

U.S.N.A.

June 3rd, 1902.

Dear Father:-

The following is the itinerary of the cruise of the U.S.S. Indiana for the first half and of the Chesapeake for the second half of the cruise. I will be on the Indiana for the first half and on the Chesapeake during the second half.

June 9th leave Annapolis.

- “ 14th Arrive at Newport News, Va.
- “ 19th Leave Newport News, Virginia.
- “ 26th Arrive at Newport, R.I.
- “ 30th Leave Newport, R.I. for cruise in Block Island Sound and vicinity.

July 11th, Arrive at New London, Conn.

- “ 15th Leave New London, Conn.
- “ 18th Arrive at Orient Point, N.Y.
- “ 19th we leave the Indiana and go on board the Chesapeake for second half of cruise.

July 29th Arrive at New Bedford, Mass.

Aug. 2d Leave New Bedford, Mass.

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Aug. 9th Arrive at Portland, Maine.

- “ 14th Leave Portland, Maine
- “ 22d Arrive inside of the Capes.
- “ 28th Arrive at Annapolis.
- “ 28th Take the train for Kerrville, Texas.

Half the cadets will go up to Halifax and some other ports that we on the Chesapeake will miss, but then, we will see ports that they will miss.

As we are in the midst of our annual exams now, I will close.

My best love to Mother, the children and all the rest.

Your son,

[signed]

Chester W. Nimitz