

Scrapbook: Denmark's army and navy

Introduction

As a supplement to my description of the cut-out sheets from the booklet "Danmarks Hær og Flaade" there are now pictures of the vast majority of things relating to the navy.

Niels Blangsted-Jensen has been kind enough to make his "remains" of the cut-out sheets available for both scanning and description. Compared to the cut-out figures which were the subject of the scan, the reproductions here have been processed so that the background now appears uniformly rectangular. The original sheets contained a naval insignia as well as 5 more war veterans - similar uniforms to the one shown here, but different in terms of hair colour, among other things.

The Navy 1941

The ships on the sheets are identified as:

- The torpedo boat GLENTEN.
- The artillery ship PEDER SKRAM.
- Artillery ship NIELS IUEL.



The figures on the sheets represent:

- Crown Prince Frederik.
- War captain.
- Sea lieutenant of the 1st degree.
- Machinist of the 3rd degree.
- Orloggast.



The shield represents:

- 40 mm anti-aircraft gun. 20
- mm machine gun.



Both drawings appear to be reproduced from photographs found in the Defense Book, on pages 136 and 137.

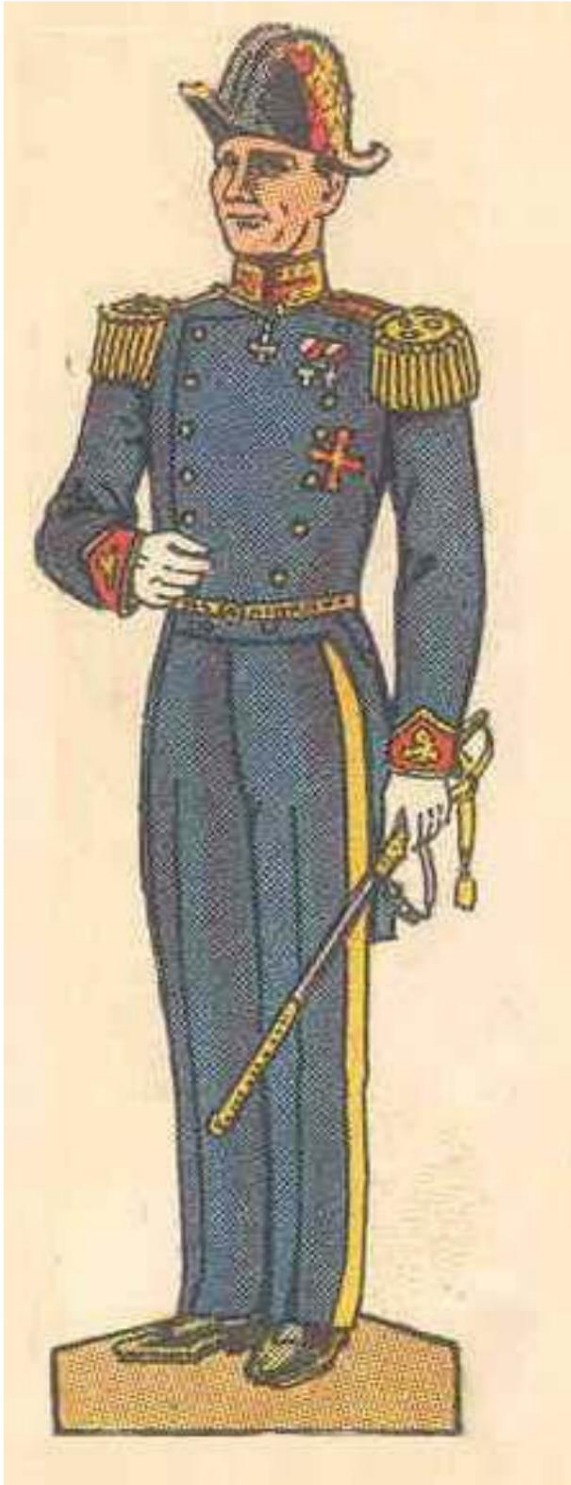
Sources and additional information

1. *The defense book* by Colonel T. Andersen et al., Gyldendal 1941
2. *Textbook for military guests*, 1938.
3. A visit to the website <http://www.marinehistorie.dk> is recommended. Here you can find, among other things, detailed information about the two artillery ships as well as the photographs that have enabled the identification of the artillery ships: 1. http://www.marinehistorie.dk/Danish/Skibene/P/PederSkram_kystforsvarskib.htm 2. http://www.marinehistorie.dk/Danish/Skibene/N/NielsJuel_artilleriskib.htm.

