

Name HOWERTON, Walter Scott, Jr.
(Name in Full (Surname to the Left))

659 75 74
(Service No.) Rate SLC(SW), V-6, USNR

Date Reported Aboard: 11-26-43

USN Training School, Noroton Hts, Conn.
(Present Ship or Station)
Unit. of Chicago, Chicago, Ill.
(Ship or Station Received From)

"This man is a Graduate of the USNTPS, (Com-Pool), Noroton Hts., Conn., having been trained for ComPool Duty, and by direction of the Chief of NavPers must be assigned to duty where his specialized training may be fully utilized. The attention of command to which this graduate is transferred is particularly invited to this directive."

Rank in class 84 No. in class 108
Final mark 88 (0-100; 62.5 is pass)

DEC 2 9 1943 Tran. this date to the USN, AGC, So. Bklyn., N.Y. for ComPool duty.

AUTH: BuPers Ltr. PERS-6331b-AM-3 over NM22/P16-1 dated 18 August 1943.

Date Transferred DEC 2 9 1943

To USN, AGC, So. Bklyn., N.Y.
Walter Scott, Jr.
Nelson Macy Jr. Lt. (jg), USNR
By direction *Nelson Macy Jr. Lt. (jg), USNR*
Signature and Rank of Commanding Officer

Date Received Aboard: 29 DEC 1943
U.S.N. AGC, BROOKLYN, N.Y.
(New Ship or Station)

USNTPS NOROTON HTS CONN
(Last Ship or Station)
Walter Scott, Jr.
Signature and Rank of Commanding Officer
WM. J. COAKLEY, COMDR, U.S.N.R.
DUPLICATE
FOR BUPEP'S ENLISTED MAN'S JACKET

C. O. Order No. 2141

**INDIVIDUAL ORDER TO ADJUST PAY ACCOUNT
FOR ABSENCE OR SENTENCE OF COURT, OR BOTH**

659 75 74 HOWERTON, Walter S. Jr.
(SERVICE NUMBER) (SURNAME) (FIRST NAME) (MIDDLE NAME)

S1c USN RET USNR USN(I)
(RATING) (CLASS)

AGC, Brooklyn, N. Y.
(SHIP OR STATION)

The Disbursing Officer is authorized and directed to adjust the pay account of the above named individual for the reason stated below:

ABSENCE: WITH LEAVE WITHOUT LEAVE
OVER LEAVE OVER LIBERTY

Departure 1340 8-25-44
(HOUR) (DATE)

Leave or Liberty expired 1200 9-8-44
(HOUR) (DATE)

Returned to Naval Jurisdiction 0730 9-8-44
(HOUR) (DATE)

CREDIT LEAVE RATIONS : Leave granted; NOT AOL or AOL excused as unavoidable.
DO NOT CREDIT LEAVE RATIONS : No leave granted or AOL NOT excused.

DECK COURT SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL
GENERAL COURT MARTIAL

Sentence approved _____ total loss of pay
(DATE)

\$ _____ to be checked \$ _____ for _____
(TOTAL AMOUNT) (AMT. PER MO.) (NUMBER)

months. For information not affecting pay, see reverse.

S. J. CLANCY
Lieut., U.S.N.R.
(NAME AND SIGNATURE)

Officer (See Art. 2025(2) N. R.)
(All sections which do not apply shall be lined out before signature is affixed.)

By Director, Bureau of Naval Personnel
Assn. of the Commanding Officer
(D. O. SYMBOL NO.)

**PART 4 - TO BE FORWARDED PROMPTLY
TO BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL**

E. J. A.

C. O. Order No. 1145

**INDIVIDUAL ORDER TO ADJUST PAY ACCOUNT
FOR ABSENCE OR SENTENCE OF COURT, OR BOTH**

659 75 74 **HOWERTON, Walter Scott Jr**
(SERVICE NUMBER) (SURNAME) (FIRST NAME) (MIDDLE NAME)
SL6 USN RET USNR USN(I)
(RATING) (CLASS)
AGC BKLYN N Y
(SHIP OR STATION)

The Disbursing Officer is authorized and directed to adjust the pay account of the above named individual for the reason stated below:

ABSENCE: WITH LEAVE WITHOUT LEAVE
OVER LEAVE OVER LIBERTY

Departure 1545 11-27-44
(HOUR) (DATE)

Leave or Liberty expired 1200 12-5-44
(HOUR) (DATE)

Returned to Naval Jurisdiction 1145 12-5-44
(HOUR) (DATE)

CREDIT LEAVE RATIONS : Leave granted; NOT AOL or AOL excused as unavoidable.

