadragon, SEA-
RAVEN, SEAWOLF, TAMBOR, TAUTOG, THRESHES, GAR, GRAYBACK,
GRENADIER, GUDGEON, GRAMPUS less some on patrol and others
at Albany.

1 AVD: CHILDS

2 AMs: LARK, WHIPOORWILL

1 PY: ISABEL

1 AS: HOLLAND

EXMOUTH GULF

1 AVD: WM.B. PRESTON

1 AVP: HERON

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* NORTH CAROLINA, HORNET, NORTHAMPTON, PENSACOLA, SAN DIEGO, ANDERSON, MUSTIN, RUSSELL, OBRIEN, MORRIS, DALE, HUGHES (TF 17) in South Pacific area.

WASHINGTON, WASP, SAN FRANCISCO, SALT LAKE CITY, HELENA, JUNEAU, FAHRENHOLT, LAFFEY, AARON WARD, DUNCAN, LANSDOWNE, LARDNER, NICHOLSON, BARTON, MEADE (TF 18) in SoPac area.

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ICELAND 12 VP (of 73)
 ARGENTIA 22 VP (11 of 84, 11 of 93)
 LEWISTON #4 VOS (of 1D1)
 SALEM #9 VJ, 5 VOS (of C.G.)
 SQUANTUM #19 VOS (of 1D1)
 S. WEYMOUTH #1 ZNP (of EP 11)
 QUONSET #11 VOS (of 3D1)
 3 VP (of 52)
 12 VP (of 82)
 9 VTB (of VT-4) - shore based from RANGER
 16 VSB (of VS-42) - shore based from RANGER
 NEW YORK #21 VOS (of 1D3) - 2 VP, 5 VJ (of C.G.) - 2 VJ (of E.A.D.)
 LAKEHURST #4 VOS (Swordfish) (of Royal Navy)
 CAPE MAY #7 ZNP (of ZP-12)
 NORFOLK #15 VOS (of 1D4)
 12 VP (3 of 31, 1 of 81, 3 of 83, 2 of 92, 3 of TTSL)
 #12 VP (of 74)
 64 VSB (34 of ACTG, 8 of VGS-26, 3 of 27, 2 of 28, 9 of 29, 8 of VB-9)
 41 VTB (9 of VGS-27, 9 of 28, 8 of 29, 9 of ACTG, 6 of VT-9)
 73 VF (16 of ACTG, 11 of VGF 27, 12 of 28, 12 of 29, 6 of 30, 16 of VF-9)
 17 VOS (3 of ACTG, 14 of VGS-30)
 #18 VOS (18 of 145)
 20 VF (of VF-41) - shore based from RANGER
 15 VSB (of VS-41) - shore based from RANGER
 ELIZ. CITY #2 VP, 5 VJ, 7 VOS (of C.G.)
 #1 ZNP (of ZP-14)
 CHERRY POINT #12 VOS (of 2D5)
 #6 VP (of 94)
 CHARLESTON #2 VP (of 94)
 #6 VOS (of 2D5)
 BERMUDA 8 VP (of 52)
 17 VOS (9 of 5D4, 8 of 2D1)
 JACKSONVILLE #3 VP (of 94)
 BANANA RIVER 6 VP (of TTSL*)
 #18 VOS (of 1D7)
 MIAMI #9 VOS, 3 VSO (of C.G.)
 ST. PETERSBURG #4 VJ, 3 VOS (of C.G.)
 KEY WEST #15 VP (9 of 81, 6 of 53) - 5 VOS (of C.G.)
 BILOXI #5 VJ, 6 VOS (of C.G.)
 SAM JULIEN #12 VOS (of 2D7)
 GREAT EXUMA #6 VP (1 of 31, 4 of 32, 1 of 92)
 CAMAGUEY #2 VP (of 92)
 GUANTANAMO #16 VP (6 of 92, 7 of 32, 3 of 31) 7 VOS (2 of 1D10, 5 of 2D10)
 PORTLAND BIGHT #7 VP (of 34)
 SAN JUAN #5 VP (2 of 31, 1 of 92, 1 of VJ-4, 1 of RAF 53)
 #5 VOS (2 of 1D10, 3 of VMS-3)
 ST. THOMAS 12 VOS (of VMS-3)
 TRINIDAD #19 VP (5 of 31, 1 of 92, 13 of RAF 53) - 19 VOS (5 of 1D10, 14 of 4D10)
 NATAL 9 VP (of 83)
 PARAMARIBO #5 VP (of RAF 53)

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COCO SOLO

#12 VP (8 of 33, 3 of 34, 1 of CPW-3) - 11 VOS (of 1D15)
#2 VOS (1 of USS ERIE, 1 of USS ALBEMARLE)
1 VP (of 81)

ALMIRANTE BAY #2 VOS (of 1D15)

PUERTO CASTILLO #2 VP (of 33)

EMBARKED

12 VP (of VGF 26) - embarked SANGAMON
9 VTB, 1 VSB (of VGS-26) embarked SANGAMON

PACIFIC

GALAPAGOS
SAN DIEGO

#1 VP (of 33) (PanSeaFront)
#15 VSB (of ACTG)
#10 VP (of ACTG) 10 VTB (of ACTG)
#1 VP, 2 VJ (of C.G.)
6 VP (of TTSP) (5 of which are with Western Sea Frontier)
45 VSB (16 of VMSB 131, 8 of 132, 1 of FMAW, 15 of
VB-11, 15 of VS-11)

8158 (4 of VMSB-243,
4 of 244)

SAN PEDRO
SUNNYVALE
ALAMEDA

35 VP (7 of VMF-112, 2 of VGS-1, 25 of VF-11)
19 VTB (of VT-11)
14 VOS (2 of MAG-11, 12 of VGS-1)
#11 VOS (of 1 D11)
#2 ZNP (of ZP-32)
#12 VOS (of 1D12)
11 VP (6 of 41, 5 of TTSP**) (**earmarked for ferry
to Pearl)
1 VP (of VF-12)
3 VSB (2 of VB-12, 1 of VS-12)
10 VTB (1 of VT-12, 9 of VGS-12)
#5 VJ (of C.G.)
31 VP (4 of VGS-9, 6 of 11, 7 of 12, 4 of 13,
3 of 16, 4 of 20, 3 of 21)
13 VP (8 of 42, 5 of 41)

PORT ANGELES
SEATTLE

NORTH PACIFIC

ALASKAN AREA

36 VP (5 of 42, 10 of 43, 8 of 51, 6 of 61, 7 of 62)
(2 of these VP are at Adak)
10 VOS (5 of 1D13, 5 of 6D14)
5 VP (of VGS-12)
13 P-38's (pursuit) (U.S. Army Air Force)
15 P-39's " " " " "
1 B-24 (H) " " " " "
1 B-17 (H) " " " " "

KODIAK
DUTCH HARBOR
ADAK

ENROUTE

7 VP (of VGS-12) - enroute Alameda to Dutch Harbor.

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HAWAII

57 VP (1 of 11, 7 of 12, 2 of 14, 2 of 23, 9 of 24, 12 of 44, 5 of 51, 6 of 71, 2 of 72, 11 of 91) (Plus 2 VP which arrived 9/17 and 4 VP which arrived 9/19 from San Diego, squadron designations unknown)

