

Walt Walkinshaw as source on WWII South Pacific:

--Walt was navigator aboard "jeep aircraft carrier" Waltham Bay; was at bombardment of Okinawa, went through the typhoon there that shows up in Ault's logbook. Said the waves were as high as the 80-foot island of the carrier--i.e., even with the bridge where he was; he's saved the barometric report. Stories of the storm (Walt says Bull Halsey shd have been courtmartialed for putting the fleet into it): an admiral radioed a destroyer to ask if it had ~~susak~~ sustained any storm damage, the captain said he'd know better "after we surface"; and a ship radioed that it had in tow "a suburb of Pittsburgh"--the bow of the heavy cruiser that had broken off in the storm.

Sea of Thunder, p. 327-8: typhoon, mid-Dec. '44

Danzer's death?

and, looking up,...

Danzer was not,,

a straight-line fool

He was something worse (trickier)

OO was so self-absorbed he threatened to disappear up one of his own orifices.

Danzen's

Bruce's?

00's line of sight through life ^{was} always centered on 00. (i.e, on himself)

Danzen

Danzer from Livingston; family owns habberdashery

Danzer, grey-eyed as a stone ^{RV?}sacrophagus, was watching him...

Dancer

Riley says a purrlike "hmm?"; Jick says an occasional "huh?" or ~~Uk~~ "Uh".

Navy, aboard ships: officers called "Mister"

sea air

clear as mint