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Wreck Report No.

14327

No. 26844

REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

No. 26844

in R.B.

Wreck Book, p. 72/55

Date of writing this report

11th August,

19 55.

Ship's Name

m.s. "SEINE"

of

London

Tons

Gross 363

Net 217

Built at

Alblasserdam

When

1929

MONTH.

Casualty notice sent to Owner 28.7.55.

Owner's reply

29.7.55.

Owners

Vianda S.S. Co., Ltd.

Managers

Wm. H. Müller & Co. (London) Ltd.

Address

Custom House & Wool Quays, Lower Thames Street, London, E.C.3.

M.M.C.C.

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Classification details

BS	LMC3,53 MS 6.55
coasting service	
U.K. Eire, Channel	ts 8,53 OG
Islands & Continent	
between River Elbe	
& Brest 6.55	
4.54	
ss Rot 3,53	

Date of Casualty

16th July, 1955.

Details of Casualty

Sunk by collision in fog six miles off
Dungeness.

The Owners concur.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION

SEINE.—London, July 16.—The following message has been received from the owners of motor vessel Seine (Paris for London): Following received from master of motor vessel Seine, via North Foreland Radio, timed 5.40 a.m. to-day: Seine sunk off Dungeness. All saved except chief engineer; proceeding to Havre on Russian motor tanker DROGOBITZ.

Havre, July 16.—The seven survivors of motor vessel Seine, which sank six miles off Dungeness in heavy fog this morning after being in collision with Russian motor tanker DROGOBITZ, are due to sail back to England to-night from Havre, where they were landed after being picked up by the DROGOBITZ. One member of the crew, identified as James Ritchie, of Dagenham, is missing, presumed dead. The first mate of the Seine said that the vessel sank within four or five minutes of the collision.—British United Press.

LC 18/7/55

Suggested Record

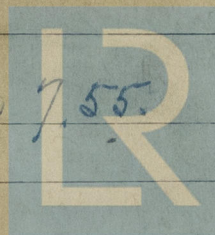
"SUNK BY COLLISION 7.55"

Date of Committee

TUESDAY 16 AUG 1955

Committee's Minute

Sunk by collision 7.55.



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