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CAPT D. N. HENRIQUES, Jr.

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Captain David N. Henriques, Jr. was born in Pensacola, Fla. He was graduated from Georgia Tech in Atlanta, Ga. in 1945. He attended the Naval Midshipman School at Cornell and was commissioned as Ensign in the U.S. Naval Reserve on 7 July 1945.

His first ship was USS KASAAN BAY (CVE-69) where he served as Arresting Gear Officer and Assistant Engineering Officer. He was later assigned duty aboard USS BARNES (CVE-20). In 1946 and 1947 he was Arresting Gear Officer aboard USS ROOSEVELT (CVA-42).

In March of 1947 he reported to USS GAINARD (DD-706) where he served as Communications, Operations and Gunnery Officer. His next tour was as Gunnery Officer of USS STORMES (DD-740). From 1952 to 1954 he was Communications Officer of the Naval Postgraduate School at Monteray, Cal. In 1955 he assumed command of USS CHELAN COUNTY (LST-542).

Captain Henriques' more recent duties include a tour at the U.S. Naval Station at Guantanamo Bay, Cuba with the Fleet Training Group and Executive Officer of USS SPERRY (DD-697).

In July 1962 he reported to the Naval Postgraduate School for one year course in Management. His next assignment was Production Officer, U.S. Naval Ordnance Plant, Macon, Ga.

Prior to taking Command of Destroyer Division 82, Captain Henriques was Commanding Officer of USS GOODRICH (DDR-831)

Captain Henriques is married to the former Eleanor E. Webb of Pensacola, Fla. They have one daughter, Jane, age 19, The Commodore and his family reside at 555 Ozbourn Ave. on the Mayport Naval Station.