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Served In Atlantic and Pacific

George LeConte served in World War II, entering the United States Navy at the age of 20 and serving 3 years, 5 months and 4 days. He served on convoy duty in the American Theater of Operations, in the European Theater and in the Pacific Theater. He served at Guam, Sicily, Italy, North Africa, Aruba, Curacao, Iceland, and South Wales.

George received the European African Middle Eastern Theater Ribbon, the American Theater Ribbon, the Asiatic Pacific Theater Ribbon, the Victory Medal, and the Good Conduct Medal. He achieved the rank of RM3C. George wrote that he joined the Navy to see the world—and he saw it.

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