

ADDITIONAL SHEET

U. S. S. PHILADELPHIA (CL 41)

Date February 20, 1943

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1. No change to report.
2. No operational plan.
3. Position: 0800 - 33°36'50" N.
07 36'45" W.
4. 0000 anchored off Casablanca, French Morocco, in fifteen fathoms of water, with forty-five fathoms of chain to the port anchor, and on the following bearings: BREAKWATER - 162° (T), BLACK ROCK LIGHT - 147°(T), EL HANK - 236° (T). 0012 cut in boilers Nos. 3 and 4. 0116 underway, proceeding into harbor, CASABLANCA, FRENCH MOROCCO on various courses and speeds. 0135 guide boat directed ship into harbor. 0150 pilot COMRADE, G.L. came aboard. 0155 passed through gate to anti-submarine net. 0315 moored stern to JETTY DE LURE with 35 fathoms of chain on the port anchor, and 90 fathoms on the starboard anchor, in 10 fathoms of water; 1 mooring wire and 4 manilla lines from stern to jetty, and 1 mooring wire to buoy on port bow, in berth "F", in company with various units of the ATLANTIC FLEET, SOPA and U.S.S. ELECTRA. 0323 secured main engines and steering engine. 0323 secured boilers Nos. 3 and 4. 0325 secured boiler No. 2. 1700 U.S.S. BEATTY and U.S.S. EARLE underway.
5. Nothing to report.
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