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NAVAL MESSAGE

NAVY. DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER

EXTENSION NUMBER

ADDRESSEES

033 K/C

PRECEDENCE

FROM COM 10

FOR ACTION

OPNAV

PRIORITY

RELEASED BY

ROUTINE

DATE 26 JANUARY 1942

DEFERRED
DDDDDD

TOR CODEROM 0204

INFORMATION

COMINCH
CINCAF

PRIORITY

DECODED BY KALAIDJIAN

ROUTINE

PARAPHRASED BY GRAYDON

DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

251545 CR0626

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME

DATE

TIME

GCT

TEXT

PT-41 TORPEDOED SHIP ABOUT 5,000 TONS OFF SUBIC BAY LAST NIGHT IN
SPITE OF HEAVY FIRE SEVERAL SHORE BATTERIES MACHINE GUN FIRE FROM SHIP

AND IMPROVISED NET OR BOOM DEFENSE. NO CASUALTIES. ENSIGN GEORGE
COX COMMANDING OFFICER. ALSO PRESENT LIEUTENANT BULKLEY SQUADRON

COMMANDER AND LIEUTENANT DELONG SQUADRON ENGINEER. MARIVELES
BOMBED YESTERDAY SLIGHT MATERIAL DAMAGE NOT PERSONNEL CASUALTIES.

NAVAL BATTALION MARIVELES CONTINUED ENGAGE JAP RAIDING PARTY. TOTAL
CASUALTIES ONE OFFICER TWO MEN WOUNDED FOUR MEN KILLED.

DISTRIBUTION:

ACTION.....38

RECOP.....COMINCH.....12.....F1.....16.....38W.....OPDO

FILES:P1A.....00.....20P.....00R.....WAR DIARY

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAYER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM COM 16	FOR ACTION	CINCAF	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 19 JAN 42	INFORMATION	OPNAV - COM 14	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROM 1435/19			NITE
DECODED BY THOMPSON			PRIORITY
PARAPHRASED BY GLTICKER			ROUTINE
			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

191159 CR 0585

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

NUMBER 31 AND 34 MOTOR TORPEDO BOATS, CONDUCTED A NIGHT SEARCH AND ATTACK ON ENEMY VESSELS REPORTED OFF SUBIC BAY. NUMBER 34 SUCCESSFULLY ENTERED BIRANGA BAY UNDER FIRE MACHINE GUN AND 3 INCH SHORE BATTERY, TORPEDOED 1 VESSEL UNIDENTIFIED TYPE OF A-BOUT 5,000 TONS. NUMBER 31 FAILED TO RETURN AS YET. LIEUT. JOHN D. BUCKELEY COMMENDED FOR SKILLFUL EXECUTION OF DIFFICULT MISSION.

38....COG.

RECORD COPY TO 38W...COMINCH...12...16...13...

FILES...CNO...WARDIARY...OPR...SECNAV...PIA...OP-20...FILE...

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AGE		NAVY DEPARTMENT	
EXTENSION NUMBER		ADDRESSES ¹⁰³ 73% K/C	
FROM <u>COM 10</u>	FOR ACTION	SECNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE RRRRR DEFERRED
DATE <u>26 JANUARY 1942</u>	INFORMATION	CINCAF OPNAV BUNAV COM 14	PRIORITY
TOR CODEROM <u>2906</u>			ROUTINE
DECODED BY <u>HEINE</u>			DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY <u>GRAYDON</u>			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

260550 CR067B

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

MY 221550. DIARY JAP PRISONER RECORDS SEEING WHITE CAPTIVE SAID TO BE LIEUT (JG) USN MOON JANUARY 21ST. MAY BE ENSIGN W.H. PLANT, USNR, MISSING IN ACTION SINCE JANUARY 16TH FROM PT-31. NO OTHER NAVAL OFFICER MISSING THIS AREA. NOW WORD OF TWO ENLISTED MEN MISSING FROM SAME BOAT.

DISTRIBUTION:

ACTION.....COMINCH

RECOP.....12.....30.....16.....BUNAV.....20K.....OPDO

FILES: CHO.....200P.....⁷⁴⁴P1A.....SECNAV.....¹⁰³BR.....WAR DIARY.....

