

U.S. COAST GUARD
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MERCHANT VESSEL BOARDING SHEET

NAVY DEPARTMENT
14TH NAVAL DIST.
HONOLULU, T.H.

Date: 13 March, 1942. Time Boarded: 1420 (HST).
Name of Vessel: JOHN C. FREMONT Nationality: U.S.
MS/ Passenger Home Port: -----
SS Freighter
T/T Tanker
Maximum Speed: 12.5 Normal Speed: 9.5 Gross Tons: 7177 Net: 4380
Name of Master: H. Olsen
Name-Address of Line: American President Lines.
Name-Address of Agents: American President Lines.
Chartered By: U.S. Army.
Controlled By: U.S. Army.
Number, of Passengers on Board: None
Number, Nationality of Officers and Crew: 41 total all U.S. (11 Navy crew).
CARGO: (Itemize and give total): 8,600 tons asphalt, oil, 12,000 drums
of gasoline, blasting caps and dynamite.
Cargo Consigned to: U.S. Army.
Maximum Cargo Capacity; FREIGHTER: 10,500 tons. TANKER ----- bbls.
Bunker Capacity; COAL: --- tons. OIL: 11,000 bbls. WATER: 325 tons.
Reason for Calling: Discharge cargo.
Last Previous Port: Los Angeles, Calif. Date Left: 2 March, 1942
Bound for: Honolulu, T.H. Date Due: -----
Does vessel submit weather reports to U. S. Weather Bureau? No
Fuel O.H. 9450; Loading None Water O.H. 190; Loading 110
Small Arms and Ammunition: Four .50 Cal. Machine Guns; One 4.9 gun.
and Two .30 Cal. machine guns.
Magazine Location, (if any): At guns
Degaussing-Paravanes, (if any): Yes
Cruising Radius: 18,000 Miles, at 9.5 Knots.

Name of Vessel: JOHN C. FREMONT.
 Radio Call Letters: KHIX Number of Operators: One Auto Alarm: Yes.
 Direction Finder: Yes Location _____ During what hours
 are watches maintained: Subject to Orders.

Frequencies normally used; TRANSMITTING: 375 to 500 Kcs.

RECEIVING 15 to 650 Kcs.

RADIO EQUIPMENT: 1. 2. 3.

TRANSMITTERS: Intermediate
 TYPE: Mackay ESP-W-120, includes emergency transmitter, 50 W.
 POWER: 300 watts.

RECEIVERS: Mackay Mackay
 TYPE: 128-AX Crystal 123 BX.

Names of Operators: Kingston Emory Hathaway.
 (NOTE: When radio is sealed by Radioman, omit data on transmitters only)

REMARKS: Dynamite--2400 cases. Blasting caps--96 cases.

Case fuses, 1 case exp.--4265 bbls. Loaded at Los Angeles at
Pier 145 (Calmar Lines Pier). Dynamite stowed in general cargo,
caps in magazine. Ships armed guard detail will maintain gangway
watch. Radio transmitter sealed at Los Angeles. Submarine
Signal Co., Fathometer. C.G. armed guard established

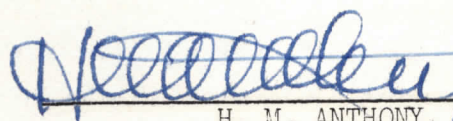
Tentative departure time and date: _____

BOARDING DETAIL:

H.M. ANTHONY, Lieutenant (jg).

C. McNulty, Boatswain.

cc: O.N.I., 14th. N.D.
 CG Headquarters.


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