

THE FLAG

As Flagship of Cruiser Division 12, MONTPELIER flew from her main truck the two-star flag of the Division Commander.

Left: AARON S. MERRILL
REAR ADMIRAL, USN
First Commander of
Cruiser Division 12

Right:
ROBERT W. HAYLER
REAR ADMIRAL, USN
Second Commander of
Cruiser Division 12



REAR ADMIRAL RALPH S. RIGGS, Third Commander of Cruiser Division 12,
and Staff