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MERCHANT VESSEL BOARDING REPORT

Confidential (a) MILLER, Charles, signed about the 100 Confidential	1
DATE BOARDED: 4-6-45 BOARDED AT: Sav., Ga. DATE OF REPORT: 4-9-45	-
VESSEL: MV "CAPE BEALE" NO. IN CREW: 54	
CREW CHECK: NEGATIVE: POSITIVE: (See Below) XX OPERATIONS IN PORT: DISCHARGING	
(b) MORRANGIELO, Michael A., chief stewers, sent by Wor	
ITINERARY: Vessel arrived Savannah, Georgia from Chile, at 2400 5 April, 1945.	

- 1. Crew members, all United States citizens, were checked negative through files of this office except for MATHIES, James Koster, Z-468768, whose fingerprints are forwarded herewith on Form-2515 in accordance with HQ/INT-8, same SUbject, 16 December, 1944.

 MATHIES, messman aboard "CAPE BEALE" states that in April 1944 while in the Port of Brisbane, Australia, aboard the SS "ROBERT S. BEAN" he pleaded guilty before Coast Guard Hearing Unit to a charge of refusing to obey lawful orders of the Steward, resulting in a sentence of six months probation. MATHIES holds U.S. Passport No. 180723 dated 4 February, 1944; COTP (St. Petersburg, Florida) 0754491 issued 16 December, 1943; and Z-468768 issued 17 December, 1943 at Tampa, Florida with Sixth Naval District Security Indorsement dated 13 November, 1944.
- 2. HARMON, Kenneth, aged 19, born in West Virginia, US Passport No. 42415, travelled on board ship enroute from Canal Zone to Washington, D.C. HARMON is a 1st class seaman in the US Maritime Service, for the past four months stationed at the War Shipping Administration Office, Cristobal, Canal Zone, and is travelling under orders of permanent change of station dated 31 March, 1945, transferring him to Headquarters, US Maritime Service, Seaman's Service Awards Committee, Washington, D.C. Carbon Copy of orders signed by Lt. Comdr. G.F. FELTUS, (DM)USNR, is being retained in office files.
- 3. Forms 2515 and 2765 are being forwarded herwith on the following medical repatriates who joined the ship as workaways

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BOARDING OFFICER

APPROVED:

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HARVEY F. JOHNSON, JR., District CG Intelligence Officer, 6th NavDist.

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on 31 March, 1945 on orders of War Shipping Administration, Cristobal, Canal Zone.

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DATE BOARD TO SO Cotober, 1944 at New York; took sick with heart disorder, signed off ship on 21 March, 1944 and hospitalized at WSA Marguerite Hospital, Cristobal, C.Z.

Discharged from hospital on 26 March, 1945, resided at WSA Barracks and signed aboard Subject vessel 31 March, 1945. Holds Z-78077 with Third Naval District OPERATIONS IN PSecurity Indorsement dated 22 September, 1944 and New York COTP Card No. 031-1552580 Indorsed in Third Naval District on 17 July, 1944.

(b) MORRANGIELO, Michael A., chief steward, sent by War Shipping Administration, New York City, to Seamans' Ve Pool, Cristobal, Canal Zone; travelled by train to Miami, thence by U.S. Navy plane to Cristobal, taking sick on date of arrival, 24 March, 1945, with malarial attack; entered Marguerite Hospital, staying until 30 March, 1945 when discharged with doctor's Crew liscertification "not able to work for indefinite days". results. All Hewstayed overnight at WSA barracks and then joined Subject vessel. Holds US Passport, 225721; New HARMON, York COTP 031-995987 dated 24 May, 1944; Z-486740 No. 42415, travwith Third Navel District Security Indorsement Washington, D.C. Hdated 9 March; 1945; seemen in the US Maritime Ser-vice, for the past four months stationed at the War Shipping Administration (a) LUTTRELL, Ruben, signed on SS "CATAWBA FORD" Was ar orders of permachief cook, on 3 October, 1944 at New York; accidentferring him forally amputated little finger of left hand with meat Service, Seamencleaver and removed on 15 March, 1945 to Gogras, 1ding, 620 EleverHospital, Balboa, Canal Zone; discharged from signed by It. Chospital on 27 March, 1945; resided at WSA barracks office files. at Panama City until 31 March, 1945 when joined Subject vessel. Holds US Passport, 218828, issued Forms 2517 July, 1944; New York COTP, 031-1423421 dated 26 following medicJanuary, 1944; and Z-485-212 issued at New York on on 31 March, 123 March, e1944f War Shipping Administration, Cristobal, Canal Zone.

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