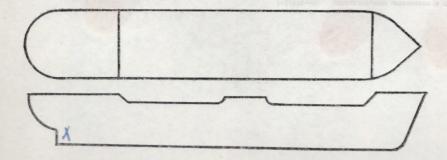
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## REPORT ON U. S. MERCHANT VESSEL WAR ACTION CASUALTY

To:	Commandant, U. S. Coast Gua	rd, Washington, D. C.			
Ship 5/s DANIEL BOONE		Service OCEAN FREIGHT			
Ow	ner <i>U.S.M.C.</i>	Operator AMERICAN - HAWAIIAN LINES			
Info	ormation furnished by MASTE	R South St. Standard	Date 29 August 1944	34	
LENE NO. QUESTIONS		25 Lifesgving suits. STANSWERS alles guivesoil 35			
1	Year built and propulsion	Built 1942		86	
2	Tonnage	Gross 7176		37	
3	Draft loaded (maximum allowed)	Fwd 27'07"(n)	101		
4	Draft when attacked	Fwd 25'(M)	Aft 35	38	
5	Cargo on board (any deck)	Nature GENERAL	Tons 5	000	
6	Voyage	From PANAMA PORT	To CONVOY POSITI	ION.	
7	Were routing orders followed	YES	brand no late I	42	
E	ny criticism of orders	NO.	Liverships between wore ours reduced	23	
9	Weather at time of attack	Weather CLEAR	Sea S616.H.T.		
10	Was enemy sighted? When	NO	Fuertist and the t		
11	Any friendly ships in sight	(Es)	Domina elongo bus alagrasani isumu z		
12	Were navigation lights on	NO- DAYLIGHT	(Smithin) isot who not rounds	dA.	
13	Date and time of attack	Date 19/25/42	Time 0832.	10	
14	Position	Latitude OFF PANAMA.		81	
15	Nature of attack (Give data)	MINE	Total casualtica.	49	
16	Number of hits	Drowning	Persons lost by (Spoelfy)	03	
17	Location of hits (Mark diagram)	J-STERN. SLIGHT			
18	Effect of hits	EXTENSIVE DAMAGE.	Baroest 1830 L	16	
1	Was ship armed? What type	YES			
20	Was armament used? State result	NO	Persons sayed by	52	
21	Any explosions or fires*	Ship No wolod dolow no roding/	Cargo NO		
22	Was deck ruptured		Potsucerus watch perow.	88	
23	Did ship break in two	No	Number of look-outs	16	
24	Was SOS sent	No.	Any defective material	55	
25	Ship's speed	Normal 16.5 When attacked 1			
26	Time abandoned, sunk	Abandoned N. A.		56	
27	Was ship reboarded	By whom			
28	Was ship brought in 155		Approximate damage EATERS!	WE.	



\*Fill in this diagram to show attack hits, fires, etc.

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Indicate by star (\*) rafts, floats, or suits used as temporary refuge in water before rescue by lifeboats.

LINE No.	QUESTIONS	REPORT ON U. S. INERCHANT VESSEL WAN ACTIO		
29	Lifeboats	Number carried	Which used 🖉	
30	Lifeboats	Number lost How		
31	Life rafts	Number carried 4 Which used 0 NOT ASANDONED.		
32	Life rafts			hip 1/4 20.88/1552 - 20.0005
33	Life floats			Dunor MS-M-12
34	Life floats			nformation furnished by ARELES
35	Lifesaving suits	Number carried	Number used	EVOLTERUD
36	Were boats, etc., attacked	Attacked	Casualties	Vary bull to the Vary Vary
37	Time in each boat, raft, etc	Boat	Raft	1 Year built and propulsion Float Tonnage
	Net - Net	Boat	Raft	Float
38	Rescued by and where	Ву	N.A. Where	3 Draft load (Neximum allowed)
39	Number of gun crew carried (military)	Officers	Enlis	4 Draft when attacked 0   nem bet
40	Number ship's crew carried	Officers8	Radiomen	/ Unlicensed 34
41	Number passengers and others carried	Passengers	From FRA	Others O
42	Total on board	54		Were routing orders followed
43	Number gun crew injured (military)	Officers	Enlisted men	my criticism of orders
44	Number ship's crew injured	Officers	Radiomen	Unlicensed
45	Number passengers and others injured.	Passangars	Others	Was enemy sighted? When
46	Number gun erew lost (military)	Officers	Enlisted men	II Any friendly ships in sight
47	Number ship's crew lost	Officers	Radiomen	O Unlicensed
48	Number passengers and others lost	Passengers	Date 19/23	Others Others Others
49	Total casualties	Injured	Latitude _ pEF	Lost
	Persons lost by (Specify)	Drowning	Fire	Shell or torpedo
50	reisons lost by (Specify)	Other causes		16 Number of hits
F-1	Total rescued	Gun crew	Officers	Radio operators
51	Total rescued	Unlicensed 34		Others O Total 34
	Persons saved by	Poets 7	Rafts	Floats O Suits O 7
52	Persons saved by	Preservers	Other	means O No aid O JN. R.
70	Engineering watch below	Number on watch below	Ship, did	Number lost below
53	Number of look-outs.	5		
54		No	9.76	23 Did ship break in two
55	Any defective material			
	When abandoned . M. Z.	L. When attaclow	Normal / C	25 Ship's speed
56	Any personnel fault	PL VA		28 Time abandoned, sunk
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## COMMENTS, CRITICISMS, AND RECOMMENDATIONS

The comments, criticisms, or recommendations of survivors with respect to safety of seamen and ships involved in war actions are earnestly solicited by Headquarters in order that the fullest provision possible may be made for the safety of American ships and seamen.

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