

John Pletcher Transcript Summary

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[0:00:00] Joining the Navy and becoming a radioman

[0:04:54] A radioman's life

[0:10:57] Service on the U.S.S. St. Mihiel

[0:12:47] Transporting servicemen and military personnel

[0:15:57] Frightening experiences on the ship

[0:18:26] Damage observed after the bombing of Dutch Harbor, Memorable trips on the St. Mihiel, service as hospital ship during the battle of Attu

[0:20:53] Assisting wounded from the Battle of Attu, keeping informed on the battle's progress while on the St. Mihiel

[0:24:01] Steering a ship

[0:25:44] Life on a transport ship

[0:29:28] Spare time onboard, route of ship

[0:32:34] Akutan Zero

[0:34:19] Visiting Juneau, the invasion of Kiska

[0:37:03] Contact with the outside world

[0:38:39] Service in the South Pacific on a cargo ship

[0:42:44] Navy service after the end of World War II

[0:45:50] Service in Korea and China after the war ended

[0:49:18] Life after the Navy