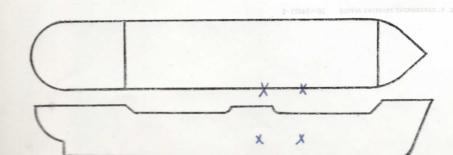
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## REPORT ON U. S. MERCHANT VESSEL WAR ACTION CASUALTY

		Number carried Which used &		
		Number lost Plow O	Lifeboats	
To:	Commandant, U. S. Coast Guar	d, Washington, D. C beirano redann/		
		Service OCEAN	FREIGHT. attendil	32
		HING CORP. Operator W.S		
		Number lost & How DENTS		
LINE No.	QUESTIONS	awaya ber carried . S. A. Number used . O		35
		Attacked // Ossusities O	Were boats, etc., attacked Propulsion STEAM	88
1	Year built and propulsion	Built 1941	2/ AA	37
2	Tonnage	Gross 6/35	5 7	
3	Draft loaded (maximum allowed)	Fwd 26'(M)	Aft grown by a fd bounsoil	88
4	Draft when attacked	Fwd 35 9 (M)	Number of gun crew carried (military)	89
5	Cargo on board (any deck)	Nature GENERAL	Tons &	
6	Voyage	From NEW YORK		AND.
7	Were routing orders followed.	YES		42
8	ny criticism of orders	No solution of the state of the	Number run crew injured (military)	48
9	Weather at time of attack	Weather CLEAK	Sea Rough were squite reduced.	
10	Was enemy sighted? When	No aroungseaf	Number passengers and others injured	
11	Any friendly ships in sight	YES; CONVOY	(westilian) tool worn our radious/	T al
12	Were navigation lights on	NO		
13	Date and time of attack	Date 3/12/43  Latitude 50°36' N  TORPEROFE	Time 0300	140
14	Position.	Latitude 50°36' N	Longitude 34°30 W	48
15	Nature of attack (Give data)	TORPEDOED	lotal casualties.	49
16	Number of hits	Drowning 15 Pire	Persons lost by (Specify)	50
	Location of hits (Mark diagram)	1- FOR'D; 1-MACHS	3-5	
17	A BIOJETSCO CIDER	SANK SHIP	Total rescued.	16
18	Effect of hits	i Culleensed Lassengers		
19	Vas ship armed? What type	STEP STEP STEP	Persons saved by	
20	Was armament used? State result	No converse Cone	Carra NO	
21	Any explosions or fires*	Ship . No woled helew no redmin.	Largo woled delaw garaenigad	53
22	Was deck ruptured		Number of look-outs	54
23	Did ship break in two			55
24	Was SOS sent	NO		
25	Ship's speed		When abandoned STOP	88.
26	Time abandoned, sunk	Abandoned 0345 (45 minus)		
27	Was ship reboarded	By whom	When	



Was ship brought in

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

Approximate damage SONK.

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

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	IN CASUALIT	REPORT ON U. S. MERCHANT VESSEL WAR ACTIO					
29	Lifeboats	Number carried					
30	Lifeboats	Number lost — How O					
31	Life rafts	Number carried	Which used 3	CTIVE RELEASING GEAR.	101		
32	Life rafts	Number lost	How 1- TORP	DO EXPLOSION	umo		
33	Life floats			er latternational frenc			
34	Life floats			o Away yd badsinul acitam			
35	Lifesaving suits						
36	Were boats, etc., attacked	Attacked	Casualties	Town London Street			
37	Time in each boat, raft, etc	2 Boat 5 - 4-HRS	Raft	- 4-1485 noisludord bas tlind ras T	1		
-	Net 2600	Boat	Raft .	Float - Float	7.		
38	Rescued by and where 3B+3R	By ALLIED S	HIP Where	AT SCRNE behad Hard	8		
39	Number of gun crew carried (military)	Officers	Enlis	Draft when attacked 25 nem bet	4		
40	Number ship's crew carried	Officers /0	Radiomen	Unlicensed 38	Ğ		
41	Number passengers and others carried	Passengers	From AEW	Voyage care routing orders followed.	9		
	Total on board	84	185	Were routing orders followed.	7		
42	Number gun crew injured (military)	Officers	Enlisted men	ny criticism of orders.	8		
43	Sea Kouch	Officers	Radiomen	Unlicensed Unlicensed	6		
44	Number ship's crew injured	Pagengara 0	Others	Was enemy sighted? When o	10		
45	Number passengers and others injured.	rassengers	Enlisted men	Any friendly ships in sight	11		
46	Number gun crew lost (military)	Omcers	Dadieses A	Unlicensed 7	12		
47	Number ship's crew lost	Officers	Radiomen	Date and time of attack up	13		
48	Number passengers and others lost	Passengers	Latitude 50°	Others of time of the other Others Ot	14		
49	Total casualties	Injured	TORPEDOE	Shell or torpedo Shell or torpedo	15		
50	Persons lost by (Specify)	Drowning/3	Fire	Shell or torpedo	16		
		Other causes	OCK)	Number of hits.	17		
51	Total rescued	Gun crew 2 0		Radio operators	18		
		Unlicensed3/	Passengers	Others O Total 20	19		
52	Persons saved by	Boats 50	Rafts _ 20	Floats Suits	20		
-		Preservers		means No aid O			
53	Engineering watch below	Number on watch below			21		
54	Number of look-outs	55		Was deck ruptured	22		
	Any defective material	No	0.14	Did ship break in two	23		
55	Any delective material			Was SOS sent	24		
	When abandoned STOP	(	Vergood Kares	Ship's speed	25		
56	Any personnel fault		Abandoned O.Z.	Time abandoned, sunk	26		
			render vil	Was ship reposited	27		

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.

\*Fill in this diagram to show