Closing

Thanks to Niels Blangsted-Jensen for the loan of the original clippings and to Søren Juul, who did the scanning. Finally, a thank you for the help to Søren Nørby, who identified Torpedoboat T4 as GLENTEN.

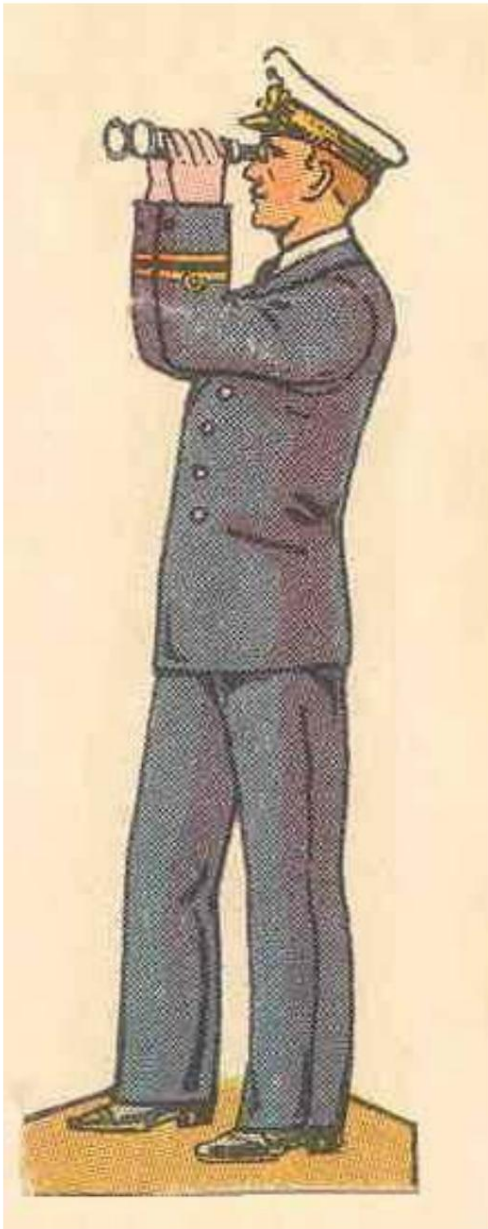
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Crown Prince Frederik



