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From: First Officer, USNS GENERAL JOHN POPE (T-AP 110)
To: Master, USNS GENERAL JOHN POPE (T-AP 110)

Subj: Safety Meeting

1. Safety meeting for nine (9) men of Deck Department of USNS POPE and USNS WEIGEL was held from 0830 to 0900 hours, 31 July 1969.
2. An article on the proper use of the Oxygen Breathing Apparatus (OBA) prepared by Training Division, MSTSPAC, was read. The article stressed continual familiarity with both use and location of existing OBA's. It also described the essential internal workings of the OBA in conjunction with its use. Discussion followed with several illustrations of actual instances of the use and abuse of OBAs during casualty situations. Additional suggestions included proper securing of waist strap so that OBA would not hamper the movements of the wearer, a suggested setting of the timer for 30 minutes vice 45 minutes, and proper precaution in disposal of emptied OBA.
3. It was reminded that in the event of injury, the submittal of a report of same, entitled CA-1, is necessary. The employee is responsible for the submittal of this report within forty-eight (48) hours.
4. No unsafe conditions reported.
5. One accident, no lost time involved, during month of July 1969.



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"Think Safety—Talk Safety—and Sell Safety"