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SIGNAL CARD
1951

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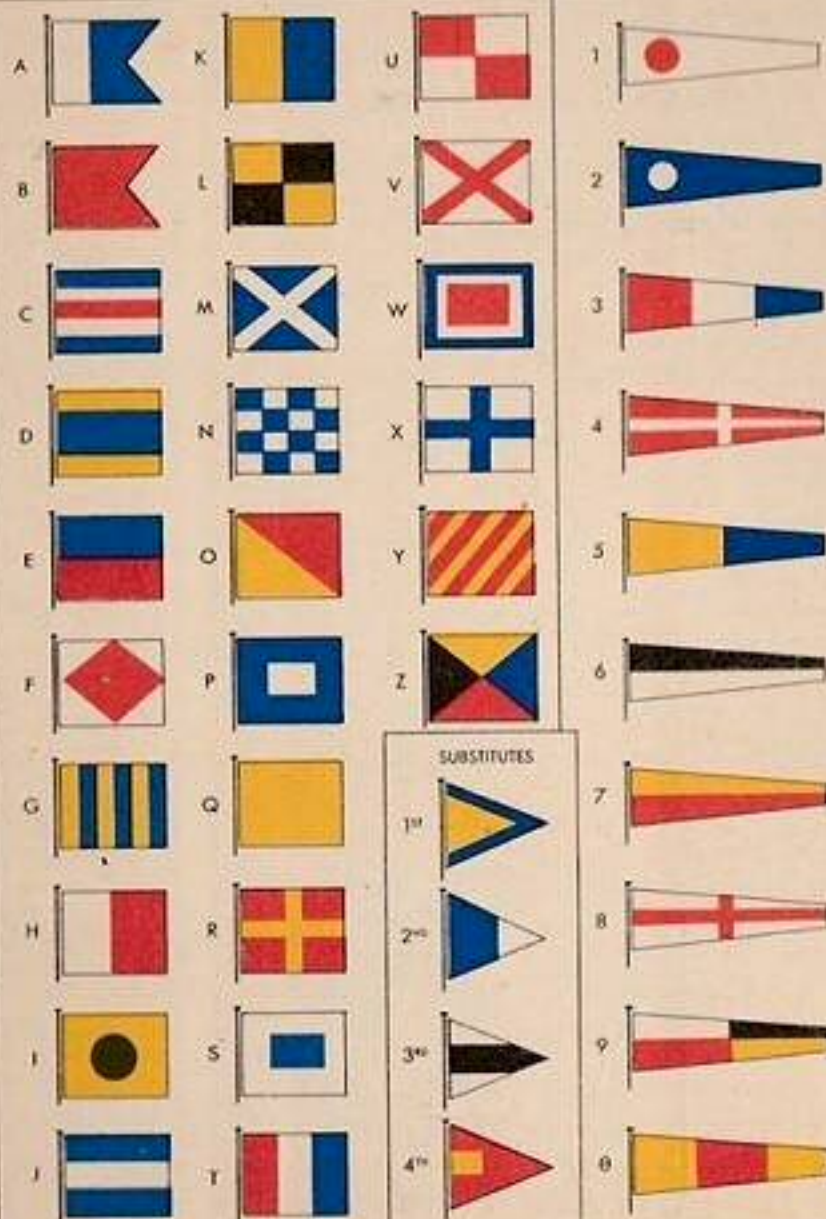
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FLAGS AND PENDANTS

ALPHABET FLAGS

NUMERAL PENDANTS



USE OF SUBSTITUTES

1st SUBSTITUTE REPEATS THE FIRST FLAG OR PENDANT IN THE SAME HOIST, 2nd SUBSTITUTE THE SECOND AND SO ON.

