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MEMORANDUM FOR THE CHAIRMAN OF THE CREW DISCIPLINARY COMMITTEE,  
WAR SHIPPING ADMINISTRATION

The Coast Guard has received information from a reliable source concerning Robert Rogge, formerly Chief Mate on the SS ANTIETAN. Rogge was paid off by the Master of his ship on July 1, 1943, in Oran, and charged by him with negligence of duty and incapability. Reported facts state that due to Rogge's negligence, an anchor was lost on one occasion and on another occasion an anchor was fouled. Report further states that Rogge failed to report for duty on July 1, as directed by the Master, and disregarded convoy books, claiming they were wrong.

The Coast Guard will instigate whatever disciplinary action is warranted in his case.

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