(Continued) UNITED STATES SHIP U.S.S. PHILADELPHIA (CL41) Thursday , 19 43. 13 August Zone description. Position 0800 1200 2000 Lat. Long. OPERATIONAL REMARKS (WAR DIARY) 18 to 20:

As before. NOTE: At 1630 this date Staff Sgt. Morris KRAVITZ, (12-026-952) 306 Service Squadron, 41 Service Group, Termini; reported aboard under verbal orders and to remain until parachutes are repacked. NOTE: The following ammunition was expended this date on the 20MM battery for test firing: 21 rounds of Lot. 13-H, 16 rounds of Lot. 1199, 7 rounds of Lot. 1, TOTAL: 44 rounds. 1834 U.S.S. NARRAGANSETT (AT 88) standing in. 1840 U.S.S. ROWAN standing in. 1920 U.S.A. Hospital Ship SEMINOLE standing out.

Lieut., U.S.N.R.

20 to 24:

As before, 2005 Darkened ship, 2015 General Quarters; set material condition "ABLE", heaved short, 2102 Set material condition "BAKER" plus, 2104 Veered to 45 fathoms of chain on deck, 2107 Secured from General Quarters; set condition of readiness III Air.

Lieut., U.S.N.R.

Approved:

PAUL HENDREN

Captain, U.S. Navy,

Commanding.

Commanding Officer.

Examined:

C.G. GESEN

Comdr., DEV-G, U.S.N.R. Navigator.

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