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Oliver, Vice Admiral Geoffrey, Royal Navy

In the early 1950s commanded the British East India Force, based in Ceylon, 977-978

Olympia, USS (C-6)

Preserved as a museum ship at Philadelphia, 1083-1084

Pahlavi, Mohammed Reza

As Shah of Iran, late 1940s-early 1950s, 850, 913-914, 922-925, 935, 959-960, 1039-1040

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Pastorius, Dr. Johann

Prussian-born individual who came to the United States in the 1890s, served in the Spanish-American War, and later practiced medicine, 1035-1036

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

In the 1950s served as aide to CNO Admiral Arleigh Burke, 1074

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Pierce, Colonel James R., USA (USMA, 1922)

In 1950 was involved with training Iranian gendarmes, 912-913

Planning

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Post, Marjorie Merriweather

In 1947, while married to Ambassador Joseph Davies, hosted a cruise on board her yacht *Sea Cloud*, formerly IX-99 in the Navy, 837-838, 840

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Radford, Admiral Arthur W., USN (USNA, 1916)

As Vice Chief of Naval Operations in 1949, testified to Congress on unification of the services, 877-878 Worked on his memoir while his papers were stored at the Naval History Division,

1070

Ramsey, Admiral Dewitt C., USN (USNA, 1912)

Contender to be Chief of Naval Operations in 1947, 845

Rassieur, Captain William T., USN (USNA, 1923)

Commanded the Middle East Force in 1950, 883, 888, 892

Razmara, Haji Ali

Iran's Prime Minister from June 1950 until his assassination in March 1951, 921-923, 961

Reader's Digest

Author William Bradford Huie wrote biased articles against the Navy for the magazine in 1949, 863-866

Recruiting

For the Naval Reserve in 1946-48, 833-835

Reeves, Vice Admiral John W. Jr. USN (USNA, 1911)

In the late 1940s commanded the Naval Air Transport Service, 840-841

Regulus Missiles

Testing of by the U.S. Navy in the 1950s, 832-833

Remón, José Antonio (Cantera)

Head of the National Guard in Panama in the late 1940s, essentially ran the country, 861-862

Rhee, Syngman

Served as President of the Republic of Korea during the Korean War, 1020-1021

Richardson, Admiral James O., USN (Ret.) (USNA, 1902)

Worked with Vice Admiral George Dyer on Richardson's memoir, 1090

Rickover, Captain Hyman G., USN (USNA, 1922)

In the late 1940s got involved in the Navy's nuclear power program, 841-842, 1099-1100

Ridgway, Lieutenant General Matthew B., USA (USMA, 1917)

Army officer who was Commander in Chief Caribbean Command, based in Panama, in the late 1940s, 861

Roark, Lieutenant William M., USN (USNA, 1960)

Sent a patriotic letter to his wife before being killed over North Vietnam in 1965, 1111

Rome, Italy

In 1950 was the site of a State Department conference concerning possible evacuation of Americans from the Middle East, 926-928

Rosenberg, Dr. David A.

Burke biographer who worked in the 1960s writing entries for the Dictionary of American Naval Fighting Ships, 1088-1089

Royal Navy

In the early 1950s Royal Navy officers commanded the navies of India and Pakistan, 891, 895

British Force in the Far East in the early 1950s, 977-978

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Satterthwaite, Joseph C.

Served as U.S. Ambassador to Ceylon from 1949 to 1953, 973, 977-978

Saudi Arabia

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Sea Cloud, ex-USS (IX-99)

In 1947, while married to Ambassador Joseph Davies, Marjorie Merriweather Post, hosted a cruise on board her yacht formerly IX-99 in the Navy, 837-838

Selection Boards

In 1952 passed over Eller for rear admiral, 1027-1028 In 1953 Fleet Admiral Chester Nimitz wrote a letter to the selection board on Eller's behalf, 1028-1029

Shah of Iran

See: Pahlavi, Mohammed Reza

Shahin, Vice Admiral Havibollah, Iranian Navy

As the Navy's Chief of Staff, visited the United States in the late 1950s, 958

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

As DCNO (Operations) shortly after World War II, 841-842, 851, 877-878 In 1948-49, served as Commander Sixth Task Fleet in the Mediterranean, 851, 875-876

Served 1949 as Chief of Naval Operations, 878-880, 982, 1015, 1027 Death of in July 1951, 1015

Ship Handling

In the heavy cruiser Albany (CA-123) in 1951-52, 1005, 1012, 1015-1016

Sicily

Visited by the heavy cruiser Albany (CA-123) in 1951, 997

Sides, Captain John H., USN (USNA, 1925)

In 1950-51 commanded the heavy cruiser Albany (CA-123), 982

Sixth Fleet, U.S.