DO NOT CREDIT LEAVE RATIONS : No leave granted or AOL NOT excused.

DECK COURT SUMMARY COURT MARTIAL
GENERAL COURT MARTIAL

Sentence approved _____ total loss of pay
(DATE)

\$ _____ to be checked \$ _____ for _____
(TOTAL AMOUNT) (AMT. PER MO.) (NUMBER)

months. For information not affecting pay, see reverse.

Walter Scott Jr
(NAME AND SIGNATURE)

(D. O. SYMBOL NO.)

Officer (See Art. 2025(2) N. R.)
(All sections which do not apply shall be lined out before signature is affixed.)

**PART 4 - TO BE FORWARDED PROMPTLY
TO BUREAU OF NAVAL PERSONNEL**

W. E. M... Lieut., USNA
Asst. Personnel Officer
By direction of the Commanding Officer

Name HOWERTON, Walter Scott, Jr
(Name in Full, Surname to the Left)

659 75 74 Rate Slc., (SM) V-6, USNR.
(Service No.)

Date Reported Aboard: Dec 29, 1943

USN AGC BROOKLYN, N.Y.
(Present Ship or Station)

USNTS NOROTON HTS CONN.
(Ship or Station Received From)

1-20-44: Detached duty as communication liaison on board U.S. Armed Merchant Vessel S.S. HAGOOD.

8-24-44: Detached duty completed as a comm. liaison on board U.S. Armed Merchant Vessel S.S. HAGOOD. T-27468

9-9-44 Detached duty, communication liaison, on board U.S. Armed Merchant Vessel W. S. Army Eng Y 718 T-28292

Date Transferred _____

To _____

Signature and Rank of Commanding Officer.

Date Received Aboard: _____

(New Ship or Station)

(Last Ship or Station)

Signature and Rank of Commanding Officer.

DUPLICATE
FOR BuPers ENLISTED MAN'S JACKET

659 75 74 HONERTON, Walter Scott, Jr.,
(Service No.) (Name in Full, Surname to the Left)

Rate Slc USN RET. USNR V-6
USN(I) (Class)

Date Reported Aboard: 29 December 1943

USN, AGC, BROOKLYN, NEW YORK
(Present Ship or Station)

CHANGE IN RATE OR RESERVE CLASS

TO: SM3c (T) V-6
(Rate Abbreviation) (USNR Class)

FROM: Slc V-6
(Rate Abbreviation) (USNR Class)

Date Change Effected: 18 December 1944

Authority and Remarks: BuPers. ltr. Pers-67-Hn
P17-2/MM of 26 January 1944.
(CONFIRMED)

Date Authority Received: 2 Feb. 1944.

- Qualified in all respects as required by current BuPers instructions.
- Advancement to fill vacancy In excess.
- Examination Report (Form Nav. Pers 624) submitted (if required).
- For Petty Officers, Article 1275NR read and appointment accepted.

CHANGE IN LONGEVITY FOR PAY PURPOSES

(Years) (Mos.) (Days) Other Service*

(Years) (Mos.) (Days) Naval Service

(Years) (Mos.) (Days) Net Service completed on (Date)

*Act 6-16-42 & BuPers Statement of service filed in service record.

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J.E. MURDOCK, Lieut. (jg), USNR
(Name and Signature)

(See art. 2025(2), N. R.) Officer

**PART 3—Forward to BuPers Immediately
For Enlisted Man's Jacket**

RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCEMENT IN RATING
and/or
REPORT OF COMPLETION OF TRAINING COURSE(S)

P-R-I-N-T PLAINLY IN INK OR TYPE

Date 21 April 1944

From: Ens. Donald W. Hogue, Commanding Officer, Armed Guard
Unit, S.S. Hagood

To: Commanding Officer, U. S. Naval Armed Guard Center, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Subj: Recommendation for Advancement in Rating and/or Report of Completion of Navy training course(s).

Ref: (a) Pers-67-Hn P17-2/MM of 26 January 1944.
(b) BuPers Manual, Part D, Chapter V.

