

Commander Submarine Gorce, Atlantic Gleet

STAFF

Box 27, U.S. Naval Submarine Base New London, Connecticut 20 July 1950

LCDR Robert Hailey, USN Commanding Officer U.S.S. PIPER (SS409)

Dear Hailey:

Your letter of June 27th to Captain Warder concerning the difficulties you are having with respect to delivering the plaque from ComSubLant to Commander Submarine Flotilla ONE, Malta, was forwarded on to me by Captain Warder, inasmuch as he has not arrived here yet.

I am sorry to learn that you are having so much difficulty in getting to Malta, however don't let it worry you too much. If by the end of the summer you have not been able to get to Malta, I would suggest that you mail it to Commander Submarine Flotilla ONE. Admiral Fife is cognizant of the trouble you are having so don't be too concerned about your inability to deliver it in

person. I would appreciate it, however, if you would write to me when you have finally made some disposition of the plaque.

Thanks very much for your report on the matter.

Sincerely, W. FENNO,

Captain, U. S. Navy.

Copy to: Capt. F. B. Warder, USN