80 VP (11 of VP 3, 18 of VP 10, 17 of VMF 214, 10 of 222, 24 of 221)

60 VSB (19 of VS 6, 15 of VS 10, 15 of VB 10, 4 of VMSB 233, 7 of 234)

19 VTB (of VT 10)

#15 VOS (of 3D14)

#13 VP (of VMF 211)

#20 VMSB (of VMSB 241)

6 VP (of 12)

2 VP (of 24)

PALMYRA
MIDWAY

JOHNSTON

SOUTH PACIFIC

TONGATABU
BORABORA
SAMOA

8 VOS on hand, 5 ready (of 4D14)

8 VOS (of 2D14)

10 VOS on hand, 7 ready (of 1D14)

16 VMF ready (of VMF 111)

19 VMSB on hand, 16 ready, 2 VJ ready (of VMSB 151)

13 VMF on hand, 6 ready (of VMF 212)

8 VSB (of VB 6)

3 VTB (of VT 3)

6 VOS (of 5D14)

ESPIRITU SANTO

2 VOS (of 5D14)

20 VSB (of VB 3, VS 3)

6 VTB (of VT 8)

GUADALCANAL

26 VP ready plus 5 damaged (of VMF 223, 224)

25 VSB ready plus 7 damaged (of VMSB 231, 232, VS 5, VB 6)

6 VTB (of VT 8)

3 P-400's (of U.S. Army Air Force as of 9/17)

TULAGI

2 VOS (of 4D14)

SOPAC AREA

39 VP (of 11, 14, 23, 71, 72, and 51)

6 VP (spares for VMF 212 and VMO 251)

18 VP (of VP 5)

HANDI

11 Hudsons (Reconn. Bombers) (Of N.Z.R.F.)

SUVA

9 Vincents

4 Singapores (Reconn. Flying Boat - 4-eng) (Of N.Z.A.F.)

NOUMEA

38 VMF (17 of VMO 251, 21 of VMF 121)

21 VMSB (of VMSB 141)

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC

FREMANTLE

16 VP (of 101)

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EMBARKED SQUADRONS

23 VF (of VF-71) - embarked WASP
24 VSB (of VS-71, VS-72) - embarked WASP
10 VTB (of VT-7) embarked WASP
18 VF (of VF-6) - embarked SARATOGA
9 VSB (of VS-3, VS-3) embarked SARATOGA
6 VTB (of VT-3) - embarked SARATOGA
6 VF (of VF-6) - embarked ENTERPRISE
6 VSB (of VS-5, VS-6) - embarked ENTERPRISE
37 VF (of VF-72) - embarked HORNET
32 VSB (16 of VS-8, 16 of VS-8) - embarked HORNET
16 VTB (of VT-6) - embarked HORNET
20 VF (P4F) (Cargo) - embarked HORNET

NOTES: -

The 6 spare VF shown in SoPac area may have been delivered. ComairPac on 9/4 reports - "This is best estimate for carrier and Marine squadrons that have been in action. VPB operational losses SoPac have not been subtracted." (CinCPac on 8/24 reported these losses as 6 VP).
The 7 VF enroute Dutch Harbor from Alameda may have arrived, no report received.
Report of Army air strength in Central, South Pacific and Southwest Pacific is attached to "Special Weekly Report of Aircraft Locations".
Information on strength of Army aircraft in other locations is available in P-35.
The aircraft shown in Nandi and Suva are Royal New Zealand Air Force units.

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NEW YORK, WILKES, SWANSON, LUDLOW, NICHOLSON (TG 37.2) escorting TA-20 left Londonderry 5 September, due New York 15 September.

PHILADELPHIA (CTF 37), EDISON, WOOLSEY left convoy TA-20 8 September, due Norfolk 14 September.

COLE augmented escort of convoy ON-126 on 6 September, due Argentina about 12 September.

BLAKELLY probably left Norfolk about 8 September, due Guantanamo 11 Sept.

CINCINNATI, WINSLOW left Recife 30 August to patrol the Recife-Ascension route.

OMAHA, DAVIS escorting MERRIMACK (AO) left Recife 9 September, due Trinidad 14 September.

R-15 left patrol 300 miles north of Bermuda 7 September, due New London 11 September.

COASTAL ESCORTS AND A/S PATROLS

LEARY, DUANE (PGCG) escorting convoy ONJ-128 (4 MVs) left Iceland 6 September to meet convoy ON-128 11 September.

ROPER, 2 PGCGs, 2 PCs escorting convoy NK 501 left New York 4 September, due Key West 11 September.

DUPONT, 1 PGCG, 4 PCs escorting convoy KN-200 (39 MVs) left Key West 8 September, due New York 14 September.

BROOME, 2 PGs, 2 PCs escorting convoy NG-303 (20 MVs) left New York 6 September, due Guantanamo 13 September.

MacLEISH, 3 PGs, 1 PY, 1 British PG escorting convoy GN-1 (34 MVs) left Guantanamo 5 September, due New York 12 September.

DECATUR, BAINBRIDGE, 1 PG, 1 PGCG, 1 PC escorting convoy GN-2 (4 MVs) left Guantanamo 8 September, due New York 15 September.

GREER, 3 PCs, 1 British PG escorting convoy GAT-3 (34 MVs) left Guantanamo 6 September, due Trinidad 12 September.

BIDDLE, 1 PG, 4 PCs escorting convoy TAG-3 (15 MVs) left Trinidad 5 September, due Guantanamo 11 September.

BRECKENRIDGE, 2 PGs, 1 PY, 1 PGCG escorting convoy TAG4 (14 MVs) left Trinidad 9 September, due Guantanamo 14 September.

J.F. TALBOT, BORIE, 3 PCs, 1 PY, 1 YMS escorting convoy GZ-2 (11 MVs) left Guantanamo 7 September, due Canal Zone 11 September.

BARRY, GOFF, 3 PCs, ~~2 PCs~~, escorting convoy ZG-2 (15 MVs) left Canal Zone 7 September, due Guantanamo 11 September.

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~~08~~ MAYRANT, ROWAN escorting 2 APs, 3 AKs left Canal Zone 4 September, due Norfolk 11 September.

MILWAUKEE, SOMERS, ROE escorting convoy Trinidad #5 which left Trinidad 4 September, due Recife 18 September.

BARNET, 4 PCs escorting convoy Trinidad #7 left Trinidad 10 September, due dispersal point east of Trinidad 12 September.

