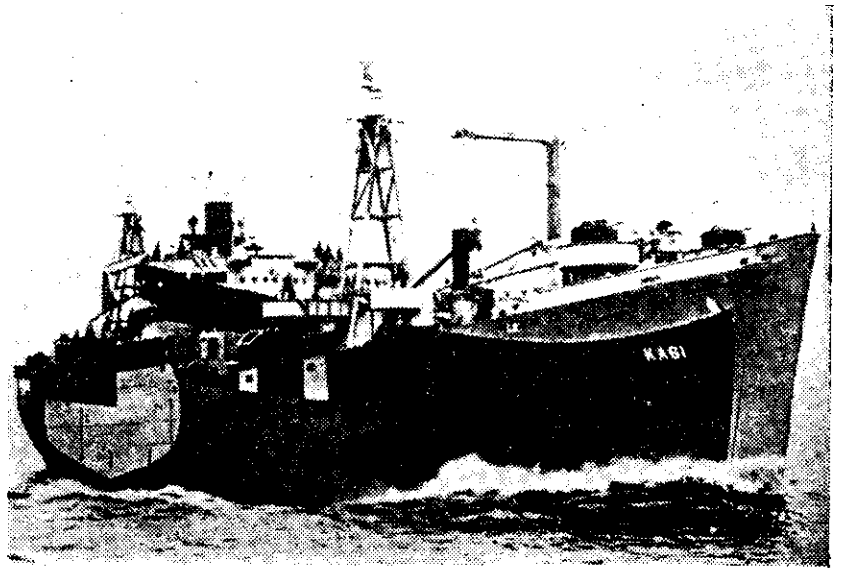
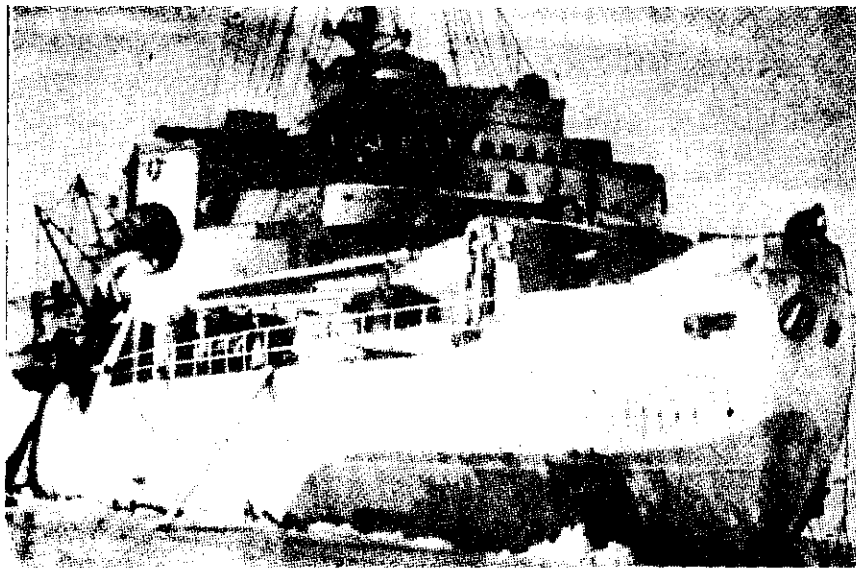
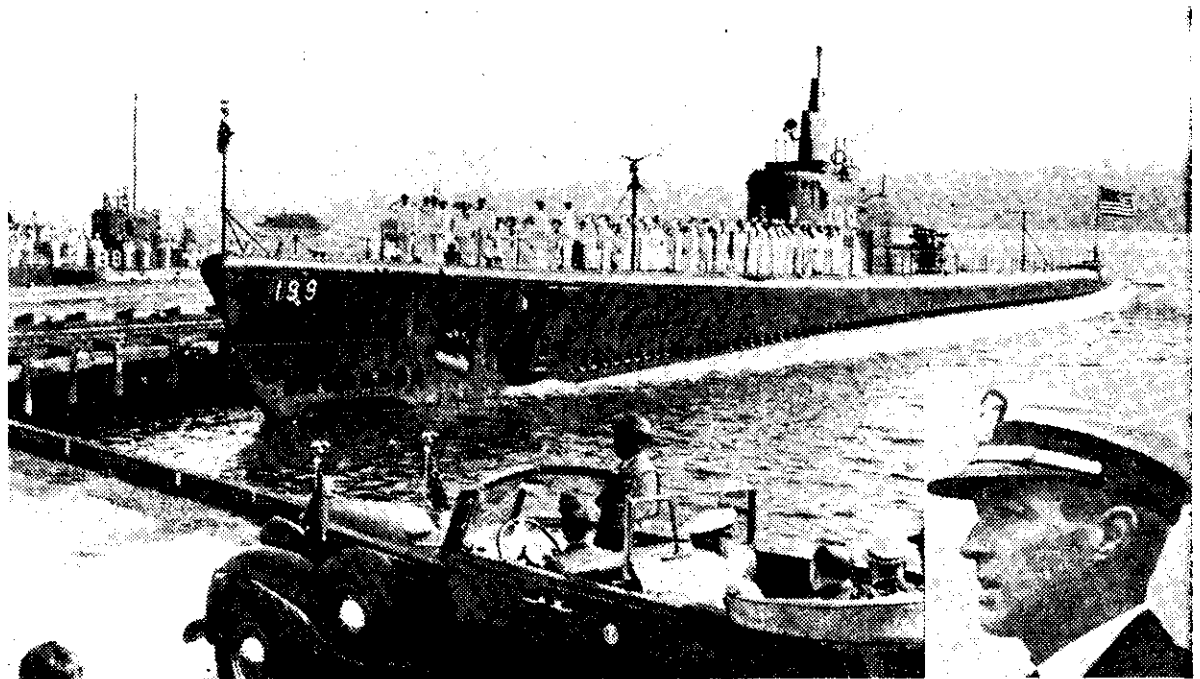
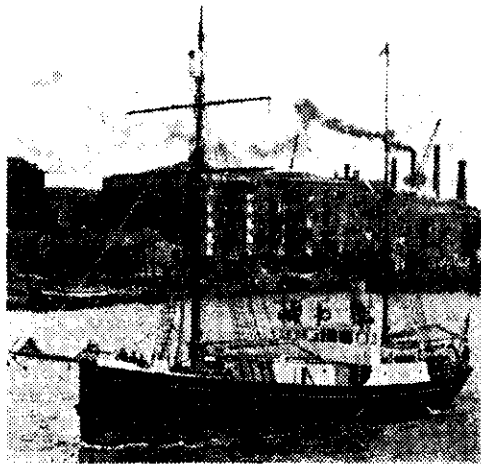


Typical units of the fleet which the United States is sending to the Antarctic. Above: the Wasp, to whose class the aircraft-carrier Philippine Sea belongs. Below: the Quest, in which Sir Ernest Shackleton made his last voyage. Right: the Tautog, sister submarine to the Sennet



Left: Ice-breaker similar to North Wind, capable of crushing 9ft. ice. Right: typical attack transport used in amphibious warfare in the Pacific. The inset portraits are of Admiral Byrd (above), leader of the expedition, and Admiral Cruzen, his executive officer.