

601-64-CONFIDENTIAL

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD
NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANAOFFICE OF
DISTRICT COAST GUARD OFFICER
EIGHTH NAVAL DISTRICT.DATE 18 September, 1942.From: District Coast Guard Officer, Eighth Naval District.
To : Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard.

Subject: Report of armed Merchant Vessel of Belligerent.

Reference: (a) Headquarters' letter, 21 February, 1940 (IOF-601-64-Confidential).
(b) Report of TAMAYO, John BMLc Port Isabel Station Port
(c) Date 3 September, 1942. /Isabel, Tex.
(d) On armed Merchant Vessel DANNEDAIKE U.S. St. Tkr.

Inclosure: (A) Reference (b).

1. Inclosure (A) 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.

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

N. W. NELSON,
Lieutenant(jg), U.S.C.G.
District Intelligence Officer.

PORT ISABEL STATION

(Unit)

Port Isabel, Texas

(Place)

3 September, 1942

(Date)

From: Commanding Officer, Port Isabel Station.
To : Commander, New Orleans District.
District Coast Guard Officer, 8th. Naval District.
Subject: Armed Merchant Vessels of Belligerents.

1. The DANNEDAIKE, U.S. S.S.

(insert name and nationality of belligerent)

was inspected this date and the following armament was found on board:

GUNS: 1. 4 inch gun, Serial No. 49861-1. Manufactured by Watervliet.
Arc of train ~~35~~ 360, elevation 45 degrees.

AMMUNITION: 94 rounds (25 on deck, rest below).

SMALL ARMS: 2. 30 cal. machine guns on bridge Serial No. 76103507 and
3507, Mfg. by Colt P.T.F.A., Hartford, Conn.

AMMUNITION: 1800 ball - 900 tracers.

MAGAZINE: 1. aft below deck.

FIRE CONTROL AND COMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT: Yes. Phone and speaking tube.

GUNS CREWS: 4. Gun crew 1 petty officer, 3 seamen, U.S. Navy.

REMARKS: Ship is DeGuassed, 6 helmets.

(FORM N-12).

FORWARD, APPROVED

Andrew Johansen
ANDREW JOHANSEN, Lieut.
Captain of the Port

John Tamayo
JOHN TAMAYO

(Signature)

B.M.1c.

(Rank or rating).