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER		EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESS	PRECEDENCE
FROM	ADMINOFF CINCAF	FOR ACTION	COMINCH OPNAV	PPPPR PRIORITY
RELEASED BY				ROUTINE
DATE	24 JANUARY 1942.	INFORMATION	***** CINCPAC CINCAF	DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM	1430			PPPPR PRIORITY
DECODED BY	J ALLEN			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY	GERMAN			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

241156 CR 0824

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT

TEXT

COMDESDIV 59 TALBOT IN JOHN D FORD WITH PARROTT POPE AND PAUL JONES IN NIGHT ATTACK ONE ENEMY CONVOY OFF BALIKPAPAN MADE 5 OR 6 TORPEDO HITS ALSO CLOSE RANGE GUN HITS ON DESTROYERS AND TRANSPORTS X ONE LARGE SHIP BLEW UP ANOTHER SANK AND ONE WAS SLEN LISTING HEAVILY X VISIBILITY LOW X FORD HIT BY ONE SHELL FOUR WOUNDED ONE SERIOUSLY NO OTHER CASUALTIES

DISTRIBUTION:

COMINCH.....ACTION

REC COPY..38W....38....12....16....20K....WAR DIARY,...

OPR....SECNAV....CNO....PIA....OP 20....FILE.....

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM <u>ALUSNA LONDON</u>	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			RR
DATE <u>JAN 30 1942</u>	INFORMATION		ROUTINE
FOR CODER ROOM <u>1056</u>			DEFERRED
DECODED BY <u>AMES</u>			
PARAPHRASED BY <u>WORD</u>			PRIORITY
			ROUTINE
			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

321539 NCR0760

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME DATE TIME OCT

TEXT

DAILY SERIAL NUMBER 30.

FLORENCE LUCKENBACH TORPEDGED AT 0430 YESTERDAY (AMERICAN SHIP)
 POSITION THIRTY MILES OFF MADRAS.

MARPA (BRITISH) BOMBED AND SET ON FIRE JAN 27TH POSITION MAIN
 SINGAPORE STRAIT.

NO ACTIVITY KING GEORGE 40 YESTERDAY.

TIRPITZ AT TRONDHEIM AT 1330 YESTERDAY AT HEAD OF AASFJORD.

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16.....ACTION

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16/11.....12.....13.....37.....39.....COMINCH.....DOO.....

FILES: 200P.....P1A.....00R.....SECNAV.....GENL.~~CONFIDENTIAL~~

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NAVY DEPARTMENT

DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM ADMIN OFF CINCAF	FOR ACTION	COMINCH	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE RRRRRR DEFERRED
DATE 15 JAN 42	INFORMATION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
TOR CODEROOM 1206/15			ROUTINE
DECODED BY BELL			DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY QLTUCKER			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

141410 CR 0774

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME DATE TIME GCT
TEXT

IN ADDITION TO THOSE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED, 2 LARGE CARGO SHIPS, 2 LARGE AND 1 MEDIUM TRANSPORT WERE SUNK.

(Evidently sunk by subs of our Asiatic Fleet.)

16.....ACT.

RECORD COPY....12....38W....36....COMINCH....OPDO....

FILES...WARDIARY...SENAV...PIA...OP-20....FILE.

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM ALUSNA CA 120	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE RRR
DATE 14 JANUARY 1942	INFORMATION		DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM			PRIORITY
DECODED BY SMITH			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY KNOWLTON			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

131220 CR0511

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

THE LOSS OF AXIS MERCHANT SHIPPING IN THE ENTIRE MEDITERRANEAN FOR DECEMBER: 53,000 TONS SUNK, 45,000 TONS DAMAGED.

TRAFFIC BETWEEN ITALY, GREECE, CRETE, AND LIBYA FOR DECEMBER: STARTING TONNAGE 56,000, OF WHICH 35% SUNK. ABOVE DOES NOT INCLUDE SUPPLIES CARRIED BY CRUISERS OR DESTROYERS. ROYAL NAVY REPORTS CONVOYS TO LIBYA ESPECIALLY HEAVILY ESCORTED DURING MONTH.

16...ACT.**RECORD COPIES: 12...NAVAID...30...30...COMINCH****FILES: SECNAV...CNO...200P...****131220 CR0511**DECLASSIFIED
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FROM <u>CINCRAC</u>	FOR ACTION	COMINCH	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY _____			ROUTINE DEFERRED
DATE <u>14 JAN. 1942</u>	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
TOR CODER ROOM <u>654/14</u>			ROUTINE
DECODED BY <u>J ALLEN</u>			DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY <u>GLUNT</u>			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

140411 CR 0451A

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

POMPANO REPORTS SINKING OFF WOTJE LARGE SHIP OF KARNAKURA OR YAWATA CLASS.

