

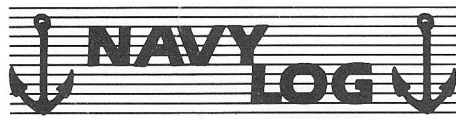
### Women in Oceanography *Continued from page 7.*

The system is scheduled to become operational in 1987.

"In the last 85 years we have gone from using lead lines to lasers for survey work. To do this job you must know math, physics, and the basic tenets of surveying. You must keep up with all the new technology. There's no other job like it," she says.

She adds that it's gratifying to see more women showing up in male-dominated professions such as her own.

"These days there is much more emphasis on what a woman **can** do rather than what someone thinks she **should** do. Because of this we are seeing—and will continue to see increasingly I think—a lot more qualified women in scientific and technical professional fields than in the past."



#### May 4

Navy adopted its first official seal, 1780.

#### May 5

CDR Alan B. Shepard Jr., USN, is the first American to enter space, 1961.

#### May 8

Naval Aviation's 75th anniversary, founded in 1911.

#### May 9

LCDR Richard E. Byrd, USN, makes first flight over the North Pole, 1926.

#### May 17

Armed Forces Day.

#### May 26

Memorial Day observed, federal holiday.

#### May 31

World's first trans-Atlantic flight, in a Navy NC-4 flying boat, ends in Plymouth, England, 1919.

O-1 fitness reports due.

## NAVOCEANCOM ACCOMPLISHMENTS

*The following personnel have been awarded honors according to releases received by NOC News.*

### Navy Achievement Medal

AG2 Gary Keroack, NOCF Yokosuka, and AG2 Susan Rodie, FNOF Monterey

### Meritorious Unit Commendation Medal

AGC John Cabanillas, NEOC Norfolk, and AG1 William Morris, USS *Nashville*

### Good Conduct Medal

AG1 Robert E. Anderson, USS *Midway*; AG1 David Z. Boyter (2nd), NOCF Yokosuka; and AG1(AW) Dennis Thatcher, NOCD Lemoore

### Enlisted Aviation Warfare Specialist

AG1(AW) Dennis Thatcher, NOCD Lemoore

### Sailor of the Quarter (Oct-Dec)

AG1 Christopher J. Wood, NOCD Moffett Field, and AG2 Stephen Livesay, NOCD Patuxent River

### Promotions (to)

LTJG James L. Wood, NOCD Moffett Field

### Advancements (to)

AG2 Tina Arrington and AGAN Dana Ritschel, NOCD Lemoore; AG2 Gary L. Ayers and AG2 Robert J. Stieler, USS *Nimitz*; AG2 Dennis, NOCC/JTWC Guam; AG2 William Kluss and AG2 Theresa L. McCarthy, NOCD Moffett Field; AG2 Danny R. Persiani and AG3 Thomas H. Phaneuf, NOCD Naples; and AG3 C.I. Specht, NOCF San Diego

### Letter of Commendation

AG1 Nickie K. Flambures, NOCD Naples, and AG3 Stuart C. Ransom, USS *Midway*

### Letter of Appreciation

LCDR M. Diunizio, AG3 G.M. Graham, AG3 P.J. Halsan, AGAN V.O. Holterman, and AGAN M.E. McDonnell, NOCF San Diego; AGCS John Tramack, NEOC Norfolk from COMNAVOCEANCOM; and AG1 Clint N. Fugate, USS *Midway*

### Reenlistments

SK1 Gracelyn Devega, four years, and AG2 Eddie Love, four years, NOCF Yokosuka; AG1 Patricia D. Yates, six years, NOCD Naples; and AG3 Shelley L.R. Bailey, NOCD Moffett Field

### Letter of Appreciation (Civilian)

Linda Foster, Donna Fuleihan, and Ed Melton, NEOC Norfolk

## Next Month in **NEWS**

- SURVEY RESULTS
- TACTICAL ENVIRONMENT SUPPORT SYSTEM (TESS)
- AND MORE