

601-64 CONFIDENTIAL

TREASURY DEPARTMENT
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA,

8 January, 1941.

OFFICE OF THE
DISTRICT COMMANDER
NEW ORLEANS DISTRICTFrom: Commander, New Orleans District.
To: Commandant.

Subject: Report of Armed Merchant Vessels of Belligerents.

Reference: (a) Headquarters' letter, 21 February, 1940 (IOF-601-64 CONFIDENTIAL).
(b) Report of Commanding Officer, CGC-20, 3 January, 1941,
on Armed Merchant Vessel Norwegian S.S. ~~GARIBOLDI~~ JELL.

Inclosure: 1. Reference (b).

1. Inclosure (1) is forwarded for the information of Headquarters.

2. It is the opinion of this office that the armament mentioned therein is carried for defensive (~~offensive~~) purposes only, provided that this vessel is employed in normal trade.

3. No request was received from the Collector of Customs for the inspection of this vessel's armament.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
United States Coast Guard,

CGC-20.

(Unit)

Mobile, Alabama.

(Place)

3 January, 1941.

(Date)

From: Commanding Officer, CGC-20.
To : Commander, New Orleans District.
Subject: Armed Merchant Vessels of Belligerents.

1. The Norwegian S.S. CARMELT JELL
(insert name and nationality of belligerent)
was inspected this date and the following armament was found on board:

GUNS: NONE.

AMMUNITION: NONE.

SMALL ARMS: 2 machine guns, .30 caliber, Nos. 46144 & 45155.

AMMUNITION: 900 rounds .30 caliber.

MAGAZINE: NONE.

FIRE CONTROL AND COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT: NONE.

GUNS CREWS: NONE.

REMARKS: Vessel carries 5 smoke floats and is equipped with degaussing equipment.

(FORM N-12).

Oma F. Moore
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(Signature)

B.M.lc.

(Rank or rating).