

**U.S. Navy Force at the First Attack on Fort Fisher  
24 & 25 December 1864**

Rear-Admiral D D Porter

Minnesota	Commodore J Lauman
Mohican	Commander D Armen
Colorado	Commodore H K Thacher
Tuscarora	Commander J M Frailey
Wabash	Captain M smith
Susquehanna	Commodore S W Godon
Brooklyn	Captain J Alden
Powhatan	Commodore J F Schenk
Juniata	Captain W R Taylor
Kansas	Lt-Commander P G Watmough
Yantic	Lt-Commander T C Harris
Maumee	Lt-Commander R Chandler
Mackinaw	Commander J C Beaumont
Ticonderoga	Captain C Steedman
Pawtucket	Commander J H Spotts
Shenandoah	Captain D B Ridgely
Seneca	Lt-Commander M Sicard
New Ironsides	Commodore W Radford
Monadnock	Commander E G Parrott
Canonicus	Lt-Commander G E Belknap
Mahopac	Lt-Commander E E Potter
Saugus	Commander E R Colhoun
Nyack	Lt-Commander L H Newman
Unadilla	Lt-Commander F M Ramsay
Huron	Lt-Commander T O Selfridge
Pequot	Lt-Commander D L Braine
Pontoosac	Lt-Commander W G Temple
Nereus	Commander J C Howell
Vanderbilt	Captain C W Pickering
Fort Jackson	Captain B F Sands
Santiago de Cuba	Captain O S Gilson
Tacony	Lt-Commander W T Truxton
Osceola	Commander J M B Clitz
Chippewa	Lt-Commander A W Weaver
Sassacus	Lt-Commander J L Davis
Maratanza	Lt-Commander G W Young
Rhode Island	Commander S D Trenchard
Mount Vernon	Acting Volunteer Lt J Trathen
Britannia	Acting Volunteer Lt S Huse
Quaker City	Commander W F Spicer
Iosco	Commander J Guest
Howquah	Acting Volunteer Lt J W Balch
Wilderness	Acting Master H Arey
Cherokee	Acting Volunteer Lt W E Dennison
A D Vance	Lt-Commander J Upshur
Moccasin	Acting Ensign J Brown
Gettysburg	Lt R H Lamson
Alabama	Acting Volunteer Lt F Smith
Keystone State	Commander H Rolando

Nansemond	Acting Master J H Porter
Emma	Acting Volunteer Lt T C Dunn
Tristram Shandy	Acting Ensign B Wood
Governor Buckingham	Acting Volunteer Lt J McDiarmid
Little Ada	Acting Master S P Crafts

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