I N P O R T

ICELAND

- 3 DDs: SCHENCK, HAMBLETON, MACOMB
- 2 PCCGs: BIBB, INGHAM
- 1 AD: MELVILLE
- 2 AFs: URANUS, POLARIS
- 2 AOs: SAPELO, WINOOSKI, SALAMONIA
- 3 AKs: ARIES, AQUITA, PEGASUS
- 1 AVP: BARNEGAT

ARGENTIA

- 1 DD: BERNADOU
- 2 PCCGs: SPENCER, CAMPBELL

PORTSMOUTH

- 1 SS: avail: S-20

CASCO BAY

MASSACHUSETTS

- 6 DDs: KNIGHT, STRONG, BOYLE, RADFORD, MURPHY, LAVALETTE
- 1 SS: O-4 (operating at sea daily through 12 September)

BOSTON

- 11 DDs: BRISTOL, WAINWRIGHT, TRIPPE, ~~WRIGHT~~: RODMAN, EMMONS, avail: BADGER, BUCK, COWIE, LIVERMORE, KEARNY, RABBITT.

NEWPORT

- 1 SS: HERRING

NEW LONDON

- 18 SSs: O-2, 6, 8, 10, R-1, 5, S-16, 17, 21, 48, MACKEREL, SHAD, GUNNEL, BLACKFISH, BARB, MARLIN, avail: O-3, 7.

NEW YORK

- ARKANSAS - ready 16 September
- TUSCALOOSA - ready 7 October
- BROOKLYN - ready 16 September
- MEMPHIS - ready 2 November
- MARBLEHEAD - ready 1 October

- 13 DDs: DICKERSON, HERBERT, McCORMICK, avail: OVERTON, MADISON, MAYO, GRAVES, NIBLACK, PLUNKETT, LANSDALE, H.P. JONES, C.F. HUGHES, BENSON

PHILADELPHIA

- CLEVELAND - ready 15 September.

BERMUDA

- 3 SSs: R-6, 7, 9

NORFOLK

INDIANA

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NICHITA

SAVANNAH - ready 12 September

CHARGER

SANGAMON

6 DDs: ELLYSON, HOBSON, PORREST, FITCH, avail: ELLIS, RHIND

CHARLESTON

2 DDs: avail: MOFFETT, TILLMAN

KEY WEST

2 DDs: DAHLGREN, NOA

7 SSs: R-2, 10, 11, 13, 14, 20; avail: R-4

COCO SOLO

7 DDs: CORRY, TATTHALL, MERVINE, EBERLE, ERICSSON, QUICK, BEATTY.

4 SSs: S-21, 14, 15; avail: BASS

GUANTANAMO

5 DDs: CHEVALIER, JENKINS, LEA, TARBELL, SIMPSON

1 SS: R-12

ST. THOMAS

1 SS: R-16

TRINIDAD

2 DDs: DALLAS, UPSHUR

1 SS: R-18

SELEN

1 DD: JOUETT (probably escorting tanker to Recife.

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RICHMOND, WARRINGTON patrolling off coast of NW South America.

HATFIELD escorting 1 AP left Seattle 10 September, due Kodiak 15 Sept.

WATERS escorting 1 MV via Pleasant Bay left Chernofski 4 September, due Seattle 14 September.

CHANE, WILLIAMSON (AVD) escorting convoy (5 MVs) left Kodiak 8 September, due Seattle 18 September.

BAILEY left Balboa 9 September, due San Diego about 16 September.

S-11 and S-13 patrolling north of Galapagos Islands.

BARRACUDA, BONITA left Patrol area 10 September, due Balboa 14 September.

IN PORT

SEATTLE

TENNESSEE - availability until 15 February.

NEVADA - ready 23/29 November.

2 DDs: HUMPHREYS, BANCROFT

SAN FRANCISCO

10 DDs: CROSBY, WALDWELL, WOODWORTH, WHIPPLE, ALDEN, COGHLAN; avail:

J.D. EDWARDS, J.D. FORD, BARKER, PAUL JONES

7 SSs: avail: WHALE, PICKEREL, TARPON, PIKE, PORPOISE, STINGRAY, PERMIT

SAN PEDRO

1 DD: KENNISON

SAN DIEGO

1 DD: RATHBURN, FRAZIER, KILTY

2 SSs: S-18, 35

BALBOA

CONCORD

4 DDs: SAMPSON, McDOUGAL, FLETCHER, O'BANNON

CALISO

TRENTON

NORTH PACIFIC

INDIANAPOLIS, LOUISVILLE, ST. LOUIS, NASHVILLE, HONOLULU, GRIDLEY, KANE, McCALL, CASE, REID, BROOKS, TALBOT, DENT, SANDS, KING - in Adak - Atka area.

S-23, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, GRUNION, TRITON, HALIBUT, GATO in Aleutian - Alaskan area.

S-34 left Seattle 5 September, due Dutch Harbor 13 September.

IN PORT

GOLD BAY

1 DD: FOX

1 DMS: WASMUTH

CHERNOFSKI

1 AP: GRANT

DUTCH HARBOR

1 DD: GILMER

3 DDs: GUZAMA, BRAZOS, CHAPMAN

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DUTCH HARBOR

1 AP: ST. MIHIEL
1 AT: ORIOLE

KODIAK

1 AD: BLACKHAWK
1 AVD: THORNTON
1 AT: MAHOPAC

HOME

1 DMS: PERRY

SEWARD

1 DD: LAWRENCE
1 DMS: ELLIOT
1 AP: J.F. BELL

CENTRAL PACIFIC

RALEIGH, CONYNGHAM (TG 15.4) escorting 1 AP left Pearl 7 September, due
Suva 14 September.

LONG ISLAND, AYLWIN left Espiritu Santo 1 September, due San Diego
19 September.

MCMAHON, CRAVEN (TG 15.9) escorting convoy 4196 (1 AP, 2 USATs, 2 MVs)
left Pearl 6 September, due San Francisco 14 September.

DUNLAP, PANNING escorting convoy 2119 (1 AP left San Francisco 1 Sep-
tember, due Pearl 12 September.

COPAHKE, McALLA left San Francisco 6 September, due Pearl 12 September.

CHESTER escorting convoy 2132 (4 MVs) left San Francisco 2 September,
due Suva 19 September.

PARROTT, BULMER escorting convoy 2133 (1 AP, 2 AFs, 4 MVs) left San
Francisco 4 September, due Pearl 11 September.

RALPH TALBOT left Pearl 5 September, due San Francisco 11 September.

CUTTLEFISH, POMPAO, DRUM, FLYINGFISH, HADDOCK, GROWLER, SILVERSIDES,
GUARDFISH, ALBACORE, GROUPER, WAHOO, AMBERJACK on offensive patrol
to return to Pearl or Midway.

TROUT left Pearl 27 August for offensive patrol enroute to Fremantle.

NARWHAL left Pearl 7 September, due San Francisco about 14 September.

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PEARL HARBOR

PENNSYLVANIA

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CALIFORNIA

11 IDs: SMITH, DRAYTON, MAHAN, CUSHING, PRESTON, PORTER, LAMSON,
LITCHFIELD, SHAW, ALLEN, PERKINS
3 DDs: SCHLEY, CHEN, WARD - Hawseafon
12 SSs: PLUNGER, ANCONAUT, NAUTILUS, POLLACK, DOLPHIN, KINGFISH, TRIGGER,
CACHALOT, GREENLING; avail: FINBACK, TUNA, GRAYLING.

