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CAPTAIN'S MESSAGE

To the officers and men of the U.S.S. RENATE (AKA-36). As your Commanding Officer it is a privilege and a pleasure to welcome you aboard. There are many things to be said, but most important, it must be stressed, that every officer and man will be expected to perform his duty to the fullest and best of his ability. We must all keep this foremost in our minds if we are to have our ship take her rightful place as a true fighting ship of the Navy.

J. F. WICKHAM,
Lieutenant Commander, DM, USNR
Commanding Officer.

ROSTER OF OFFICERS

Lieutenant Commander JOSEPH F. WICKHAM, DM, USNR
Commanding Officer

Lieutenant C. J. De MAIO, DM, USNR
Executive Officer

Lieutenant LEFENS PORTER, USNR
Lieutenant EVANS KAHN, USNR
Lieutenant ZENON J. MONTZ, USNR
Lieutenant WILLIAM W. HODGES, USN
Lieutenant ANDREW J. ADAMS, USNR
Lieutenant JOSEPH A. WANCO, USNR
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Lt. (jg) WEBSTER L. SAGE, USNR
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Ens. THOMAS A. CONNARE, USNR
Ens. GEORGE A. ROBERTSON, USN
Ens. WILLIAM S. FOGELMAN, USNR
Ens. JOSEPH S. HATFIELD, JR., USNR
Ens. A. F. GRANT, USNR
Ch. Carpenter FRANK E. CLIFFORD, USN

Ch. Boatswain JAMES J. BARRETT, USNR
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Electrician KENNETH O. BISSELL, USNR
Lt. Comdr. R. M. ARKWRIGHT, USNR
Lieutenant JAMES A. McAULEY, USNR
Lieutenant EDWARD S. LITTLE, USNR
Acting Pay Clerk JAY PERSON, USN
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Ens. ROBERT J. BERRY, USNR
Ens. JOSEPH A. WOLTERING, USNR
Ens. DANIEL L. MONAHAN, USNR
Ens. JOSEPH P. McAFEE, USNR
Ens. CHARLES B. McPHEE, USNR
Ens. WILLIAM J. McTIGUE, USNR
Ens. WAYNE L. MEEK, USNR

ORIGIN OF SHIP'S NAME

RENATE, an asteroid discovered by Wolf of Koenigstuhm in 1905, is the 575th asteroid in the order of discovery. Its orbit about the Sun is just inside that of the planet Mars.

RENATE (from the Latin "Renatus") meaning "to be reborn".

RENATE is the name of a novel written in 1877 by Theodor Storm. It is a love story about a beautiful young girl called *Renate*.