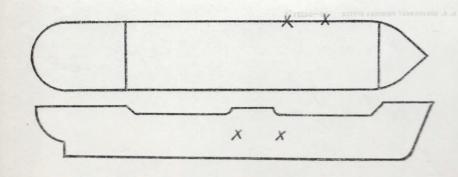
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REPORT ON U. S. MERCHANT VESSEL WAR ACTION CASUALTY

	EXPLOSION	Number lost How		
To:	Commandant, U. S. Coast Guar	rd, Washington, D. C.	Life rafts	
Ship	SIS EDWARD LUCKEN	BACH Service OCEAN	FREIGHT	32
Own	er LUCKENBACH LINE	Operator GRACI	E LINE	.88.
Information furnished by MASTER				
LINE No.	QUESTIONS	9. best redmu/Q beirnee and ANSV	vers ating gaivagoli.I	35
		Built 1916 balaatiA	Were boats, etc., attacked	86
1	Year built and propulsion	Tag South And the Party of the	ato they tood done of amil't	87
2	Tonnage-	JIRH JEOGI		
3	Draft loaded (maximum allowed)	Print I Was a series of the Training of the Tr		
4	Draft when attacked			
5	Cargo on board (any deck)	mamornali sa promiti l	Tons //,	1676
6	Voyage	From KINGSTON, CHMAICA	TO TEXAS CITY.	
7	Were routing orders followed	YES		42
8	ny criticism of orders	No	Number gun erew injured (military)	26
9	Weather at time of attack	Weather CLEAR		
10	Was enemy sighted? When	No		
11	Any friendly ships in sight	No ground State of the state of	Number passengers and others injured.	
12	Were navigation lights on	No	Number gun erew lost (military)	
13	Date and time of attack	m / /	2123	47
14	Position	Date 7/1/92 Latitude 24°56' N homen	Longitude 81°53'W	48
-	Nature of attack (Give data)	MINED benugat	Total casualties	
15	Number of hits	# 3 out Si and word	Persons lost by (Specify)	50
16		Other causes	1-# 4.P	
17	Location of hits (Mark diagram)	Gun erew / Con er	Total rescued	Id
18	Effect of hits	SANK SHIP.		
1	as ship armed? What type	VES Rafts & Standard	Persons saved by	52
20	Was armament used? State result	Preservers		
21	Any explosions or fires*	Ship Wolod dolaw go rodmy/	Cargo No	- 83
22	Was deck ruptured	V//.	Number of look-outs	- 54
23	Did ship break in two	No	(nimeless existents)	22
24	Was SOS sent	No	Any desective material	1.60
25	Ship's speed	Normal 10.5 When attacked		
26	Time abandoned, sunk	Abandoned 2/55 (5 min)	Sunk 2155 (5 minu)	00-



Was ship reboarded...

Was ship brought in...

By whom CREW

*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	CHAUD TEACO ESTATE COTT ANSWERS		
29	Lifeboats	Number carried Which used		
30	Lifeboats	Number lost/ HowEXPLOSION		
31	Life rafts	Number carried 4 Which used O BY PREVIOUS HEAVY WEATHE Number lost 4 How3-NOT NEEDED	R	
32	Life rafts	Number lost 4 How3-NOT NEEDED	Shir	
33	Life floats	Number carried Which used		
34	Life floats	Number lost How O A TYPE vd bedsigned goidenne	Info	
35	Lifesaving suits	Number carriedQ Number used	Links Nor-	
36	Were boats, etc., attacked	Attacked ND Casualties O		
37	Time in each boat, raft, etc	Attacked		
	Net_scide	Boat Raft Float	-	
38	Rescued by and where	P. 4/1/FD SHIP Where AT SCENE		
39	Number of gun crew carried (military)	Officers Enlisted men		
40	Number ship's crew carried	Officers & Radiomen / Unlicensed 33		
41	Number passengers and others carried	Passengers Others O	0	
42	Total on board	Passengers Others Others One on the other of		
43	Number gun crew injured (military)	-ny orthoism of orders	A	
44	Number ship's crew injured	Officers O Radiomen Unlicensed	8	
45	Number passengers and others injured.	De Contra O Others O	UI	
46	Number gun crew lost (military)	Any Inendity ships in sight	11	
47	Number ship's crew lost	Om / Badiaman O Unlicensed O	12	
48	Number passengers and others lost	Passengers Others Other	13	
49	Total casualties	Injured Lost	14	
50	Persons lost by (Specify)	Drowning O Fire O Shell or torpedo		
30	Telsons lost by (Specify	Other causes	10	
51	Total rescued	Gun crew/2 Officers Radio operators/	17	
91	Total resoluct	Unlicensed 33 Passengers O Others O Total 53	81	
52	Persons saved by	Boats 53 Rafts O Floats O Suits O		
04	Tersons saved by	Preservers Other means No aid	20	
53	Engineering watch below	Number on watch below Number lost below	21	
54	Number of look-outs	Was deck ruptured WK	22	
	Any defective material	Did ship break in two ON	28	
55	Any delective material	Was SOS sent	24	
	When abandoned 570P	Ship's speed . Normal / When attaclow	25	
56	Any personnel fault	Time abandoned, sunk Abandoned 2/33 (3 mmm)	26	
		Was along reduced the second of the second o	133	

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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