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MILITOBI STRIKES REEF AT LIKIEP

Saipan, Mariana Islands, Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands,
Oct. 11 . . . The Militobi, 483 ton Government-owned field trip vessel
which is operated in the Marshalls District by the Kwajalein Island
Trading Company, was driven on to a reef at Likiep in bad weather
October 8.

Cargo was offloaded on to a small Marshallese craft, the Louisa, and the Militobi was refloated this morning with the assistance of a tug from the Kwajalein Test Site.

No serious damage was reported, according to Transportation Officer James Cook.

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