

NUCLEAR NAVY

Aurand, Evan: Papers

Series I. Early Military Career, 1934-1957

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Series II. Naval Aide to the President, 1957-1961

Box 5 Parsons, Dr. Edgar A. (1)(2) [naval strategy in nuclear age]

Box 7 Reading File, 8-16-58--9-26-58 [Nautilus, Rickover, Polaris subs]

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Reading File, 5-1-59--6-13-59 [sub launching]

Reading File, 10-2-59-12-31-59 [Polaris missiles]

Box 13 Aurand, Evan P., Official Writings of [nuclear powered ships]

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What Kind of Carriers?--Aurand

Box 17 Navy Line File Folder No. Two (1)(2) [carriers; nuclear Navy]

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Navy Line, 1960 [USS Enterprise]

Box 19 Nuclear Aircraft Carriers (CVAN's)

Box 20 Project Magellan [around globe under water]

Box 21 USS Seawolf, also Triton and Skate

Series III. Later Military Career, 1961-1972

Box 7 Pentagon, Personal File [Corres], 1962-1965 (1)-(8)
(advantages of nuclear powered carriers)

Box 8 Commander, ASW Group One, Personal Official (4)-(7) [nuclear power for carriers]

Box 9 Idea Notebook, Director of Long Range Objectives, 1967-1969 (1)(2)
[naval strategy, carriers]

Box 10 Speech and Writing File (1)-(10) [carriers, subs]

Box 11 Speech and Writing File (11)-(13) [naval strategy]

Think Piece on Seapower.....

Trident strategy (1)(2)

Commander, ASW, Group One-Public Information, 1965-66(I) [nuclear power]

Box 13 OP 91-Naval Warfare Analyses & OP 93-Long Range Objectives Group, 1966-67

Beach, Edward: Papers

Box 14 Rickover, Adm. (2 folders)

Box 15 USS Triton

Box 16 Book Reviews: "Atomic Subs and Adm. Rickover," and "Men Who Will Man our Atomic Subs"

Box 17-21 drafts of Around the World Submerged

Box 22 Nautical Papers

Box 23 Triton Correspondence, notes, Info, etc,

Box 24 Triton

Box 25 Speeches; Triton's visit to Bremerhaven; Visit to Stockholm;

Box 27 Correspondence re nuclear subs

Box 28 Hearings

Box 29 Misc. Reports - Role of Triton in Fleet Defense

Box 30 Misc. Reports

Eisenhower, Dwight D.: Papers as President (Ann Whitman File)

Administration Series

Box 4-5 AEC11953-61; AEC 1955-56 (7) - contains partially declassified

document re nuclear powered merchant ship. Should check other folders.

- Box 9 Budget
- Box 16 Gates, Thomas (2) - Summary of DOD programs refers to nuclear naval matters.
- Box 28 McElroy Neil Y
- Box 30 Navy, Dept. of
- Box 32 Radford, Adm.
- Box 37 Stans, Maurice (Budget)
- Box 44-45 Charles Wilson

ACW Diary

- Box 2 July 1954 (3) - info. re navy
- Box 4 March 1955 (6) - atomic energy
- Box 6 July 1955 (3) - atomic research

DDE Diaries Series: This series contains numerous memoranda of conferences between the President and Secretaries of Defense Wilson, McElroy, and Gates, various Deputy and Under Secretaries, and Service secretaries, and the Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission. Many of these have been recently declassified. These memoranda of Presidential conferences contain information on a wide range of defense policies and some of these contain comments which reflect the President's views on nuclear naval programs. If time permits, the volume containing lists of declassified documents should be consulted in order to identify many of these memcons. A brief and incomplete lists of these documents is as follows:

