

REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, BREAKING UP, ETC.

Ship's Name ~~SS~~MS "ORANJEPOLDER" RMC Gross tons 500 Date of Build 9-1954
 Casualty notice sent to Owners 17.2.66. Owners' Reply 8.3.66. Owners Stoomv. Maats Westpolder N.V.

Details of classification

+ 100A1	+ LMC CS9,62
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ss 9,62	ts N9,64 OG
+ Lloyd's RMC	

Details of casualty

This ship was sunk by collision off Malaga and declared a total loss.

The owners concur.

Date of casualty 8th February, 1966

SOURCE OF INFORMATION

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ORANJEPOLDER. — Gibraltar, Feb. 8. — Gibraltar Radio reports: Following received from French motor vessel YANG TSE (Dunkirk for Cape Town) on 500 kcs. at 8 6 a.m., G.M.T., Feb. 8: YANG TSE and Dutch motor vessel Oranjepolder at position lat. 36 21 N., long. 3 19 W., Oranjepolder sinking, crew and master on board, one man missing.
 Following received from YANG TSE on 500 kcs.: Now Oranjepolder sunk same position. Distress traffic ended. — Land's End Radio.
 Feb. 8. — Following received from unknown station at 8 49 a.m., G.M.T.: (unread) From GRIZ (motor tanker London Prestige): Following received from motor vessel YANG TSE at 8 23 a.m., G.M.T.: Motor vessel Oranjepolder sunk. Now looking for survivors. Need no assistance, distress traffic ended.
 — London, Feb. 8.—
 The following message has been received from the owners of motor vessel Oranjepolder: Oranjepolder sank after collision with French motor vessel YANG TSE. One man lost, remainder of crew on board YANG TSE, which proceeding Marseilles.

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ORANJEPOLDER. — Rotterdam, Feb. 8. — Dutch motor vessel Oranjepolder, which sank off Malaga following collision with French motor vessel YANG TSE during fog this morning, was on voyage from Gandia to Bremen with a cargo of oranges.—"Nieuwe Rotterdamse Courant." (See issue of Feb. 9.)
 — Marseilles, Feb. 10.—
 French motor vessel YANG TSE arrived at Marseilles to-day with nine survivors from Dutch motor vessel Oranjepolder.—British United Press.

Suggested record "SUNK BY COLLISION 2,66"

Date of Committee

FRIDAY 11 MAR 1966

Minute

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