MIDWAY
1 AS: FULTON
1 PY: CRYSTAL

SOUTH PACIFIC

WASHINGTON, NICHOLAS, BARTON, MEADE (TG 2.12) left Canal Zone 29 August
due Tongatabu 12 September.

WAKE escorting 1 AO left San Pedro 27 August, due Noumea 12 September.

DETROIT escorting convoy 2131 (3 MVs, 1 AE, 1 AK, 1 APV) left San Diego
1 September; due Samoa 14 September.

SOUTH DAKOTA, SARATOGA, NEW ORLEANS, ATLANTA, PHELPS, DEWEY, WORDEN,
CUMMINGS, WILSON (TF 11) at Tongatabu to leave for Pearl about 12
September.

ENTERPRISE, SAN JUAN, MAURY, BALCH, FLUSSER (TF 16) left Tongatabu 2
September, due Pearl about 13 September.

NORTH CAROLINA, HORNET, NORTHAMPTON, PENSACOLA, SAN DIEGO, MORRIS,
RUSSELL, ANDERSON, MUSTIN, O'BRIEN, HUGHES, BENHAM, ELLET (TF 17)
in area.

WASP, QUINCY, VINCENNES, SAN FRANCISCO, STERRET, STACK, BUCHANAN,
FARENHOLT, AARON WARD, LAFFEY (TF 18) enroute Noumea.

MINNEAPOLIS, GWIN, MEREDITH, GRAYSON, MONSSEN, FARRAGUT, McDONOUGH (TF 64)
left Tongatabu 8 September, due Espiritu Santo 12 September.

ASTORIA, SALT LAKE CITY, PORTLAND, BOISE, HULL, CLARK (unassigned)

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BORABORA
1 AT: TERN

SANDA
1 AG: CAMANGA
1 AK: MERCURY
1 AO: SABINE
2 ATs: TURKEY, KINGFISHER

HALLIS ISLAND
CAP DES PALMES

TONGATABU
BUREAU

3 DDs: DUNCAN, LANSLOWNE, LARDNER
2 DMSs: TREVER, ZANE
1 AD: WHITNEY
1 AK: ANTARES

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- 2 Afs: NAVAJO, SEMINOLE
- 1 AF: ARCTIC
- 1 AR: VESTAL

SUVA

- 1 AP: ZILIN
- 1 AO: CIMARRON
- 1 AVD: BALLARD

ESPIRITU SANTO

REAR

LEANDER

- 2 Dds: DALE, LANG
- 2 Dms: TRACY, GAMBLE
- 1 AK: BETELGEUSE
- 1 AO: KANAWHA
- 2 APs: HENDERSON, McCRAWLEY
- 2 APDs: MANLEY, STRINGHAM

QUADALCANAL - TULAGI AREA

- 1 AP: BERROWS

NOUMEA

ACHILLE

- 1 AF: RAINIER
- 2 APs: ALDEBARAN, ROAMER
- 1 AG: ARGONNE
- 1 DMS: HOPKINS

AUCKLAND

MONAWAI

- 1 AE: SHASTA
- 1 AF: TALAMANCA
- 1 AR: RIGEL

WELLINGTON

- 1 AK: ALCHIBA
- 2 APs: FULLER, HEYWOOD
- 2 DMS: SOUTHARD, HOVEY

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC

PHOENIX, AUSTRALIA, BAGLEY, SELFRIDGE, HELM, HENLEY, left Brisbane
7 September for patrol.

ADELAIDE, TROMP, KANIMBLA, MANOORA, VOYAGER left Fremantle 7 September
on escort duty.

TAMBOR on offensive patrol enroute Pearl to Fremantle.

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PORT MORESBY

- 1 DD: ARUNTA

TOWNSVILLE

- 1 DD: STUART

BRISBANE

HOBART

- 1 DD: PATTERSON

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10 SSs: S-37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47.

1 AS: GRIFFIN

1 PG: TULSA

~~PORT STEPHENS~~

~~WESTRALIA~~

~~SYDNEY~~

CHICAGO - repairing

2 DDs: repairing: MUGFORD, LE TRIOMPHANT

1 PG: CHEVREUIL

1 AD: DOBBIN

1 AO: repairing: VICTORIA

~~MELBOURNE~~

1 DD: repairing: VENDETTA

1 AG: repairing: GOLD STAR

1 AF: MIZAR

~~ALBANY~~

1 AS: PELIAS

~~PERMANENT~~

21 SSs: SALMON, SEAL, SKIPJACK, SNAPPER, STURGEON, SARGO, SAURY,
SPYGLASS, SCULPIN, SAILFISH, SWORDFISH, SEADRAGON, SEARAVEN,
SEAWOLF, TAUTOG, THRESHER, OAR, GRAYBACK, GRENADIER, GUDGEON,
GRAMPUS less some on patrol and others at Albany.

1 PY: ISABEL

1 AS: HOLLAND

1 AVD: WM. B. PRESTON

1 AO: TRINITY

2 AMs: LARK, WHIPOORWILL

~~ELMOUTH GULF~~

1 AVP: HERON

1 AVD: CHILDS

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DOVER	11 VP (of 73)
GREENLAND	6 VP (of 93)
ARGENTIA	15 VP (11 of 84, 4 of 93)
NEWTON	4 VOS (of 101)
SALEM	4 VJ, 5 VOS (of G.O.)
QUANTUM	4 VOS (of 101)
S. WIMMOUTH	4 ZNP (of 11)
QUONSET	4 VOS (of 101)
	5 VP (3 of 52, 1 of 73, 1 of 93)
	4 VP (12 of 82, 1 of 93)
	9 VTB (of VT 4) - shore based from RANGER
	16 VSB (of VS 42) - shore based from RANGER
NEW YORK	4 VOS (of 101) - 2 VP, 5 VJ (of G.O.) - 2 VJ (of E.A.D. - G.O.)
	4 Misc. (Swordfish) (of Royal Navy 4834)
LAKEHURST	4 ZNP (of 11)
CAPE MAY	4 VOS (of 101)
NORFOLK	10 VP (2 of 92, 3 of 31, 1 of 93, 3 of TTS4, 1 of 81)
	4 VP (of 74)
	59 VSB (36 of ACTG, 9 of VOS 26, 3 of 27, 2 of 28, 9 of 29)
	34 VTB (9 of VOS 26, 9 of 27, 9 of 28, 9 of 29)
	61 VP (7 of ACTG, 12 of VOS 26, 12 of 27, 12 of 28, 12 of 29, 6 of 30)
	17 VOS (3 of ACTG, 14 of VOS 30)
	4 VOS (18 of 105, 4 of 205)
ELIZ. CITY	4 VP, 5 VJ, 7 VOS (of G.O.)
CHERRY POINT	4 ZNP (of 11)
	4 VOS (of 205)
CHARLESTON	4 VP (of 94)
	4 VP (of 94)
	4 VOS (of 205)
BERMUDA	8 VP (of 52)
	17 VOS (8 of 201, 9 of 504)
BANANA RIVER	6 VP (of TTS4)
JACKSONVILLE	4 VOS (of 107)
MIAMI	4 VP (of 94)
ST. PETERSBURG	4 VOS, 3 VBO (of G.O.)
KEY WEST	4 VJ, 4 VOS (of G.O.)
SILOKI	4 VP (8 of 81, 6 of 53) - 6 VOS (of G.O.)
SAN JULIAN	4 VJ, 6 VOS (of G.O.)
GREAT KENUMA	4 VOS (of 207)
GRIMOUKY	4 VP (of 31)
QUANTANAMO	4 VP (of 92)
PORTLAND BIGHT	4 VP (8 of 92, 11 of 32) - 2 VOS (of 1010) - 4 VOS (of 2010)
SAN JUAN	4 VP (of 34)
	4 VP (2 of 31, 1 of 92, 1 of VJ 4, 1 of 93)
	4 VOS (2 of 1010, 3 of VMS 3) - 1 VJ (of VMS 3)
ST. THOMAS	4 VOS (of VMS 3)
TRINIDAD	4 VP (7 of 31, 1 of 92, 12 of 93) - 5 VOS (of 1010) - 14 VOS (of 4010)
NATAL	9 VP (of 83) (1 section based at Ascension)
PARAMARIBO	4 VP (of 93)
COLO SOLO	4 VP (9 of 33, 3 of 34, 1 of Comptwing 3) - 13 VOS (of 1015) - 2 of which are based at Almirante Bay.
	4 VOS (of U.S.S. BRIN)
	1 VP (of 81)

