



DECK LOG BOOK

OF THE

U.S.S. THOMASTON

LSD 28

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER

Attached to { Amphibious Squadron ONE Division,
Squadron,
Flotilla,
Seventh Fleet,
Naval District,

Commencing -8H Monday 1 December, 19 69 ,
(zone time and date)

at Anchorage C-10; Subic Bay, P. I.,
(location)

and ending -8H Wednesday 31 December, 19 69 ,
(zone time and date)

at 16-27.0 N 108-31.0 E
(location)

Approved by: R. G. Thomson, Jr. Commanding

R. G. THOMSON, JR. CAPTAIN, U. S. NAVY

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMSTON LSD 28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE MONDAY 1 DEC. 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM LOCAL OP-AREA OFF SUBIC BAY, P.I.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>ANCHOR</u>	<u>SUBIC</u>	BY <u>BY</u>
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L		BY
λ		BY

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L		BY
λ		BY

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

06-04 UNDERWAY STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 76.5 IN LOCAL OP-AREA C2 SUBIC BAY REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES OTC AND SOPA IS COMPHIRON ONE EMBARKED ON THE FLAGSHIP USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) STATUS OF THE PLANT: NUMBER ONE BOILER NUMBER ONE AND TWO GENERATORS ON THE LINE PLANT IS CROSS CONNECTED ELECTRICAL LOAD IS PARALLEL SHIP IS DARKENED MATERIAL CONDITION YOKB SET CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR NO GUNS MANNED 5MCON NONE. PRESENT COURSE 136° PGC SPEED FIVE KNOTS STEAMING IN FORMATION ONE WE ARE THE GUIDE IN STATION ONE 0604 SHIFTED STEERING CONTROL TO THE STARBOARD UNIT 0100 % TO 045 PGC 0116 % TO 301 PGC 0135 % TO 316 PGC 0212 % TO 225° PGC % TO 226° PGC 0242 % TO 316 PGC

R. Harris
R. HARRIS, CWO2, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0420 C/C 086° PGC 0511 % 0421 PGC % 10 KTS 0538 SHIFTED STEERING CONTROL TO PORT UNIT 0618 SET THE BALLAST DETAIL 0625 % 11 KTS 0637 SET THE NAVIGATIONAL DETAIL 0708 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO STAND INTO OLONGAPO HARBOR, SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES FOR SPECIAL OPERATIONS 0716 SET CONDITION 1A THROUGHOUT THE SHIP

K.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON, LTJG, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0645 % 016° 0708 % 018° 0710 C/C 019° 0715 % 020° % 021° 0716 SET CONDITION 1A 0719 % 5 KTS 0720 C/C 019° 0722 C/C 017° 0724 A/E STOP C/C 015° 0725 % 010° 0727 C/C 012° 0728 C/C 010° 0735 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND ENGINE MANEUVERING COMBINATIONS WHILE DISPATCHING BORTS OUT OF WELL 0825 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS ABSENTEES NONE. 0841 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE PROCEEDING TO ANCHORAGE C-10 0855 ANCHORED IN ANCHORAGE C-10 SUBIC BAY PHILIPPINES. 0950 WAVE ONE CROSSED LOD 1002 WAVE ONE TOUCHED DOWN 1015 WAVE FOUR TOUCHED DOWN. 1101 COMMENCED OFF LOAD OF SERIAL 130 'D' BATTERY SLF.

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

EXAMINED

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DATE MON 1 DEC 1969
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REMARKS—CONTINUED

12-16 ~~UNDERWAY~~ ^{ANCHORED} AS BEFORE. 1145 LCM-8's #932 AND 916 ARE IN THE WELL. 1200 LCVP-1 DEPARTED FOR FLEET LANDING. 1235 ANCHOR IS AT SHORT STAY. 1236 ALL ENGINES BACK 1/3 TO MOVE 100 YARDS ASTERN. 1245 UNDERWAY BACKING 1/3. 1259 ANCHORED 1000 YARDS ASTERN OF ORIGINAL ANCHORAGE TO GIVE CLEARANCE TO OTHER SHIPPING. USING 100 FATHOMS OF CHAIN TO PORT ANCHOR. 1302 ALL STOP. 1322 LCM 851 AND 864 ENTERING WELL. 1510 YW-103 ALONGSIDE PORT QUARTER.

A. L. Larson

A. L. LARSON, LT, USNR

16-18 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 1556 ANCHOR DETAIL SET. ALL PREPARATIONS FOR GETTING UNDERWAY COMPLETED. 1630 MIKE 8 BOATS AWAY FROM THE SIDE OF THE SHIP. YW-103 AWAY FROM PORT QUARTER. NAVIGATOR ON THE BRIDGE. CAPTAIN ON THE BRIDGE. EXECUTIVE OFFICER HAS THE CONN. PROCEEDING TO ANCHORAGE E-21 SUBIC BAY, PHILIPPINES. 1742 ANCHORED IN ANCHORAGE E-20 VICE E-21 IN 20 FATHOMS OF WATER WITH MUD BOTTOM WITH THE FOLLOWING TERRESTRIAL BEARINGS: CUBI POINT TOWER 143° PGC, RADIO TOWER 043.5 PGC, AND KALAKAN LIGHT 074.5 PGC. ANCHOR LIGHTS ON. 1749 SECURED THE ANCHOR DETAIL AND OOD SHIFTED WATCH TO THE STARBOARD QUARTERDECK. REGULAR IN PORT WATCH SET.

Kim Harkless

KIM HARKLESS, LTJG, USNR

18-20 MOORED AS BEFORE.

A. L. Larson, Jr.

A. L. LARSON, JR. LT, USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE

Charles A. LaBarbera

C. A. LABARBERA LTJG USNR

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USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE TUESDAY 2 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM SUBIC BAY, R.P. TO ANCHORAGE E-21

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04- THE SHIP IS ANCHORED IN ANCHORAGE E-21 SUBIC BAY R.P. 20 FATHOMS OF WATER WITH 80 FATHOMS OF CHAIN AT THE WATERS EDGE. ANCHOR LIGHTS ARE ON. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE UNITS OF THE US PACIFIC FLEET, MERCHANT, HARBOR AND DISTRICT CRAFT CHECKING POSITION BY RADAR EVERY HALF HOUR. SOPA IS.

James R. Henderson CSC USN
JAMES R HENDERSON CSC USN

04-08 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 0700 SET CONDITION X-RAY

R. D. Lane Jr, USN
R. D. LANE, JR, USN

08-12 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: STEPHEN A. EARLY, B74 99 38 SA, USN, VA SINCE 0700 THIS DATE. ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

Calvin E. Crowell RMC USN
CALVIN E CROWELL RMC USN

12-16 1231 started TAKING ON FUEL. 1414 stop TAKING ON FUEL.

J. J. Hall
J. J. HALL
LTJG SC, USNR

16-20 ANCHORED AS BEFORE 1830 A YSD CAME ALONG SIDE AND DELIVERED SOME CRATES FOR "A" DIVISION AND TO PICK UP A DIESEL ENGINE.

Paul J. Weaver
PAUL J. WEAVER EM1 USN

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REMARKS—CONTINUED

20-24 ANCHORED AS BEFORE 2015 YSD-63 DEPARTED PORT SIDE OF THE
SHIP 2045 Y0-264 ALONG PORT SIDE 2100 COMMENCED TAKING ON FUEL
FROM Y0-264 2158 SECURED TAKING ON FUEL 2223 Y0-264 DEPARTED
PORT SIDE OF THE SHIP

C. J. Carrigan-Wilson
CD CARRIGAN WILSON

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USS THOMASTON LSD 28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -YH DATE WEDNESDAY 3 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM SUBIC BAY, P.P. TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

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REMARKS

00-04 ANCHORED IN ANCHORAGE E-21, SUBIC BAY, P.P. IN 20 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM, WITH 80 FATHOMS OF CHAIN AT THE WATERS EDGE. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET AND VARIOUS MERCHANT, HARBOR AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS COMNAVBASE SUBIC.

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG USN

04-08 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. DISPATCHED DUTY M.A.A., WEAVER EN1, TO AFPD HEADQUARTERS, SUBIC, TO RELIEVE DETAINEE, NAME UNKNOWN, AND ESCORT SAID MAN BACK TO SHIP. DUTY M.A.A. DEPARTED SHIP AT 0620. 0736 WEAVER EN1 DUTY M.A.A. RETURNED TO THE SHIP WITH HAYES, A. SN, REPORT CHIT TO FOLLOW.

A.W. Desjardins
A.W. DESJARDINS ED1 USN

08-12 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 0736 DUTY MASTER AT ARMS RETURNED TO SHIP WITH HAYES ARTHUR SN IN CUSTODY. 0810 RECEIVED MORNING MUSTER REPORT THE FOLLOWING WERE REPORTED ABSENT EARLY STEPHEN A. VA SINCE 2400 1 DECEMBER 1969. THE FOLLOWING WERE ABSENT SINCE 2400 2 DECEMBER 1969 MACALAMA ARDOUNSEH B. TN, REYNALDO M. NOCENCIO, STEELE RONALD W. BRANIGAN JOHN W. RUTLEDGE RICHARD G. 0810 SET THE BALLAST DETAIL. 0920 THE FOLLOWING MEN RETURNED ABOARD AFTER BEING VA SINCE 2400 2 DECEMBER 1969 MACALAMA A.B. TN, NOCENCIO REYNALDO M. STEELE RONALD W. PCSN, BRANIGAN JOHN W. FN. 0903 COMMENCED TAKING ON WATER FROM YW-103, 1102 CAST OFF YW-103

R.E. Johnson
R.E. JOHNSON EAC

12-16 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 1345 STATIONED THE BALLASTING DETAIL. 1405 COMMENCED DEBALLASTING. 1502 SECURED FROM DEBALLASTING: DRAFT REPORT 17'6" AFT 17'10" FWD 17'8" MEAN; DISPLACEMENT 11,200 TONS. 1509 SECURED THE BALLAST DETAIL.

K.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

1600-2000 Anchored as before, held fire drill 1630, secured from fire drill 1645.

W.E. Holcomb
W.E. HOLCOMB CMC USN

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A.L. LARSON, JR. U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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20-2400 ANCHORED AS BEFORE

J. J. Mc Dermott
J. J. Mc Dermott CWO USN

EXAMINED:

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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE THURSDAY 4 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM SUBIC BAY, R.P. TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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REMARKS

~~00-04~~ ANCHORED IN ANCHORAGE E-21, SUBIC BAY, R.P. IN 20 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM, WITH 80 FATHOMS OF CHAIN AT THE WATERS EDGE.

SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE US PACIFIC FLEET AND VARIOUS MERCHANT, HARBOR AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS COMNAVBASE SUBIC.

T. E. Edwards

T. E. EDWARDS ET-1 USN

~~04-08~~ ANCHORED AS BEFORE

Roger T. Picquet

ROGER T. PICQUET ENS USN

08-12 ANCHORED AS BEFORE 0745 MUSTER THE CREW AT QUARTERS ONE. NEW ABSENTEES, SANDERS, RONALD D PNSN, 0800 DRAFT REPORT FWD 17'10" Aft 17'10" MEAN 17'10" DISP 14,200 TONS

MMI JAMES E RIDER

MMI J. RIDER USN.

