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Myron A. Hofer, LCDR, USNRF

Myron Arms Hofer was born October 28, 1892 in Cincinnati, Ohio, son of Charles and Jane Arms Hofer. He attended Pomfrey School and graduated from Harvard University in 1915 with an A.B. degree.

Myron Hofer was the private secretary to the American Minister at Copenhagen, Denmark from 1916 to 1917, and was a naval aviator during World War I, 1917-1918. He was Assistant Naval Attache at the American Embassy, Paris, France during the peace conference in 1919. He was attached to the suites of the King of the Belgian and then Prince of Wales during their visits to the United States in 1919.

He entered the U. S. Diplomatic Service from 1920-1929, serving as 3rd Secretary at the U. S. Embassy and Legations at Tokyo, Peking, Montevideo, Buenos Aires and Santiago, Chile (Charge D'affaires at times at last three posts).

During the period from 1929 to 1941 he was in the investment brokerage business and was a member of the Washington Stock Exchange.

At the start of World War II, he rejoined the Navy and was a Lieutenant Commander at the time of his retirement from the Navy. During 1942, LCDR Hofer served as Senior Member of a Washington, D. C. board that selected candidates for the Navy's new aviation cadet program.

Myron Arms Hofer died May 13, 1963.