- Box 26 Folder: Aug. 57 Memo on Appts. (2) - memcon re atomic carrier.
- Box 17 Folder: Aug. 56 Diary Staff Memos- memcon contains ref. to atomic peace ship
- Box 27 Folder: Oct. 57 Staff Notes (1) - memcon contains brief paragraph re atomic
- Box 36 Folder: Staff Notes Sept. 1958 Memcon, DDE McElroy, Franke, et al re
- Box 38 Folder: Staff Notes Jan. 1959 (1) includes briefing paper on hazards of atomic
- Box 38 Folder: Toner Notes Jan 1959 - info. re reactor development
- Box 44 Folder: Toner Notes Aug 1959 (1)(2) - notes re atomic energy tanker
Folder: Toner Notes Sept. 1959 notes re shipbuilding
- Box 45 Folder: Staff Notes Nov. 1959 (2) Memcon, DDE, Gates, Franke et al includes
Folder: Staff -Notes Nov. 1959 (3) Memcon, DDE, McElroy includes comments
re atomic powered surface fleet
Folder: Staff Notes Nov. 1959 (3) DDE mtg. with McElroy et al re Polaris, and re
- Box 49 Folder: Staff -Notes April 1960 (.2-) Memcon, DDE, Gates, et al re naval

Eisenhower, Dwight D.: Papers as President, 1953-61
NSC Series

- Box 12 Special Meeting of 4-1-60 [Navy presentation on naval forces]
Additional references in this series to "nuclear navy" re probably located under
such headings as "nuclear matters" or "military programs".

Hagerty, James: Papers

- Box 7 Nautilus
- Box 10 Triton

Harlow, Bryce: Records (Pre-Ac.)

- Box 4 Defense 1953-56
- Box 7 Atomic Ship
- Box 21 Ship Building

NSC Staff: Papers

Executive Secretary Subject File

- Box 18 Special Assistant (Cutler) -Memoranda 1956-57 (1)-(8) [Polaris]

Special Staff File Series

- Box 1 Ballistic Missile Programs (1)(2) [Polaris]

Records of Special Assistant for National Security Affairs:

Box 1 NSC 5507/2 - Peaceful Uses of Atomic Energy
Box 23 NSC 145- Development of Practical Nuclear Power

Records of White House Staff Secretary, DOD Subseries

Box 3 Budget, Military FY 1960 (4) info. re nuclear attack aircraft carrier.
Project Clean Up Records
Box 1 DOD (1) Polaris Submarine
DOD (2) Burke
(3) Navy Budget

White House Central Files:

OF 108-G-1 Atomic Powered Submarines
OF 108-G- Atomic Peace Ship (Both in Box 531)
OF 108- Atomic Energy Boxes 523-525
OF 3-B- Navy
OF 3-B-21- Navy Shipbuilding, Boxes 88-89 contain several items re nuclear ships
GF 155-D Atomic Peace Ship, Box 1217
GF 155- Atomic Energy
GF 13 Navy
GF 13-I- shipbuilding

White House Staff Research Group Records

Box 2 AEC
Box 3 Commerce Notes 489-624 includes comments by Adm. Rickover on nuclear powered cargo ships; Also Commerce Notes 301-488 contains information on nuclear powered ships.
Boxes 4-8 DOD

White House Office, Office of the Special Assistant for National Security Affairs, 1953-61: Records NSC Series, Briefing Notes Subseries

Box 14 Offensive and Defensive Weapons Systems (1)-(3) [nuclear subs; Polaris]
OCB Series, Subject Subseries
Box 4 Miscellaneous (7) [nuclear ships]

White House Office, Office of the Staff Secretary: Records

Subject Series, Dept. of Defense Subseries
Box 3 Budget, Military FY 1960 (1)-(5) [nuclear attack aircraft carriers]
Box 4 Joint Chiefs of Staff (9) [launching of Ethan Allen]

Oral Histories:

Arleigh Burke
William Franke
Thomas Gates
Henry Miller

Also have interview with Edward Beach, the commander of the nuclear submarine, TRITON, but Mr. Beach's permission is required before this interview may be read.

Secondary Works:

Richard G. Hewlett and Francis Duncan, NUCLEAR NAVY
Clay Blair, Jr. THE ATOMIC SUBMARINE AND ADMIRAL RICKOVER
Edward L. Beach, AROUND THE WORLD SUBMERGED: THE VOYAGE OF THE TRITON