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PLAN OF THE DAY, TUESDAY, NOBEMBER 16, 1943

0335 - Condition III Section 2 relieve the watch.

0441 - Reveille.

0515 - Flight Quarters.

0511 - Dawn General Quarters.

0545 - Catapult one plane for Inner Air Patrol

0611 - Secure from General Quarters - Set Condition III Section 2.

0735 - Condition III Section 3 relieve the watch.

0800 - All Horizon and Surface Lookouts (new men) not on watch. report to classroom for instruction.

0815 - Muster on stations.

0900 - Section 4 of the 20mm gun crews report to school room for instruction.

- Pay crew.

1000 - Section 1 of the 20mm gun crews report to schoolroom for instruction.

- Read Captain's message over speaker system. 1005 - Pand parade through main and second decks.

- 1010 Pass word: All divisions lay below to own compartments for war bond information.
- 1100 First Aid instruction for new men of the C-S & F division.

1200 - War Bond Concert and show featuring CAVNAR, SK2c.

1205 - Condition III Section 4 relieve the watch.

1300 - Pay stragglers.

1400 - First Aid instruction for new men of the S, N, & L Division.

1500 - 1600 - Section 2 of the 20mm gun crews report to schoolroom for instruction.

1535 - Condition III Section 1 relieve the watch.

1735 - Condition III Section 2 relieve the watch.

1935 - Condition III Section 3 relieve the watch.

SUNSET - Darken ship on main deck and above.

One-half hour after sunset - darken ship. (Set condition II).

2335 - Condition III Section 4 relieve the watch.

NOTES: (1) 0800, 80 hand working party and 6 PO's report to Dunn, SK3c at Commissary Issuing Room.
(2) If our daily fresh water expenditure can be kept down to 35,000 gallons per day, we shall probably be able to operate without water hours.

Yesterday we used..... 40.396 gallons.

(3) At 1633, 15 November 1943, the U.S.S. NEW MEXICO officially crossed the Equator. All Pollywogs are hereby welcomed into the Domain of the Royal Order of the Deep. King Neptune regrets that he was unable to have his Mermaids, Scorpions, and Sea Serpents to meet and escort you into his Domain. However, they, along with the U.S. Nawy, are all busily engaged in seeking out and exterminating the enemy. /s/ King Neptune, Royal Ruler of the Deep/

J. T. WARREN, Commender, U.S. Navy, Executive Officer

SAVE YOUR PAY THE WAR BOND WAY

Hi, Elier !!!!

Believe it or not - the first two (2) men to sign WAR BOND ALLOTHENTS were Lt. (jg) ELHER Bryan and Ensign ELHER Gentry.

Officers of the Wardroom have challenged the J. O. Mess that they will have a greater percentage of WAR BOID BUXMES - with GEEDUMKS for winners and it looks like a nip and tuck affair.

"BEER for BONDS"

The War Bond Officer is pleased to announce that an old-fashioned beer party, steak fry, picnic and ball game will be given - free and without cost - to that Division which distinguishes itself by having the largest percentage of WAR BOND ALLOTIENTS. Imagine being so richly rewarded just for saving your money.

The runner-up Division will be served free GEEDUIKS - delicious, creamy, huge helpings - direct from our own famous soda fountain.

The contest officially closes when we next hit port.

GET YOUR ALLOTHERT SQUARED AWAY TODAY.:

ALL STANDING RED BATTLE LIGHTS WILL BE LEFT ON DAY -