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PUEBLO CASTILLO
BARRANQUILLA

#1 VP (of 33)
#1 VP (of 33)

ENROUTE

2 VP (of 83) (enroute to Norfolk from Natal for engine change)

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35 VF (15 of VF 9, 20 of VF 41) - embarked RANGER
18 VSB (of VS 41) - embarked RANGER

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SAN DIEGO

#10 VSB (of ACTG)
#7 VF (of ACTG)
#3 VP (of TTSP)
#1 VP, 2 VJ (of G.G.)
#6 VSB (12 of VMSB 131, 2 of 132, 1 of 243, 1 of 244, 1 of FMAW, 14 of BB 11, 14 of VS 11)
32 VF (5 of VMF 112, 2 of VOS 1, 25 of VF 11)
18 VTB (of VT 11)
14 VOS (2 of MAG 11, 12 of VOS 1)
#9 VOS (of 1M1)
#2 ZMP (of ZP 32)
#10 VOS (of 1M2)
1 VP (of VF 12)
1 VSB (of VS 12)
16 VTB (7 of VT 12, 9 of VOS 12)
#5 VJ (of G.G.)
30 VP (6 of VOS 9, 7 of 11, 6 of 13, 6 of 20, 5 of 21)
18 VP (8 of 42, 10 of 61)
34 VP (12 of 41, 5 of 52, 10 of 43, 7 of 62)
10 VOS (5 of 1M3, 5 of 6M4)
5 VP (of VOS 12)
55 VP (1 of 11, 7 of 12, 2 of 14, 8 of 24, 12 of 44, 6 of 51, 6 of 71, 2 of 72, 11 of 91)
69 VP (11 of VF 3, 18 of VF 10, 6 of VMF 214, 10 of 222, 24 of 221)
59 VSB (18 of VS 6, 15 of VS 10, 15 of VS 10, 3 of VMSB 233, 7 of 234)
18 VTB (of VT 10)
#15 VOS (of 3M4)
#13 VP (of VMF 211)
#20 VMSB (of VMSB 241)
6 VP (of 12)
2 VP (of 51)

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ALAMEDA

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ALASKAN AREA
KODIAK
DUTCH HARBOR
HAWAII

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PALMYRA
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JOHNSTON

ENROUTE

6 VP (of VOS 12) - Enroute Alameda to Dutch Harbor.

EMBARKED

23 VP (of VF 71) - embarked WASP
24 VSB (12 of VS 71, 12 of VS 72) - embarked WASP
10 VTB (of VT 7) - embarked WASP

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28 VSB (14 of VS 3, 14 of VS 3) - embarked SARATOGA
13 VTB (of VT 8) - embarked SARATOGA
6 VF (of VF 6) - embarked ENTERPRISE
6 VSB - embarked ENTERPRISE
37 VF (of VF 72) - embarked HORNET
32 VSB (16 of VS 8, 16 of VS 8) - embarked HORNET
16 VTB (of VT 6) - embarked HORNET
20 VF (VF 7) (cargo) - embarked HORNET

SOUTH PACIFIC

TONGATABU
BORABORA
BANOA

11 VOS on hand, 6 ready (of 4DL4)
8 VOS (of 2DL4)
6 VOS, 2 VJ (of 1DL4)
17 VMF on hand, 14 ready (of V MF 111)
18 VMSB on hand, 16 ready (of VMO 151)
1 VF (of 444th Squadron, MAG 13)

SEATE

16 VMF on hand, 12 ready (of VMF 212)
8 VSB (of VS 6)
3 VTB (of VT 3)(7)
6 VOS (of 5DL4)
2 VOS (of 5DL4)

ESPIRITU SANTO
GUADALCANAL

11 VF } See note below
22 VSB }

SOPAC AREA

39 VF (12 of 11, 6 of 14, 14 of 23, 1 of 71, 4 of 72, 2 of 51)
6 VF (spares for VMF 212 and VMO 251)
12 VMSB (of VMSB 231)
15 VMF (of VMO 251)

MOOREA

ENROUTE SOPAC

6 VMF (of VMF 121)
11 VMSB (of VMSB 141)

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC

PERMANENT

16 VF (of 101)

NOTES:

The 6 spare VF shown in Sopac area may have been sent to Guadalcanal. VMF 121 and VMSB 241 probably left San Diego will fall strength. Cincpac on 8/24 reports - "VF operational losses Sopac area reported as 6 not considered above compilation. Reduces FBY strength at or enroute Sopac area from an indicated 39 to 33 FBY's. Planes and pilots on CV's now operating in many cases estimated, exact data not known." Units at Guadalcanal not known at time of preparation of today's report.
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RABBITT, SPENCER (PGCG), 4 British PGs (TU 24.1.3) escorting convoy
On-125 left United Kingdom 29 August for Argentina.

ARKANSAS, BROOKLYN, MAYO, GLEAVES, NIBLACK, PLUNKETT, HENSON, MADISON,
LANSDALE, H.P. JONES, C.F. HUGHES (TF 38) escorting convoy TA-18
(3 APs, 1 MV) left United Kingdom 27 August, due New York about
7 September.

SCHENCK left Iceland 30 August to augment escort of convoy SCL-97, due
Iceland 2 September.

BERNADOU left Argentina 29 August, due Porteau Bay 31 August; to em-
bark survivors of SS CHATHAM then proceed to Sydney.

CORRY left Norfolk 30 August, due Canal Zone about 4 September.

WAINWRIGHT, TRIPPE, RHIND escorting HMS QUEEN ELIZABETH (BB) from
24N, 40W to Norfolk.

MILWAUKEE, JOUETT escorting MERRIMACK (AO) left Trinidad 25 August,
due Recife 3 September.

