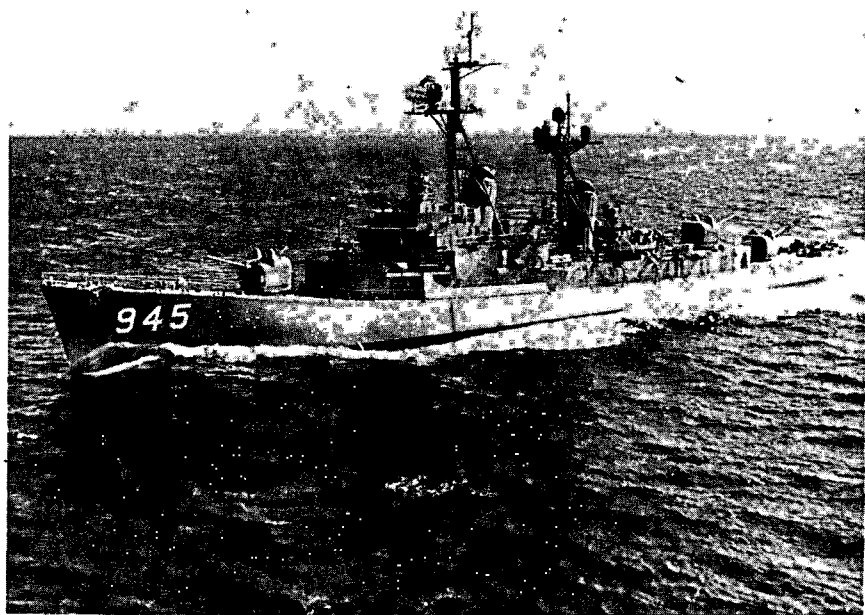


CHANGE OF COMMAND CEREMONY



USS HULL DD - 945

**UNITED STATES NAVAL STATION
SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA**



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Commander Harry S. QUAST was born in Sheboygan, Wisconsin, on 30 May 1935. He attended Miami University, Oxford, Ohio and was graduated and commissioned through the NROTC regular program in June 1957. His first permanent duty station was the USS SAN MARCOS (LSD-35) as Gunnery Officer and later as Navigator. He reported to the NROTC Unit, University of Louisville, Kentucky in January 1960, as Navigation and Operations Instructor. In February 1962, he reported to the USS HAZELWOOD (DD-531) as Operations Officer. He also served as Engineering Officer before being transferred to the U. S. Naval Postgraduate School, Monterey, California in August 1964. He graduated with a Master of Science in Management (Data Processing) and reported to the USS SKILL (MSO-471) as Commanding Officer in September 1966. His last tour of duty commenced in October 1968 at the Bureau of Naval Personnel, where he was assigned to the Officer Distribution Division. Commander QUAST assumed command of the USS HULL (DD-945) on 8 February 1972.

Commander QUAST is married to the former Merrill L. Sleight and they have three children: Harry R., age 10; Catherine, age 8; and Jennifer, age 4.

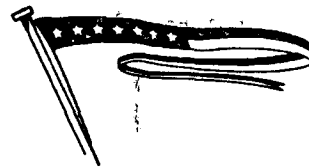


COMMANDER JAMES E. McCONVILLE

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After graduating from St. Louis University, CDR McCONVILLE entered the Navy in 1957. He was commissioned in July of that year and following an abbreviated pursuit of the Navy "Wings of Gold", was re-assigned to USS HORNET (CVS 12). In 1960 he was a member of the commissioning crew of USS HENRY B. WILSON (DDG 7). From 1962 CDR McCONVILLE served as an Operations Evaluator and Training Supervisor for Fleet Training Group San Diego until late 1964 when he became Operations Officer on USS LYNDE McCORMICK (DDG 8). In 1965 he was assigned to a second pre-commissioning crew, this time as prespective Executive Officer (XO) of the USS SCHOFIELD (DEG 3). Due to shipbuilding delays, he served his XO tour on USS WILLIAM R. RUSH (DD 714). During 1969 he participated in the Vietnam Pacification Program as an advisor in what is now MR3 and as a SEATO Plans Officer. After attending the U. S. Army Psychological Operations School in Fort Bragg, N. C., he served with CINCPAC (Joint Staff) as a Psychological Operations Plans Officer. In September 1972 he assumed command of USS SHELTON (DD 790) until SHELTON was decommissioned in March 1973. His last tour was on the Staff of Commander Cruiser Destroyer Force Pacific.