12-16 ANCHORED AS BEFORE

SMI HUGH D. MAJOR

SMI Hugh D Major

16-20 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. @ 1550 SANDERS, RONALD D. PNSN, B211883 RETURNED FROM UNAUTHORIZED ABSENCE SINCE 0600 THURSDAY 4 DECEMBER 1969. @ 1700 LIT FIRES IN #2 BOILER FOR BAKE OUT.

S. J. Baczynski, III SM USNR.

S. J. BACZYNSKI, III ENS USNR

20-24 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

F. J. Rabago

F. J. RABAGO, SH1, USN

EXAMINED

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A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON LSD 28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE FRIDAY 5 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM SUBIC BAY, R.P. TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
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REMARKS

00-04 ANCHORED IN ANCHORAGE E-21, SUBIC BAY, REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES IN 20 FATHOMS OF WATER, MUD BOTTOM WITH 80 FATHOMS OF CHAIN AT THE WATERS EDGE. STATUS OF THE PLANT NUMBER ONE BOILER ON THE LINE. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET AND VARIOUS MERCHANT, HARBOR AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS COMNAVBASE. SUBIC.

W.R. PREECH
W.R. PREECH RDC USN

04-08 ANCHORED AS BEFORE 0620 LCVP-1 AND MK 4 DEPARTED SHIP FOR FLEET LANDING TO PICK UP THE LIBERTY PARTY 0643 OBSERVED SONARISE

Charles A. Labarbera
C.A. LABARBERA ENS USN

08-12 ANCHORED AS BEFORE.

Willis G. Sanderson
WILLIS G. SANDERSON SE1 USN

12-16 ANCHORED AS BEFORE

James R. Henderson
JAMES R. HENDERSON CS1 USN

16-20 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 1721 PURSUANT TO ORDERS OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER, GEAKOS, GARY, C. 0105549, 1ST LT, USMC DEPARTED THE SHIP IN CHARGE OF SEVEN (7) MEN TO REPORT TO SENIOR SHORE PATROL OFFICER SUBIC BAY, RPI FOR TAD.

R.D. Lane
R.D. LANE, ENS, USN

20-24 ANCHORED AS BEFORE

RM Harkless
RM HARKLESS, C756, USN

EXAMINED

A.L. Larson, Jr
A.L. LARSON, JR

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SATURDAY 6 December 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM SUBIC BAY, RP - TO ANCHORAGE E-24

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>14°32.3'N</u>	BY <u>2-3</u>	
λ <u>119-49.7'E</u>	BY <u>2-3</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>14°32.3'N</u>	BY <u>2-3</u>	
λ <u>119-49.7'E</u>	BY <u>2-3</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>13°53.0'N</u>	BY <u>1</u>	
λ <u>118°13.0'E</u>	BY <u>1</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 ANCHORED AT SUBIC BAY, RP IN ANCHORAGE E-24 WITH 100 FATHOMS OF CHAIN AT THE WATERS EDGE. SOPA IS COMNAUBASE SUBIC BAY. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS US NAVAL SHIPS OF THE SEVENTH FLEET, MERCHANT SHIPS AND HARBOR CRAFT. STATUS OF THE PLANT: #2 BOILER, #3 AND #4 GENERATORS ON THE LINE.

J E Brown
J E BROWN, ENS, USNR

04-08 ANCHORED AS BEFORE. 0549 LIT FIRES UNDER NO. 1 BOILER. 0615 STATIONED THE BALLAST DETAIL.

A L Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR., LT, USNR.

08-12 ANCHORED AS BEFORE 0822 LIT OFF PORT STEERING UNIT SET THE SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL 0825 AWK FOUR IN THE SKIDS 0829 STERN GATE UP AND ABGED 0837 LUMP THREE RIGGED FOR SEA COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO STAND OUT FROM SUBIC BAY, Philippine Islands 1424 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL, ON COURSE 270°P62 SPEED 18 KTS

A L Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR., LT, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1159 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO TAKE STATION ON THE GUIDE USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) IN FORMATION ONE DOUBLE STANDARD DISTANCE FORMATION COURSE 247°T SPEED 10 KTS WHEN ON STATION GUIDE BEARS 240-247°T 2000 YARDS 1428 CHANGED FORMATION SPEED TO 15 KNOTS

R M Harkless
R M HARKLESS, LTJG, USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

G T Adler
G. T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

EXAMINED

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A. L. LARSON, JR., U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DATE SATURDAY 6 DEC. 19 69
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REMARKS—CONTINUED

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1745 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEED TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11 180°(R) RANGE 2000 YRDS.

KR Carlson
KR CARLSON LTJG USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1945 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11 180°(R) RANGE 2000. 2245 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11 358°(R) RANGE 4000. 2346 1/2 to 20 KNOTS.

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USNR

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USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SUNDAY 7 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM SUBIC BAY, RP TO LOCAL OP-AREA, VIETNAM

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>12° 33' N</u>	BY <u>CELESTIAL</u>	
λ <u>114° 55' E</u>	BY <u></u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>12° 04.5' N</u>	BY <u>CELESTIAL</u>	
λ <u>113° 44.8' E</u>	BY <u>LORAN</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>10° 37' N</u>	BY <u>CELESTIAL</u>	
λ <u>111° 38' N</u>	BY <u>LORAN</u>	

LEGEND: 1. CELESTIAL
2. ELECTRONIC
3. VISUAL
4. D. R.

REMARKS

ΦΦ-Φ4 STEAMING FROM SUBIC BAY, RP TO DANANG HOLDING AREAS, VIETNAM AS A UNIT OF TG 76.5 IN FORMATION ECHO. SHIPS PRESENT ARE USS NEW ORLEANS IN STATION ONE AND GUIDE, USS VANCOUVER LPD-7 IN STATION TWO, AND USS THOMASTON LSD-28 IN STATION THREE. BASE COURSE IS 247° AT 20 KTS. SHIPS ARE AT DOUBLE STANDARD DISTANCE, OTC AND SOPA IS COMPHIBRON ONE EMBARKED IN THE FLAGSHIP USS NEW ORLEANS. SHIP IS DARKENED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF BRIGHT NAVIGATION LIGHTS MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE IS SET. CONDITION OF READINESS IS FOUR WITH NO GUNS MANNED, NO EMCON IS SET. STATUS OF THE PLANT: #1 AND #2 BOILERS, #2 AND #4 GENERATORS ON THE LINE. PLANT IS SPLIT. STEERING WITH THE PORT UNIT. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE. ΦΦ25 SHIFTED TO THE STARBOARD STEERING UNIT.

A. L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

Φ4-Φ8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE

R. M. Harkless
R. M. HARKLESS, LTJG, USNR

Φ8-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0800 MUSTERED CREW ON STATION, NO ABSENTEES 0845 SET FLIGHT QUARTERS 0852 14010 NUMBER 150271 ON DECK 0859 HELD OFF AND CLEAR OF DECK 0901 SECURED FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS, CONTINUING TO STEER VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO STAY ON STATION 1016 GUIDE SHIFTED TO USS VANCOUVER LPD-2 IN FORMATION ONE, THOMASTON IN STATION TWO AND USS NEW ORLEANS IN STATION THREE 1049 SET FLIGHT QUARTERS 1054 14010 NUMBER 150271 ON DECK 1055 HELD UP AND CLEAR OF DECK 1056 SECURED FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS

R. H. Harris
R. H. HARRIS CWO-2 USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1145 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE USS VANCOUVER LPD-2 180°(R) RGE 2000 YRDS. 1427 LOST STEERING CONTROL 1428 A/STOP 1435 SHIFTED CONTROL TO PORT MOTOR PORT CABLE. 1505 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE TESTING STEERING CONTROL UNITS.

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A. L. LARSON, JR.

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REMARKS—CONTINUED

12-16 CONTINUED. 1527 COMPLETED TESTING STEERING CONTROL UNIT 1532 %C 237.

[Signature]
K.R. CARLSON LCDR USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1638 %C 236° PGC. 1640 %C 235° PGC. 1653 %C 234° PGC. 1710 %C 255° PGC. 1713 %C 245° PGC. 1715 %C 235° PGC. 1716 %C 233° PGC. 1738 %C 235° PGC. 1740 %C 200° PGC. 1741 %C 220° PGC. 1744 %C 230° PGC. 1746 %C 225° PGC. 1748 %C 215° PGC.

[Signature]
D.E. BOMAR LTJG USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1753 %C TO 205° 1806 %C TO 225° 1818 %C TO 230° 1826 %C TO 233° 1827 %C TO 234° 1848 %C TO 236° 1850 %C TO 235° 1937 %C TO 234°

[Signature]
A.L. LARSON, JR. LT. USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE FORMATION COURSE 234°T SPEED 20 KNOTS 2125 %C FORMATION TO 245°T CHANGED FORMATION SPEED TO 14 KNOTS 2152 SECURED NUMBER ONE (1) BOILER 2301 PUT THREE AND FOUR GENERATORS ON THE LINE

[Signature]
G.T. ADLER LCDR. USN.

EXAMINED:

[Signature]
A.L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON (LSD-28) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Monday 8 December 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM Subic Bay, P.I. TO OP-AREAS, RVN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>9°52.0'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>109°44.0'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>10°34.0'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>109°35.0'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>12°06.3'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>109°39.1'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 ENROUTE FROM SUBIC BAY, P.I. TO DANANG HOLDING AREA VIETNAM AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 76.5, OTO AND SOPA IS COMPHIBRON ONE EMBARKED ON FLAGSHIP USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11). IN FORMATION ONE DOUBLE STANDARD DISTANCE BASE COURSE 245° TRUE BASE SPEED 14 KTS, THE GUIDE IS THE USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2) IN STATION ONE BEARING 245° TRUE AT 4000 YARDS. STATUS OF THE PLANT, Number ~~ONE~~ ^{TWO} Boiler ~~RA~~ ^{RA} IS ~~SHUT~~ ^{DOWN} AND SHIP IS DARKENED EXCEPT FOR BRIGHT NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. MATERIAL CONDITION Yoke SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR. NO GUNS MANNED WITH NO EMCON CONDITION SET. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO KEEP ON STATION FROM THE GUIDE.

R. Harris
R. HARRIS, CWO2, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0345 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE USS VANCOUVER LPD-2 180° (REL) 4,000 YARDS. 0458 C/C 215° 0525 C/C 245° 0614 C/C 016°

K.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON, LTJG, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0715 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE USS VANCOUVER LPD-2 180° (REL) 4,000 YARDS. 0800 SETTING FLIGHT QUARTERS. 0816 HELO #150947 ON DECK. 0819 HELO OFF AND CLEAR. 0820 SECURE FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS. 0858 USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ASSUMED THE GUIDE FORMATION ONE (1) BASE COURSE 005 SPEED 15 KTS. 0938 SETTING FLIGHT QUARTERS. 0954 HELO #150947 ON DECK. 0956 HELO OFF AND CLEAR. 0958 SECURE FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS. 1114 C/S 102 RPM. 1120 C/S 152 RPM.

12-16⁹

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1223 NO. 1 BOILER ON LINE. STEERING COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A.L. LARSON, JR., LT, USN

EXAMINED

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A.L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON (LSO 28)

DATE Monday 8 DEC. 1961
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

W. H. Harkless
R. M. HARKLESS, LTJG, USNR

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1822 ϕ /S 14.5 KTS
1900 ϕ /C 0140 DEC 1930 ASSUMED OTC AND HAD
THE USS VANCOUVER TAKE STATION IN FORMATION TWO
DOUBLE STANDARD DISTANCE, USS NEW ORLEANS DETACHED
TO STEAM INDEPENDENTLY.

