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UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

- Braga jacket. Date 4-14-42.

Memorandum for

Com. Pollio:

From: Fletcher Warren, State Dept.

Says S.S. Braga, Norwegian loaded coal Philadelphia for Brazilian port, for cement factory and sailed about April 8-9. Export license sought by one William Muller, surfer was person. Not granted, so license was sought under different name and obtained. Reason of surfer was that this William Muller was the man who obtained the license for the Brazilian S.S. Cabodello which loaded coal some place for some port in Brazil, & was never heard from again. Believe she was not sunk as reported, but has headed for a German port. Thinks the Braga should be watched in view of Muller angle, for fear she may do the same thing.

Harold Masely, Liaison of State Dept.  
with Board Economic Warfare, phone  
Ex. 2166. State knows all facts.

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Memorandum for

Frank C. Wright, — knows.  
Anthracite Coal Industry,  
Republic 2429 - Wash.

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Philadelphia Reading Coal + Iron Co.

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Phil Chalmers - State Dept. 2176  
says capt. of Cabadello is  
under investigation re his ship.

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Ensign Guy, Board Economic  
war fare, knows of investigation  
re William Muller + vessels  
Cabadello + Braga.