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ROGER B. TANEY

2/7/43

1. Position-Sea-Weather 22°00'S, 07°00'W; overcast and rough.
2. Convoy or Independent Independent.
3. Time & Kind of 1st Hit 2208 - 1 torpedo.
4. Location of 1st Hit Machinery spaces starboard side.
5. Effect of 1st Hit Extensive damage; fire broke out on starboard side.
6. Time & Reason For Abandonment Or Why Not 2228 (20 min.) - ship's propulsion severely damaged. Ship beyond control. Gun crew stayed aboard.
7. Persons Aboard - 57 Lost by torpedo explosion - 3.
8. Time & Kind of 2nd Hit 2248 (40 min.) - 1 torpedo.
9. Location of 2nd Hit #4 hold starboard side.
10. Effect of 2nd Hit Extensive damage and flooding.
11. Disposition of Vessel Sunk 0508, 2/8/43 (7 hours.).