SINCINNATI, WINSLOW left Recife 30 August for patrol of Recife-Ascension
route.

OMAHA, DAVIS (TG 23.3) left Montivideo 25 August, due Bahia 7 September
patrolling enroute.

SOMERS, HUMBOLDT (AVD) operating as hunter group south of Recife.

COASTAL ESCORTS AND A/S PATROLS

MAYRANT, ROWAN, escorting 2 APs, 3 AKs left Canal Zone 1 September
due Norfolk about 6 September.

MCCORMICK, OVERTON, 1 PGCG, 2 PCs, 1 British PG escorting convoy KN-135
(28 MVs) left Key West 29 August, due New York 4 September.

MALEISH, 3 PGS, 1 PC escorting convoy NG-300 (27 MVs) left New York
27 August, due Guantanamo 4 September.

DECATUR, BAINBRIDGE, 1 PG, 1 PC escorting convoy NG-301 (13 MVs) left
New York 30 August, due Guantanamo Bay 6 September.

DUPONT, 4 PCs escorting convoy NK-500 (12 MVs) left New York 28
August, due Key West 5 September.

BRECKENRIDGE, 2 PGs, 2 PGCGs, 1 YMs escorting convoy GAT-1 (30 MVs)
left Guantanamo Bay 31 August, due Trinidad 6 September.

TARBELL, 1 PG, 2 PCs, 1 SC, 1 PGCG escorting convoy TAG-2 left
Trinidad 1 September, due Guantanamo 7 September.

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GOFF, TATTNALL, 2 PCs, 1 SC, 1 YMS escorting convoy GZ-1 (8 MVs) left Guantanamo 31 August, due Canal Zone 3 September.

J.F. TALBOT, 1 DD: (either BORIE or BARRY) escorting ZG-1 (9 MVs) left Canal Zone 31 August, due Guantanamo 4 September.

ROE escorting Brazilian tankers left Salinas, Brazil 29 August, due Trinidad 3 September.

I N P O R T

ICELAND

1 DD: LEARY
1 PGCG: DUANE
1 AD: MELVILLE
1 AF: URANUS
1 AO: SAKILO
1 AK: ARIES
1 AVP: BARNEOAT

CLYDE

NEW YORK

TUSCALOOSA

PHILADELPHIA

5 DDs: RODMAN, EMMONS, EDISON, WILKES, SWANSON

LONDONDERRY

4 DDs: WOOLSKY, LUDLOW, NICHOLSON, COLE

SYDNEY

1 DD: BRISTOL

CASCO BAY

MASSACHUSETTS

3 DDs: MURPHY, RADFORD, KNIGHT

1 SS: O-7 (operating at sea daily through 4 September)

PORTSMOUTH

1 SS: avail: S-20

BOSTON

4 DDs: TILLMAN; avail: BADGER, COWIE, BUCK

NEWPORT

1 DD: STRONG

1 SS: HERRING

NEW LONDON

1 DD: QUICK (may be at Casco Bay)

18 SSs: O-2, 6, 8, 10, R-5, S-16, 17, 21, 48, MACKEREL, SHAD, BLACKFISH
BARR, GUNNEL; avail: O-3, 4, R-1, MARLIN

NEW YORK

MEMPHIS - ready 2 November

MARBLEHEAD - ready 1 October

WICHITA - ready 5 September

7 DDs: SIMPSON, DICKERSON, MACOMB, BROOME, ROPER; avail: BAILEY, HAMBLETON

PHILADELPHIA

CLEVELAND - availability

1 DD: BLAKELEY - ready 12 September

BERMUDA

1 SS: R-6, 7, 9, 15.

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NORFOLK

AUGUSTA

INDIANA

TEXAS

RANGER

SAVANNAH - ready 12 September

CLEVELAND

CHARGER

8 DDs: ELLIS, O'BANNON, ELLYSON, FORREST, FITCH, HOBSON, FLETCHER,
O'BANNON

CHARLESTON

2 DDs: avail: BEATTY, MOFFETT

KEY WEST

4 DDs: DAHLGREN, LEA, HERBERT, NOA.

7 SSs: R-2, 10, 11, 13, 14, 20; avail: R-4.

NEW ORLEANS

1 DD: MERVINE

HALVESTON

2 DDs: LIVERMORE, KEARNY, EBERLE, ERICSSON

COCO SOLO

2 DDs: BARRY, DALLAS, BORIE (less BARRY or BORIE)

4 SSs: S-11, 12, 13, avail: BASS

QUANTANARO

3 DDs: CHEVALIER, JENKINS, UPSHUR

1 SS: R-12

SAN JUAN

1 DD: GREER

ST. THOMAS

1 SS: R-16

TRINIDAD

2 DDs: BIDDLE, BARNEY

1 SS: R-18

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DETROIT escorting convoy 213 (3 NVs, 1 AE, 1 AK, 1 APV) left San Diego 1 September for South Pacific area.

COPANKE, COGHLAN, CALDWELL left Seattle 30 August, due San Francisco 2 September.

DUNLAP, FANNING escorting convoy 2119 (1 AF) left San Francisco 1 September, due Pearl Harbor 2 September.

McCALLA, BANCROFT left Canal Zone 26 August, due San Diego 3 September.

RICHMOND, WARRINGTON patrolling off coast of NW South America.

WALKE escorting 1 AO left San Pedro 27 August, due Noumea 12 September.

BARRACUDA and BONITA patrolling north of Galapagos Islands.

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SEATTLE

TENNESSEE

NEVADA - ready 1 October

1 DD: KING

SAN FRANCISCO

CHESTER

8 DDs: CROSEY, BULMEER, PARROTT, WOODWORTH; avail: J.D. EDWARDS, J.D. FORD, BARKER, PAUL JONES

5 SSs: WHALE; avail: TARPON, PIKE, PORPOISE, STINGRAY

SAN PEDRO

1 DD: KENNISON

SAN DIEGO

3 DDs: RATHBURN, FRAZIER, KILTY

2 SSs: 8-18, 35

GULF OF DULCE

2 SSs: 8-14, 15.

BALENA

CONCORD

2 DDs: SAMPSON, McDOUGAL

TALARA

TRENTON

NORTH PACIFIC

INDIANAPOLIS, LOUISVILLE, ST. LOUIS, NASHVILLE, HONOLULU, GRIDLEY, KANE, McCALL, CASE, REID, BROOKS, FOX, GILMER, TALBOT, DENT, SANDS, LAWRENCE, CRANE, 3 AKs, 1 AVP in Adak - Atha area.

HUMPHREYS left Dutch Harbor 25 August, due Seattle 5 September.

WATERS escorting 1 USAT left Seattle 27 August, due Dutch Harbor 3 Sept.

S-23, 28, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, GRUNION TRITON, HALIBUT, TUNA, GATO in Aleutian - Alaskan area.