War captain



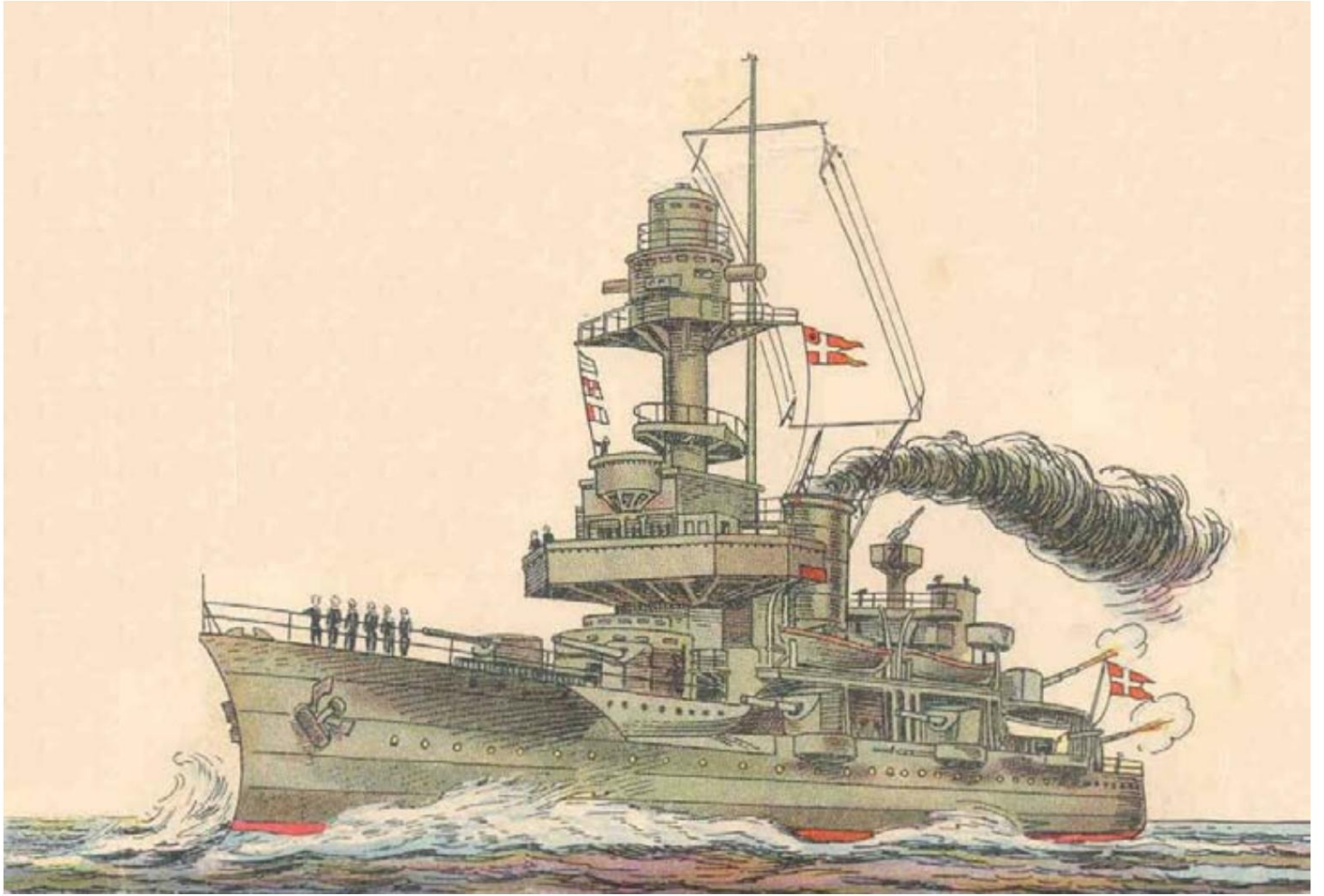
Sea lieutenant of the 1st degree



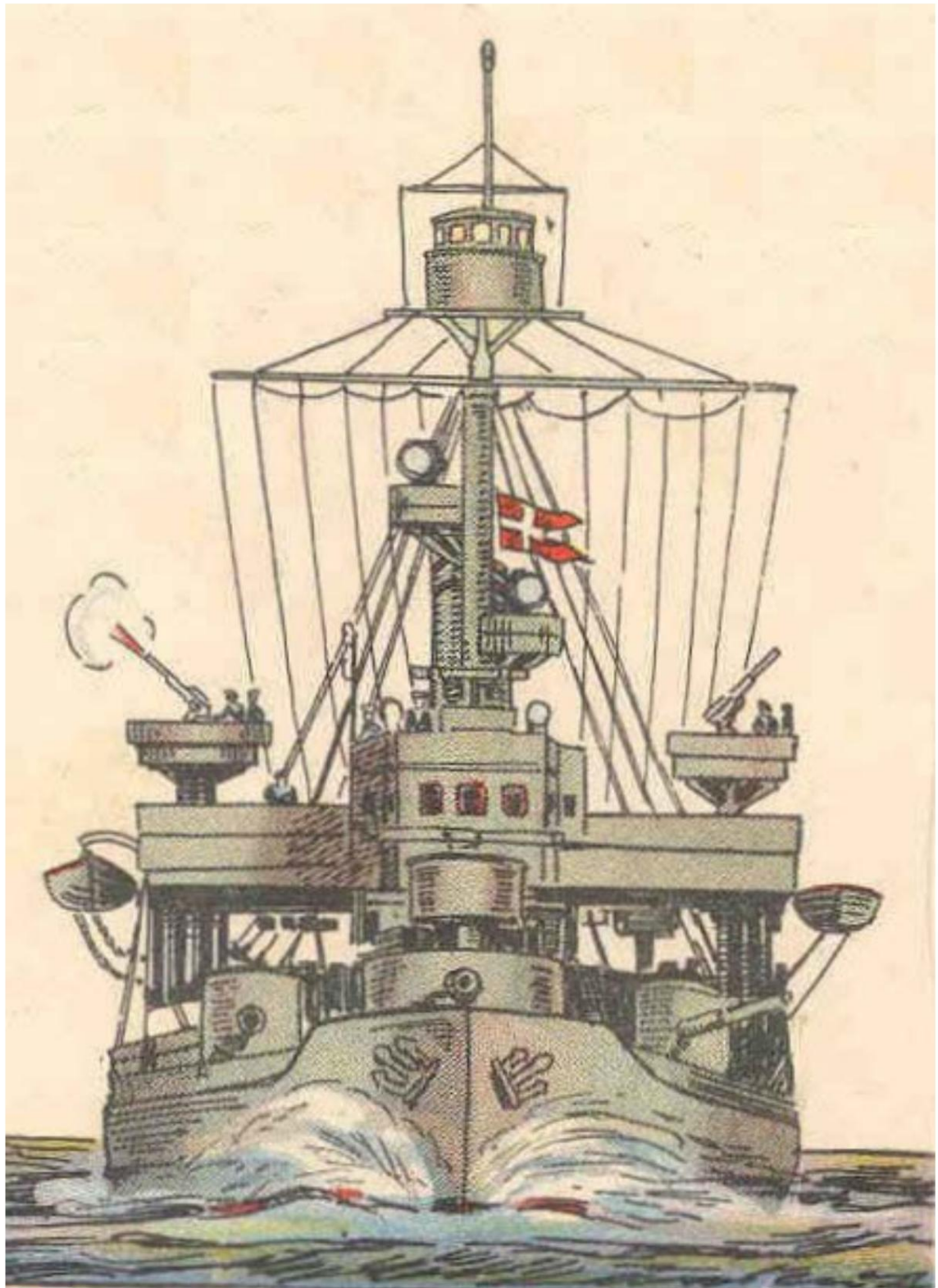
