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Dear Mr MacMullen:

I was much interested in your article giving the remarkable history of the old USS BUFFALO. She was the tender for the division of destroyers in which I served back in 1920-22 on the Asiatic Station.

Some time ago, I wrote an article for the Old Navy Department of the Naval Institute PROCEEDINGS, in the course of which I found it necessary to mention the BUFFALO. They accepted my article, but they wanted some confirmation as to the name of this vessel since they were unable to find it in their Dictionary of US Naval Vessels. My only proof lay in my orders to her for temporary duty and passage from Damortis to Manila in 1922. That seemed to be satisfactory for the article was finally published.

I will send your story to Katherine McInnis, who is the Production Editor of the PROCEEDINGS so she can bring their Dictionary up to date!

Yours,

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