Commander McCONVILLE is originally from Sterling, Illinois and is married to the former Nancy Jean Crow of Lostine, Oregon. They have four children, Kevin, Kelly, Peter, and Megan.



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MUSICAL SELECTIONS

Commander Cruiser Destroyer Force
U.S. Pacific Fleet Band

NATIONAL ANTHEM

GUEST SPEAKER
Captain F.C. Johnson, USN
Commander Destroyer Squadron 21

INVOCATION

Lieutenant Commander A.L. Fiorino, CHC, USNR

REMARKS

READING OF ORDERS
Commander H.S. Quast, USN

READING OF ORDERS REMARKS

Commander J.E. McConville, USN

BENEDICTION

Lieutenant Commander A.L. Fiorino, CHC, USNR

WARDROOM RECEPTION

USS HULL (DD-945)

HULL arrived at her homeport of San Diego on 13 October 1958, joining the Pacific Fleet as a member of Destroyer Squadron ONE. Between 1959 and 1962, the HULL made three deployments to the Western Pacific. She patrolled the Formosa Straits and other areas in the South China Sea.

With the introduction of offensive missiles in Cuba, HULL sailed from San Diego in October 1962, to escort Amphibious Forces to the Canal Zone, which were to strengthen American Forces in the Caribbean.

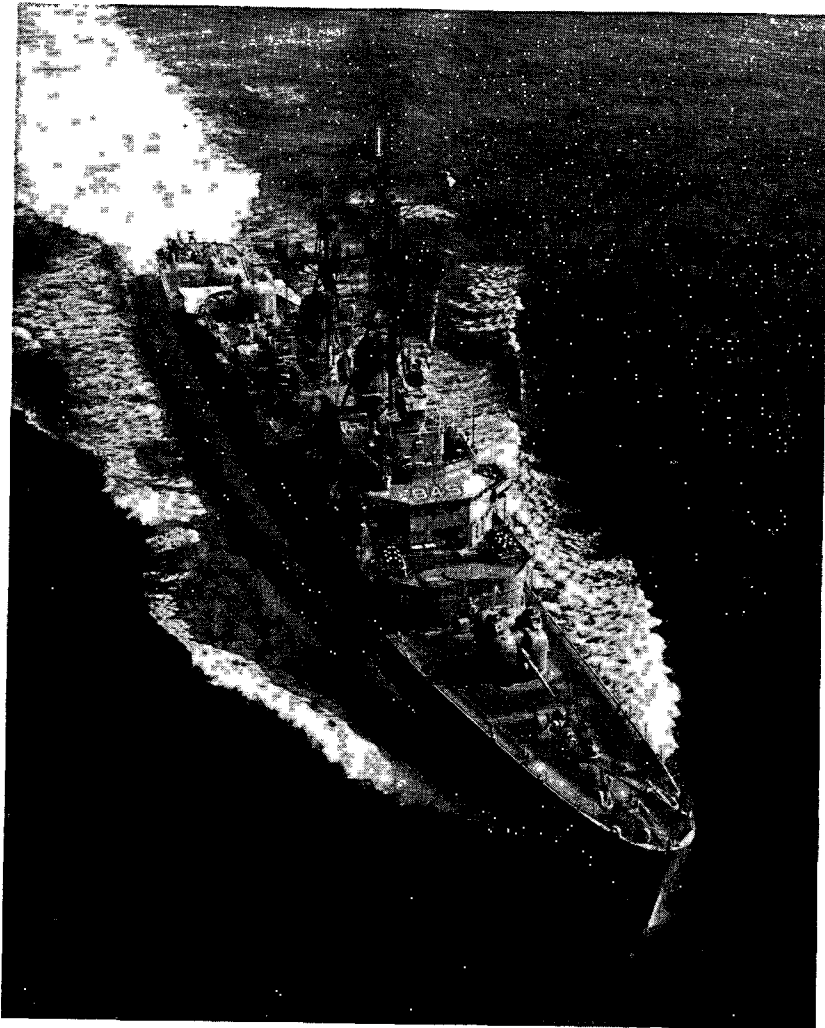
In 1965, and again in 1966, HULL sailed to the Seventh Fleet and joined forces conducting gunfire support missions off the coast of South Vietnam. HULL also participated in the search and rescue operations in the Gulf of Tonkin during this time and was instrumental in the rescue of a number of downed U.S. pilots.

