

Admiral William Leahy Participates in a Crossing the Equator Ceremony



Description

Original caption: "The No. 1 shellback receives the summons for the pollywog of the President's party (Admiral Leahy)." Admiral William Leahy participates in a crossing the equator ceremony on the USS Missouri, on the return trip from Brazil. From the album, President Truman's Trip to Rio de Janeiro.

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People Pictured Leahy, William D. (William Daniel), 1875-1959

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