

U. S. COAST GUARD

CAPTAIN OF THE PORT

NORFOLK, VIRGINIA

CHECK-OFF LIST - ARMED MERCHANT VESSELS

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OCT 20 1943

MV

Vessel ~~EX~~ KOTA BAROE Nationality Dutch

1943 OCT 20 "D" Date 10/12/43

Master Van DeMeer Gunnery Officer E.G. Mullen Lt. 3 USNR

Gun (1) 4" - 50 cal.

Elevation 35° Arc of train 210° Sights Telescope

25 ~~ready boxes~~/racks for projectiles. 1 ready boxes racks for charges powder. Location On poop

GUN (3) # 3"

Elevation 85° Arc of train --- Sights Telescope & Open

24 ~~ready boxes~~/racks for projectiles. 6 ready boxes/racks for charges powder. Location (2) Fwd (1) aft.

AMMUNITION: (for 4" 50 gun).

(for --- gun).

" " Fixed 100 Common

--- rounds

Powder, semi-fixed: --- charges.

--- Charges.

" , bags: --- charges.

--- charges.

Projectiles, H. E.: --- rounds.

152 AA rounds.

" " , S.A.P.: --- rounds.

52 AP Rounds.

" " , Practice: --- rounds.

--- rounds.

Percussion tubes: --- rounds.

--- Rounds.

SMALL ARMS: Machine gun No. of: (8) Oerlikons AMM: 13000 Rounds

Location of mount: (4) aft (4) boat deck

Rifles: --- AMM: --- rounds.

Pistols/revolvers: (4) 38 Smith Wesson AMM: 200 rounds.

Bayonets: --- Others: ---

(Continued on reverse)

MAGAZINE: Location One aft.- one fwd.

Means of flooding pipe spray

FIRE CONTROL: Bridge to guns: ~~telephone/voice tube~~ Telephone (11)

Day Signal Lights: (1) Aldis lamp out of order-- Multi purpose lamp

Range finder: --- Mounted on ---

Range finder accessories: ---

GUN CREW: Total in gun crew 29 Gun layers 6 Status 26 USNR
3 USN

Other Navy enlisted 3 Radio 3 Signal Navy/naval reserve officers 3

Certified merchant navy defense officers --- Merchant seaman gunners ---

18 Snowflakes (20) Percussion Caps

MISCELLANEOUS: Smoke floats 5 Igniters 5 Steel helmets 45 service

Paravanes --- Gas masks: 45 service

Decontamination sets: --- Zig-zag yes Degaussed yes

Depth charges: --- Racks: --- Under Navy or government orders?

--- Pill boxes --- Location: ---

Other bridge protection: Concrete

Kites: --- Flown from: ---

Holman projector 4 Location: on bridge Bombs: ---

Convoy light: yes Convoy (fog) buoys 2 Cargo bound in Ballast

INSPECTED BY ~~XXXX~~ /s/ Luther D. Burrus Jr. B.M. 1/c
(NAME) (rank or rate)

Certified to be a correct and complete list of armament on board OR that there has been no changes in armament since last visit, except as noted:

Name and title