

Glasgow

There are few men in Standing Naval Force who would not agree that the countryside of Scotland is some of the most beautiful in the world. The picturesque beauty of Campbeltown and the striking countryside along the Clyde River will be long remembered by all of us. Glasgow is a sprawling industrial city whose people turned out by the thousands to visit our ships and which we found to have the friendliest girls of any port we visited.



Standing Naval Force C. O.s meet the Lord Mayor of Glasgow.

What more appropriate greeting could we have received in Scotland than a bagpipe and drum corps.





We saw a lot of the Scottish country side during our operations in the Clyde River, it truly was some of the most striking and beautiful scenery anywhere.



London

London was a port of call to which the men of Standing Naval Force had looked forward for a long time. There could be found no lack of things to see and do in this great city. Shopping and sightseeing, enjoying the pubs and the outstanding night life all made for a busy and thoroughly enjoyed visit.

During our London visit the US destroyer **BIGELOW** arrived to relieve the **ADAMS**. When the Force departed London both the **ADAMS** and **EVERTSEN** would depart the Force for home. Thursday the last of the five ships which began operations in Bermuda in January would have completed their assignments with Standing Naval Force Atlantic, while their reliefs, and other ships from other NATO navies would continue to fulfill its mission.



Princess Margaret inspects the Standing Naval Force Honor Guard.



Her Royal Highness Princess Margaret accepts a Standing Naval Force plaque from the Commodore.



Commodore Fieldhouse welcomes the Lord Mayor of London.



Big Ben in central London



Trafalgar Square



The Cutty Sark Memorial in Greenwich



The Changing of the Guard

. . . Just a parting glance at some of the places Standing Naval Force visited between January and July 1972



