

# ANCIENT ORDER OF THE DEEP

This is to certify that

M. Melius, TM2c, USN,

Has been Gathered into our Fold and Duly  
Initiated as a Trusty Shellback  
Having Crossed the Equator  
June 18, 1942,

on the U. S. S. Ralph Talbot while bound  
to the South Pacific on a Mission of War

*Davy Jones*

*Neptunus Rex*

His Majesty's Scribe

Ruler of the Raging Main