DISTRIBUTION:

COMINCH....ACTION

RECORD COPY...12...38...38W...16...NAVAIDE

FILES...CNO...20 OP...WAR DIARY...P1A...SECHAV...

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM		13545	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY		COMINCH	ROUTINE DEFERRED
DATE			PRIORITY
TOR CODEROOM			ROUTINE
DECODED BY		CINCPAC	DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY			

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME DATE TIME GCT

TEXT

SWORDFISH ARRIVED SURABAYA TODAY. HAD BEEN OUT MOST OF TIME
SINCE 8 DECEMBER. HER TOTAL BAG 3 FREIGHTERS ABOUT 10,000 TONS
EACH AND 1 TRANSPORT. THOSE RESULTS APPEAR IN PART IN ONE PREVIOUS
REPORT. LT COMDR CC SMITH COMMANDS.

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RECORD COPY: COMINCH....38W....16....12....OPDO....

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FROM COM 15	FOR ACTION	COMINCH	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE
DATE 6 JANUARY 1942	INFORMATION	OPNAV	DEFERRED DDDDDDDD
TOR CODEROOM 0126/6			PRIORITY
DECODED BY MELVIN			ROUTINE DDDDDDDD
PARAPHRASED BY V TUCKER			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

052047 CR093

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

THE MS MARCONI MY 041720 HAS BEEN RELEASED OWNER HAVING
SHOWN PANAMANIAN CITIZENSHIP.

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00A....03....10/11....12....13....16....38....38S....P1A....

200P....WAR DIARY,...SECNAV....FILE....

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM <u>ALUSNA CAIRO</u>	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE RRR
DATE <u>5 JANUARY 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODER ROOM <u>0350</u>	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY <u>OLSON</u>			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY <u>C ALLEN</u>			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

052345 CR 0603

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

IT IS ESTIMATED BY THE ROYAL NAVY THAT 37,000 TONS OF SHIPPING ARRIVED TRIPOLI FROM ITALY OR GREECE IN DECEMBER. 40,500 TONS AXIS SHIPPING SUNK IN MEDITERRANEAN BETWEEN DECEMBER 8TH AND 21ST.

ACTION: 16.....

RECORD COPY: 12.....13.....38.....COMINCH.....NAVAIDE.....OPDO.....

FILES: CNO.....WAR DIARY.....20P.....P1A.....

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DRAFTER	EXTENSION NUMBER	ADDRESSEES	PRECEDENCE
FROM COMFIFTEEN	FOR ACTION	COMINCH	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE DEFERRED RRRR
DATE 4 JANUARY 1942	INFORMATION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
TOR CODEROOM 1843/4			ROUTINE DEFERRED RRRR
DECODED BY PORTER			
PARAPHRASED BY SLADE			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

041720 CR 0643

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
TEXT			

M S MARCONI PANAMANIAN FLAG CAPTURED AND BROUGHT CRISTOBAL.
REPORTED ITALIAN OWNERSHIP. TURNED OVER TO COURTS FOR
ADJUDICATION.

COMINCH...ACTION

04A...03...10/11...12...13...16...38...38S...0PDD...

PIA...20-OP...WAR DIARY...NAVAIDE...

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FROM <u>ALUSNA CAIRO</u>	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY			ROUTINE <u>RRR</u>
DATE <u>5 JANUARY 1942</u>			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM <u>0350</u>	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DECODED BY <u>OLSON</u>			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY <u>C ALLEN</u>			DEFERRED

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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ORIGINATOR FILL IN DATE AND TIME	DATE	TIME	GCT
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TEXT

IT IS ESTIMATED BY THE ROYAL NAVY THAT 37,000 TONS OF SHIPPING ARRIVED TRIPOLI FROM ITALY OR GREECE IN DECEMBER. 48,500 TONS. AXIS SHIPPING SUNK IN MEDITERRANEAN BETWEEN DECEMBER 8TH AND 21ST.

ACTION: 16.....

