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RESTRICTED

SERIAL PD 1339

DATE 15 March 1946

From: PORT DIRECTOR, U.S. NAVAL BASE, SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA
To: CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS

Subject: Merchant Vessels, Disarming of.

~~NS~~
SS ABANGAREZ Gross Tons 4538
~~Owner~~ WSA Registry U.S.
Operator or
Agent United Fruit Co.

References: (a) Coml2 Restricted Despatch 260020 of Feb 1946
(b) CNO conf ltr. Op-23L-js(SC)S79-3/QS1, Serial No. 0353323 dated 15 August 1945.
(c) CNO conf. ltr Op-38S-A2-ML(SC)S80/QS1, serial No. 063338 dated 29 November 1941

Enclosure: (A) Final Consolidated Report of Defense Material Removed from Subject vessel.

1. Confirming reference (a), the attached enclosure submits information relative to the disarming of subject merchant vessel. Reference (b) in effect cancels reference (c); therefore, Enclosure (A) is the final report on subject vessel.

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PORT DIRECTOR'S REPORT
DISARMING MERCHANT VESSELS

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NS
SS ABANGAREZ

GROSS TONS 4538

Where
Disarmed (Port) San Francisco

DATE 13 February 1946

Yard Kaiser #3, Richmond

ORDNANCE MATERIAL REMOVED

<u>Number of Guns</u>	<u>Calibre and Type</u>	<u>Gun Mark and Mod</u>	<u>Mount Mk. and Mod.</u>	<u>Gun Location</u>	<u>Ammunition</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>3"/50</u>	<u>2-8</u>	<u>4-0</u>	<u>Fwd</u>	<u>Ammunition</u>
<u>1</u>	<u>4"/50</u>	<u>9-16</u>	<u>6-4</u>	<u>Aft</u>	<u>discharged</u>
<u>6</u>	<u>.20 MM</u>	<u>4 4-0</u>	<u>4-0</u>	<u>Amid</u>	<u>at sea</u>
		<u>1 4-0</u>	<u>4-2</u>		<u>per RAMS</u>
		<u>1 4-2</u>	<u>4-2</u>		<u>103</u>
<u>4</u>	<u>.45 Cal</u>				
<u>2</u>	<u>.30 Cal</u>				

INSTALLATIONS REMOVED

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>DETAIL</u>
1. Splinter Protection - Bridge	<u>Retained on board</u>
Splinter Protection - AAMG	<u>" " "</u>
2. Gun Foundations	<u>" " "</u>
3. Magazines	<u>" " "</u>
4. Darkening Ship Facilities	<u>None on board</u>
5. Reinforced Sea Chests	<u>" " "</u>
6. Fire Control Communication System	<u>Removed</u>
7. Sky Lookout Stations	<u>None on board</u>
8. Course Changing Clock	<u>" " "</u>

EQUIPMENT REMOVED

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>DETAILS</u>
1. Acoustic Warning Devices	<u>None</u>	<u>on board</u>
2. Barrage Balloons and Equipment	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
3. Snowflake Flares	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
4. Snowflake Flare Projectors	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
5. Smoke Floats	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>
6. Smoke Float Racks	<u>Removed</u>	
7. A/TD Mark 29 Equipment	<u>None</u>	<u>on board</u>
8. Sauls-Vangrow Kites	<u>"</u>	<u>"</u>

DEGAUSSING EQUIPMENT

Type of Coils M Compass Compensated -----

Date Calibrated 6/8/43 Range Milford haven

Date Permed no record

REMARKS:

