# Ropeyarn Sunday "Sea Stories" and Open Trackbacks

## Description

â€œBlogging Blockâ€• (at least with â€œSea Storiesâ€•) still in place.



Found this, tho

from January (13th to be exact), 1917â€¦.the reason not to use a heavy cruiser to pull a grounded sub off the beaches of Californiaâ€¦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.

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More info on the event is here. It seems the private bids (from experts in salvage, mind you, seemed too expensive, soâ€¦tell the â€œCan Doâ€• guys to turn to, itâ€™s just pulling a sub back to deep water, after all. Sound too familiar?

A detailed report, â€œThe Valor of Inexperienceâ€• by CAPT Harvey Haislip, USN (Retired) was published in *Proceedings* in Feb 1967.

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