G. Adler
LCOR G. ADLER USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 2130 CASUALTY IN NO. 1
ONE BOILER ϕ /S 5 KTS 2127 ϕ /S 14 KTS 2130 ϕ /S 13 KTS
2136 ϕ /S 14 KTS 2142 ϕ /S 14.2 KTS 2153 LIT FIRES IN
NUMBER ONE BOILER 2203 ϕ /S 13 KTS 2214 ϕ /S 12 KTS
2224 NUMBER ONE BOILER ON THE LINE 2225 SPLIT
THE PLANT 2232 ϕ /S 14 KTS.

K. R. Remelson
K. R. REMELSON LTJG USNR

EXAMINED:

A. L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR., U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON (LSD-28) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE TUESDAY 9 DEC 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM SUBIC BAY, PT TO GP AREAS, RUN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 14-15.2 N	BY 2	
λ 109 32.6 E	BY 2	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L 15 01.5 N	BY 2	
λ 09 31.5 E	BY 2	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L 16-19.5 N	BY 2	
λ 108-44.5 E	BY 2	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ΦΦ-Φ4 ENROUTE FROM SUBIC BAY, PT, TO DANANG HOLDING AREAS VIETNAM AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 76.5. OTC AND SOPA IS CAPTAIN R. G. THOMPSON JR. EMBARKED ON USS THOMASTON (LSD-28). IN FORMATION TWO DOUBLE STANDARD DISTANCE, BASE COURSE 013° TRUE BASE SPEED 15 KTS, THE GUIDE IS THE USS THOMASTON (LSD-28). STATUS OF THE PLANT: NUMBER ONE AND TWO BOILER, NUMBER TWO AND FOUR SHIP'S SERVICE GENERATORS, THE PLANT IS SPLIT AND SHIP IS DARKENED EXCEPT FOR BRIGHT NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP, CONDITION OF READINESS THREE, NO GUNS MANNED WITH NO EMCON CONDITION SET. 0225 C/C 352° 0228 C/C 353 0242 ~~0223~~ C/S 156 RPMs

DE Borak

DE BORAK, LTJG, USN

Φ4-Φ8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE Φ529 C/S TO 16 KTS Φ556 C/S TO 17 KTS

A. L. Larson, Jr.

A. L. LARSON, JR, LT, USN

Φ8-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE Φ807 C/L TO Φ45°T. Φ840 C/S TO 152 RPM 1047 C/S TO 142 RPM. *Φ748 RECEIVED DRAFT REPORT FWD 17'8" AFT 17'10" MEAN 17'9"

R. M. Harkness

R. M. HARKNESS, LTJG, USN

1216 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1230 C/L Φ01° PGC 1250 C/S 15 KTS 1304 C/L 351° PGC 1304 C/L 341° PGC 1306 C/S 16 KTS 1314 C/S 17 KTS 1344 C/L 344° PGC 1407 C/L 351° PGC

R. Harkness

R. HARKNESS, LTJG, USN

* LATE ENTRY

EXAMINED

A. L. Larson, Jr.

A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

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USS THOMASTON LSD 28

DATE TUE 9 DEC. 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1613 $\%$ TO 341° T 1655 HANSCOM, RICHARD, B 16-97-00, FA, USN, SUFFERED A HEAD LACERATION, FRONTAL OF CRANIUM, WHILE COMING UP THE LADDER THE SHIP TOOK A HEAVY ROLL AND THE SCUTTLE FELL STRIKING HIM ON THE HEAD, INJURY NOT DUE TO HIS OWN MISCONDUCT. TREATMENT ADMINISTERED BY SHIPS CORPMEN. 1657 $\%$ 221° Z, 1705 $\%$ 20 KTS.

K.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1740 $\%$ 265° 1741 $\%$ 260° 1743 $\%$ 271° 1814 SET DARKEN SHIP 1823 $\%$ 351° 1825 $\%$ 17 KTS 1837 $\%$ 001° 1840 $\%$ 12 KTS.

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2110 $\%$ TO 279° 2119 $\%$ TO 10 KTS 2153 $\%$ TO 15 KTS 2200 $\%$ TO 260° 2202 $\%$ TO 261° 2250 $\%$ TO 10 KTS 2305 $\%$ TO 8 KTS 2331 $\%$ TO 5 KTS

G.T. Adler
G.T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

EXAMINED:

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD 28 ZONE DESCRIPTION - 8 H DATE WEDNESDAY 10 DEC 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM LOCAL OPERATIONS TO AREA RUN.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>16° 26.5' N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>108° 30.4' E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>16° 27.0' N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>108° 29.5' E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>16° 29.8' N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>108° 29.4' E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 UNDERWAY STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 76.5 OFF THE COAST OF DANANG RUN PROCEEDING TO LOCAL OPERATIONS AREA BARBARA OTC AND SOPA IS COMPHIBRON ONE EMBARKED ON THE FLAGSHIP USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11. THE SHIP IS IN FORMATION TWO (2) BASE COURSE ~~000~~ ⁰⁰¹ SPEED 261° PGC SPEED 5 KNOTS WITH USS THOMASTON (LSD 28) AS THE GUIDE STATUS OF THE PLANT NUMBERS ONE (1) AND TWO (2) BOILERS NUMBERS TWO AND FOUR GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE PLANT IS SPLIT SHIP IS IN CONDITION OF READINESS THREE (3) YOKE IS SET 0350 SHIPS IN FORMATION: THOMASTON (LSD 28) VANCOUVER (LPD-2) 2350 % TO 096° PGC DETACHED USS VANCOUVER FROM FORMATION TWO, PROCEEDING TO STEAM INDEPENDENTLY TO MIKE 3 AND 4 0409 % TO 071 RPM 0300 % TO 040 PGC
KMH Hunkle
KMH HARKLESS, LTJG, USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0510 % 205° PGC 0701 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO TAKE STATION 500 YARDS PORT SIDE USS MARS (AFS-1) FOR VERTICAL REPLENISHMENT OPERATIONS.

R. HARRIS, CWO2, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0745 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE TAKING STATION ON THE USS VANCOUVER LPD-2 180° (REL) 500 YARDS 0837 ON VERTICAL REPLENISHMENT STATION 0923 COMPLETED VERTICAL REPLENISHMENT. 0919 % 000° 0924 % 350° 0926 % 190° 0930 % 150° 0932 % 090° % 5 KTS 0944 SECURED NO. ONE BOILER, PLANT IS CROSS CONNECTED 0945 SECURED FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS. 0959 % 220° 1045 RECEIVED ABSENTEE REPORT ABSENTEES NONE. 1141 % TO 015°

K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

EXAMINED

A.L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD 28

DATE WED 10 DEC, 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

#12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1347 C/C 050° 1358 SET
FLIGHT QUARTERS, HELD ON DECK ELEVEN TIME FOR
LSO TRAINING. 1405 C/C 075° 1407 C/C 070° 1420 BARNES
WILLIAM PFC 249-93-95 "D" 2/12 BLT 1/9 ON OR ABOUT 1335
10 DEC 1969 SLIPPED AND FELL ON FLIGHT DECK, CUTTING HIS
CHIN. WOUND WAS CLEANED WITH PHISOX, IRRIGATED WITH
HYDROGEN PEROXIDE ANESTHIZED WITH 1% LIDOCAINE, THREE
4-0 SUTURES APPLIED, PRESSURE DRESSING APPLIED.
PROGNOSIS—GOOD. 1423 C/C 080° 1529 SECURE HELD OPS

DE Borak

DE. BORAK, LTJG USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1551 C/S 10 KTS 1552 C/S 5 KTS
1553 C/C 260°T 1721 C/S P/A STANDARD S/A 1/3 1724 C/C 050°
1725 C/S 5 KTS 1739 C/C 030°T

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

G.T. Adler
G.T. ADLER, LCDR USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 2225 C/C 210° PG C

R. Harris
R. HARRIS CWO-2 USN

EXAMINED:

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE THURSDAY 11 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM LOCAL OF AREA VIETNAM TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>16° 25' N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>108° 26.9' E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>16° 09.3' N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>108° 35.2' E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>16° 30.0' N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>108° 33.0' E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 UNDERWAY AS A UNIT OF TG 76.5 STEAMING IN HOLDING AREA ALICE AREA M4 AND M5. SDPA AND OTC COMPHIBRON-ONE IN FLAGSHIP USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11 SHIP IS AT DARKENED SHIP WITH EXCEPTION OF BRIGHT NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO IS SET. READINESS CONDITION THREE WITH NO GUNS MANNED. NO EMCON CONDITION SET. STATUS OF PLANT NUMBER ONE BOILER SECURED NUMBER TWO BOILER ON THE LINE, THREE AND FOUR GENERATORS PLANT IS CROSS CONNECTED. USING PORT STEERING UNIT PRESENT COURSE 210° SPEED 5 KTS. 0053 C/C 070°

K.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0415 C/C 210° 0422 PORT ENG AHEAD $\frac{2}{3}$ C/S 999 RPMS 0424 ALL ENG AHEAD $\frac{1}{3}$ C/S 051 RPMS 0430 C/C 220° 0450 C/C 230° 0609 C/C 270° 0617 A/A $\frac{2}{3}$ 071 RPMS 0625 C/C 265°. PROCEED AT VARIOUS COURSES, VARIOUS SPEEDS TO RENDEVOUS WITH USS NEW ORLEANS, LPH-11 AT SC OF M4 TO TAKE STATION 3 IN FORMATION 1

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. TAKING STATION 3 IN FORMATION 1 BASE COURSE 090° BASE SPEED 5 KTS. 0739 C/S TO 10 KTS 0802 SET FLIGHT QUARTERS. RECEIVED MORNING MUSTER. NO ABSENTEES C/C TO 000° COMMENCED TACTICAL MANEUVERING EXERCISE 0829 HELO #150947 ON DECK 0831 HELO AWAY 0849 HELO #150947 ON DECK 0851 HELO AWAY. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS DURING TACTICS DRILL. 1150 SECURED FROM TACTICS DRILLS C/S 5 KTS C/C 290 P6C

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A.L. LARSON, JR., LT, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE WIDE, USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11)

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A.L. LARSON, JR., LT, USNR

EXAMINED

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A.L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD 28

DATE THURS 11 DEC 1969
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1553 C/S 10 KNOTS 1603
SET FLIGHT QUARTERS 1612 C/c 265° PGC 1620 Helo
150271 ON DECK 1621 Helo OFF AND CLEAR 1622 SECURED
FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS 1622 C/c 330° PGC 1700 C/c 440
1726 C/S 5 KTS

R. Harris
R. HARRIS CWO USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1815 SET DARKEN JHIP
1912 C/c 260°

G.T. Adler
G.T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2043 C/c 290° PGC, C/S 071 RPMs.
2312 C/S 051 RPMs. 2332 C/c 320 PGC. 2337 C/c 010 PGC.

