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Also included are photocopies of 4 black and white photographs of the officers of HMAS *Reserve* taken on the bridge of the ship. All of these photos were taken at Guiuan, Samar in the Philippine Islands on 11 April 1945. Donated by Joseph Newman, 5 January 2010

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