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Soviet Union

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Spruance, Admiral Raymond A., USN (Ret.) (USNA, 1907)

Subject of a command study/biography by Vice Admiral Emmet Forrestel, 1105-1106

Stark, Admiral Harold R., USN (Ret.) (USNA, 1903)

Hesitant about cooperation on his biography, 1090-1091

State Department

Its personnel participated in National War College programs in the late 1940s, 847, 857-858

In 1950 Rome was the site of a State Department conference concerning possible evacuation of Americans from the Middle East, 926-928

Stilwell, Lieutenant General Joseph Warren, USA (USMA, 1904)

Service in China in World War II, 857-858

Stroh, Captain Robert J., USN (USNA, 1930)

Commanded the small seaplane tender Valcour (AVP-55) in 1950-51, 928, 951, 1037-1038

Sullivan, John L.

Served 1947-49 as Secretary of the Navy, 837-838, 844

Syria

Construction of a portion of the Trans-Arabian Pipeline in the early 1950s, 969-970

Terrier Missile

Development work at Inyokern in the late 1940s, 842-843

Trans-Arabian Pipeline

Construction of in the early 1950s, 909-911, 968-970

Trincomalee, Ceylon

Base in 1951 for the British East India Force, 977-978

Truman, President Harry S.

Involvement in defense matters in the late 1940s, 848-853, 866, 869-872, 877-878, 880

Friendly, outgoing personality, 851-853

The Truman Doctrine in 1947 was designed to support nations threatened by Communism, 851, 868

Recognition of the nation of Israel in 1948, 854

Spoofed at the Gridiron Club in Washington in 1951, 982

Turkey

Visited by the battleship *Missouri* (BB-63) in 1946, 850-851 Istanbul was the site of a 1951 conference on defenses in the Middle East and Mediterranean, 967-968 Visited by the heavy cruiser *Albany* (CA-123) in 1951, 1003-1004

Turner, Admiral Richmond K., USN (Ret.) (USNA, 1908)

Subject of a biography by Vice Admiral George Dyer, 1105-1106

Unification

Creation of the Defense Department in 1947 and ensuing attempts to curtail naval aviation and the Marine Corps, 852-853, 863-864, 877-880 Restructuring of the Defense Department in the early 1950s increased bureaucracy, 1024-1027

Utah, USS (AG-16)

Participated in a war game against the Army Air Corps in 1937, 864-865

V-2 Rocket

Firing of from the aircraft carrier Midway (CVB-41) in 1947, 836-837

Valcour, USS (AVP-55)

Served as flagship of the U.S. Middle East Force in 1950, 928-930, 934, 950-953

Vandenberg, General Hoyt S., USAF (USMA, 1923)

Served 1948 to 1953 as Air Force Chief of Staff, 843, 867, 870, 875

Vedel, Vice Admiral Aage Helgesen

Served as Commander in Chief Royal Danish Navy in the early 1950s, 988, 990

Vermilion, USS (AKA-107)

In January 1952 collided with the attack transport Mellette (APA-56), 1010-1011

Vienna, Austria

Rundown postwar condition in 1949, 875-876

Vietnam War

Coverage of the war by the Naval History Division, 1100-1104, 1110-1111

Walsh, Colonel James L., USA (USMA, 1909)

Involvement with the American Ordnance Association in the late 1940s, 843

Warren, Avra M.

U.S. Ambassador to Pakistan, 1950-52, 894, 901, 972

Washington Navy Yard

In the late 1950s became the home of the Navy Museum, 1075-1077

Weather

A storm struck the French Riviera and the heavy cruiser *Albany* (CA-123) in 1951, 1000

In 1952 the Albany participated in cold-weather operational tests near Greenland, 1008-1014

Whitehill, Walter M.

Historian who assisted the Navy in compiling the Naval Documents of the American Revolution series, 1091-1092

Wild Goose, HMS

Flagship of the British Persian Gulf Force in 1951, 980

Winnecker, Rudolph A.

Taught at the National War College before becoming Chief Historian of the Office of the Secretary of Defense in 1949, 862

Yeager, Captain Howard A., USN (USNA, 1927)

In the late 1940s served as senior aide to Chief of Naval Operations Louis Denfeld, 869, 871