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

EXAMINED

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON (LSD-28) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE FRIDAY 12 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM LOCAL HOLDING AREAS TO RVN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800 L <u>16°26.8'N</u> BY <u>2</u> λ <u>108°22.8E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200 L <u>16°31.5'N</u> BY <u>2</u> λ <u>108°33.2E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000 L <u>16°29.5'N</u> BY <u>2</u> λ <u>108°30.0E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 UNDERWAY AS A UNIT OF TG 76.5 STEAMING IN
HOLDING AREA ALICE PROCEEDING TOWARD NIGHT STEAMING AREA
M4 AND M5. SOPA AND OTC IS COMPHIBRON-ONE IN FLAGSHIP USS NEW
ORLEANS LPH-11. SHIP IS AT DARKENED SHIP WITH EXCEPTION OF BRIGHT
NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE IS SET. READINESS CONDITION
THREE WITH NO GUNS MANNED. NO EMCON CONDITION SET. STATUS OF
PLANT NUMBER ONE BOILER SECURED NUMBER TWO BOILER ON THE LINE,
THREE AND FOUR GENERATORS PLANT IS CROSS CONNECTED. USING PORT STEERING
UNIT. PRESENT COURSE 010°T SPEED 5KTS, 0036 %/120°T

[Signature]
G. T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0508 C/C 045° 0610 C/C 205°
0655 C/C 220° 0707 C/S TO 10KTS.

[Signature]
K. M. HARKLESS, CTS, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE TAKING STATION ON THE USS
NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) FOR MORNING HELO OPERATION WHEN
ON STATION GUIDE BEARS 180°T 5000 YARDS 0750 SET
FLIGHT QUARTERS 0816 HELO DOWN 0818 HELO AWAY 0819 SECURED
FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS 0830 % TO 070° P/C 0922 RECEIVED
DRAFT REPORT MEAN 17'6" 11,056 DISP. 1054 % TO 030 P/C
*0745 RECEIVED MUSTER REPORT NO ABSENTEES

[Signature]
R. HARRIS, CWO2, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1301 C/C TO 230° 1420 COMMENCED
STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO RENDEZVOUS WITH USS
NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) FOR HELICOPTER OPERATIONS. NEW ORLEANS
BEARS 265° AT 14 MILES 1437 SET FLIGHT QUARTERS 1533
HELO # 150947 ON DECK 1538 HELO AWAY AND CLEAR OF THE
SHIP 1539 C/S TO 5KTS, C/C TO 055° TO RETURN TO
HOLDING AREAS.

[Signature]
K. R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

* LATE ENTRY

EXAMINED

[Signature]
A. L. LARSON, JR. U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-28

DATE FRIDAY 12 NOVEMBER 1969
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

16-18 (CONT'D)

DE Borak

D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1836 $\% 280^{\circ}T$ 1915 $\% 230^{\circ}T$.

G.T. Adler

G.T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 2045 $\% TO 0350 PGC$

MM Hankless

MM HANKLESS, LTJG, USN

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A.L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SATURDAY 13 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM LOCAL OP AREA, VIETNAM TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>16-48.7'N</u>	BY <u>3</u>	
<u>λ 107-59.0'E</u>	BY <u>3</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>16-44.3'N</u>	BY <u>3</u>	
<u>λ 108-23'E</u>	BY <u>3</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>16-31.3'N</u>	BY <u>3</u>	
<u>λ 108-31.7'E</u>	BY <u>3</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

ΦΦ-Φ4 UNDERWAY AS A UNIT OF TG 76.5 IN OP AREA ALICE SECTORS
M4 AND M5. OTC AND SOPA IS COMPHIBRON ONE EMBARKED IN THE FLAGSHIP
USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11. SHIP IS DARKENED WITH EXCEPTION OF BRIGHT
NAVIGATION LIGHTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE IS SET. CONDITION OF READINESS
IS THREE. NO GUNS MANNED. NO EMCON SET. STATUS OF THE PLANT: #2
BOILER, #3 AND #4 GENERATORS ON THE LINE. PLANT IS CROSS-CONNECTED
PRESENT COURSE IS Φ35° AT 5 KTS. Φ118 °C TO 23Φ° Φ12Φ °C TO 2Φ5°
Φ146 °C TO 23Φ° Φ147 °C TO 215° Φ2Φ3 °C TO 23Φ° Φ236 °C TO 2ΦΦ°
Φ243 °C TO 17Φ° Φ259 °C TO 16Φ° Φ329 °C TO 295° Φ335 °C TO 10 KTS
Φ337 °C TO 3ΦΦ°

R. Harris
R. HARRIS CWO2, USN

Φ4-Φ8 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE Φ459 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS
COURSES AND SPEEDS TO CLOSE AND TAKE STATION ON THE U.S.S. NEW
ORLEANS (LPH-11). Φ600 ON STATION. NEW ORLEANS BEARS 300°
P6C AT 2000 YDS.

K.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

ΦB-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. Φ7Φ6 C/F/C TO Φ1Φ° P6C. ΦB16 C/F/C TO 25Φ° P6C.
C/F/S TO 15 KNOTS. Φ83B STATIONED THE REPLENISHMENT DETAIL COMMENCED
PREPARATIONS FOR REFUELING FROM USS CHEMUNG (AO-3Φ). Φ9Φ4 MANEUVERING
TO TAKE STATION ASTERN CHEMUNG. Φ913 ON STATION. REPLENISHMENT
COURSE Φ9Φ, SPEED 10 KNOTS. Φ917 COMMENCED APPROACH Φ921 ON STATION
ALONGSIDE STARBOARD SIDE OF CHEMUNG. Φ923 FIRST LINE OVER 10231 COMMENCED
RECEIVING FUEL.

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK LTJG USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 123Φ FUELING COMPLETED. 1247 ALL LINES AND
HOSES CLEAR. MANEUVERING TO CLEAR STARBOARD SIDE OF CHEMUNG. 1253
CLEAR OF CHEMUNG. 1258 SECURED THE REPLENISHMENT DETAIL. 1304 % 12 KTS
1308 % 230°T 1408 % 10 KTS % 090°T. 1400 FLIGHT QUARTERS 1411 % 5 KTS
1417 % 15 KTS 1421 % 180°T % 10 KTS 1427 % 220°T 1438 % 160°T % 6 KTS
1452 % 090°T % 5 KTS. 1459 HELD ON DECK. RECEIVED MAIL. 1501
HELD AWAY. 1502 SECURED FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS. 1545 LIT FIRES
NUMBER ONE BOILER, COMMENCING TO BARE OUT AFTER WATER WASHING.

A.L. Larson
A. L. LARSON JR.

EXAMINED

A.L. Larson
A. L. LARSON JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON (LSD 28)

DATE SAT 13 DEC 1969
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1634 γ TO $\phi 26^{\circ}$ PGC

A.L. Larson, Jr., LTJG USNR

18-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1815 OBSERVED SUNSET, TURNED ON NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS, SET DARKENED SHIR 1924 γ TO 220°

R. Harris, LTJG USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 2005 γ 300° PGC 2007 γ 270° PGC COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS IN ORDER TO HAVE THE USS NEW ORLEANS BEAR 230° PGC AT 5 miles 2236 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO TAKE STATION THREE IN FORMATION ECHO WITH THE GUIDE, USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11), BEARING 332° PGC AT 4000 YARDS. USS VANCOUVER (LHA-2) IS IN STATION TWO. BASE COURSE 335° T BASE SPEED 5 KTS 2320 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 060° T

K.R. Carlson, LTJG USNR

EXAMINED:

A.L. Larson, Jr.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SUNDAY 14 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM I CORAS, RVN TO HONG KONG, BCC

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>17-36.0N</u>	BY <u>1</u>	
λ <u>109-28.0E</u>	BY <u>1</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>17°46' N</u>	BY <u>1-2</u>	
λ <u>110°04.6' E</u>	BY <u>1-2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>18-26.0N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>111-20.0E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

08-04 STEAMING IN COMPANY WITH TASK GROUP 76.5, COMPOSED OF USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11), USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2), AND THIS SHIP, ENROUTE FROM I CORAS, RVN, TO HONG KONG, BCC, IN ACCORDANCE WITH CTG 76.5 PLAN 101-69. THIS SHIP IN STATION 3 OF A COLUMN OPEN ORDER, FORMATION COURSE 060°PK, SPEED 5 KNOTS, AXIS 060. SOPA AND OTC IS COMPHIBRON ONE IN NEW ORLEANS. NEW ORLEANS IS BRIDGE BEARING 058°, DISTANCE 4000 YARDS. CONDITION OF READINESS III, WITH NO GUNS MANEUVERED, EMCON CONDITIONS: NONE. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO IS SET. STATUS OF THE PLANT: #2 BOILER, #3 AND #4 GENERATORS, PLANT IS CROSS-CONNECTED. SHIP IS DARKENED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF NAVIGATION LIGHTS. 0002 C/FB TO 14 KNOTS. 0153 LIT FIRES UNDER #1 BOILER. 0236 #1 BOILER ON THE LINE. SECURED #2 BOILER.

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

G.T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE 0905 SET FLIGHT QUARTERS 0919 HELD DOWN 0930 HELD AWAY 0942 DRAFT REPORT 18'3" FWD, 18'6" AFT 18'4" MEAN DISPLACEMENT 11,800 TONS 0944 RECEIVED MUSTER REPORT NO ABSENTEES 1058 SET FLIGHT QUARTERS 1106 HELD DOWN 1108 HELD AWAY 1110 SECURED FLIGHT QUARTERS

A.L. LARSON LTJG, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1347 USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2) ASSUMED THE GUIDE IN STATION #1, FORMATION ECHO, BEARING 064° 2000 YDS. USS NEW ORLEANS IN STATION #3.

R. HARRIS, CDR, USN

18-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

K.R. CARLSON LTJG, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1759 DARKENED SHIP WITH THE EXCEPTION OF NAVIGATION LIGHTS.

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

EXAMINED

A.L. LARSON, JR. U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON (LSD-28)

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20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2105 $\angle$ 042° T.

G.T. Adler
G.T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

EXAMINED:

A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD 28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Monday 15 DEC. 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM HOLDING AREAS, VIETNAM TO HONG KONG, B.C.C.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>20°06'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
<u>113°00'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>20°37'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
<u>113°29'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>21°25'N</u>	BY <u>1</u>	
<u>114°20'E</u>	BY <u>1</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

06-04 UNDERWAY STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 76.5 IN FORMATION ECHO DOUBLE STANDARD DISTANCE USS VANCOUVER LPD-2 HAS THE GUIDE AND ON STATION ONE, USS THOMASTON (LSD 28) ON STATION TWO, USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11 ON STATION THREE FORMATION BASE COURSE 042°T AT 14 KNOTS ENROUTE TO HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN COLONY, OTC AND SOPA IS COMPHIBRON-ONE EMBARKED ON THE FLAGSHIP USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11 SHIP IS DARKENED WITH BRIGHT NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS ON CONDITION OF READINESS THREE WITH NO GUNS MANNED, EMCON NONE YOKE IS SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP STATUS OF THE PLANT: NUMBER ONE BOILER, NUMBERS THREE AND FOUR GENERATORS CROSS-CONNECTED, PORT STEERING MOTOR AND CABLE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE BEARING 047°PGL AT 4000 YARDS

[Signature]
K. M. HACKLESS, LTJG, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE.

[Signature]
R. HARRIS, LTJG, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE. 0826 C/L 045° TRUE AND ASSUMED THE GUIDE STATION ONE OF FORMATION ECHO USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) STATION TWO USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2) STATION THREE 0828 SET FLIGHT QUARTERS 0852 HELD ON DECK 0853 HELD UP AND CLEAR OF DECK 0855 SECURE FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS 1137 C/S 12 KTS

[Signature]
LT A. L. LARSON USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1400 C/L 040°T C/S 11 KTS.