During HULL'S 1968 deployment to the Western Pacific, HULL expended 25,000 rounds of 5" ammunition in support of allied troops in Vietnam. During this same period of time, HULL came under fire by enemy shore batteries on seven different occasions.

Since that time, HULL has made two more deployments to the Western Pacific. During her most recent one in 1971, HULL fired in excess of 6,000 rounds, primarily in the First and Fourth Military Regions.

On her current tour, which she sailed on a forty-eight hour notice, fully manned and ready in all respects, HULL reported to CTU 70.8.9 on 3 May 1972, for duty as an additional asset to the NGFS Mission. During this cruise, the USS HULL (DD 945) once again showed her awesome firepower as she destroyed bunkers, ammo/fuel depots, barges and waterborn logistics crafts. She also, on several occasions, took enemy troops and vehicles under fire with much success. More than 20,000 accurate rounds were delivered against the enemy, making this a most successful deployment.

Currently USS HULL (DD 945) is a San Diego homeported unit of Destroyer Squadron Twenty-One.



SHIP'S OFFICERS

CDR H. S. QUAST
LCDR B. A. MACDONALD
LCDR G. N. KIDD
LCDR W. R. SNYDER
LT T. M. SYRKO
LT E. J. LANDERKIN
LTJG D. Q. STOCKHAUS
LTJG W. R. LAMBERT
LTJG G. F. NAFZIGER
LTJG J. W. VIVOLI
LTJG J. L. COLE
LTJG M. J. SPARROW
LTJG M. R. HAASE
ENS M. J. RILEY
ENS D. A. SMITH
ENS A. R. GRITZKE
ENS D. R. HOSTETTER
ENS S. LUNDSAGER
ENS S. J. SKIDMORE
WO1 W. M. BROMAGHIM

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SUPPLY OFFICER
ASSISTANT WEAPONS OFFICER
NAVIGATOR
ASSISTANT OPERATIONS OFFICER
CIC OFFICER
DISBURSING OFFICER
FIRST LIEUTENANT
ASW OFFICER
DAMAGE CONTROL ASSISTANT
3-M COORDINATOR
GUNNERY ASSISTANT
SECOND DIVISION OFFICER
COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER
MAIN PROPULSION ASSISTANT
ELECTRONICS MATERIAL OFFICER

SYMBOLGY OF HULL EMBLEM

The emblem consists of concentric circles, the center field of which is parted horizontally by a horizon, with the first USS HULL on the left and the present USS HULL on the right. Between the concentric circles at the top of the emblem is a shield with the date 1862 in the upper half and vertical stripes in the bottom half. This date indicates the commissioning date of the first USS HULL. A similar shield on the bottom of the emblem indicates 1958, the commissioning date of the present USS HULL (DD 945). These dates give added emphasis to the saying, "Protecting our Heritage" which is depicted in block letters by a sweeping arch from the USS HULL (1862) to the USS HULL (1958).