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REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

No. 90919(S) in R.B. Wreck Book, p. 147/54 Date of writing this report 21st March, 1955.

Ship's Name m.s. "GRAMSBERGEN" of Rotterdam Tons { Gross 498 Net 317

built at Waterhuizen When 1954 5 Casualty notice sent to Owner 17.3.55. Owner's reply 18.3.55.

Owners Zuid Hollandsche Scheepv. Maats., N.V.

Managers ---

Address Calandstraat 11, Rotterdam, Holland.

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SOURCE OF INFORMATION

GRAMSBERGEN. — Portpatrick Radio, Nov. 27.—Following received from Dutch motor vessel Gramsbergen (Silloth for Swansea):
At 2 16 a.m., G.M.T.: Mayday (urgency signal), position Fishguard harbour, strike the rock. Position very dangerous, send lifeboat. Cannot receive you as my receiver is out of order.
At 2 59 a.m., G.M.T.: Position Fishguard harbour near Bishop Rock. Please send us lifeboat or tug.

Fishguard, Nov. 27.—Fishguard lifeboat was launched at 3 5 a.m. to the assistance of Dutch motor vessel Gramsbergen, ashore at Fishguard harbour.

Portpatrick Radio, Nov. 27.—Following received from motor vessel Gramsbergen at 5 18 a.m., G.M.T.: We are making water in engine-room and hold, are drifting away but lifeboat is coming back. We go in lifeboat.

Following received from coastguard at Strumble Head at 8 22 a.m., G.M.T.: Fishguard lifeboat has all 11 of the crew of Gramsbergen on board and is now standing by the vessel.

Fishguard, Nov. 27.—Motor vessel Gramsbergen, of Rotterdam, has gone ashore in Fishguard Bay; all crew landed by lifeboat. Vessel abandoned and flooded.

Fishguard, Nov. 28.—Fishguard lifeboat returned to base at 10 25 a.m. yesterday with 11 persons from Dutch motor vessel Gramsbergen.

GRAMSBERGEN.—Goodwick, Dec. 8.—A damaged ship's lifeboat, 18 ft. by 6 ft., marked "Gramsbergen, Rotterdam," and 28 steel-banded wooden hatch covers, unmarked, were found on the beach at Pwllgaelod, Dinas Cross, on Nov. 28. A smashed ship's lifeboat, 18 ft. by 6 ft., marked "Gramsbergen, Rotterdam," some similar hatch covers, and a small ship's boat, unmarked, were found afloat near Pwllgaelod, Dinas Cross. (See issue of Nov. 30.)

GRAMSBERGEN.—Liverpool, Jan. 3.—Motor vessel Gramsbergen: Men and diving equipment were dispatched on Saturday (Jan. 1) when weather was quiet, but yesterday heavy swell prevented work and to-day conditions are bad, with wind north-east, force 6 (strong breeze), and boating impossible.—Liverpool and Glasgow Salvage Association per Salvage Association. (See issues of Nov. 30 and Dec. 11.)

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Lloyd's 16.3.55.

Classification details

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of Casualty 27th November, 1954.

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This ship stranded and sank in Fishguard Bay and has been declared a total loss.

The Owners concur.

Suggested Record

"WRECKED 11,54"
FRIDAY 25 MAR 1955

Date of Committee

Wrecked 11.54



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