

REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

No. 51391 in R.B. Wreck Book, p. 179/60 Date of writing this report 1st February, 1961.

Ship's Name s.s. "AMONEA" of Panama Tons Gross 1598 Net 804

Built at Newcastle When 1930 2 Casualty notice sent to Owner 18.1.61. Owner's reply 25.1.61.

Owners Cia. de Nav. Victoria Neptuno S.A.

Managers Teh Hu Steamship Co., Ltd.

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M.M.C.C. 2,426.

WRECK SECTION No. 15688

Classification details

Table with classification details: +100A1 10,60 ss (Dr) 4,55 10,60 +LMC 5,60 BS M12,59 sp 5,60 ts 5,59 CL

Date of Casualty 14th December, 1960.

Details of Casualty

Stranded in lat. 7 50N., long. 117 13 24E.

Lumbucan Island, and declared a total loss.

The Owners concur.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION

AMONEA. - Singapore, Dec. 15. - Following received from Singapore Radio: Following received via Kranji Radio: Following SOS received from steamer Amonea, HPNJ, (Sandakan for Jesselton) on 600 m.: Amonea aground in lat. 8 10 N., long. 117 13 E., require assistance.

Manila, Dec. 15. - Steamer Amonea radioed aground in lat. 8 10 N., long. 117 13 E., requires immediate assistance.

Singapore, Dec. 15. - Following received from Singapore Radio: Following received via Kranji Radio: Following received from steamer Amonea at 5 40 p.m., G.M.T., Dec. 14: Our ship's bottom pierced but not really danger. Motor vessel Ettrickbank come to rescue in morning of Dec. 15.

AMONEA. - London, Dec. 19. - The following message has been received from Hongkong, dated Dec. 17: Salvage tug Taikoo left Hongkong at 9 10 a.m., Dec. 17, to assist (steamer Amonea). (See issue of Dec. 16.)

AMONEA. - Hongkong, Dec. 20. - Panamanian steamer Amonea has run aground on an island in Balabac Strait, a spokesman for the vessel's local agents, the Teh An Shipping Company, said here. The vessel stranded on Dec. 14. The spokesman said that one of the ship's holds is taking water, but that the crew is in no immediate danger. Tug Taikoo, from Hongkong, is expected to reach the vessel by Dec. 22. -Reuter. (See issue of Dec. 20.)

AMONEA. - London, Dec. 23. - The following message has been received from Hongkong, dated Dec. 23: Steamer Amonea: Salvage tug Taikoo arrived at casualty on Dec. 22 and commenced survey. (See issue of Dec. 21.)

AMONEA. - London, Jan. 12. - Steamer Amonea: The following message has been received from Hongkong, dated Jan. 12: In view of general deterioration of condition of casualty as result of bad weather, salvage tug Taikoo abandoning salvage operations. (See issue of Dec. 24.)

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Suggested Record

"WRECKED 12,60"

Date of Committee

FRIDAY 3 FEB 1961

Committee's Minute

Wrecked 12.60

