

1st Naval Construction Regiment

Historical Information



*“Construimus, Batuimus”
“We Build, We Fight”*



1st Regiment
Left Hueneme - 28 Oct. 1942
Left Seattle 9 Nov. 1942
Arrived Dutch Harbor - 26 Nov. 1942

1st Regiment

Authority granted to disband 1st Reg. on
1 Sep'43. (Conf Disp VCNO to ComAlSec
281641 Aug)

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- 7 Feb.⁴³ 460 enlisted men ordered transf. from Peary to Hueneme FFT to 1st Reg.
12 Feb.⁴³ Detachment 464 Misc. ratings arrived Hueneme for assignment to various batts.
13 Feb.⁴³ 460 man draft arrived Hueneme.
20 Feb.⁴³ Dispatch requests Joseph Douglas Welty recently commissioned be retained at Dutch.
26 Feb.⁴³ 460 man draft entrained Seattle from Hueneme.
- - - - - Composed 4 - 8 - 13 - 21 CB's - Location Dutch Harbor
6 Mar.⁴³ Lt. Neil E. Kingsley CEC USN detached from 1st Const Reg. ordered to duty as Oinc of 4th C.B.
6 Mar.⁴³ Lt. Antoine Parker, CEC USNR replace Lt. Kingsley as exec. officer.
10 Mar.⁴³ Lt. Antoine Parker recommended for spot promotion to Lt. Comdr.
26 Mar.⁴³ Comdr. Robert H. Meade, CEC, USN, assigned as Brigade Comdr. of 1st, 4th, 6th C. Regs.
29 Apr.⁴³ Lt. (jg) Linde nominated for camouflage duty on TWX 291655-4-43.
3 May⁴³ Detached from (Lt. (jg) Linde) Peary and ordered to proceed.
*14 May⁴³ Comdr. Bronson Detached and assigned temp. to 1st Brigade. Lt. Comdr. Tackels assigned as Oinc coming from 13th C.B. (VCNO letter Op30K33-EP, Serial 569430 dated 8 May) Lt. Comdr. Marx also detached this date and assigned to 1st Brigade.
5-20-43 - Lt. MacGregor and Ens. Milburn detached going to 1st Brigade. (BY&D to Pers).
*5-20-43 - Comdr. Bronson ordered to BuDocks, Wash. D.C. (Temp). (BY&D to Pers)

1st Regiment

- 6-10-43 - Lt. Clayton, SC, has been detached from the 1st Reg. and ordered to Diraldocks. (WSJ)
7-19-43 - June 1 reports shows several SC officers attached to 1st Reg. Also added Lt. Comdr Gilbert MC and Lt. (jg) Ives O-VS. Lt. (jg) Linde is not on their roster.
7-23-43 - Lt. (jg) Ives detached to 1st Brigade (Miss Fisher)
7-23-43 - Lt. Comdr. Marx assigned coming from 1st Brigade (Budocks to Pers dated 11 July '43)
8-16-43 - Officer roster checked with 1 July roster. Lt. (jg) Linde, Lt. I. F. Macey, Ens. Horcross, Kuhl and Lt. Comdr. Marx not listed.
8-19-43 - Officer roster checked with 1st Brigade report dated Aug. 1, 1943. Added Ens. Duffy and Schaefer.
9-17-43 - Lt. Comdr. Marx detached to Bureau FFT (Budocks ltr to Bupers dated Sept. 11, 1943)
9-21-43 - Authority granted to disband 1st Reg. on 1 Sept. (Conf. disp. VCNO to Comalsec 281641 August.
9-21-43 - Officer roster checked with Sept. 9'43 roster and OK.
9-28-43 - Lt. Comdr. Parker, Lt. Green, Martin, Philpott, Lt. (jg) Emiger, Hughes, Pitzen and Sheets detached to Peary (Budocks ltr to Bupers dated 21 Sept. 1943).
9-29-43 - Comdr. Tackels detached Com4 (Budocks ltr to Bupers dated 22 Sept. '43)
12-7-43 - Ens. Duffy detached to Quoddy (Budocks ltr to Bupers dated 25 Nov '43).
12-14-44 - From the Chronological history of the 1st Brigade:
20 Sep'43 - Western Alaska Regiment established (4, 8, 13th CB's)
23 Nov'42 - " " " Hdqtrs Co. arrived Dutch Harbor from the States (7 off. & 49 men).
19 Dec'42 - Designation changed to 1st Regiment. (4, 8, 13, 21st CB's)
1 Sep'43 - 1st Regiment disbanded.
(Com 17 Sec. ltr ND17/A12-1/L7 over 50/2b over Ser 0096 to Budocks dtd 6 Nov'44)

1ST REGIMENT

Lt. (jg) G. S. Ives ^{15 Reg}
Lt. (jg) E. S. McCandless
Lt. (jg) J. D. Welty
Lt. Comdr. W. W. Gilbert
Ens. W. F. Duffy

O-V USNR
SC USNR
SC USNR
MC USNR
D-V USNR

1 Aug. '43

<u>Off.</u>	<u>On Board</u>		<u>Auth.</u> (MoR)
	<u>Men</u>	<u>Total</u>	
	69		

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Disbanded

1st Construction Regiment (INACTIVATED)

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Activated in October 1942, the 1st Regiment was located at Dutch Harbor, Alaska. Inactivated 1 September 1943 at Dutch Harbor.



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