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APPENDIX

In June of 1945 he reported to CASU(F)-44 as Executive Officer, in training for Commanding Officer, and then became Commanding Officer in August 1945 upon the detachment of LtCdr. PURNELL.

While in the Navy and stationed at the Bureau of Aeronautics, LtCdr SIPP completed the Engineering Science and War Management course in aircraft engines given at George Washington University and subsequently completed the Engineering Science and War Management course in Industrial Chemistry given at Catholic University, and was granted certificates from each University for completing this work.

In the short time that LtCdr SIPP has been Commanding Officer of CASU(F)-44 he has shown a marked degree of leadership, thoroughness, and intense interest in all phases of the CASU. His conscientious attempts to obtain rotation and reliefs for men who have been overseas for a long time have earned him the respect and devotion of the unit. LtCdr. SIPP's experience both in civilian and Naval life has been such as to give him a thorough knowledge of engineering and aircraft maintenance.