



Commander T.W. Mullen, on the right, congratulates Commander E.E. Mouton as he assumes Command of VS-38, Friday, March, 13.

Cdr. Mouton Takes Over As Skipper Of VS-38

With the time honored words, "I relieve you sir," and the traditional salute, Commander E. E. Mouton relieved Commander T. W. Mullen as Commanding Officer of VS-38 during change of command ceremonies, Friday, March 13.



Li'l Cruz, the cruise book super salesman, says, "buy now." Deadline for sales is 15 April.

The ceremony took place aboard HENNINGTON at sea prior to entering port at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. Commander Mullen is scheduled to become HENN's Air Officer following a training period.

Commander Mouton, class of '45 Naval Academy graduate, moves into command after serving as VS-38's Executive Officer since February 1963.

The veteran naval aviator, who earned his wings in 1948, has served with VA-135, VF-64, and VS-26. He is also a graduate of the Naval War College at Newport, Rhode Island.

Commander Mullen joins HENNINGTON's roster after commanding VS - 38 for the past year and is a graduate of the U.S. Naval Post Graduate School at Monterey, California.

A naval aviator since 1945, he has had duty with VFB-17, VF-22, VC-62, VAH-2 and served a tour of duty aboard USS SHANGRI-LA.



Double Three Double Talk

Since VS-33 hit Hawaiian waters, its manpower has started to increase; and thus we extend a hearty welcome aboard to four new officers and three new enlisted men. Lt. Hall, Ltjg Seidelhuber, and Ens. Orzoco joined us several weeks ago with John Beber, AME2, all coming from training at VS-41, while last week Ltjg Woods reported aboard along with Jack Ekstrom, AK2, and Artemio Cantano, TN. I'll bet they hated to leave cold rainy California to join us in this beautiful climate.

Congratulations to Ltjg Biederman on his new silver bars and to Bob Klekotka, ADGAN, for his new silver wedding band, with a special well-done to Ordnance and all of the Maint. Dept. for their round-the-clock operations these last weeks. A lot of hard work well done.

All hands send LeRoy Tower, a "get well soon" card as he relaxes at Tripler Hospital.



JOEY'S THE NAME Joey Heatherton, daughter of television performer Ray Heatherton.