

THE WORLD'S FIRST ATOM SUB.

Mrs. Dwight Eisenhower arrives at Groton, Connecticut, to launch the world's first atomic submarine. With the traditional bottle of champagne, the revolutionary new craft is christened "Nautilus". Built at a cost of about nineteen million pounds, the three hundred foot sub can circle the globe without surfacing.

Torpedoes for the submarine can be mounted with atomic warheads. America claims that new electronic devices will, enable the Nautilus to operate at depths that would crush any normal sub, and that powered by a few ounces of uranium, she can outstrip any other submarines in the world.

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ATOMIC SUBMARINE

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The Nautilus -- the world's first atomic vessel -- is ready for launching at Groton, Connecticut.

Mrs. Dwight Eisenhower, the sub's sponsor, arrives for the ceremonies, attended by fifteen thousand persons. The Nautilus seems eager to slip into the water and the First Lady must swing quickly to christen the undersea giant. Majestically the Nautilus slides down the ways.

The sleek three hundred foot craft opens a new and horizonless maritime era. Built at a cost of fifty five million dollars, she can circle the globe without surfacing. Her torpedoes can be mounted with atomic warheads and her electronic devices enable her to operate at depths that would crush conventional subs. She can outrun any known ship, because of her uranium heart, which does the work of hundreds of thousands of gallons of oil and thousands of tons of coal.

The age of atomic navies is born.

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