



*First landing aboard the USS Bogue by Comd. Monroe, SOC-3A plane, 30 Oct. 1942.*

land and hampered by increasing numbers of escort vessels for convoys the German high command decided upon a major change of tactics. Instead of a sub being assigned an area to patrol independently, they initiated "Wolf-Packs" composed of a number of underseas craft working together against convoys which were out of range of land-based aircover.

To combat these subs beyond the range of land-based aircraft it was



*Plank owners still aboard after 3 years continuous sea duty l to r Roddam, Munns, Holzappel, Casparean and Thorpe.*