

THIRD NAVAL DISTRICT
OFFICE OF PORT DIRECTOR
17 Battery Place, New York, N. Y.

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Date 12 July, 1943.

From: Port Director, Third Naval District.
To: Chief of Naval Operations.

Subject: Supplementary report of supplies and/or personnel issued
by Port Director to SS ABANGAREZ,
gross tonnage 4538, type Provision Store Ship,
arrived from Liverpool, on 26 June, 1943.

1. The following U. S. Naval personnel comprise the Armed
Guard crew on subject vessel upon vessel's arrival in this port:

NAME	RATING	BRANCH	SERVICE NO.	DETACHED
WOLIN, Charles	Lieut.	USNR		7/1/43
GRZYB, Edward Joseph	GM3c	V-6, USNR	666 22 04	
BORLIK, Leonard Tadeusz	Slc	V-6, USNR	725 73 51	
BREWSTER, John Thalon	Slc	V-6, USNR	630 80 74	
CAPIES, Buford Raymond	Slc	V-6, USNR	637 68 99	
COLLETTE, Robert Donald	Slc	V-6, USNR	666 69 99	7/1/43
COMEAU, John Joseph	Slc	V-6, USNR	203 40 36	7/1/43
CUTBERT, William (none)	Slc	V-6, USNR	708 92 46	
HENDRICK, Richard Gerry, Jr.	Slc	V-6, USNR	600 80 43	
HYDE, David Sidney	Slc	USN	225 12 67	7/1/43
KLETH, James Crawford, Jr.	Slc	USNR	263 06 97	
LLOYD, Harold Raymond	Slc	V-6, USNR	653 03 77	7/1/43
McINTOSH, Lavern Kenneth	Slc	V-6, USNR	552 12 65	
PISAPIA, Orazia (none)	Slc	V-6, USNR	203 72 42	
SPEARMAN, Lee Burton	Slc	V-6, USNR	636 06 62	
TANTIMONICO, George (none)	Slc	V-6, USNR	204 78 99	
TAPSCOTT, Raymond Philip	Slc	V-6, USNR	300 80 37	7/1/43
WISE, James Edward	Slc	V-6, USNR	634 90 13	
WRIGHT, Curtis (none)	Slc	V-6, USNR	641 42 13	
YOUNG, Howard Gilbert	Slc	V-6, USNR	707 03 18	
ZIENKA, Theodore (none)	Slc	USN	224 98 17	
GARAFANO, Philip (none)	Slc(SM)	V-6, USNR	660 32 75	