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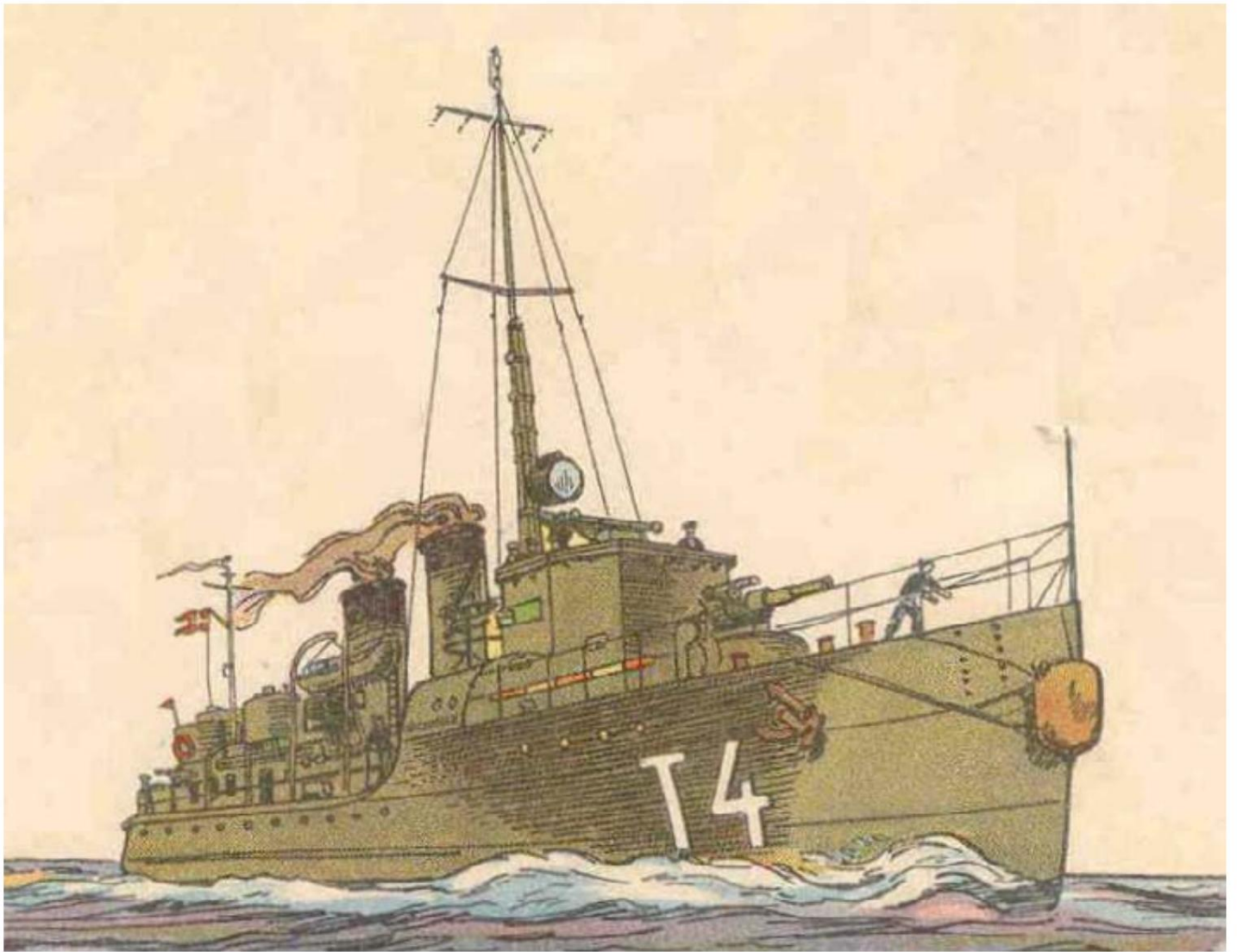
Machinist of the 3rd degree