1. In accordance with reference (a), it is (~~is not~~) recommended that
HOWERTON, Walter Scott, Jr. 659 75 74 Slc(SM)

(Surname) (First) (Middle) (Service no.) (Rate)
be advanced in rating to SM3c. He has completed the Navy training Courses, as required by reference (b), and below are the findings: (Give explanation under remarks for any marks not submitted). (All spaces should be filled in appropriate column).

	<u>For Perm. Slc</u>	<u>For PO3c</u>	<u>For PO2c 1c & Ch.</u>
	<u>(To be marked on scale of 4.0)</u>		
Average of Progress Tests	<u>3.57</u>		
Final Examination	<u>3.58</u>		
Conduct	<u>4.00</u>		
LEADERSHIP	<u>3.50</u>		
Proficiency in Rate	<u>3.80</u>		
A to N Examination	<u>3.68</u>		<u>Not necessary</u>
Petty Officer Exam	<u>Not necessary</u>	<u>3.60</u>	

3. This man has been under my command for three (3) months.

4. Remarks: Sticks to his job and very prompt. Has no bad habits

CHECK ONE To Be advanced immediately. (Provisional) takes much interest
PO 3c ONLY To Be advanced after confirmation exam. in his duty.

4. It is my opinion that this man is (~~is not~~) qualified in all respects for the rating of SM3c, and it is (~~is not~~) recommended that such action be taken.

Donald W. Hogue, Ens. U.S.N.R.
Signature and Rank

Note: Conduct mark must be 4.0 for advancement with a minimum Leadership mark of 3.5 for petty officer advancement. Date of receipt of recommendation at the Armed Guard Center determines effective date of PO3c advancement.

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J. A. Andur
Lieut. (jg), USNR
Educational Officer

RECOMMENDATION FOR ADVANCEMENT IN RATING

24 August, 1944.

From: Lowell P. Nicholas, Lt. (jg), D-V(S), USNR,
Commanding Officer of Naval Armed Guard Unit
Aboard S/S Hagood.
To: Commanding Officer, U. S. Naval Armed Guard Center,
Brooklyn, N. Y.
Subj: Recommendation for Advancement in Rating.
Ref: (a) Pers-67-Mt P17-2/MM (3937) of 5 November 1942.
(b) BuPers Manual, Part D, Chapter V.

1. In accordance with reference (a), it is recommended that Howerton, Walter S. Jr., Service No. 659 75 74, SM3c, be advanced to the rating of SM2c. He has completed the Navy Training Courses, as required by reference (b), and below are the findings:

Average of Progress Tests	3.97
Final Examination	3.99
Conduct	4.00
LEADERSHIP	4.00
Proficiency in Rate	4.00
Petty Officer Examination	3.85

2. This man has been under my command for three months and is now being detached. As this man has not as yet removed the provisional nature of his rating of SM3c, by taking the required examinations at your activity, it is my understanding that he cannot be advanced to SM2c by virtue of this recommendation alone (General Instructions for Commanding Officers of Naval Armed Guards on Merchant Ships, 1944, Paragraph 5201 (b)). In view of the man's detachment at this time I am making the recommendation and turning in his grades, nevertheless for the purpose of his records.

3. This man is the best petty officer material that it has been my opportunity to come in contact with during my tour of duty in the Navy. I have never given him an order that has not been promptly and efficiently carried out. His leadership has been excellent, and he has spent endless hours instructing other members of the crew in various phases of signalling. He is absolutely unselfish in all he does and possesses a very good personality and a good temperament. Discipline is no problem with this man--he disciplines himself. The master of the ship, D. MacDonald, reports to me that Howerton has been most courteous and cooperative in all of his dealings with the merchant officers during all of the seven months which he has been aboard the Hagood.

PO card

RECOMMENDATION OFFICER

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4. It is my opinion that this man is qualified in all respects for the rating of SM2c, and it is recommended that such action be taken, immediately the provisional nature of his rating of SM3c has been removed by examination at your activity.

Signed: Lowell P. Nicholas
Lt. (jg), D-V(S), USNR
Armed Guard, Commanding
S/S Hagood

AFFIDAVIT

The below affidavit is required to be executed prior to any member of the Naval Reserve being taken up for pay, allowances or travel expense. It may be sworn to before any notary public, any naval officer authorized to administer oaths for purposes of naval administration, or any commanding officer of a squadron, battalion or division of the Naval Reserve.

