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1. The LST 1087 was built at Ambridge, Pa. and commissioned at New Orleans on 2 March 1945.
2. On 8 April 1945 the ship shoved off alone with a load for Pearl Harbor and arrived there on 3 May 1945 whereupon the ship discharged its cargo.
3. On 14 May 1945 the ship left for Hilo, Hawaii in company with three (3) other LSTs to pick up an Artillery Group. This was accomplished and the ship returned to Pearl Harbor on 18 May 1945 and discharged its cargo and passengers.
4. Ship underway in convoy with 24 other LSTs for Eniwetok, Marshall Islands. Ship carrying men and officers of Garrison Boat Pool and assorted military cargo.
5. Anchored 5 June 1945 at Eniwetok. 6 June 1945, underway to Guam, Marianas.
6. 11 June 1945, laying to off Guam. Orders changed and underway to Saipan, Marianas. 12 June 1945 anchored at Saipan, Marianas.
7. 8 July 1945 underway to Okinawa, Shima as part of 69 ship convoy. 14 July 1945 anchored at Hagushi Bay, Okinawa. 15 July 1945, unloaded cargo and discharged passengers.
8. From 15 July 1945 to 29 July 1945 the ship was engaged nightly in making smoke during red alerts. The ship sortied once from the harbor during a typhoon in this period. On 24 July 1945 shifted berth to Buckner Bay, Okinawa.
9. 29 July 1945. Underway to Saipan with 64 ships. Arrived and anchored at Saipan 8 August 1945 having weathered a typhoon enroute.
10. 9 August 1945. Underway Pearl Harbor in company with 11 Other LSTs. 26 August 1945. Arrived Pearl Harbor.
11. 3 September 1945. Underway to Sasebo, Kyushu, Japan with 17 other

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LSTs carrying officers and men and their mechanized units of an Engineer Pontoon Bridge Co. 24 September 1945. Anchored in Sasebo Bay, cargo discharged on the following day.

12. 1 October 1945. Underway to Okinawa alone to effect repairs to bearing on port shaft. Damage inflicted while beaching to discharge cargo at Sasebo. Arrived 4 October 1945 Buckner Bay, Okinawa.

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