PORT DIRECTOR'S MATERIEL REPORT
FOR ARMED GUARD UNIT

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ON BOARD SS ABANGAREZ

ITEM NO.	QUANTITY NO.	UNIT	DESCRIPTION	STOCK NO.	TITLE
1.	-	Each	BAG, canvas, weighted	24-B-62	C
2.	-	Cell	BATTERIES, flashlight	17-B-7210	C
3.	-	Cell	BATTERIES, dry hand lantern	17-B-7600	C
4.	-	Each	BATTERIES, for kit, multipurpose	AC 17-B-7725	C
5.	-	Each	BELTS, pistol, automatic	A(L)2-B-1490	B
6.	-	Pair	BINOCULARS, 6 x 30	18-B-1135	B
7.	-	Each	BLINKER, Signal gun, battery tp.	17-B-16000	B
8.	-	Each	BOTTLES, vacuum, 1 qt.	63-B-500	B
9.	1	Each	CASE, first-aid (Armed Guard)	S-2-510	
10.	yes	Misc	CLEANING, supplies (brushes, buckets, rags)		C
11.	-	Lbs	CLOTHS, cleaning and wiping	27-C-2685	C
12.	1	Set	FLAGS, alphabet code #4	5-F-255 to 280	C
13.	1	Set	FLAGS, numeral #4 (Pennants)	5-P-951 to 960	C
14.	-	Set	FLAGS, semaphore	5-F-5100 to 5110	C
15.	-	Each	FLASHLIGHTS, 2 cell pocket type	17-F-13452	C
16.	-	Each	GAS MASKS, 1-NC ; 1-NDO ;	37-M-105 37-M-110	B
17.	-	Pair	GOGGLES & Lenses, l.d.	37-G-3450 & 37-L-237	C
18.	-	Pair	GOGGLES & Lenses, d.d.	37-G-3450 & 37-L-241	C
19.	-	Each	HELMETS, steel standard	A(L)2-H-1006	B
20.	-	Each	HOLSTERS, .38 cal. revolver	A(L)2-H-1445	B
21.	-	Set	HOOK, SNAPS, RINGS	42-H-32500	C
22.	10	Gal	KEROSENE	14-K-235	C
23.	-	No.	LAMPS, 8" signal searchlight	17-L-4921	C
24.	-	Each	LAMPS, flashlight	17-L-6320	C
25.	-	Each	LAMPS, hand lantern	17-L-6390	C
26.	-	No.	LAMPS, multipurpose signal light	17-L-6901	C
27.	-	Each	LANTERNS, hand port. type "J"	17-L-7761	B
28.	-	Each	LOCKS, pad, 1 1/2"	42-L-15100	C
29.	2	Each	MEDICAL GUN BAG, equipment	S-2-03	
30.	-	Each	MEGAPHONE	37-M-330	C
31.	-	Pair	MITTENS, ammunition-hldg. asbes.	37-M-392	B
32.	-	Gal	PAINT, white paste	52-P-5333-5	C
33.	-	Each	REVOLVERS, .38 cal.	A(L)2-R-718	B
34.	-	Each	ROPE, 300 fath. 1 1/2" manila f/spar	21-R-135	C
35.	-	Each	SEARCHLIGHT, signal, 8" GE	400-S-4291	B
36.	-	Kit	SIGNAL LIGHT, AC Multipurpose ND Spec. 17-L-15	17-L-12929	B
37.	-	Each	SPAR, towing	23-S-180	B
38.	-	Each	SPY GLASS, qtmaster, 16 power	A-18-S-2240	B
39.	-	Misc	STATIONERY, (#53 items) (Not over \$30)		C
40.	-	Each	TARPAULINS, No. 2 canvas	24-P-23	C
41.	-	Gal	TINTING MATERIAL, Formula 5-T-M	52-T-842-5	C
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DEGAUSSING OPERATION

Type of Coils M Compass Compensated Yes
 (M only; MF & Q; MF; Q & A) Standard Yes
 Steering Yes
 Not coiled-Date wiped ----- or Date Flashed ---

Date Calibrated 3/12/43 Range Liverpool
 (Wolf Trap, Newport, etc.)

Date Depermed ---
 (If shown necessary by range.)

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REPORT OF MATERIALS FURNISHED TO ARMED GUARD UNITS

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 INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED TO ARMED GUARD OFFICER -- SS ABANGAREZ

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| 1. General Instructions for Commanding Officers of Naval Armed Guards on Merchants Ships..... | <u>YES</u> |
| 2. Recent Supplementary Information for Armed Guard Commanders..... | <u>YES</u> |
| 3. How to Abandon Ship..... | <u>YES</u> |
| 4. Censorship Regulations..... | <u>YES</u> |
| 5. Ordnance and Gunnery Instructions for Naval Armed Guard on Merchant Ships. (1942 Second Edition)..... | <u>YES</u> |

MOVABLE EQUIPMENT ISSUED TO ARMED GUARD UNIT

Clothing listed below issued to 1 Officers and 5 enlisted men:

STANDARD SPECIAL WINTER CLOTHING

	QUANTITY	UNIT	ITEM
1.	1	NO.	HELMET, JUNGLE CLOTH
2.	1	PR.	ARCTICS, CASHMEREETTE
3.	1	NO.	JACKET, JUNGLE CLOTH
4.	1	PR.	TROUSERS, JUNGLE
5.	1	NO.	JACKET, PAPA, RUBBERIZED
6.	1	PR.	TROUSERS, PAPA
7.	2	NO.	UNDERSHIRTS, HEAVY
8.	2	PR.	DRAWERS, HEAVY
9.	3	PR.	SOCKS, HEAVY
10.	1	PR.	MITTENS, LEATHER, LINED
11.	1	NO.	FACE MASK, WOOL
12.	1	PR.	GOGGLES
13.		NO.	COAT, SEALSKIN (OFFICER'S)
14.	1	Complete	RED CROSS OUTFIT
15.			SOU'WESTER HAT, OILSKIN COAT & TROUSERS FOR 1/3 OF CREW PLUS TWO (2) SPARE OUTFITS.

Welfare and recreational gear issued to 1 Officers and 5 enlisted men.

Comments: NONE