U. S. Navy Recruiting Station,
 _____ }
 Richmond, Va. } SS

I, Walter Scott Howerton, Jr.,
 _____,
 AS V6 _____, U. S. Naval Reserve, being first duly sworn,
 (Rank or Rating)
 upon oath depose and say that I am not drawing, nor have I a claim pending for, a pension, disability allowance, disability compensation, or retired pay (*) from the Government of the United States.

Walter Scott Howerton Jr

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____
 day of JUN - 1 1943, A.D., 194

B. W. Armstrong
 B. W. Armstrong,
 Lt. (jg), D-V(S), USNR.

 (Signature and Official Title)

To be executed in triplicate.

Disposition: 1-BuNAV
 1-To Comdt.
 1-To service record.

(*) 'Retired Pay' does not include pay of members of the Fleet Reserve or members of the Honorary Retired List.

U. S. NAVY ENLISTED PERSONNEL QUALIFICATIONS CHART

659 75 74		HOWERTON			WALTER SCOTT			AS		V6		112		6 1 '43		
SERVICE NUMBER		LAST NAME			FIRST MIDDLE			RATE		BR.-CL.		CO. NO.		DATE OF ENLISTMENT		
77	49	75	76									7	20	25	N	
GCT FORM		R.M.F.A.R.M.		A.R.I. FORM		M.A.T. FORM		M.A.T. BLK. CNT.		M.A.T. MECOMB		M.A.T. SR.FDEV.		M.E.K.N.L. FORM		
19	0	N.			21	22	26			1 N.D.		DATE OF BIRTH		OCCUP. CODE NO.		
LANG. FLUENCY		PHYSICAL DISQUALIFICATIONS			SPEC. REC.		1ST RECOM		2ND RECOM		ASSIGNMENT MADE		LOCATION ASSIGNED		DATE TRANSFERRED	
HOME ADDRESS		SOUTH BOSTON, VA.			SOUTH BOSTON, VA.			SOUTH BOSTON, VA.		SOUTH BOSTON, VA.		5 0 P.		MAR. ST. NO. DEPEND. RELIG. PREF.		
FATHER'S BIRTHPLACE		SOUTH BOSTON, VA.			SOUTH BOSTON, VA.			SOUTH BOSTON, VA.		SOUTH BOSTON, VA.		N		N		
MOTHER'S BIRTHPLACE		SOUTH BOSTON, VA.			SOUTH BOSTON, VA.			SOUTH BOSTON, VA.		SOUTH BOSTON, VA.		N		N		
MOST SIGNIFICANT EDUCATION		'43			NON-ENGLISH ILLITERATE		0		0		SECOND BEST OCCUPATION		OCCUP. CODE NO.			
YRS. LEFT SCHOOL		10			DEGREE OR DIPLOMA		J		MAJOR COURSE		NAME OF INSTITUTION		DUTIES			
SPECIALIZED TRAINING		VOCATIONAL			TECHNICAL			TRADE		BUSINESS		YRS. SERVICE		WEEKLY WAGE		
SPECIAL STUDIES		1.0			20 N.P.M.							TRADE TEST INDICATED		TRADE TEST RATING		
ALG.		GEOM.			TRIG.			PHYS.		TYP.		SHORT.		TALENT FOR PUBLIC ENTERTAINMENT		
MAIN OCCUPATION		N			NONE		NONE		NONE		SPORTS IN WHICH QUALIFIED		SCHOOL OR TEAM			
EMPLOYER											FROM		TO			
ADDRESS OF EMPLOYER											PREV. SEA OR MILITARY EXPER.		ARM OR SERVICE			
DEPARTMENT OR SHOP											HIGHEST POSITIONS OF LEADERSHIP		(INCLUDING MILITARY)			
YRS. SERVICE		WEEKLY WAGE			TRADE TEST INDICATED			TRADE TEST RATING		SERVICE OR RESIDENCE OUTSIDE U.S.		DUTIES		SKILLS. MACHINES		
DATE		28 JUNE '43			NAVAL STATION			SAMPSON, N.Y.		INTERVIEWER		Grace, A.		RECOMMENDATIONS AND REMARKS		
WORKED		in			Theaters			part-time		general		work.				
SPECIAL TESTS																

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