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GOLD RAY (cont'd)

1 AP: BRIDGE
1 DMS: WASHMUTH
1 PGCG: WEMENHA

DUTCH HARBOR

2 AOs: TIPPECANOE, CUYAMA
1 PG: CHARLESTON
1 AT: ORIOLE
1 AVP: AVOCET

KODIAK

1 DD: HATFIELD
1 DMS: ELLIOT
1 AD: BLACKHAWK
2 AVDs: HULBERT, THORNTON
1 AK: SPICA
1 AO: RAMAPO
3 APs: J.F. BELL, HEYWOOD, CHAUMONT
1 AT: MAHOPAC

JUNEAU

1 AK: MENDOCINO

HOME

1 DMS: PERRY

CENTRAL PACIFIC

RALEIGH, RALPH TALBOT escorting 1 AP left Samoa 27 August, due Pearl 2 September.

WHIPPLE, ALDEN (TG 15.8) escorting convoy PE 4195 (14 MVs) left Pearl 31 August, due San Francisco 8 September.

PERKINS left Auckland 15 August, due Pearl 2 September.

NARWHAL, CUTTLEFISH, POMPANO, GRAYLING, GREENLING, DRUM, FLYINGFISH, HADDOCK, GROWLER, SILVERSIDES, GUARDFISH, ALBACORE, GROUPER on offensive patrol.

TROUT, TAMBOR left Pearl various dates for offensive patrol enroute Fremantle.

PERMIT, PICKEREL on offensive patrol enroute Pearl from Fremantle.

IN PORT

PEARL HARBOR

PENNSYLVANIA

MISSISSIPPI

COLORADO

NEW MEXICO

MARYLAND

IDaho

WEST VIRGINIA - availability

CALIFORNIA - availability

13 Dds: SMITH, DRAYTON, MAHAN, CUSHING, PRESTON, PORTER, LAMSON, MONAGHAN, LITCHFIELD, CONYNGHAM, CRAVEN, SHAW, ALLEN.

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PEARL HARBOR (cont'd)

3 Dds: SCHLEY, CREW, WARD - Hawseafren.
10 Ss: PLUNKER, ANCHAUT, NAUTILUS, POLLACK, WAHOO, DOLPHIN, TRIGGER,/
CACHALOT, AMBERJACK; avail: FINBACK

MIDWAY

1 A: FULTON
1 PY: CRYSTAL

SOUTH PACIFIC

WASHINGTON, NICHOLAS, BARTON, MEADE left Canal Zone 29 August, due
Tongatabu 12 September.

SOUTH DAKOTA, JUNEAU, DUNCAN, LANSDOWNE, LARDNER (TG 2.9) left Canal
Zone 21 August enroute South Pacific, due Tongatabu 3 September.

LONG ISLAND, AYLWIN left Espiritu Santo 1 September, due San Diego
19 September.

SARATOGA, MINNEAPOLIS, NEW ORLEANS, ATLANTA, PHELPS, McDONOUGH, FARRAGUT,
WORDEN, DEWEY, GRAYSON (TF 11) enroute to Tongatabu.

ENTERPRISE, SAN JUAN, MAURY, BALCH, CUMMINGS, FLUSSER (TF 16) left TF 61
on 25 August, enroute Pearl.

NORTH CAROLINA, HORNET, NORTHAMPTON, PENSACOLA, SAN DIEGO, PHOENIX,
PATTERSON, BAGLEY, BENHAM, RUSSELL, O'BRIEN, HUGHES, ANDERSON, ELLET,
MORRIS, MUSTIN (TF 17) due Noumea 2 September.

WASP, WUINCY, VINCENNES, SAN FRANCISCO, BOISE, LANG, SEERRETT, WILSON,
STACK, BUCHANAN, PARENHOLT, AARON WARD, LAFFEY (TF 18) enroute Noumea.

ASTORIA, SALT LAKE CITY, PORTLAND, GWIN, MONSSEN, HULL, CLARK (unassigned)

IN PORT

BORABORA

1 AT: TERN

SAMOA

1 AD: CAMANGA
1 AK: MERCURY
1 AO: SABINE
2 ATs: TURKEY, KINGFISHER

HALLIS ISLAND

CAP DES PALMES

TONGATABU

2 Dms: TPEVER, ZANE
1 AD: WHITNEY
1 AH: SOLACE
1 AK: ANTARES
2 ATs: NAVAJO, SEMINOLE
1 AF: ARCTIC
1 AR: VESTAL

SHIVA

LEANDER

1 AD: MERIDITH

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- 1 AP: ZEILIN
- 1 AO: CIMARRON
- 1 AVD: BALLARD

ESPIRITU SANTO

HELONA

- 1 DD: DALE
- 2 DMS: TRACY, GAMBLE
- 1 AO: KANAWHA
- 1 AP: HENDERSON
- 2 APDs: MANLEY, STRINGHAM

GUADALCANAL - TULAGI AREA

- 2 Ds: HENLEY, HELM
- 1 APDs: GREGORY, LITTLE
- 1 AK: BETHLOHUSE

SEATE

- 1 AP: BURROWS

NOUMEA

ACHILLE

- 1 AK: RAINIER
- 2 APs: ALDERBARAN, RONNER
- 1 AO: ARGONNE
- 1 AO: KASKASKIA
- 1 DMS: HOPKINS

AUCKLAND

NOUMAI

- 2 DMS: SOUTHARD, HOVEY
- 1 AP: TALAMANCA
- 1 AR: RIGEL

WELLINGTON

- 1 AK: ALCHIBA
- 1 AP: FULLER

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC

AUSTRALIA, HOBART, SELFRIDGE (TF 44) due Brisbane about 4 September.

GUDGEON, GRENADIER on offensive patrol enroute Pearl to Fremantle.

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PORT MORESBY

- 1 DD: ARUNTA

BRISBANE

- 20 BSs: 8-37, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47.
- 1 AS: GRIFFIN
- 1 PG: TULSA

SYDNEY

CHICAGO

WESTRALIA (XCL)

- 3 DDs: MUGFORD, STUART; repairing: LE TRIOMPHANT
- 1 PG: CHEVREUIL
- 1 AF: MIZAR
- 1 AD: DOBBIN
- 1 AO: repairing: VICTORIA

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1 DD: repairing: ~~ENDURANCE~~ VENDETTA

1 AG: GOLD STAR

ALBANY

1 AS: PELIAS

FREMANTLE

KANIMBLA (XCL)

MANOORA (XCL)

TROMP

19 SS: SALMON, SEAL, SKIPJACK, SHAPPER, STURGEON, SARGO, SAURY,
SPEARFISH, SCULPIN, SAILFISH, SWORDFISH, SEADRAGON, SEARAVEN,
SEAWOLF, TAUTOG, THRESHER, GAR, GRAYBACK, GRAMPUS less some
on patrol and others at Albany.

