

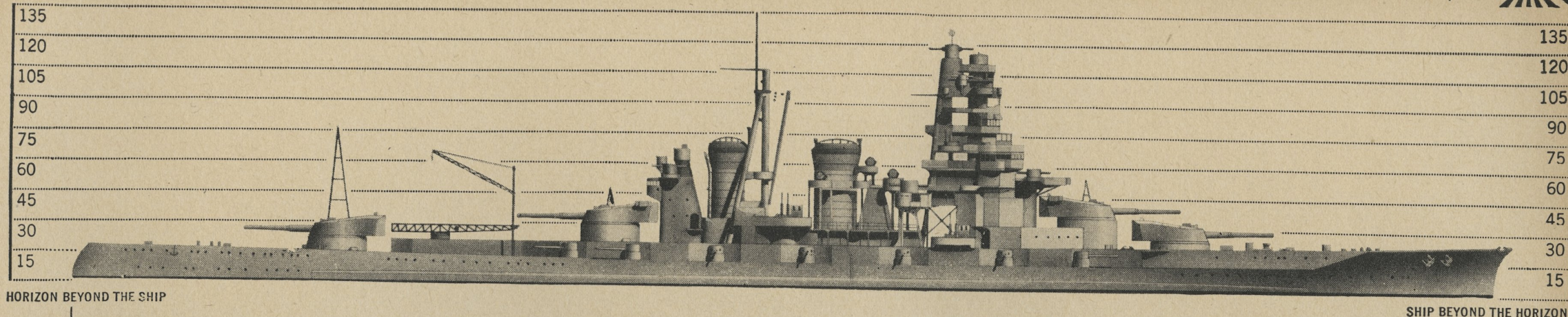
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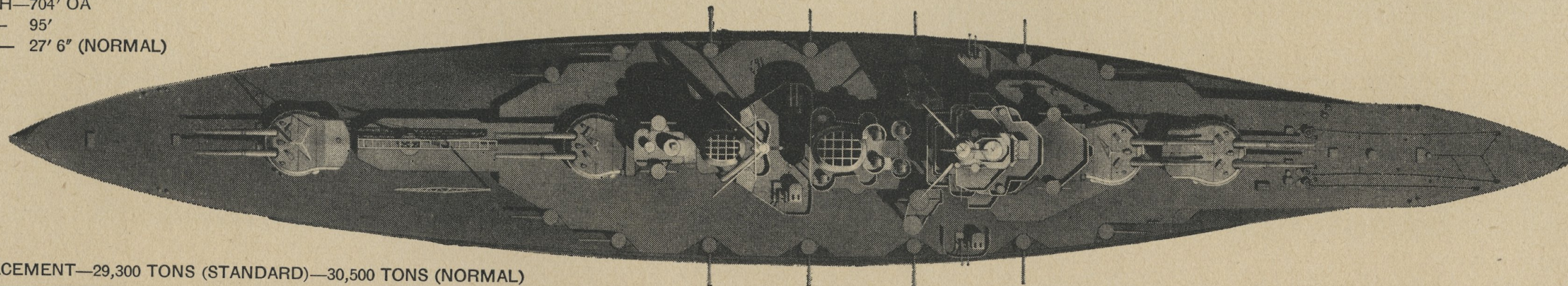


