

# REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

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Wreck Book, p. 17/38

Date of writing this report 16th May, 1938

Vessel's Name

Steel Y. S. "Tozan Maru"

of Osaka

Tons

Net 3363

Gross 4709

Built at Sunderland

1914

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Casualty notice sent to Owner 21/3/38

Owner's reply 13/4/38

Owner's Name

Okada-gumi K.K.

Address

27, Izuo-matsumo-cho, Taisho-ku, Osaka.

## SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

TOZAN MARU.—London, Mar. 7.—The following cable has been received from Tokyo, dated Mar. 7: Steamer Tozan Maru (ex Tong Shan Maru), in ballast, stranded at Goto Island lat. 33 17 N., long. 129 9 E. approximately, Sunday night (Mar. 6). Sending salvage vessel.

TOZAN MARU.—Nagasaki, Mar. 8.—Japanese steamer Tozan Maru, 4732 tons gross, Yawata for Keelung, ashore Mar. 6 in lat. 33 20 N., long. 129 10 E., making water badly. Accident happened in a dense fog. Salvage steamer at stranding place.

TOZAN MARU.—London, Mar. 10.—The following cable has been received from the Mitsubishi Marine & Fire Insurance Company, Ltd., Tokyo, dated Mar. 10: Salvage ship reports steamer Tozan Maru precariously lying on the rocks fore and aft, forward hold ship's bottom seriously damaged; salvage doubtful. (See issue of Mar. 9.)

TOZAN MARU.—Nagasaki, Mar. 18.—Japanese steamer Tozan Maru: Prospects appearing to be hopeless, salvors have given up the work. (See issue of Mar. 11.)

TOZAN MARU.—London, Apr. 12.—The following cable has been received from the Mitsubishi Marine & Fire Insurance Company, Ltd., Tokyo, dated Apr. 12: Steamer Tozan Maru stood seasonal bad weather. Salvors re-examining, consider condition of ship deserves further attempt, commencing operations. (See issue of Mar. 19.)

TOZAN MARU.—London, Apr. 19.—The following cable has been received from the Mitsubishi Marine & Fire Insurance Company, Ltd., Tokyo, dated Apr. 18: Steamer Tozan Maru broke in two owing to heavy gale on Saturday night (Apr. 16). (See issue of Apr. 13.)

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LL 9/3

LL 11/3

LL 19/3

LL 13/4

LL 20/4

Previously before  
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Date

Last Minute

Particulars of Classification.

+100A1  
Shelter dk  
with fbd 2,38  
SS. No 3-1026  
SS. No 2-35

Casualty

6th March, 1938.

Particulars of Casualty

This vessel is reported to have gone ashore on Goto Island, near Nagasaki, in a dense fog on the 6th March last.

She was stated to be lying precariously on rocks fore and aft, the forepart of the bottom to be seriously damaged.

Salvage was commenced, but owing to a heavy gale on the 16th April, the vessel broke in two.

In concurring, the Owners state they have abandoned the steamer to the Underwriters.

Suggested Record

Wrecked 3,38.

Date of Committee

TUE. 17 MAY 1938

Committee's Minute

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