PORT DIRECTOR'S MATERIAL INVENTORY
FOR ARMED GUARD UNIT

SS ABANGAREZ
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STOCK NO.	ITEM	UNIT	QTY	TITLE
<u>CLASS 2</u>				
2-B-256	Balloons, Aerological, 30" Inflated	Ea		C
2-H-1007	Helmets, Battle Telephone, M2	Ea		B
2-H-1010-1	Helmets, Steel, M-1	Ea		B
2-K-309050-B	Kits, pyrotechnic (Replaces white rockets)	Ea		C
2-L-1010-2	Liners, Helmet	Ea		B
2-P3500-00	Very Pistol Sets	Set	1	B
<u>CLASS 4</u>				
4-C-720-725	Cartridges, Very (Green and Red)	Ea		B
4-R-26000	Rockets, Marine, MK1, White	Ea		C
<u>CLASS 5</u>				
5-B-228-238	Bunting, various colors	Yd		C
5-F-000	Flags, assorted	Set	3	C
5-P-000-1177	Pennants, assorted	Ea	5	C
<u>CLASS 6</u>				
6-B-705	Buoys, position (towing spar)	Ea	1	B
<u>CLASS 17</u>				
17-B-7210-9533	Batteries, assorted	Ea	9	C
17-F-13452	Flashlights, Elec. hand	Ea	5	C
17-L-000-6390	Lamps, assorted	Ea	3	C
17-L-7760	Lantern, Type "J"	Ea	1	B
17-L-11779-12929	Lights, assorted	Ea		B
17-S-3300	Searchlights, 12"	Ea		B
17-T-3055	Telephones, Sound powered (head set)	Set	11	B
<u>CLASS 18</u>				
18-B-1137-10	Binoculars, 6X30	Pr	4	B
18-B-1142	Binoculars, 7X50	Pr	1	B
18-C-649	Navigators Case	Ea		B
18-H-1335	Hydrometer, Stor. Batt.	Ea	2	B
18-R-705	Rules, parallel	Ea		B
18-S-1633	Sextant, Endless tangents, screw type	Ea		B
18-S-2257	Spyglasses, 12 power 16 power	Ea	1	B
18-T-2940	Thermometer, M&M	Ea	2	B
18-W-130	Watches, comparing	Ea		B
<u>CLASS 23</u>				
23-P-160	Preservers, Life, Kapox	Ea		B
<u>CLASS 24</u>				
24-B-178	Bags, Canvas weighted	Ea		C
<u>CLASS 26</u>				
26-C-21100	Cots, canvas, folding	Ea	8	B
<u>CLASS 37</u>				
37-C-2123	Coats, Alpaca lined, Winter N-1	Ea		B
37-C-2132-5	Coats, rain, foul weather, long	Ea		B
37-C-2148-5	Coats, Rain, foul weather, short	Ea		B
37-D-319	Drawers, Special winter woolen, N-1	Pr		B
37-G-3535	Goggles, general purpose, Var. density	Pr		B
37-J-152	Jackets, parka type (rubberized)	Ea		B
37-J-159	Jackets, Jungle cloth, N-1	Ea		B
37-M-275	Masks, Gas NC (Merchant crew)	Ea	55	B
37-M-306	Masks, Gas NDO (Navy type)	Ea	34	B

STOCK NO	ITEM	UNIT	QTY	TITLE
<u>CLASS 37</u>				
37-M-325	Masks, face, wool, N-1	Ea		B
37-M-330-335	Megaphone, Hand (18"-32")	Ea		B
37-M-430-436	Mittens, N-1 and N-2	Pr		B
37-S-2180	Socks, wool-cotton, N-1	Pr		B
37-T-305-440-5	Trousers, rain, foul weather	Pr		B
37-T-306	Trousers, rubberized, N-2	Pr		B
37-T-400	Trousers, Jungle cloth, N-1	Pr		B
37-U-99	Undershirts, woolen, n-1	Ea		B
<u>CLASS 38</u>				
38-D-1000-5225	Brushes, various sizes	Ea		C
<u>CLASS 51</u>				
51-G-148-50	Gas, helium, cylinder	Cyl	1	C
<u>CLASS 52</u>				
52-P	Paint, various	Gal.	1	C
<u>CLASS 63</u>				
63-B-500	Bottles, vacuum	Ea	4	B
<u>CLASS 72</u>				
72-A-770-80	Artics, five buckle	Pr		B
	Revolvers, .38 Cal, S&W	Ea		B
	Pistols, .45 Cal, Automatic	Ea	4	B
	Rifles, .30 Cal	Ea	2	B