[Signature]
D. E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

EXAMINED

[Signature]
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON - LST 28

DATE MON 15 DEC 1969
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1700 MANEUVERING ON VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEEDS TO TAKE STATION 3 OF A COLUMN OPEN ORDER WHEN ON STATION THE GUIDE WILL BEAR 038°T RANGE 4000 YDS. USS NEW ORLEANS IS GUIDE IN STATION 1, VANCOUVER IN STATION 2, USS WESTCHESTER COUNTY (LST-1167) IN STATION 4. BASE COURSE IS 040°T, BASE SPEED 12.5 KTS, 1731 ON STATION. 1737 CHANGE FORMATION SPEED TO 7 KTS.

G. J. Adler
G. J. ADLER, LCDR, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE 1901 FORMATION BROKEN IN ORDER TO AVOID CONTACT BEARING 348°P6C 6000 YARDS ALL SHIPS MANEUVERING INDEPENDENTLY 1/2 TO 120° P6C 1926° 1/2 TO 040° AT 6 KNOTS CONTACT IS CLEAR COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS IN ORDER TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11 IN FORMATION ECHO WHEN ON STATION GUIDE BEARS 039°P6C AT 4000 YARDS

R. M. Harkness
R. M. HARKNESS, LTJG, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 2010 COMBAT REPORTED GAP ISLAND ROCK BEARING 340° 27 MILES. 2058 1/2 TO 120° 2210 1/2 TO 040° 2326 1/2 TO 7 KTS.

R. Harris
R. HARRIS, LTJG, USN

EXAMINED:

A. L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON (ESD-28) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Tuesday 16 Dec 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM Da Nang, RVN TO Hong Kong, B.C.C.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE AS A UNIT OF TASK GROUP 76.5 STEAMING IN AN FORMATION ECHO IN STATION THREE WITH THE GUIDE BEARING 038° TRUE AT 4,000 YARDS; double STANDARD DISTANCE. THE GUIDE IS IN STATION ONE AND IS THE USS New Orleans (LPH-11). STATION TWO IS THE USS VANCOUVER (LPD-2). STATION FOUR IS THE WESTCHESTER COUNTRY (LST-1167) OTC AND SOPA IS COMPHIBRON ONE EMBARKED USS New Orleans (LPH-11). FORMATION COURSE 040° TRUE BASE SPEED IS 6 KNOTS. STEAMING WITH SHIP AT DARKEN SHIP; MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP; CONDITION OF READINESS THREE, NO GUNS MANNED, NO EMCON CONDITION SET. STATUS OF THE PLANT: Number one Boiler, Numbers THREE AND FOUR GENERATORS ON THE LINE WITH THE PLANT CROSS CONNECTED. STEERING ON THE PORT MOTOR, PORT CABLE STARBOARD UNIT SECURED. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE BEARING 039° PGC AT 4000 YARDS 0135 C/S 9.5 KTS

K.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0417 C/C 004° PGC TO CONFORM TO NEW BASE COURSE 004°. CHANGED COURSE BY CORPEN MOVEMENT. 0420 USS OUTAGAMIE CTY (LST-1073) TOOK STATION FIVE. 0421 MANEUVERED TO STEER VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE BEARING 003° PGC AT 4000 YARDS. 0525 CHANGED COURSE BY CORPEN MOVEMENT TO 305° PGC TO CONFORM TO NEW BASE COURSE 305°. 0610 C/S 8 KTS. 0611 SET THE NAVIGATION DETAIL. 0623 C/C 276° PGC TO BLOWTUBES. 0715 C/C 320° PGC. 0717 C/S 5 KTS. 0730 C/S 8 KTS. 0731 C/C 325° PGC. 0732 C/S 5 KTS. 0733 CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN. 0734 C/C 320° PGC. 0739 C/C 325° PGC. 0742 C/C 335° PGC. 0755 C/S 5 KTS.

G.T. Adler
G.T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE CONTINUING TO STEER VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO STAND INTO HONG KONG HARBOR, HONG KONG, BRITISH CROWN COLONY 0810 PILOT IS ABOARD. 0859 LCVF 1 IN THE WATER 0925 MOORED SHIP COLORS, Moored Bow Number Two, VICTORIA HARBOR, HONG KONG, B.C.C. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET, UNITS OF THE ROYAL BRITISH NAVY, MERCHANT AND HARBOR CRAFT

EXAMINED

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A.L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON LSD 28

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08-12 CONT

R. M. Harkless
R. M. HARKLESS, LTJG, USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE

C. E. Crowell
CROWELL, RMG, USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE 1737 OBSERVED SUNSET. 1608 RECEIVED WORD THAT SOPA SHIPED TO CAPT J. E. MCCAULEY, COMPHIBRON ONE EMBARKED IN USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) 1830 CHECKED SETTING OF CONDIDON YORE.

C. J. Carrigan
CARRIGAN, WO1, USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

D. E. Borak
D. E. BORAK, LTJG, USNR.

EXAMINED:

A. L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD 28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE WEDNESDAY 17 DEC 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG R.C.C TO MOORING BOLL TWO (2)

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED TO BOLL TWO (2) VICTORIA HARBOR, HONG KONG R.C.C. NUMBER 2 BOILER, NUMBERS 3 AND 4 GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, ROYAL BRITISH NAVY, MERCHANT AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS CAPT J.E. McCAVLEY COMPHIBRON 1

A.W. Desjardins
A.W. DESJARDINS EDI USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE

Paul J. Weaver
PAUL J. WEAVER EM1 USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE, 0805 MUSTER THE CREW AT QUARTERS NO ABSENTEE.

F. Reguindin
F. REGUINDIN SDC USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1240 SHORE PATROL PARTY DEPARTED THE SHIP. 1445 RECEIVED DRAFT REPORT FORWARD 18 FEET AFT 18 FEET, MEAN 18 FEET DISPLACEMENT 11400 TONS.

R.E. Johnson
R.E. JOHNSON ENC

16-2000 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1630 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE

K.R. Carlson
K. R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

2000-2400 Moored as before, 1958 Shore Patrol detail with W.F. Carter SGT 247 45 08 USMC in Charge Returned to Ship having completed T.A.D.

W.F. Holcomb
W.F. HOLCOMB GACC USN

EXAMINED

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON (LSD-28) ZONE DESCRIPTION -84 DATE THURSDAY 18 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG B.C.C. TO MAKING BOY TWO(2)

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED TO BOY TWO(2) VICTORIA HARBOR, HONG KONG B.C.C.
NUMBER TWO(2) BOLLER, NUMBERS THREE AND FOUR (3&4) GENERATORS ARE
ON THE LINE SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC
FLEET ROYAL BRITISH NAVY, MERCHANT AND DISTRICT CRAFT, SO PA
CAPTAIN J. F. McCauley COMPHIBRON ONE 0030 FRAZIER, D.C.
B52-56-03 FN USN RETURNED ABOARD BY SHORE PATROL FOR INTOXICATION
AND PROVOKING A FIGHT, REPORT TO FOLLOW, 0135 SHORE PATROL DETAIL WITH
RONALD F. GUMBY SGT 169 4853 USMC IN CHARGE RETURNED TO THE
SHIP HAVING COMPLETED T.A.D. 0243 SHORE PATROL DETAIL WITH ALBERT E.
DUTY SR CPL 226 5056 USMC IN CHARGE RETURNED TO THE SHIP HAVING
COMPLETED T.A.D.

J. T. McDermott
J. T. McDERMOTT CWO USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE

J. E. Edwards
J. E. EDWARDS ET-1 USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE 0805 MUSTER THE CREW AT QUARTERS
NO ABSENTEE.

J. A. Beverley Btc USN
J. A. BEVERLEY Btc USN.

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE, 1212 LIT OFF #1 GENERATOR, 1327
SECURED #2 GENERATOR

H. D. Major SMI
H. D. MAJOR SMI USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE

C. A. LaBarbera ENS.
C. A. LABARBERA ENS.

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. @ 2200 HAYES SA AND JOHNSON SN ABSENT
FROM LIBERTY RISK MUSTER. @ 2250 JOHNSON, KARL D., SA B41 0177
RETURNED ABOARD U. A. SINCE 2200 18 DECEMBER 1969, A PERIOD OF FIFTY(50)
MINUTES.

Stanley J. Baczynski, III
STANLEY J. BACZYNSKI, III ENS USN

EXAMINED

A. L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-25 ZONE DESCRIPTION -84 DATE FRIDAY 19 DEC. 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG B.C.C. TO Bouy #2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED TO BOUY #2 VICTORIA HARBOR HONG KONG B.C.C. STATUS OF THE PLANT: NUMBER ONE(1) BOILER AND NUMBER (1) AND (2) GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE. CONDITION GORE IS SET SECOND DECK AND BELOW. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE US PACIFIC FLEET, COAST GUARD, FLEET ROYAL BRITISH NAVY, MERCHANTS AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS CAPTAIN J. F. MCCAULEY COMPHIBRON ONE ON THE USS NEW OLEANS. 0105 SHORE PATROL DETAIL WITH FORCE, JAMES L. BOYER CPL 246-26-95 USMC INCHARGE RETURNED TO THE SHIP HAVING COMPLETED TAD. 0110 SHORE PATROL DETAIL WITH FORCE, BILLY F. GRAY GYSGT 124-95-13 USMC INCHARGE RETURNED TO THE SHIP HAVING COMPLETED TAD. 0135 SHORE PATROL ROBERT J. GLEASON 1ST LT. 0106805 USMC RETURNED TO THE SHIP HAVING COMPLETED TAD.

J. Rabago
J. RABAGO, SH1, USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

W. R. CREECH
W. R. CREECH RDC, USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE 0805 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. ABSENTEES: ANTHONY, LARRY L. SA B8773 16 UASINCE 2400 18 DEC 1969 0900 CADY, PHILLIP T. SET 2069598 DEPARTED SHIP WITH SHORE PATROL PARTY 0925 ANTHONY, LARRY L. SA B8773 16 RETURNED ABOARD HAVING BEEN UA SINCE 2400 18 DEC 1969

H. W. Mullins
H. W. MULLINS ETC, USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE

J. E. Brown
J. E. BROWN ENS, USNR

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE.

T. F. Conroy
T. F. CONROY YAC, USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R. W. Harkness
R. W. HARKNESS, LTJG, USNR

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A. L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

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USS Thomaston LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE Saturday 20 Dec. 19 69
AT/PASSAGE FROM Hong Kong B.C.C. TO Mooring Bouy two (2)

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED to Bouy #2 Victoria Harbor Hong Kong B.C.C.
STATUS OF THE PLANT: Number one (1) Boiler and Number (1) and (2) Generators are on the line. Condition yoke is set second Deck and Below, ships Present include various units of the US Pacific Fleet, Coast Guard Fleet Royal British Navy, Merchant and District craft, SOPA is Captain J.F. McCauley Comphibron one on the USS New Orleans, @ 0035 Monroe, William M. B78-71-08 returned to ship from being UA from 2400 19 Dec 69. 0107 Henish William L. BTFN reported aboard from being UA from 2400 19 Dec. 1969, 0143 BMC John W. Hamby 799-45-99 RM2, RE, Bott 1361-43-85, Sgt Eddie C Thomas 203-56-17 LCPL. Michael Edighoffer 248-35-34 Sgt. John B. Thompson 222-46-15 ALL returned aboard from shore patrol, having completed TAD.
S.A. Beverley Jr.
S.A. BEVERLEY JR Btc USN

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

James R. Henderson, BSC USN
JAMES R. HENDERSON BSC USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0805 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS, ABSENTEES: EMERSON, DENNIS R., MM2 3912231, USN, UA SINCE 0730 THIS DATE, CATALINA, THOMAS MMN, EN3, B13 9283, USN, UA SINCE 0730 THIS DATE.

