

Classification no. **N14. NAVAL OBSERVATORY—Continued**

- N14.10<sup>6</sup>:** [Wind and current charts] series F, Whale charts (Maury)
- P94<sup>1</sup> [Programme whale] chart showing favorite resort of sperm and right whale, by M. F. Maury; constructed from Maury's Whale chart of the world, by Robert H. Wyman. 1853. 23.4 × 36.6 in. (Marginal no. 78.) \*
- P94<sup>2</sup> Same. 1853, re-engraved 1859. 23.4 × 36.6 in. (Marginal no. 78.) \*
- W89<sup>1</sup> World. Whale chart of the world, sheet 1 24.4 × 35.8 in. (Marginal no. 79.) \*
- W89<sup>2</sup> Same, sheet 2 24.4 × 35.8 in. (Marginal no. 80.) \*
- W89<sup>3</sup> Same, sheet 3 24.4 × 35.8 in. (Marginal no. 81.) \*
- W89<sup>4</sup> Same, sheet 4 24.4 × 35.8 in. (Marginal no. 82.) \*
- N14.10<sup>7</sup>:** **Wind and current charts (miscellaneous)**
- F85 Franklin, Sir John. Chart illustrative of cruise of American Arctic expedition in search of Sir John Franklin in 1850 and 1851, fitted out by Henry Grinnell, commanded by E. J. DeHaven, brig Advance, Lieut. DeHaven, sch'r Rescue, S. P. Griffin; compiled by Geo. P. Welsh under direction of M. F. Maury from materials in Bureau of Ordnance and Hydrography. [1853?] 23.6 × 25 in. (Marginal no. 116.) \*
- N14.11:** **Nautical monographs (Maury)**
- (nos.) 1  
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[5] } [Issued by Hydrographic Office; see N6.10:4, 5.]
- N14.12:** **Catalogues of charts**
- [The publication listed below is the only one of the lists of charts issued under Naval Observatory and Hydrographical Office which is in the Public Documents Library.]
- 856 Catalogue of charts. Hydrographical Office, Washington, Jan. 1856.  
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**N15. NAVAL WAR COLLEGE**

[Established by Navy Department General order 325, Oct. 6, 1884, which placed the college under the Bureau of Navigation. The old Poor House on Coaster's Harbor Island, Newport, R. I., was assigned to its use. The first college term opened Sept. 3, 1885. By naval appropriation act approved Sept. 7, 1888 (Stat. L. v. 25, p. 459), the Secretary of the Navy was "authorized to consolidate and place under one command the Torpedo Station and the Naval War College at Newport, R. I., after said date [Jan. 1, 1889]." By Navy Department General order 365, Jan. 11, 1889, the consolidation was made, the wording of a portion of the order being as follows: "The institution on Coaster's Harbor Island, in the harbor of Newport, Rhode Island, known as the 'Naval War College,' is hereby consolidated with, and made a part of, the Torpedo Station on Goat Island, in said harbor, which station, as consolidated, will hereafter be known as the 'Naval Torpedo Station and War College,' and is placed under the command of the officer in charge of the torpedo station."

The college, by that order, was transferred from the Bureau of Navigation to the Bureau of Ordnance. The same order transferred the library and movable property belonging to the college to the Naval Torpedo Station and War College on Goat Island near by, while the building on Coaster's Harbor Island, formerly occupied by the college, passed to the control of the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting for the use of the Naval Training Station.

By the naval appropriation act approved Mar. 2, 1889 (Stat. L. v. 25, p. 812), \$100,000 became available for erecting and furnishing a new building for use by the Naval Torpedo Station and War College. As that act made no definite provision for its location, the Secretary of the Navy delayed undertaking the construction, and on p. 36 of his annual report for 1889 (N1.1:889<sup>1</sup>) opposed its erection on Goat Island, recommending instead Coaster's Harbor Island. He also recommended on p. 37 of the same report that the college should not be attached to the Bureau of Ordnance, but to the Bureau of Navigation. In accordance with these recommendations, the next appropriation act, that of June 30, 1890 (Stat. L. v. 26, p. 190) included the "Naval War College and Torpedo School, on Coaster's Harbor Island," under the Bureau of Navigation, and authorized the Secretary of the Navy to erect the new building on Coaster's Harbor Island. The act became effective July 1, 1890, and this date marks the severance of the connection between the college and the Naval Torpedo Station, the latter remaining then, as now, on Goat Island. The two establishments should not be confused.

There was no session of the college in 1890, nor in 1891. On Sept. 1, 1892, the college was reopened in its new quarters on Coaster's Harbor Island. There was no session for 1893.