SPECIAL FLAGS AND PENDANTS

NUMERAL FLAGS

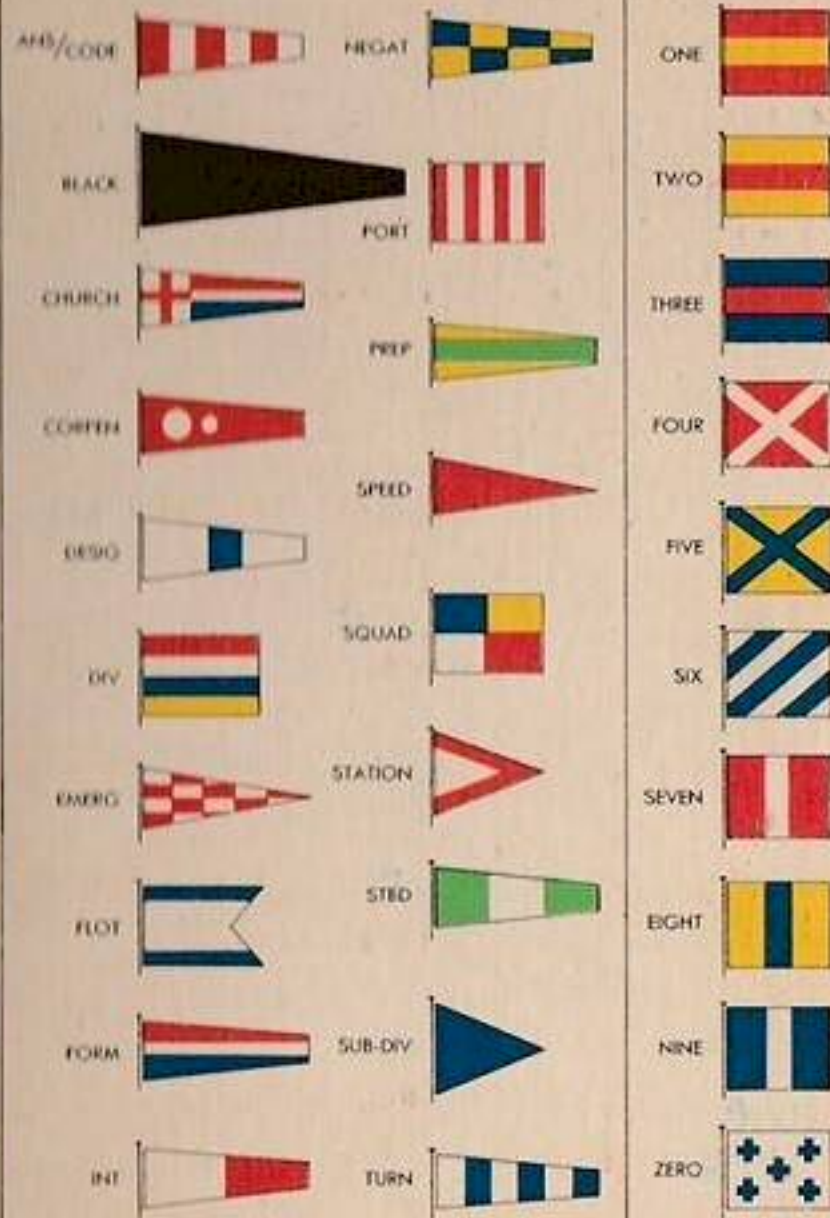


PLATE 3

ALPHABET	
• —	A
— • • •	B
— • — •	C
— • •	D
•	E
• • — •	F
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• • •	H
• •	I
• — — —	J
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NOTE
THE LETTER I IS ALWAYS TO BE DOTTED.
THE LETTER O IS WRITTEN THUS: O.

NUMERALS	
• — — — —	1
• • — — —	2
• • • — —	3
• • • • —	4
• • • • •	5
— • • • •	6
— — • • •	7
— — — • •	8
— — — — •	9
— — — — —	0

PUNCTUATION AND OTHER SIGNS

Block letters	
or underline	• • — — •
Fraction Bar (slant/)	— • • •
Period	• • — — •
Hyphen or Dash	— • • • •
Parenthesis	— • • • •
(Before and after words)	
Separative Sign	• • • •
Error Sign	• • • • • (etc.)

CHARACTER FORMULATIONS

1. A dot is the unit of duration.
2. A dash is equal to three units.
3. An element is either a dot or dash.
4. The space between elements is one unit.
5. The space between characters is three units.
6. The space between groups is seven units.

PLATE 4

SPECIAL CHARACTERS

AA	• — • •	Unknown station
AR	• — • • •	End of transmission
AS	• — • • •	Wait
BT	— • • • •	Long break
HM	• • • • — (3 times)	Emergency silence sign
IMI	• • • • •	Repeat
INT	• • — • •	Interrogatory
IX	• • • • •	Execute to follow
IX	(5 second dash)	Executive signal

SEMAPHORE

A 	B 	C 	D 	E 	F 	G
H 	I 	J 	K 	L 	M 	N
O 	P 	Q 	R 	S 	T 	U
V 	W 	X 	Y 	Z 		
ATTENTION 	NUMERAL 	ERASE 				