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VESSEL: #638 (AMERICAN FISHER) NO. IN CREW: 36 and Master.

CREW CHECK: NEGATIVE: XX POSITIVE: (See Below)

OPERATIONS IN PORT: _____ REPAIRS TO ENGINE death of an indemo sectors abourd the in Abouting Fichin and sort in Lenghnorm House, Virginia. The Capitain of the Port of Hopfelt

and the Mistrint Coast Coard Officer, 5th Moval Mistrict, starts in the belief that Headquarters should constant an investigation to determine responsibility in the matter. ITINERARY: Original port of departure was in Cuba, and last port of

call was NEVVITAS, CUBA. Destination-foreign.

Crew list was checked through the files of the DIO, 6ND, with 1. negative results.

2. Maritime papers of the following persons were checked and endorsed for security:

Brooklyn, N.Y., mentioned in DIO files; SUBJECT responded negatively to questions addressed to him in German. Tony ROVIRA, Z55703, P.I., A.R.# 9032068 issued 23 Sept.1920. Kurt W. WINTHER, Z199769, born in Germany, came to U.S. at age of 4; naturalized; chief mate.

Copies of affiderixxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx on the American Fishes furnished to the Captain of the Port's willow by the Rational Maritime Union are attached.

be you wish Handquarters to e-monst the investigation requested, refer the side back to the Fifth Howal District, or do you feel that Chetain Manahoard's Office should sale the inv M.W. Hart

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