RECORD COPY: 12.....13.....38..... GOMINCH..... NAVAIDE ✓ OPDO

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FROM CINCAC	FOR ACTION	OPNAV CINCAC	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY OPNAV			ROUTINE DEFERRED
DATE 21 DEC 45	FOR INFORMATION	COMTASKFOR 5 (PAC)	PRIORITY
TOR CODEROOM 12 DECEMBER 1945			ROUTINE
DECODED BY RUEN			DEFERRED
PARAPHRASED BY G. TUCKER			

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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250815 CR 8945

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TEXT			

TOOK OVER MARECHAL JOFFRE, COMPLYING WITH YOUR 122335, REMOVED PART OF PERSONNEL. SHE CONTAINED VERY LITTLE CARGO, SINCE SHIP IS VALUABLE AND ENDANGERED BY BOMB ATTACKS HERE. HAVE SAILED HER UNDER OUR OFFICERS WITH A STRONG GUARD FOR A SAFE SOUTHERN PORT TO BE SELECTED BY COMTASKFOR 5 (PAC). ONLY OTHER VESSEL IS FREIGHTER SIGIAYG, WHICH WE HAVE IN CUSTODY BY ERROR BUT NO PRESENT INTENTION OF MOVING HER. SHE HAS A FULL CARGO WHICH IS BEING DISCHARGED AT MARIVELES AT THE REQUEST OF THE ARMY AND AUTHORIZED BY THE HIGH COMMISSIONER.

*Manila Bay, opposite Corregidor*DISTRIBUTION
11. CONTACT.

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Operations reports 'Believed to be the "SIKIANG", 7014 tons, French freighter.

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PHONE EXTENSION NUMBER

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MESSAGE
PRECEDENCEFROM **OPNAV****CINCAF****PPPPPPPP**RELEASED BY **INGERSOLL**

ROUTINE

DEFERRED

DATE **13 DECEMBER 1941**

TOR CODEROOM

PRIORITY

DE/CODED BY **TIERS**

ROUTINE

DEFERRED

PARAPHRASED BY **REISS**

INDICATE BY ASTERISK ADDRESSEES FOR WHICH MAIL DELIVERY IS SATISFACTORY.

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**FRENCH SHIPS IN UNITED STATES PORTS HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO
PROTECTIVE CUSTODY. YOU ARE AUTHORIZED TO TAKE SIMILAR
ACTION AT YOUR DISCRETION,**

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FROM	OPNAV	COMS 1,3,4,5,6,7,8, 10,11,12,13,14,15,	PRIORITY PPPPP
RELEASED BY	R E SCHURMAN		ROUTINE
DATE	13 DECEMBER 1941		DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM		CLERK, FANTA BUREAU (USA)	PRIORITY
DE/CODED BY	GRAYDON		ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY	REISS		DEFERRED

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CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS HAS DIRECTED COMMANDANT OF THE
COAST GUARD TO REMOVE THE CREWS FROM ALL FRENCH MERCHANT
SHIPS IN UNITED STATES WATS FOR THE SAFETY OF THE CREWS AND THE
VESSELS EXCEPT THE BAHREIN NOW AT ST THOMAS.

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PHONE EXTENSION NUMBER

ADDRESSEES

MESSAGE
PRECEDENCEFROM **COM 15****OPNAV**PRIORITY **PPPP**

RELEASED BY

ROUTINE

DATE **13 DEC 1941**

DEFERRED

TOR CODEROOM

DE/CODED BY **GRAYDON****COMDGEN PANAMA
CANAL DEPT (USA)**PRIORITY **PPPP**

ROUTINE

PARAPHRASED BY **BLADE**

DEFERRED

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131515 OR 0850

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**FRENCH SHIPS NEMOURS AND INDIANA NOW IN CUSTODY OF ARMY.
YOUR 121845 COMPLETED.**

13....ACTION**10/11....16....38....12....NAVAIDE....****FILES; 29-OP....FILE.**

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NAVAL MESSAGE

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PHONE EXTENSION NUMBER		ADDRESSEES		MESSAGE PRECEDENCE
FROM	ALUSNA MEXICOE CITY	FOR ACTION	OPNAV	PRIORITY
RELEASED BY				R RRRRR
DATE	12 DEC 41			DEFERRED
TOR CODEROOM	0550/12TH	INFORMATION		PRIORITY
DE/CODED BY	BUSH			ROUTINE
PARAPHRASED BY	GLTUCKER			DEFERRED

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CONSUL LAPAZ REPORTS JAPANESE FISHING VESSELS YOSHINO AND
RYONO TAKEN OVER BY THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT ON DECEMBER 9TH
AT CAPE SANLUCAS. BOATS TAKEN TO SAN JOSE DELCABO. CREWS
BEING BROUGHT TO LAPAZ, FOR INTERNMENT.

16.....ACT.

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