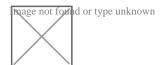
Ropeyarn Sunday " Sea Stories " and Open Trackbacks

Description

"Blogging Block" (at least with "Sea Stories") still in place.



Found this, tho

from January (13th to be exact), 1917....the reason not to use a heavy cruiser to pull a grounded sub off the beaches of California... USS MILAWAUKEE goes hard aground trying to get H-3 out of trouble. End result: lost the ship. Salvaged from the place beached by bad judgment.

More info on the event is here. It seems the private bids (from experts in salvage, mind you, seemed too expensive, so...tell the "Can Do" guys to turn to, it's just pulling a sub back to deep water, after all. Sound too familiar?

A detailed report, "The Valor of Inexperience" by CAPT Harvey Haislip, USN (Retired) was published in defaul Proceedings in Feb 1967.

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