Calvin E. Crowell, RM1 USN
CALVIN E. CROWELL, RM1 USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. BEVES, G.B. 010 67 34 1ST LT USMC
DEPARTED SHIP WITH SHORE PATROL PARTY 1300 COMMENCED TAKING ON FRESH WATER FROM YW-1 1350 SECURED TAKING ON FRESH WATER

CD Carrigan WO1 USN
CD CARRIGAN WO1 USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE.

DE Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE. 2200 MUSTERED THE LIBERTY RISK PERSONNEL NO ABSENTEES. 2210 MUSTERED ALL RESTRICTED MEN WITH DUTY MAA, NO ABSENTEES

A.W. Desjardins, ZDI USN
A.W. DESJARDINS ZDI USN

EXAMINED

A.L. LARSON, JR.
A.L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SUNDAY 21 DEC 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG BCC TO MOORING BOUY TWO (2)

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED TO BOUY No 2, VICTORIA HARBOR, HONG KONG, B.C.C.
STATUS OF THE PLANT: NUMBER ONE BOILER AND NUMBER ONE AND TWO
GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE, CONDITION YOKE IS SET SECOND DECK
AND BELOW, SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE US PACIFIC
FLEET, COAST GUARD, ROYAL BRITISH NAVY, MERCHANT AND DISTRICT
CRAFT. SOPA IS CAPT. J.F. MCCAULEY, COMPHIBRON ONE ON THE USS
NEW ORLEANS. @ 0018 BONHAM HN, DUTY CORPSMAN, TOOK CLARK
E.L. LCPL 2512260 TO THE USS NEW ORLEANS TO HAVE HIS
FOOT XRAYED. 0055 BONHAM HN AND CLARK E.L. LCPL RETURNED FROM
USS NEW ORLEANS. THEY WERE UNABLE TO GET AN XRAY. HAD MESSENGER
HELP CLARK TO HIS RACK. 0105 ROBINSON D.A. FN, B785715 RETURNED
FROM BEING UA FROM 2400, 20 DEC. 1969. 0205 SIBREL ENI RETURNED
FROM SHORE PATROL DUTY.

Paul J. Weaver EMI
PAUL J. WEAVER EMI USN

0004-0008 MOORED AS BEFORE.

J. L. Hellon
JTG, SC, USNR

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0853. HENDERSON, QM3 REPORTED U.A. SINCE 0730
THIS DATE. 0930 HENDERSON QM3 REPORTED BACK ON BOARD.

A. L. Larson
A. L. LARSON, JR, LT, USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. 1345 WATER BARGE ALONGSIDE PORT QTR. 1400
COMMENCED TAKING ON WATER.

D. T. Perdue
PERDUE, MMIC, USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE, 1630 SET CONDITION YOKE 1730 SECURED
FROM TAKING ON WATER, CAST OFF WATER BARGE.

F. Reguindin
FREQUINDIN SDC USN

EXAMINED

A. L. Larson
A. L. LARSON, JR

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON - LJO 28

DATE SUN 21 DEC 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

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20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

RE Johnson
RE. JOHNSON ERL

EXAMINED:

A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON (LSD28) ZONE DESCRIPTION -814 DATE MONDAY 22 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM VICTORIA HARBOR, HONG KONG, TO B.C.C. BOUY NR 2

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>22° 10.3' N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>114° 52.5' E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>21° 58' N</u>	BY <u>1</u>	
λ <u>117° 15' E</u>	BY <u>1</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 MOORED TO BOUY NR 2, VICTORIA HARBOR, IN THE BRITISH CROWN COLONY OF HONG KONG. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. PACIFIC FLEET, U.S. COAST GUARD, BRITISH ROYAL NAVY, MERCHANT, HARBOR AND DISTRICT CRAFT. SOPA IS COMMANDER, AMPHIBIOUS READY GROUP BRAVO AND AMPHIBIOUS SQUADRON ONE CAPTAIN J. E. MCCAULEY EMBARKED ON THE FLAGSHIP USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11). NR 2 BOYER, NRS 3 + 4 SHIPS SERVICE GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE IS SET. 0200 THE SHORE PATROL DETAIL, WITH CAPT JOHN A. KELLEHER III, USMC, IN CHARGE, RETURNED TO THE SHIP HAVING COMPLETED TAD WITH SENIOR SHORE PATROL OFFICER, HONG KONG.

J.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE 0630 SET MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE -

W.E. Holcomb USN
W.E. Holcomb GAGC USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0715 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS ABSENTEES NONE 0725 SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL 0837 UNDERWAY 0839 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE PROCEEDING OUT OF HONG KONG HARBOR. 1005 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL 1006 C/C 091° STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS WHILE TAKING STATION ON THE USS NEW ORLEANS BRG 274° T FROM THE GUIDE RANGE 2000 YARDS. BASE COURSE 090° SPEED 12 KTS. 1038 C/C 095° 1052 C/C 16 KTS

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LING, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION ON THE GUIDE

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A.L. LARSON, JR, LT, USNR

EXAMINED

A.L. Larson, Jr.
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U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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REMARKS—CONTINUED

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. MAINTAINING STATION ON THE GUIDE. 1735. OBSERVED SUNSET. SET DARKEN SHIP.

[Signature]
R.M. HARKLER, LTJG, USN
G.T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

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G.T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

[Signature]
P. HARRIS, CDR, USN

EXAMINED:

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A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE TUESDAY 23 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG BCC TO OKINAWA

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>21° 55' N</u>	BY <u>2+3</u>	
λ <u>121° 06.7' E</u>	BY <u>2+3</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>22° 37.7' N</u>	BY <u>1+2</u>	
λ <u>122° 10.4' E</u>	BY <u>1+2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>23° 44.0' N</u>	BY <u>1</u>	
λ <u>124° 27.0' E</u>	BY <u>1</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TG 76.5 IN THE SOUTH CHINA SEA ENROUTE FROM HONG KONG TO OKINAWA. OTC AND JOPA IS CPR ONE EMBARKED IN USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11 SHIP IS IN FORMATION ECHO DOUBLE STANDARD DISTANCE. BASE COURSE 095° BASE SPEED 20KTS GUIDE BEARS 099°(T) 2000 YARDS WHEN ON STATION, USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11 IS THE GUIDE. STATUS OF THE PLANT, NUMBER ONE (1) AND TWO (2) BOILERS, ONE (1) AND TWO (2) GENERATORS ON THE LINE, PLANT IS SPLIT. SHIP IS IN CONDITION OF READINESS FOUR, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE IS SET, SHIP IS DARKENED, WITH NO GUNS MANNED NO EMCON CONDITION SET. 2345 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO MAINTAIN STATION.

K.R. Carlson

K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0539 C/F/C TO 103° PGC. 0637 C/F/C TO 045° PGC. 0702 C/F/C TO 050° PGC.

D.E. Borak

D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE MAINTAINING STATION ON THE GUIDE. 0918 C/C TO 058°. 1048 C/C TO 050° 1052 C/C TO 059°. MANEUVERING TO TAKE STATION 2000 YARDS AHEAD OF THE GUIDE.

A.L. Larson, Jr.

A. L. LARSON, JR, LT, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE CONTINUING TO KEEP ON STATION ON THE GUIDE, USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) 1219 ON STATION AS THE GUIDE IN A FORMATION ONE WITH THE NEW ORLEANS BEARING 235° TRUE, 2000 YDS. 1250 CHANGED TO FORMATION OPEN ORDER WITH THE GUIDE USS THOMASTON (LSD-28) IN STATION ONE AND USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) IN STATION TWO BEARING 242° TRUE 2000 YARDS FROM THE GUIDE, BASE SPEED 20 KNOTS

R. Beutch

LT R. BEUTCH USN

16-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1654 C/C 1290 PGC. 1721 C/C 059 PGC.

R.M. Hankless

R.M. HANKLESS, LTJG, USNR

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DATE TUESDAY 23 DEC 19 69
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REMARKS—CONTINUED

18-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1927 $\frac{1}{2}$ TO 19KN (189 RPM)

R Harris
R Harris, CWO2, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

K.R. Carlson
K.R. Carlson, LTJG, USN

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE WEDNESDAY 24 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM HONG KONG, BCC TO BUCKNER BAY, OKINAWA

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L 25° 32' N	BY 42	
λ 127° 50' E	BY 42	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING AS A UNIT OF TG 76.5 IN SOUTH CHINA SEA ENROUTE FROM HONG KONG, BCC³ TO BUCKNER BAY, OKINAWA. OTC AND SODA IS COMPHIBRON ONE EMBARKED IN THE FLAGSHIP USS NEW ORLEANS LPH-11. MAINTAINING THE GUIDE IN STATION ONE OF FORMATION ECHO WITH DOUBLE STANDARD DISTANCE, BASE COURSE IS 058°T, BASE SPEED IS 19 KTS, STATUS OF THE PLANT IS: #1 AND #2 BOILERS, #1 AND #2 GENERATORS ON THE LINE, PLANT IS SPLIT. SHIP IS DARKENED. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE IS SET. CONDITION OF READINESS IS FOUR WITH NO GUYS MANNED. NO EMCON IS SET

DE Borak

DE. BORAK, LTJG, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0639 C/C 039 PGC 0716 C/S TO 5 KTS.

E.T. Adler

LTJG E.T. ADLER USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE, MANEUVERING AT VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO TAKE STATION TWO AT DOUBLE STANDARD DISTANCE ASTERN OF THE GUIDE USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) ON BASE COURSE 038° AT BASE SPEED 19 KTS. 0745 ON STATION. MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. NO ABSENTEES. 0935 CHANGED BASE SPEED TO 15 KTS. 0951 CHANGED BASE COURSE TO 025° 0957 COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO STAND INTO BUCKNER BAY, OKINAWA JIMA. 1014 THE CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN 1140 U.S. NAVY PILOT CAPT BRAMBLE IS ABOARD 1145 BROUGHT ALONGSIDE US ARMY TUGS LT 25 AND LT 536 1153 PILOT HAS THE CONN 1203 MOORED PORT SIDE TO EAST SIDE OF NEW US NAVY PIER WHITE BEACH BUCKNER BAY OKINAWA JIMA WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED. 1219 ADVANCED ALL CLOCKS ONE HOUR TO CONFORM TO -9I TIME ZONE 1221 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL, SHIFTED THE WATCH TO THE PORT QUARTERDECK.

K.R. Carlson

K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE. AT 1336 AQUINO, BA, TN, 8964 463 USN, DEPARTED SHIP FOR 30 DAYS LEAVE. AT 1345 EMC HOUSACK, E.M. 4819162, USN AND ETC MULLINS, HW, 548 1305, USN DEPARTED SHIP FOR TRANSFER. AT 1500 EN2 TAYLOR, M.J. 624 3977 REPORTED ABOARD FOR DUTY. AT 1501 MHC BISCO, DE 476-31-05 REPORTED ABOARD FOR DUTY FROM LEAVE.