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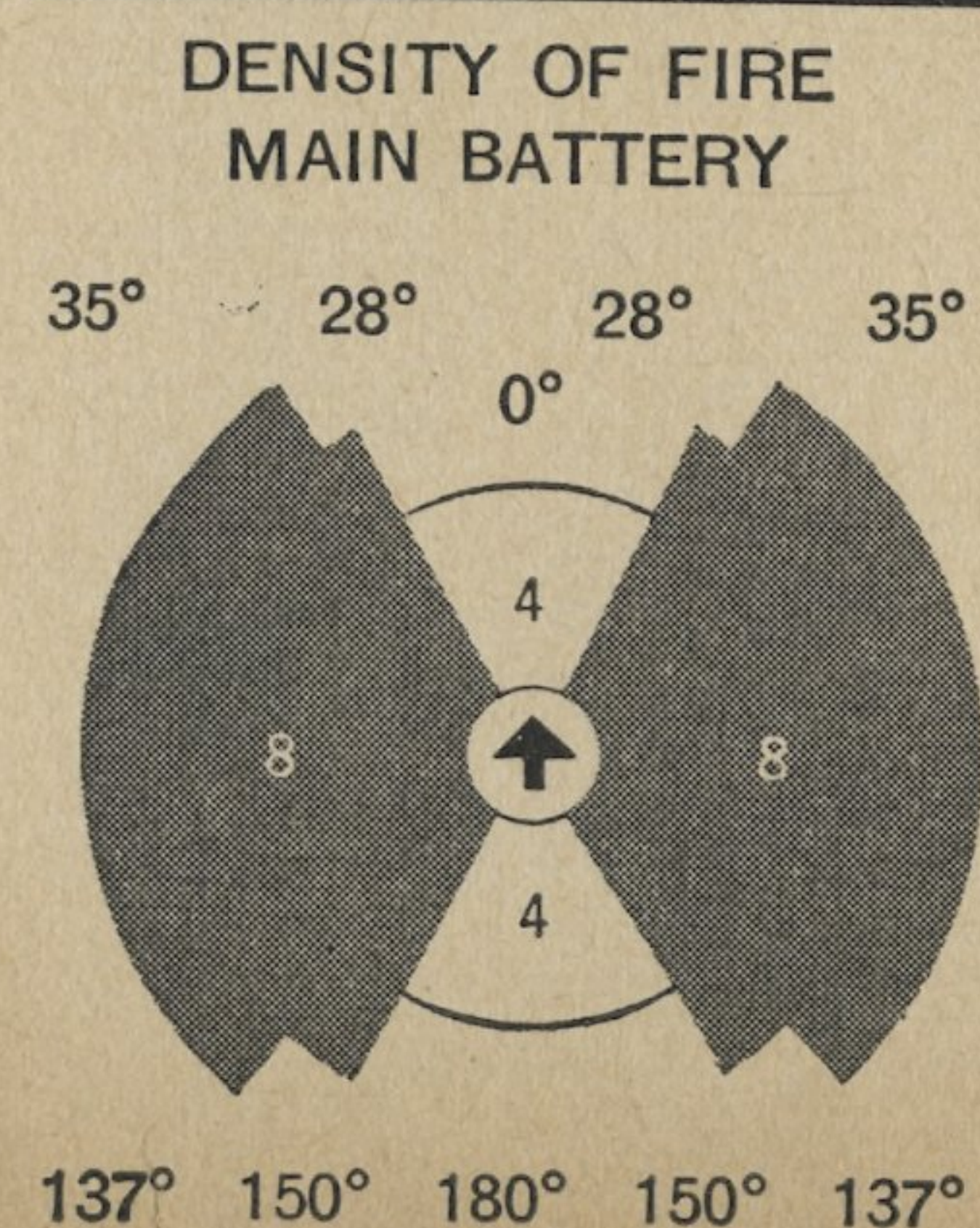
HEIGHT OF OBSERVER



LENGTH—704' OA
BEAM— 95'
DRAFT— 27' 6" (NORMAL)



DISPLACEMENT—29,300 TONS (STANDARD)—30,500 TONS (NORMAL)

