



The Executive Officer

COMMANDER H. A. CASSIDY, JR.

Commander Herbert A. Cassidy, Jr., USN, Executive Officer of the USS WISCONSIN (BB 64), was born in East Glastonbury, Conn., Oct. 25, 1915. He attended the Mount Union College in Alliance, Ohio, for two years before entering the Naval Academy at Annapolis in 1935, where he graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in 1939 on June 1. He then reported to his first duty station aboard the USS NEVADA.

Assuming duties aboard the WISCONSIN in 1955, Commander Cassidy came to this ship from duties at the Bureau of Personnel, where he was Assistant Branch Head in the Training Division.

During his Navy career, Commander Cassidy has served aboard and commanded ships participating in operations in both Atlantic and Pacific theatres.

The Executive Officer holds the following decorations: Navy and Marine Corps Medal; Bronze Star Medal, with gold star and combat V; and the American Defense, with the "A." His campaign medals include the European Medal; the American Medal; the Asiatic-Pacific Medal; the World War II Victory Medal; the Occupation Medal; and the National Defense Medal.

Commander Cassidy is married to the former Miss Joan Bentley of Evanston, Illinois, and refers to Norfolk as being his present official address. Commander and Mrs. Cassidy have three children; Maureen, 11, Kathleen, 9, and Michael, 3.

His office is always busy