I.M. Tabuendo

EXAMINED

I.M. TABUENDO, EMC, USN

A.L. Larson, Jr.

A.L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON - LSD 28

DATE WED 24 DEC 1969
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REMARKS—CONTINUED

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE 1741 COMMENCED TAKING ON FUEL 1856
LIT FIRE IN #2 BOILER

H O MOJOS SMI
H O MAJOR SMI USA

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE 1957 SECURED FIRES
NUMBER 1 BOILER NUMBER 2 BOILER ON THE LINE

Charles Q. LaBarbera
C.A. LaBarbera LTJG USN

EXAMINED:

A. L. LARSON, JR.

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S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE THURSDAY 25 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM NEW NAVY PIER, OKINAWA TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 THE SHIP IS MOORED PORT SIDE TO NEW NAVY PIER - WHITE BEACH, OKINAWA, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED UP AND SPRING-LAY FORE AND AFT. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET AND MERCHANT AND HARBOR CRAFT. SOPA IS COMBIBRON ONE, CAPT. J.R. MCCAWLEY, EMBARKED ABOARD U.S.S. NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11), NUMBER TWO (2) BOILER AND NUMBERS THREE (3) AND FOUR (4) SHIPS SERVICE GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE WITH THE STEAM PLANT CROSS-CONNECTED AND ELECTRICAL LOAD IN PARALLEL. @0005 THOMASTON RETURNED ABOARD. @0116 SHORE PATROL REPORTED BACK ABOARD.

S. J. Baczynski, III CWO USNR
S. J. BACZYNSKI, III ENS. USNR

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE.

S. P. Tanaka SKC USN
S. P. TANAKA SKC USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE 0809 OBSERVED COLORS 0815 RECEIVED DAILY MAGAZINE TEMPERATURE REPORT ALL CONDITIONS NORMAL 0945 RECEIVED DAILY DRAFT REPORT 17'6" FWD, 18'6" AFT 18'0" MEAN 1000 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATION NO ABSENTEES 1054 PURSUANT TO ORDERS OF THE COMMANDING OFFICER, FOUGERE, E.G. 224-91-02 SGT. USMC, IN CHARGE OF 10 MED LEFT THE SHIP TO REPORT TO SENIOR SHORE PATROL OFFICER, WHITE BEACH, OKINAWA FOR TAD

A. M. Jensen CWO USN
G. M. JENSEN CWO USN

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE

Willis G. Sanderson SFI USN
WILLIS G. SANDERSON SFI USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE

J. E. Brown LTJG USNR
J. E. BROWN LTJG USNR

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE 2200 SANDERS C.V. FAILED TO MAKE MUSTER. 2330 CAUDRON, BARRY W. RETURNED TO SHIP BY ARMED FORCES POLICE.

James R. Henderson OSC USN
JAMES R. HENDERSON OSC USN

EXAMINED

A. L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9I DATE FRIDAY 26 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM NEW NAVY PIER, OKINAWA TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L _____	BY _____	
λ _____	BY _____	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

07-04 THE SHIP IS MOORED PORTSIDE TO NEW NAVY PIER - WHITE BEACH, OKINAWA, WITH STANDARD MOORING LINES DOUBLED UP AND SPRING-LAY FORE AND AFT. SHIPS PRESENT INCLUDE VARIOUS UNITS OF THE U.S. SEVENTH FLEET AND MERCHANT AND HARBOR CRAFT. SOPA'S COMPANION ONE CAPT J.E. CAMLEY EMBARKED ABOARD USS. NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) NUMBER TWO (2) BOILER AND NUMBERS THREE (3) AND (4) FOUR SHIPS SERVICE GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE WITH THE STEAM PLANT CROSS CONNECTED AND ELECTRICAL LOAD PARALLEL. @0013 THOMASTON RETURNED ABOARD. @0059 SANDERS C.V. SN REPORTED ABOARD VIA 2 HOURS 59 MINUTES (Late ENTRY) 0050 THE SHORE PATROL DETAIL WITH FOUGERE E.G. 224-9102 SGT, USMC IN CHARGE RETURNED TO THE SHIP HAVING COMPLETED TAD.

C S Halverson
C L HALVERSON MMI

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE 0410 U.S.S. THOMASTON EXECUTIVE OFFICER CDR. MARK HOPKINS JR., U.S.N., LEFT THE SHIP FOR T.A.D. IN JAPAN.

A.E. Bisco
D.E. BISCO MMC, USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE 0900 MUSTERED THE CREW ON STATIONS ABSENTEES NONE

C.D. Carrigan Wouss
C.D. CARRIGAN WOUSS

12-16 MOORED AS BEFORE.

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

16-20 MOORED AS BEFORE

A.W. Desjardins
A.W. DESJARDINS RO1 USN

20-24 MOORED AS BEFORE.

R.E. Johnson
R.E. JOHNSON ENSN

EXAMINED

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A.L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD 28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -9T DATE Saturday 27 December 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM New Navy Pier, Okinawa TO _____

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u> </u>	BY <u> </u>	
λ <u> </u>	BY <u> </u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>26°00.8'N</u>	BY <u>3</u>	
λ <u>127°48'E</u>	BY <u>3</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>26°06'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>124°40.4E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
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3-VISUAL
4-D.R.

REMARKS

ΦΦ-Φ4 moored Port side To New Navy Pier-White Beach, Okinawa, with standard mooring lines doubled and spring lay fore and aft. SHIPS Present include various units of the Seventh Fleet and merchant and harbor craft. SOLA is Captain J.E. McCawley, Embarked aboard USS New Orleans (LPH-11) Number Two boiler and numbers three and four ship's service generators. With the steam plant cross connected and electrical load parallel.

J. Hollan
J. Hollan
LTJG, USNR

04-08 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0710 PERMISSION GRANTED TO LIT OFF NUMBER ONE BOILER.

J. Rabago
J. RABAGO, SH1, USN

08-12 MOORED AS BEFORE. 0730 RECEIVED DRAFT REPORT
0800 OBSERVED COLORS, MUSTERED ALL HANDS AT QUARTERS, NO ABSENTEES
0802 THE COMMANDING OFFICER DEPARTED THE SHIP. 0835 THE COMMANDING OFFICER RETURNED ABOARD. 0852 STARTED PUMPING NSFO. 0928 SECURED PUMPING OIL 0930 SET THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHOR DETAIL.

T. E. Edwards
T. E. EDWARDS ET-1

08-12 (CONTINUED) MOORED AS BEFORE 0942 RECEIVED DRAFT REPORT: 18'10" FWD, 18'9" AFT, 18'9 1/2" MEAN, DISPLACEMENT 12050 TONS. 0952 CIVILIAN PILOT MR. HARRIS CAME ABOARD. 0959 SINGLED UP ALL LINES 1001 THE PILOT HAS THE CONN, ARMY TUGS LT 25 AND LT 536 ARE STANDING BY TO STBD. 1002 UNDERWAY FOR THE VICINITY OF THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM IN ACCORDANCE WITH CTG 76.5 WEEKLY EVENT SCHEDULE. MANEUVERING TO CLEAR THE PIER 1012 THE CAPTAIN HAS THE CONN, TWISTING THE SHIP. 1019 PILOT DEPARTED THE SHIP, BOTH TUGS ARE CLEAR OF THE SHIP. 1020 STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AT VARIOUS SPEED STANDING OUT OF BUCKNER BAY 1059 BOTH ANCHORS ARE SECURED FOR SEA 1102 SECURED THE SPECIAL SEA AND ANCHORING DETAIL 1106 C/C 180° PGC. C/S 18 KTS 1114 C/C 240° PGC 1145 C/S 19 KTS

EXAMINED

A. L. Larson
A. L. LARSON, JR

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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DATE 8th 27 DEC. 1969
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REMARKS—CONTINUED

18-12 (CONT'D)

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

12-16 ASSUMED THE WATCH UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1204 C/S 20 KTS.
1218 C/C 272 PGC 1313 C/S 15 KTS BECAUSE OF LOW WATER IN NUMBER TWO BOILER
1315 C/S 20 KTS LOW WATER CASUALTY CORRECTED 1439 C/C 3000 PGC 1444 C/C 310
PGC 1452 C/C 300 PGC 1454 C/C 290 PGC 1456 C/C 272 PGC

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A. L. LARSON, JR, LT, USNR

16-18 ASSUMED THE WATCH, UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1637 C/C 292°
PGC 1640 C/C 282° PGC 1642 C/C 292° PGC 1645 C/C 290° PGC 1647
C/C 287° PGC C/C 286° PGC 1649 C/C 284° C/C 282° C/C 281° PGC
1650 C/C 275° PGC C/C 274° PGC C/C 272° PGC

R.A. Bezmatch
R.A. BEZMATCH, LT, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1859 RETAKED ALL CLOCKS
ONE HOUR TO CONFORM TO -8 H TIME ZONE.

R.W. Harkless
R.W. HARKLESS, LTJG, USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1942 RADAR CONTACT BEARING
228° 17 MILES IDENTIFIED AS SEKIBI SHO ISLAND. 2047 C/S TO 18.5
KN 2104 C/S TO 20 KN. 2147 RADAR CONTACT BEARING 241° 22 MILES
IDENTIFIED AS KOBI SHO ISLAND. 2251 C/C TO 259° 2314 RADAR
CONTACT BEARING 193° 22 MILES IDENTIFIED AS UOTSURI SANTA ISLAND

R. Narich
R. NARICH, CWO2, USN

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S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON (LSO-28) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE SUNDAY 28 DEC 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM WHITE BEACH, OKINAWA TO DANANG OPERATING AREA

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>25° 16.0' N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>120° 37.0' E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>24° 27.0' N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>119° 33.0' E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>22° 56.5' N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>117° 08.0' E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 THE SHIP IS STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY FROM OKINAWA TO DANANG, REPUBLIC OF VIET NAM, OPERATING IN THE SOUTH CHINA SEA. OTC AND SOPA IS COMMANDING OFFICER, USS THOMASTON (LSO-28). STATUS OF THE ENGINEERING PLANT: NUMBERS ONE AND TWO BOILERS, NUMBERS ONE AND TWO SHIPS SERVICE GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE. PLANT IS SPLIT, PORT STEERING CONTROL UNIT IS BEING USED. SHIP IS AT DARKEN SHIP AND MATERIAL CONDITION VOKE HAS BEEN SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. CONDITION OF READINESS THREE; NO GUNS MANNED AND NO EMCON CONDITION IN EFFECT. 0105 18.5 KTS 0147 18.5 KTS 20 KTS

[Signature]
K. R. CARSON LTJG USNR

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0514 18 KTS 0535 20 KTS
0547 C/C 235° PGC

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D. E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

[Signature]
A. L. LARSON, JR., LT, USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1306 OVERTOOK UNITED KINGDOM MERCHANT SHIP SS SEA EMPRESS BEARING 325° DISTANCE 1300 YARDS.

[Signature]
S. T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE.

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L. M. HARKLESS, LTJG, USNR

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1800 COMBAT REPORTED LAMON ISLANDS BEARING 275° 18.6 MILES. 1830 DEPARTED PATROL ZONE. 1843 14 KTS

[Signature]
R. HARRIS, LTJG, USN

EXAMINED

[Signature]
A. L. LARSON, JR.