1 PY: ISABEL

1 AS: HOLLAND

1 AVD: WM. B. PRESTON

1 AG: TRINITY

2 AMs: LARK, WHIPOORWILL

EXMOUTH GULF

1 AVF: HERON

1 AVD: CHILDS

DARWIN

1 DD: VOYAGER

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~~S. WYOMOUTH~~
~~QUONSET~~

10 VP (of 73)
6 VP (of 93)
15 VP (11 of 84, 4 of 93)
4 VOS (of 111)
27 VJ, 5 VOS (of G.G.)
20 VOS (of 111)
21 ZNP (of 1P 11)
213 VOS (of 111)
4 VP (3 of 112, 1 of RAF 53)
25 VP (of 82)
17 VTB (of VG 4) - shore based from RANGER
16 VSB (of VS 42) - shore based from RANGER
21 VOS (of 113) - 2 VP, 3 VJ (of G.G.) - 2 VJ (of N.A.S.)
27 ZNP (of 1P 12)
215 VOS (of VS 114)
10 VP (1 of 52, 2 of 92, 3 of 31, 1 of 73, 3 of TTS4)
214 VP (5 of 82, 9 of 74)
36 VSB (of AGTO)
24 VP (7 of AGTO, 10 of VOF 26, 11 of 27, 10 of 28, 10 of 29, 6 of 30)
29 VTB (8 of VOS 26, 7 of 27, 7 of 28, 7 of 29)
19 VOS (3 of AGTO, 16 of VOS 30)
21 VOS (18 of 115, 3 of 215)
2 VP, 4 VJ, 7 VOS (of G.G.)
21 ZNP (of 1P 14)
215 VOS (of 215)
21 VP (of 82)
4 VP (of 94)
7 VP (of 52)
18 VOS (9 of 211, 9 of 514)
26 VP (of TTS4)
215 VOS (of 117)
26 VP (of 94)
23 VJ, 12 VOS (of G.G.)
23 VJ, 4 VOS (of G.G.)
21 VP (9 of 81, 2 of 53) - 6 VOS (of G.G.)
4 VJ, 6 VOS (of G.G.)
212 VOS (of 217)
23 VP (of 53)
22 VP (of 92)
219 VP (8 of 92, 11 of 32) - 8 VOS (of 1110)
26 VP (of 34)
25 VP (2 of 31, 1 of 92, 1 of VJ 4, 1 of RAF 53)
211 VOS (8 of 1110, 3 of VJ 3) - 1 VJ (of VJ 3)
214 VOS (of VJ 3)
216 VP (4 of 31, 12 of RAF 53) 5 VOS (of 1110)
11 VP (of 83) (1 section based at Ascension Island)
4 VP (of RAF 53)
216 VP (9 of 33, 6 of 34, 1 of Comptwing 3) - 13 VOS (of 1115) - 2 of which are at Almirante Bay.
21 VOS (of U.S.S. HIR)
2 VP (1 of 52, 1 of 81)
22 VP (of 33)

~~NEW YORK~~
~~LAKEHURST~~
~~CAPE MAY~~
~~NORFOLK~~

~~ELIZ. CITY~~

~~CHERRY POINT~~

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~~MIAMI~~

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~~SAN JULIAN~~

~~GRAND CAYMAN~~

~~CAMAQUY~~

~~QUANTANARO~~

~~PORTLAND BIGHT~~

~~SAN JUAN~~

~~ST. THOMAS~~

~~TRINIDAD~~

~~NATAL~~

~~PARAMARIBO~~

~~COCO SOLO~~

~~PUERTO CASTILLO~~

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27 VP (17 of VP 9, 20 of VP 11) embarked RANGER
21 VOS (of VS 41) - embarked RANGER

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SAN DIEGO

#10 VSB (of ACTO)
#8 VF (of ACTO)
#5 VTB (of ACTO)
#8 VP (of TTSP)
5 VP (of TTSP)
#1 VP, 2 VJ (of G.O.)
#7 VSB (12 of VMSB 131, 2 of 132, 1 of 243, 1 of 244, 1 of FMAW, 15 of
VB 11, 14 of VS 11)
7 VF (5 of VMF 112, 2 of VOS 1)
14 VOS (2 of MAO 11, 12 of VOS 1)

SAN PEDRO
SUNNYVALE
ALAMEDA

#10 VOS (of 1D11)
#2 HNP (of 2P 32)
#12 VOS (of 1D12)
1 VF (of VF 12)
1 VSB (of VB 12)
7 VTB (of VT 12)

PORT ANGELES
SEATTLE

#5 VJ (of G.O.)
#6 VF (of VOS 12)
8 VTB (of VOS 12)
31 VF (6 of VOS 9, 7 of 11, 6 of 13, 6 of 16, 6 of 20)
18 VP (8 of 42, 10 of 61)

ALASKAN AREA
KODIAK
DUTCH HARBOR
SEAWAY

43 VP (12 of 41, 5 of 42, 11 of 43, 8 of 51, 7 of 62)
10 VOS (5 of 1D13, 6 of 6D14)
5 VF (of VOS 12)
60 VP (1 of 11, 7 of 12, 6 of 14, 8 of 24, 12 of 44, 4 of 51, 8 of 71,
3 of 73, 11 of 91)

PALMYRA
MIDWAY

51 VF (11 of VF 3, 6 of VMF 214, 10 of 222, 24 of 221)
30 VSB (18 of VS 6, 4 of VMSB 233, 8 of 234)
#15 VOS (of 3D14)
#12 VF (of VMF 211)
#20 VSB (of VMSB 241)
6 VP (of 12)

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29 VF (of VF 71) - embarked WASP
30 VSB (15 of VS 71, 15 of VS 72) - embarked WASP
10 VTB (of VT 7) - embarked WASP
36 VP (of VF 5) - embarked SARATOGA
36 VSB (18 of VS 3, 18 of VB 3) - embarked SARATOGA
16 VTB (of VT 8) - embarked SARATOGA
6 VP (of VF 6) - embarked ENTERPRISE
6 VSB - embarked ENTERPRISE
36 VP (of VF 72) - embarked HORNET
32 VSB (16 of VS 8, 16 of VB 8) - embarked HORNET
16 VTB (of VT 6) - embarked HORNET

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FOUOATABU
BORABORA
SAMOA

7 VOS (of 4014)
8 VOS (of 2014)
6 VOS, 2 VJ (of 1014)
20 VMF (of VMF 111)
17 VMSB (of VMO 151)
16 VMF (of VMF 212)
14 VSB (of VS 6)(?)
3 VTB (of VT 3)(?)
6 VOS (of 5014)
2 VOS (of 5014)

EFATE

ESPIRITU SANTO
GUADALCANAL

9 VMSB (of VMSB 232)
30 VMF (11 of VMF 223, 19 of 224)
8 VSB (of VS 5)
37 VP (12 of 11, 4 of 14, 15 of 23, 1 of 71, 5 of 72)
6 VP (spares for VMF 212 and VMO 251)
12 VMSB (of VMSB 231)
15 VMF (of VMO 251)

SOPAC AREA

NOUMEA

ENROUTE

6 XI VMF (of VMF 121) (Last report on 8/17 indicates 6 operating 14 on hand)
11 VMSB (of VMSB 141) (Last report on 8/17 indicates 11 operating 16 on hand).

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC

PREMANTLE

16 VP (of 101)

Carrier Replacement Group 10 at Pearl - Last report from Ginopac on 8/18 indicates no aircraft in this group on that date.

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