

CROSSING THE LINE.

20/12/55.



Although Father Christmas is in everybody's mind at this time of the year --- he has a rival who is in the mind of anybody who happens to be near the Equator. H.M.S Newcastle is crossing the Line. And ~~for~~ members of the crew for whom it is the first time --- ~~H.M.S~~ King Neptune is king-pin.

When you meet Santa Claus you get a present. But when you meet King Neptune --- you're lucky if you've got a ~~gut~~ ²²ture. / 3

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