

SECRET

U.S.S. PHILADELPHIA

27 July 1942

DAILY WAR DIARY

(a) No change.

(b) Task completed. This ship made available Navy Yard, New York for repair and alterations by Commander-in-Chief, U.S. ATLANTIC FLEET, from arrival until 0800 17 August, 1942.

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(d) Position plus 4 zone time:

0800 Lat 39°-49' N Long 72°-31 W.
1200 Lat 40°-20' N Long 73°-47 W.

Anchored Gravesend Bay, New York at 1355. Poor visibility. Launched 2 aircraft for AS patrol at 0600 plus 3 time. Recovered at 0917 plus 4 time. Dense fog shut in while proceeding up swept channel toward Ambrose Light Vessel and continued intermittently until anchored in Gravesend Bay.

(e) Destroyer screen detached at Ambrose Light Vessel to proceed to Boston. PHILADELPHIA, TEXAS, and all vessels of convoy entered New York Harbor.

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