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Another radical change in the administration of the college came with Navy Department General order 421, Mar. 14, 1894, which consolidated all three establishments at Newport, namely (1) the Naval Training Station, (2) the Naval War College and Torpedo School, and (3) the Naval Torpedo Station. The three establishments so consolidated formed one command, known as the Naval Station, Newport, R. I. The officer commanding the Naval Training Station was designated as the commandant of the Naval Station. General order 496, dated Aug. 16, 1898, effective Oct. 1, 1898, revoked the consolidation order of Mar. 14, 1894, and restored the establishments to the same footing which had existed prior to 1894. †

In 1898, the year of the War with Spain, there was no session of the college. For some time prior to Dec. 16, 1901, the college was directly under the control of the assistant Secretary of the Navy; on Dec. 16, 1901, by Navy Department General order 74, dated Dec. 13, 1901, the college was placed again under the Bureau of Navigation. Beginning with Dec. 1, 1909, by order of the Secretary of the Navy (see p. 3 of Changes in Navy regulations, 1909, no. 6, N1.11 2:909 6), the Naval War College was detached from the Bureau of Navigation.

Several changes have been made in the name of the college. From its organization in 1884 to Jan. 11, 1889, the name was "Naval War College;" from Jan. 11, 1889 to July 1, 1890, it became by consolidation a part of the "Naval Torpedo Station and War College;" for several years after 1890 either the form "Naval War College and Torpedo School" or "Naval War College" was used, but of recent years the authorized form has been "Naval War College."

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## N15.1: Annual reports

(date) [1885-1905 (except 1891-93, 1898, and 1899, none issued), in annual reports of Navy Department (N1.1:), but not issued separately. 1906-09, none issued.]

## N15.2: General publications

In8 International law, recent Supreme Court decisions and other opinions and precedents. 1904.

R24 Reconnaissance, Naval. Naval reconnaissance, instructions for reconnaissance of bays, harbors, and adjacent country; by Dion Williams. 1906. large 8°

## N15.3: Bulletins

(nos.) [None issued.]

## N15.4: Circulars

(nos.) [None issued.]

## N15.5: Abstract of course

(date)	1894	1899
	1895	1900
	1896	1901
	1897	1902
	1898	1903

[Discontinued.]

## N15.6: Addresses and lectures

B41 Belknap, G. E. Some aspects of naval administration in war, with its attendant belongings of peace, address delivered July 30, 1897, by G. E. Belknap. 1897.

C83 Coudert, Frederic R. International law, rights of ships, lecture delivered by Frederic R. Coudert, Oct. 2, 1895. n. p. [1895?].

C84 Cramp, Charles H. Necessity of experience to efficiency, address by Charles H. Cramp, delivered June 18, 1897. 1897.

G62 Goodrich, C. F. Closing address of president of War College, C. F. Goodrich, delivered Sept. 15, 1897. 1897.

H11<sup>1</sup> Hackett, Frank W. Address delivered before Naval War College, Newport, R. I., at annual opening, June 2, 1900, by Frank W. Hackett. 1900.

H11<sup>2</sup> Same, at annual opening, June 3, 1901, by Frank Warren Hackett. 1901.

† The historical note concerning the Naval War College has been compiled from Rear-Admiral Stephen B. Luce's article on the "U. S. Naval War College," published in the United States Naval Institute Proceedings, v. 36, no. 2, June, 1910, p. 559-586. This article and the concluding one by the same author in v. 36, no. 3, Sept. 1910, contain further historical information concerning the college. The magazine, not being a public document, is not entered in this Checklist.

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**N15.6: Addresses and lectures—Continued**

- H41 Herbert, Hilary A. Sea and sea power as factor in history of United States, address delivered by H. A. Herbert at Naval War College, Aug. 10, 1896. 1896.
- K15 Kasson, John A. International arbitration, how and how far is it practicable? address delivered by John A. Kasson before Naval War College, Sept. 19, 1896. 1896.
- L36 Lauchheimer, Charles H. Naval law and naval courts, [address delivered] by Charles H. Lauchheimer [at War College, Newport, R. I., Aug. 28 and 31, 1896]. 1896.
- L66<sup>1</sup> Lippitt, Francis J. International law, rights of vessels in foreign ports, lecture delivered July 3, 1896, by Francis J. Lippitt [Lippitt]. 1896.
- L66<sup>2</sup> Lippitt, Francis J. International law, naval captures, lecture delivered July 23, 1897, by Francis J. Lippitt. 1897.
- M11<sup>1</sup> McAdoo, William. Opening address delivered by William McAdoo at Naval War College, June 4, 1895. [1895?]
- M11<sup>2</sup> McAdoo, William. Address by William McAdoo, delivered at Naval War College, June 2, 1896. 1896.
- R67 Roosevelt, Theodore. [Washington's forgotten maxim] address of Theodore Roosevelt before Naval War College, Newport, R. I., June 2, 1897. 1897.
- Sn6<sup>1</sup> Snow, Freeman. International law, lectures delivered at Naval War College by Freeman Snow; prepared for publication by Charles H. Stockton. [1st edition.] 1895.
- Sn6<sup>2</sup> Same, with title, International law, manual based upon lectures delivered at Naval War College by Freeman Snow; prepared for publication by C. H. Stockton. 2d edition. 1898.
- St6 Stockton, Charles H. Preparation for war, discussion of various elements to be considered in formation of plans of operations and in study of campaigns, [address] by Charles H. Stockton, delivered at opening of Naval War College, Newport, R. I., May 31, 1899. 1899.
- St7 Storey, Moorfield. Civilian's view of Navy, lecture delivered Sept. 6, 1897, by Moorfield Storey. 1897.
- T21 Taylor, Henry Clay. [Relation of naval reserve to coast defense] address by H. C. Taylor, delivered before 1st naval battalion, N. Y., Jan. 9, 1895. [1895?]
- W15 Walker, Asa. Combined maritime operations; by Asa Walker. 1899.
- W69<sup>1</sup> Wilson, George G. Insurgency, lectures delivered at Naval War College, Newport, R. I., Aug. 1900, by George Grafton Wilson. 1900.
- W69<sup>2</sup> Wilson, George G. Submarine telegraphic cables in their international relations, lectures delivered at Naval War College, Aug. 1901, by George Grafton Wilson. 1901.
- W88 Woolsey, Theodore S. Right of search and its limitation in time of peace, lecture delivered at Naval War College, Aug. 4, 1896, by Theodore S. Woolsey. 1896.