Artillery ship NIELS IUEL



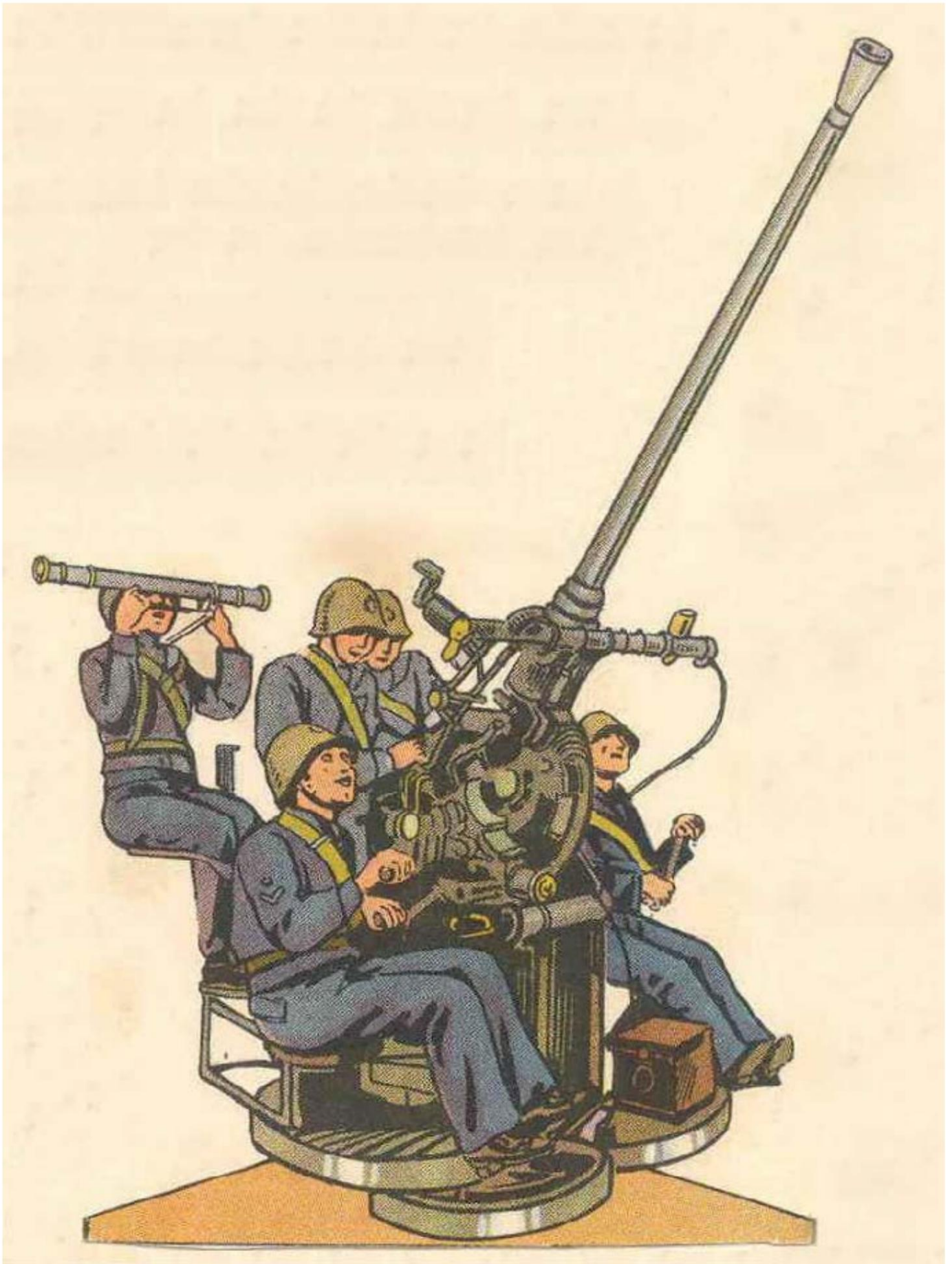
The artillery ship PEDER SKRAM



The torpedo boat GLENTEN



20 mm anti-aircraft gun



40 mm machine gun