

UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

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CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA

MERCHANT VESSEL BOARDING REPORTConfidentialConfidential

DATE BOARDED: 5-18-45 and 5/28/45 BOARDED AT: Sav., Ga. DATE OF REPORT: 5-30-45

VESSEL: M/V "FORMALHAUT" NO. IN CREW: 49

CREW CHECK: NEGATIVE: XXX POSTIVE: (See Below)

OPERATIONS IN PORT: Loading

ITINERARY: Departed Savannah 0815, 29 May, 1945, bound for Le Havre.

1. Subject vessel sailed 23 April, 1945 from Casablanca, arrived 9 May, 1945 at New York, where it cleared quarantine, customs, and immigration. On 15 May, 1945, the ship departed New York and arrived 18 May, 1945, at Savannah, Georgia. All members of the crew are French citizens.

2. Identification cards were issued 19 May, 1945, by the COTP, Savannah, Georgia to the following seamen who did not possess such cards. Forms 2515 and 2765 are forwarded herewith.

- (a) CALAS, Charles H., radio operator, born 25 December, 1900, France; French Passport 20527; COTP 0642252.
- (b) COUTEL, Jean M., gunner, born 29 August, 1910, France; French Naval Identity Card 1086-B-30; COTP 0642253.
- (c) CUGNO, Lucien J., gunner, born 29 March, 1922, France; French Naval Identity Card 648-T-42; COTP 06423558.
- (d) GIOVANNI, Jean, gunner, born 21 July, 1920, France; French Naval Identity Card 6234-T-41; COTP 06422556.
- (e) GOLVEN, Emile, gunner, born 20 April, 1923, France; French Naval Identity Card 6234-T-41; COTP 06422557.

DISSEMINATION: CIO (1)
DCGIO, 6ND (1) ✓
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BOARDING OFFICER: J. P. Klein

APPROVED: _____

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

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(f) GUENNEQUES, Gilles, oiler, born 31 December, 1894, France;
French P/P 8618; COTP 06422551.

(g) KERNANE, Pierre M., A.B., born 4 November, 1895, France;
French P/P 14381; COTP 06422554.

(h) LE GUILLOUX, Alexis, radio operator, born 19 February,
1890, France; French P/P 6860; COTP, 06422550.

(i) ROMAN, Louis, gunner, born 13 February, 1919, France;
French Naval Identity Card 1168-B-1239; COTP 06422555.

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3. The remaining merchant seamen held New York COTP Identifi-
cation cards bearing 3ND Security Indorsements.

To: Captain of the Port, 128 E. Bay, Savannah, Georgia.

Subj: Ship #716; clearance of.

1. From the standpoint of Coast Guard Intelligence,
there is no reason why departure of Subject vessel should
be delayed.

EDWARD R. MUMLER
Officer-in-Charge

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