

The Commanding Officer

Officers and Crew

of the

U. S. S. Cleburne, APA-73

request the honor of your presence

at the

Commissioning Ceremonies

to be held at

Berth 90

San Pedro, California

22 DEC.

1430

THE U. S. S. CLEBURNE



Cleburne County, Alabama

Cleburne County, Arkansas

Ships of the United States Navy are given names which are distinctive of their types. Attack Transports are named for counties of the various states.

The U. S. S. CLEBURNE is named for both Cleburne County of Alabama and of Arkansas. Major General Cleburne, C. S. A. was one of the youngest general officers in the service of the South.

The keel of the ship was laid on June 20, 1944, and was launched September 27, 1944. Mrs. Mary Trainer, of Akron, Ohio, was her sponsor on christening day at the Consolidated Steel Corporation, Ltd., Wilmington, Calif.

—SCHEDULE OF EVENTS—



The Ship's Company takes parade stations.

The Commander, Naval Operating Base, Terminal Island, arrives on board and is met by the Prospective Commanding Officer.

The Commander, Naval Operating Base, opens ceremonies to place ship in commission.

Colors are hoisted.

Prospective Commanding Officer publishes orders and assumes command.

The watch is set.

Invocation by the Chaplain.

The Commanding Officer welcomes officers and crew aboard.

Following the ceremony refreshments will be served in the Wardroom and in the Crew's Mess.

ROSTER OF OFFICERS



NAME and RANK	PRIMARY DUTY
Lieutenant Commander F. T. CALLAHAN, USNR	Commanding Officer
Lieutenant Commander G. L. BATCHELDER, USNR	Executive Officer
Lieutenant J. J. PECK, USNR	Navigator
Lieutenant C. J. BURKE, USNR	First Lieutenant
Lieutenant W. P. BROWN, USNR	Engineering Officer
Lieutenant (jg) W. R. FUHRMAN, USNR	Ship's Secretary
Lieutenant (jg) J. M. MATHIAS, USNR	Second Division Officer
Lieutenant (jg) H. D. WILLIAMS, USNR	Gunnery Officer
Lieutenant (jg) J. J. HOULIHAN, USN	Assistant Engineering Officer
Lieutenant (jg) S. R. FRAZIER, USNR	First Division Officer
Ensign J. R. KIMLIN, USNR	Communications Officer
Ensign J. H. MANN, USNR	Assistant Damage Control Officer
Ensign H. G. MYERS, USNR	CIC Officer
Ensign S. KOSSEN, USNR	Assistant Gunnery Officer
Ensign R. E. JACKSON, USNR	Assistant Communications Officer
Ensign H. H. JOHNSON, USNR	Assistant Navigator
Lieutenant J. W. CLARK, MC, USNR	Senior Medical Officer
Lieutenant R. A. E. JUNEAU, DC-V, USNR	Dental Officer
Lieutenant (jg) J. N. HUIE, SC, USNR	Supply Officer
Ensign N. L. GUY, SC-V(G), USNR	Assistant to Supply Officer
Chief Boatswain E. J. QUIRK, USN	Assistant to First Lieutenant
Chief Machinist G. F. KNAUER, USN	Assistant to Engineering Officer
Carpenter J. H. HOLLINDE, USN	Assistant to First Lieutenant
Electrician R. OLIVER, USNR	Assistant to Engineering Officer
Acting Pay Clerk C. L. ROTH, USN	Assistant to Supply Officer