

DECK LOG—ADDITIONAL REMARKS SHEET

United States Ship – USS HIGBEE (DD806)

Saturday 27 January, 1945

ADDITIONAL REMARKS

At 1500 this date, the Commandant 1st Naval District, Rear Admiral Felix Gygax, USN, under authority of the Chief of Naval Operations, speedletter of 16 January 1945, serial No. 022223 directed that this vessel be placed in full commission in the United States Navy.

1502 – The National Ensign was hoisted as the U.S. Naval Receiving Station band played the National Anthem.

1504 – The flag of the Commandant First Naval District was broken at the foretruck and full honors rendered.

1505 – Commander Lindsey Williamson, USN, in compliance with BuPers letter 71428 Pers-3131-CAC-6 dated 25th October 1944 assumed command of this vessel and directed the Executive Officer to set the watch.

1510 – The first watch was set. When placed in commission, this vessel was moored portside to dock #2 West, Navy Yard, Boston, Mass., with the following lines in use; bow wire, forward bow spring, after bow spring, forward quarter spring, after quarter spring and stern wire. Ships present were various units of the United States and Allied Fleets and various District Craft. SOPA (Administrative) OinC-Fleet Administrative Office. Receiving electric power, steam and fresh water from the dock.

1540 – The Commandant First Naval District left the ship with full honors. The Commission pennant was hoisted at the foretruck and his flag was hauled down.

The following officers were attached to and on board this vessel for duty when placed in commission:

WILLIAMSON, Lindsey	Comdr. USN, Commanding Officer	71428
ARMSTRONG, David M.	Lieut. USN, Executive Officer	100109
WINN, Philip J. Jr.	Lieut. USNR	101039
HILLBERG, Albert G. Jr.	Lieut. USN	123552
PETERKIN, Albert G. III	Lieut. USNR	118281
MONAGHAN, William J. Jr.	Lieut. (jg) USNR	213202
WOOD, Houston L.	Lieut. (jg) USNR	335403
WHEAT, Francis M.	Lieut. (jg) USNR	148156
JENKINS, David M.	Lieut. (jg.) USNR	365542
MYERS, Donald J.	Lieut. (jg) USNR	226141
UNANGST, Robert W.	Lieut. (jg) USN MC	159180
CAUFIELD, Robert L.	Ens. USNR	358664

FLEISCHAKER, Richard H.	Ens. USNR	317492
BRINK, Merrill J.	Ens. USNR	359990
BAUSCHER, John A. Jr.	Ens. USNR	367205
BROSNIHAN, Francis M.	Ens. USN	416169
REMSBERG, Henry C.	Ens. USNR	348462
MARCINKO, Stephen A.	Ens. USN	388454
WILSON, Lewis H. Jr.	Ens. USNR	359766
ALBRIGHT, Robert T.	Ens. USNR	336789
WATSON, John W.	Ens. USNR	347787

LINDSEY WILLIAMSON, COMDR.
U.S.N. Commanding

D. J. MYERS (jg)
U.S.N.R. Navigator