St. Thomas, Virgin Islands



El Morro Castle, San Juan, Puerto Rico



Lisbon, Portugal





Headed ashore at Izmir, Turkey



Ephesus, Izmir, Turkey

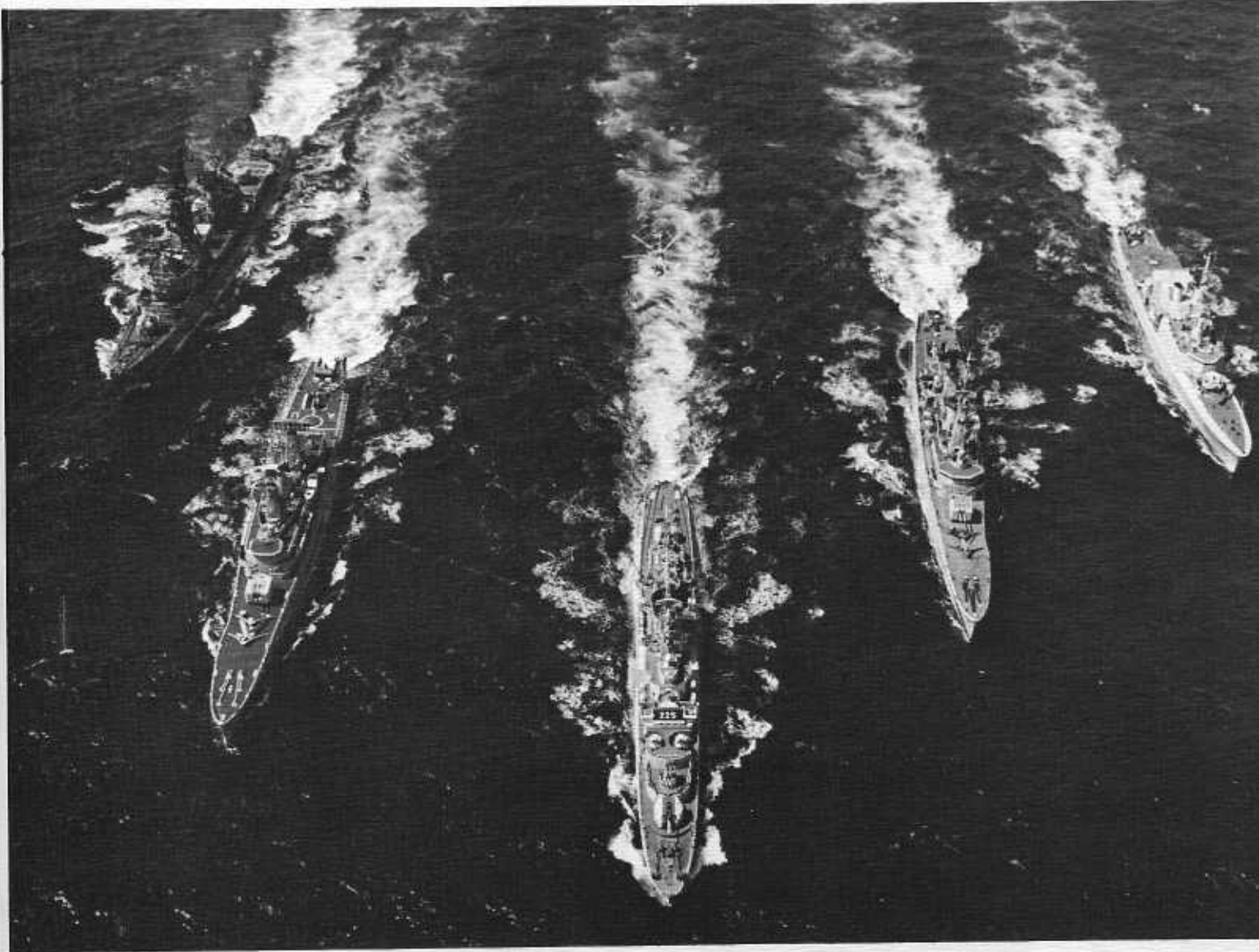


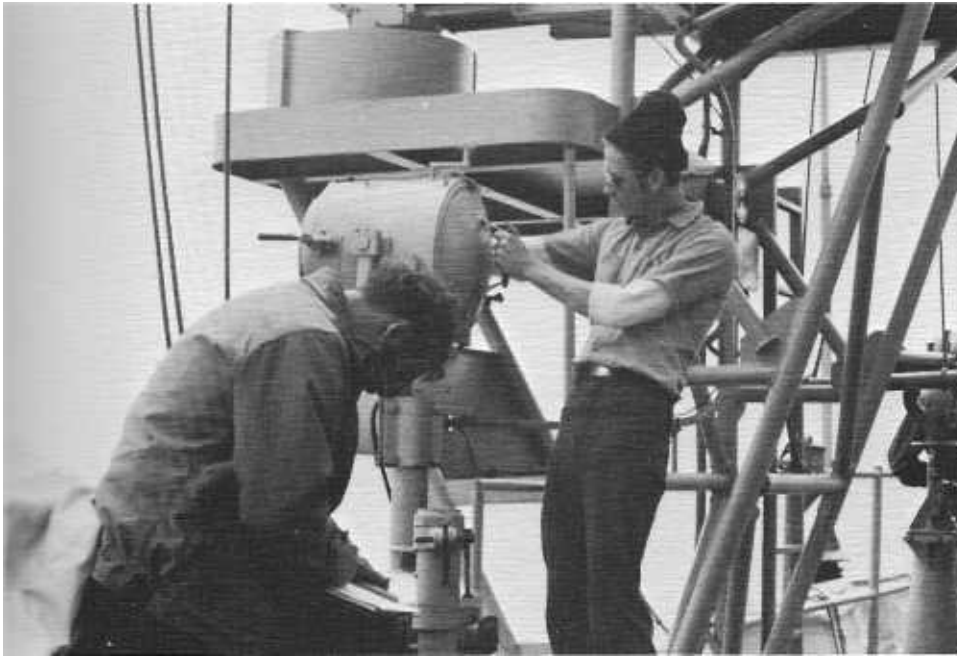
Parthenon, Athens, Greece



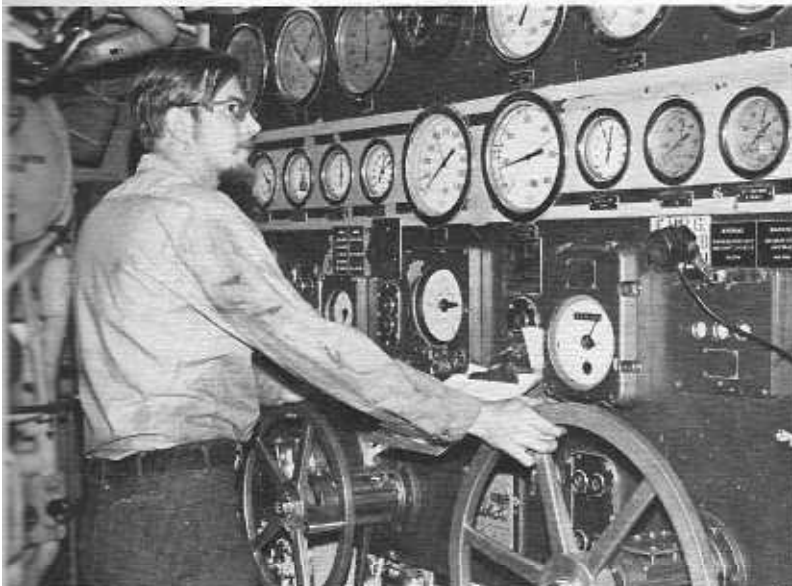
Pompei, Naples, Italy

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The Standing Naval Force Atlantic is far more than simply an assemblage of huge, intricate machines called warships. It is the men in them, who make those ships move and do their jobs effectively who are the real heart and spirit of the Standing Naval Force.



Standing Naval Force Atlantic.



