

Zone description _____

Position	0800	1200	2000
Lat.	36°-51'-00" N	36°-54'-00" N	36°-51'-00" N
Long.	13°-23'-30" E	13°-23'-30" E	13°-20'-30" E

OPERATIONAL REMARKS
(WAR DIARY)

0 to 4:

As before. 0010 Secured from General Quarters, patrolling off the coast of Scoglitti, SICILY in fire support area #A.

E.W. Bryant
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Lieut., U.S.N.R.

4 to 8:

As before. 0452 Held dawn General Quarters. 0516 Fired Browning automatic rifle at mine to starboard. 0542 Fired 20MM guns at mine to port. Mine is believed to have sunk. 0552 Secured from General Quarters.

G.T. Rickett
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Lieut., U.S.N.R.

8 to 12:

As before.

H.K. Lockwood
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Lieut., U.S.N.R.

12 to 16:

As before.

R.L. Caton
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Lieut., U.S.N.R.

16 to 18:

As before. 1706 Stopped all engines, lying to abaft starboard beam of U.S.S. ANCON, distant 200 yards. 1720 Transferred Colonel H.H. Cleaves U.S.A. who had completed his temporary duty aboard this ship. 1722 Commenced steaming on various courses and at various speeds patrolling to seaward of transports.

E.W. Bryant
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18 to 20:

As before.

G.T. Rickett
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20 to 24:

As before. 2024 Manned battle stations. 2025 Commenced steaming on course 305 (T) at two thirds speed (100 RPM) enroute to DIME area. 2120 Commenced steaming on various courses at various speeds in DIME area. 2130 Secured from General Quarters, set Condition "II" on A.A. battery and Condition "III" Surface on other stations.

R.L. Caton
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Approved:

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