

# **CAPTAIN A. M. OSBORNE, USN**

## **Commander, Destroyer Squadron SEVENTEEN**



Captain OSBORNE first served in destroyers as an Ensign in 1953 when he was assigned as Anti-Submarine Warfare and Torpedo Officer in *USS AMMEN* (DD-527). During his next tour of sea duty he served as Main Propulsion Assistant in *USS BOXER* (LPH-4). Subsequent sea tours included Operations Officer in *USS DALE* (DLG-19), Executive Officer in *USS BERKELEY* (DDG-15), Commanding Officer of *USS BRADLEY* (DE-1041) and Surface Operations Officer for Commander Carrier Division THREE. Captain OSBORNE was a plankowner in *DALE*.

Captain OSBORNE has served in a variety of shore assignments including Instructor of Midshipment at the U. S. Naval Academy, Systems Analyst during the programming of the computer system for the National Emergency Command Post Afloat at the Naval Electronics Laboratory, San Diego, and as Head, Surface Junior Officer Assignment Section in the Bureau of Naval Personnel. Staff assignments include duty as Flag Lieutenant to Commander Amphibious Force, Pacific and Special Augmentation Officer to Commander Destroyer Squadron FIFTEEN Staff for the resumption of the Tonkin Gulf patrol in 1964.