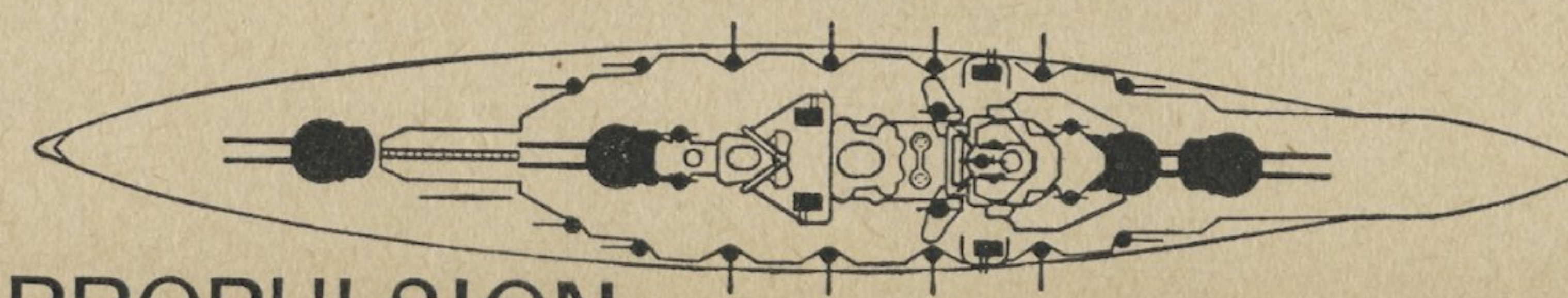
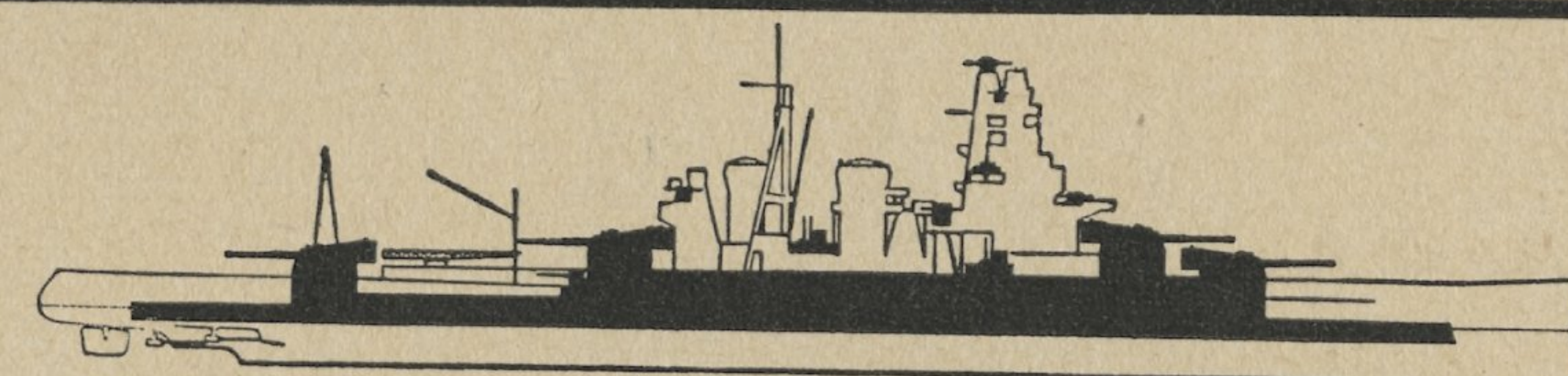


ARMAMENT

	MAX. ELEV.	RANGE
8-14" (45)	30°	30,000 YD.
14-6" (50) CASEMATES	25°	19,000 YD.
8-5" AA TWIN MOUNTS	85°	18,000 YD.
1 CATAPULT, 3 SCOUT OBSERVATION		
NOTE: HIYEI, ONCE DEMILITARIZED; MAY HAVE WEAKER ORDNANCE.		

PROTECTION

BELT—	6"-8" WITH 3" ENDS
TURRETS—	9"-10"
BARBETTES—	10"
CONNING TOWER—	10"
DECK—	2 3/4"-4"; 7" OVER VITALS



PROPULSION

DES HP—	78,000	DES SPEED—26 KNOTS
ENDURANCE—	3,500 @ 26 KNOTS	12,600 @ 12 KNOTS

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