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**Long, Commander Robert L. J., USN (USNA, 1944)**

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**Lucas, Jim G.**

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**Lumpkin, Captain Pickett, USN**

In 1968, as the Navy's Deputy Chief of Information, arranged for Manson to get a billet in the book and magazine section of the office of the Deputy Secretary of Defense (Public Affairs), 346-347

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In 1943-44 was part of the staff of the Boston Representative of Commander Destroyers Atlantic Fleet, 4-7

Served in the crew of the destroyer *Laffey* (DD-724) in 1944-45, 7-25

Shortly after World War II was selected as a public information specialist and augmented into the regular Navy, 39-40

Served in the late 1940s on the Secretary of the Navy's Committee on Research on Reorganization (SCOROR) and participated in the writing of volumes of *Battle Report* about the Navy's combat operations in World War II, 27-38

In the late 1940s-early 1950s served as speechwriter to CNOs Louis Denfeld and Forrest Sherman, 38, 44-50, 56, 82-84, 200-211, 260-266

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From 1953 to 1956 served as speechwriter for two Chiefs of Naval Operations, Robert Carney and Arleigh Burke, 75-80, 95-110, 171-173

Served from 1956 to 1958 as head of Plans and Policies Analysis, Office of Progress Analysis, in OpNav, 107, 147-148, 157-165, 169-170, 173-184

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Served 1964-68 as public affairs officer for NATO's Supreme Allied Commander Atlantic (SACLant), 166-167, 293-330

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### **Martin, Vice Admiral William I., USN (USNA, 1934)**

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**McDonald, Admiral David L., USN (Ret.) (USNA, 1928)**

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**Mendenhall, Captain Ferdinand, USNR**

Reserve officer who was recalled to active duty to provide public information support for the 1964 NATO Exercise Team Work, 327

**Menocal, Captain George L., USN (USNA, 1922)**

In 1943-44 served as Administrative Commander Destroyer Squadron 27/Boston Representative of Commander Destroyers Atlantic Fleet, 4-7, 27

**Mereness, Captain Robert H., USN**

In the mid-1960s served as public affairs officer for Commander in Chief U.S. Naval Forces Europe, 335

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**Miller, Rear Admiral George H., USN (USNA, 1933)**

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**Miller, Captain Gerald E., USN (USNA, 1942)**

Served in the mid-1960s as executive assistant to Vice Chief of Naval Operations Horacio Rivero, 304-305

**Miller, Captain Henry L., USN (USNA, 1934)**

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**Montgomery, Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. British Army**

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**Montgomery, Robert**

Movie actor and Naval Reservist who did publicity work on behalf of the Navy in the late 1940s, 210-211

**Moorer, Admiral Thomas H., USN (Ret.) (USNA, 1933)**

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**Morison, Rear Admiral Samuel Eliot, USNR (Ret.)**

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**Naval Institute, U.S.**

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**Peet, Commander Raymond E., USN (USNA, 1943)**

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**Perry, Lieutenant Commander Marsden J., USNR**

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### **Pillsbury, Commander John D., USNR**

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### **Pineau, Lieutenant Roger, USNR**

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**Russell, Rear Admiral James S., USN (USNA, 1926)**

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**Saloman, Lieutenant Commander Henry, USNR**

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**Shaw, Commander James C., USN (USNA, 1936)**

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**Shear, Commander Harold E., USN (USNA, 1942)**

In 1961 commanded the ballistic missile submarine *Patrick Henry* (SSBN-599) deployed to Holy Loch, Scotland, 233, 237-238

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**Shepley, James R.**

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**Sherman, Admiral Forrest P., USN (USNA, 1918)**

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