U. S. N. NAVIGATOR

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USS THOMASTON (LSD-28)

DATE SUNDAY 28 DECEMBER 1967
(Day) (Date) (Month)

REMARKS—CONTINUED

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1953 C/C TO 180° TO BLOW TUBES
2018 RESUMED BASE COURSE 235° 2026 SECURED FIRES UNDER NR
TWO BOILER FOR BOTTOM BLOW 2303 C/C TO 242° 2339
LIGHTED FIRES UNDER NR TWO BOILER

K.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE MONDAY 29 Dec. 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM WHITE BEACH OKINAWA TO DANANG VIET NAM

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>21°33.5N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>114°32.5E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>21°01'N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>113°47'E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>19°50.0N</u> BY <u>2</u>		
λ <u>112°27.0E</u> BY <u>2</u>		

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 THE SHIP IS STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY FROM WHITE BEACH OKINAWA TO LOCAL - OF AREA VIET NAM. OPERATING WITH 1SE IN THE SOUTH CHINA SEAS. OTC & SUPA CAPT. RG THOMASON JR. EMBARKED ON THE USS THOMASTON (LSD-28) STATUS OF THE PLANT: NUMBER ONE BOILER, NUMBER ONE & TWO GENERATORS ARE ON THE LINE, PLANT IS CROSS CONNECTED, PORT STEERING UNIT IS BEING USED. SHIP IS DARKENED & MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE IS SET THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. CONDITION OF READINESS THREE WITH NO GUNS MANNED AND NO EMCON CONDITION SET. #134 NUMBER TWO BOILER ON THE LINE #41 SECURED NUMBER ONE BOILER #45 LIT OFF NUMBER THREE AND FOUR GENERATORS #127 SECURED NUMBER ONE AND TWO GENERATORS #253 C/C 270° PGC #259 C/C 242° PGC

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE OBSERVED SUNRISE AT 0706

R.M. Harkless
R.M. HARKLESS, LTJG, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0804 C/S TO 13.5 KTS 0807 RECEIVED MUSTER NO NEW ABSENTEES 0937 C/C TO 229°

A.L. Larson, Jr.
A.L. LARSON, JR, LT, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1300 COMMENCED GUNNERY EXERCISE. SHIP AT GENERAL QUARTERS; HOLDING DAMAGE CONTROL DRILLS THROUGHOUT THE SHIP. STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND SPEEDS TO CONDUCT DRILLS 1429 SECURE FROM GENERAL QUARTERS SET REGULAR UNDERWAY WATCH. COMMENCED STEERING AT VARIOUS SPEEDS IN ORDER TO CONDUCT ONE BOILER MAXIMUM SPEED TESTS

R. Harris
CW02 R. HARRIS, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1552 C/S TO 13 KTS, SECURED FROM ONE BOILER SPEED TEST. MAXIMUM RPM'S SUSTAINED -175. 1643 C/C TO 250° TO BLOW TUBES 1705 C/C TO 229°

K.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON LTJG USN

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A.L. Larson, Jr.
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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTOW LSD 28

DATE MONDAY 29 DEC 19 69
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REMARKS—CONTINUED

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1932 $\frac{1}{2}$ 260° PGC. 1945 $\frac{1}{2}$ 240° PGC.
1946 $\frac{1}{2}$ 229° PGC.

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1945 $\frac{1}{2}$ To 240° PGC 1946 $\frac{1}{2}$
To 229° PGC 2045 $\frac{1}{2}$ To 116 RPMs.

R.A. Bebrutch
R.A. BEBRUTCH, LTJG, USN

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON LSD-28 ZONE DESCRIPTION -8H DATE TUESDAY 30 DECEMBER 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)
AT/PASSAGE FROM BUCKNER BAY, OKINAWA TO LOCAL OP-AREA, DANANG RUN

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>18°15'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>110°40'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>17°45'N</u>	BY <u>1,2</u>	
λ <u>110°04'E</u>	BY <u>1,2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>16°49'N</u>	BY <u>1</u>	
λ <u>108°53'E</u>	BY <u>1</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

00-04 STEAMING INDEPENDENTLY FROM BUCKNER BAY, OKINAWA TO LOCAL OP-AREA DANANG RUN ON COURSE 229° PGC AT 11.5 KTS. SOPA AND OTC IS CAPT RG THOMSON JR EMBARKED ON THE USS THOMASTON LSD-28 SHIP IS DARKENED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF BRIGHT NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS. MATERIAL CONDITION YOKE IS SET. NO EMCON IS SET. CONDITION OF READINESS IS THREE. NO GUNS ARE MANNED. STATUS OF THE PLANT IS: #2 BOILER WITH PLANT CROSS-CONNECTED; #3 AND #4 GENERATORS ON THE LINE. OPERATING ON THE PORT STEERING UNIT. 0338 C/C TO 255°.

W. Harkless
R. HARKLESS, LTJG, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0411 C/C 229° PGC 0516 C/C 209° PGC 0525 195° PGC 0653 OBSERVED SWARISH, TURNED OFF NAVIGATIONAL LIGHTS

R. Harris
R. HARRIS, CW02, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0744 C/C TO 230° 0745 MUSTERED THE CREW AT QUARTERS. NO NEW ABSENTEES

K.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON, LTJG, USN

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1223 C/C 107 RPM 1400 C/C 835 PGC C/C 240° PGC. 1403 230° PGC

D.E. Borak
D.E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

G.T. Adler
G.T. ADLER, LCDR, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE

R. Harkless
LTJG R. HARKLESS, USN

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 2210 picked up LAND ON AIR SEARCH RADAR, IDENTIFIED AS TIEN JA, R.V.N. 2253 C/S 5 KTS C/C 257° PGC

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A.L. LARSON JR.

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S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON (LSD-28)

DATE TUESDAY 30 DECEMBER 1969
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REMARKS—CONTINUED

20-24 (CONT.)

J.R. Carlson
K.R. CARLSON LTJG USNR

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DECK LOG—REMARKS SHEET

S/N 0105-904-1020

USS THOMASTON (LSD-28) ZONE DESCRIPTION -8 H DATE WEDNESDAY 31 DEC. 19 69
(Day) (Date) (Month)

AT/PASSAGE FROM HOLDING AREA ALICE TO R.V.N.

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
0800		
L <u>16 22.7'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>108° 37.3'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
1200		
L <u>16° 31.0'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>108° 36.0'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

POSITION	ZONE	TIME
2000		
L <u>16° 27.0'N</u>	BY <u>2</u>	
λ <u>108° 31'E</u>	BY <u>2</u>	

LEGEND: 1-CELESTIAL
2-ELECTRONIC
3-VISUAL
4-D. R.

REMARKS

04-04 STREAMING INDEPENDENTLY IN HOLDING AREA ALICE
R.V.N. ON COURSE 020 SPEED 5 KN. SOPA AND OTC IS CAPTAIN
R.G. THOMSON, USN EMBARKED IN USS THOMASTON (LSD-28) CONDITION OF
READINESS THREE, MATERIAL CONDITION YOKO IS SET. THE SHIP IS
DARKENED EXCEPT FOR NAVIGATION LIGHTS. NO GUNS ARE MANNED, NO
EMCON CONDITION IS SET. BOILER #2 GENERATORS #3 AND #4 ARE ON
RA. THE LINE. THE PLANT IS ~~SPHT~~ CROSS CONNECTED. THE PORT
STEERING UNIT IS ENGAGED. 0252 % TO 140.

R Harris
R.H. HARRIS CWO2, USN

04-08 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 0454 MANEUVERING TO TAKE
STATION 3 IN FORMATION ECHO, AXIS 237 PGC, COURSE 237° PGC, SPEED
132 RPMS 13 KNOTS. GUIDE IS USS NEW ORLEANS (LPH-11) IN STATION 1.
0630 C/F/C 000° PGC, 0655 C/F/S 067 RPMS 0708 C/F/S 102 RPM
C/F/C 153° PGC. 0700 C/F/C TO 000° T.

DE Borak
DE. BORAK, LING, USN

08-12 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 0712 % TO 090° RPM 0725 % TO
000° PGC 0727 RECEIVED MORNING MUSTER REPORT NO NEW ABSENTS
0732 % TO 355° PGC COMMENCED STEERING VARIOUS COURSES AND
SPEEDS TO TAKE STATION 500 YARDS ASTERN OF THE USS. WHITE
PLAINS AFS-4 BEARING 050° T 0815 RECEIVED DRAFT REPORT FWD
18' 7" AFT 18' 7" MEAN 18' 7" DISPLACEMENT 11,900 0829 SET THE
VERTICAL REPLENISHMENT DETAIL 0851 % TO 060° T % TO 065° T
TAKING STATION ON USS WHITE PLAINS (AFS-4) BEARING 320° T 500 YARDS
0700 % TO 055° PGC COMMENCED RECEIVING HELICOPTER LOADS
STEADY ON VERTREP COURSE 050° T 0954 % TO 252° PGC % TO 151
RPM 1045 % TO 205° T 1100 SECURED THE VERTREP DETAIL RECEIVED
20 LOADS 1117 % TO 260° T 1125 % TO 165 RPM

A.L. Larson
A.L. LARSON LT. USNR

12-16 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE. 1220 % TO 10 KTS 1222 C/F/C TO 220° % TO 9 KTS
1236 % TO 11 KTS C/F/C TO 228° 1239 % TO 11.5 KTS 1245 C/F/C TO 233° 1250 C/F/C TO
256° 1301 C/F/C TO 010° 1306 C/F/C TO 200° 1311 % TO 0 KTS 1316 % TO 10 KTS
1320 C/F/C TO 050° 1327 % TO 0 KTS 1333 % TO 10 KTS % TO 190° 1339 %
TO 220° 1347 % TO 8 KTS 1349 C/F/C TO 310° C/F/C TO 300° 1358 C/F/C TO 120° % TO
100° 1402 C/F/C TO 090° 1402 SET FLIGHT QUARTERS 1404 C/F/C TO 075°

EXAMINED

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USS THOMASTON - LSD 28

DATE WED 31 DEC 1967
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1407 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 6 KTS 1408 HELO #13254Z ON DECK 1416 HELO OFF DECK 1417 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 3 KTS 1422 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 10 KTS 1430 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 060° 1433 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 050° 1437 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 3 KTS 1438 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 5 KTS 1440 HELO #150958 ON DECK 1441 HELO AWAY 1442 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 050° $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 040° SECURED FROM FLIGHT QUARTERS 1443 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 15 KTS 1453 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 17 KTS

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R. W. HARRIS, LTJG, USNR

16-18 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1530 $\frac{1}{5}$ 17 KTS 1552 $\frac{1}{5}$ 210° PGC $\frac{1}{5}$ 5 KTS 1616 INT FIRES UNDER NO 2 BOILER 1707 NO 2 BOILER ON THE LINE 1713 SECURED NO 1 BOILER, PRESENTLY USING #3 & 4 SHIPS SERVICE GENERATORS 1820 OBSERVED SUNSET

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R. HARRIS, CWO, USN

18-20 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 1820 OBSERVED SUNSET 1916 $\frac{1}{5}$ TO 020°

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K. P. CARLSON, LTJG, USNR

20-24 UNDERWAY AS BEFORE 2229 $\frac{1}{5}$ 213° PGC

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D. E. BORAK, LTJG, USN

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