**N15.7: International law situations (annual discussions)**

- 895 International law. [1895.]
- 896 International law situations [1896], discussions by officers in attendance. 1897.
- 897 International law situations, 1897. 1898. [Confidential.]  
[None issued for 1898.]
- 899 Same [without solutions] 1899. [1900?]
- 900 Same, with solutions, 1900. 1900.
- 901 Same, with solutions and notes, 1901. 1901.
- 902 Same, with solutions and notes, 1902. 1903.

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- N15.7: International law situations (annual discussions)—Cont'd**
- 903 International law discussions, 1903, United States naval war code of 1900, [and] appendices. 1904. [See, for Naval war code as issued for use of Navy, N1.2: N22<sup>5</sup>.]
- 904 International law situations, with solutions and notes, 1904. 1905.
- 905 International law topics and discussions, 1905 [with appendix, Japanese regulations governing captures at sea]. 1906.
- 906 Same, 1906 [with appendix, Convention for amelioration of condition of wounded in armies in the field, Geneva, 1906]. 1907.
- 907 International law situations, with solutions and notes, 1907; by George G. Wilson. 1908.
- 908 Same, 1908 [with appendix, Final act and conventions of Hague Conference, 1907]. 1909.
- 909 International law topics, declaration of London of Feb. 26, 1909. 1910. [English and French.]

**N16. LIBRARY AND NAVAL WAR RECORDS OFFICE**

[The first appointment of an officer in charge of "Library and War Records" was made June 9, 1882. The library at that time consisted of 7,000 books of little value, a large part of the number being relics of old ships' libraries which had been turned in as no longer serviceable. The first appropriation "for professional books for Department Library" was carried in act approved Aug. 5, 1882. Soon after this, the compilation of naval war records (see N16.6:) was begun in the Library, and specific appropriation for carrying on the work was made by act approved July 7, 1884, and succeeding acts. While the clerical force of the Library and of the Naval War Records Office are appropriated for separately, the two have always been under one head and are practically one office under the name "Office of Library and Naval War Records." Although the word "Naval" has been used from the first to distinguish this office from the office in charge of army war records (see W45.), it was not regularly included in the name until about 1890.

This office was under the Bureau of Navigation from its establishment until Oct. 21, 1889, when it was transferred by order of the Secretary, to the Secretary's Office.]

**N16.1: Annual reports**

- (date) [1889, in annual report of Navy Department (N1.1:). 1890-92, no signed reports printed. 1893-1909, in annual reports of Navy Department (N1.1:), and usually issued separately also.]

**N16.2: General publications**

- C76 Confederate records. [Circular letter asking aid in procuring Confederate records.] n. d. 4°
- N22 Naval records. Circular [requesting that matter relating to Navy since its beginning be sent to Navy Department for safety and preservation]. Dec. 1, 1904. 12°
- Un3<sup>1</sup> Union and Confederate navies. [Concerning publication of] official records of Union and Confederate navies. Nov. 2, 1896. 4°
- Un3<sup>2</sup> Same [corrected]. Nov. 2, 1896. 4°
- Un3<sup>3</sup> Same. Jan. 15, 1903. 4°
- Un3<sup>4</sup> Same. Mar. 15, 1905. 4°
- Un3<sup>5</sup> Same. May 24, 1906. 4°

**N16.3: Bulletins**

- (nos.) [None issued.]

**N16.4: Circulars**

- (nos.) [No numbered series of circulars has been issued. Certain announcements concerning the collection and publication of naval war records, which bear the word "Circular," are classed as general publications; see N16.2:]

**N16.5: Office memoranda**

- (nos.) 1 5
- 2 6
- Same, reprint 7
- 3 8
- 4 9
- [Discontinued.]