

WRECK BOOK

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REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

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Vessel's Name *S.S. Lucrecia* of *Willmstad* Tons {Gross 2584
Net 1119

Built at *Monfalcone* When *1928* 7 Casualty notice sent to Owner ☒ Owner's reply ☒

Owner's Name *Curacao'sche Scheepw. Maats., N.V.*

Address *Emmestad, Curacao, Netherlands W. Indies*

Case previously before
Classing Committee.

Date
Last Minute

Particulars of Classification.

+ 100 A.I. + L.M.C.
with freeboard B.S. 71,39
6,40 M.S. 5,36

S.S. Dep. N° 2-36 T.S. P. 8,38 CL

Date of Casualty *7th July 1940*

Carrying Petroleum in bulk *Fitted for oil*
fuel 7,28°F
above 150°F

Précis of particulars of Casualty *Torpedoed without warning*
off the South West Coast of England and broken
in two on the 7th July, 1940. Included in
Admiralty figures for the week ended 7th July, 1940.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

LUCRECIA.—Oporto, July 11.—British aircraft sent Portuguese steamer Alferrade to rescue of members of crew of Dutch tanker Lucrecia which was torpedoed by a German submarine off south-west coast of England on Sunday (July 7), it was disclosed when rescued seamen arrived at Oporto yesterday. Lucrecia was cut in two by torpedo, said survivors. The master, Captain Smith, was killed, and another seaman died from his injuries.—British United Press.

Lisbon, July 11.—The Portuguese steamer Alferrade has arrived at Oporto with 30 survivors from the Dutch tanker Lucrecia, which was torpedoed without warning on July 7. The ship broke into two parts after the explosion. The master was killed when sandbags protecting the bridge collapsed, and the mate, who was severely injured, died after being rescued.—Exchange Telegraph Company.

Tanker Crew Landed.—When 30 of the crew of the Dutch tanker Lucrecia, 2,584 tons, torpedoed and sunk off the Spanish coast, were landed at Oporto, they said that the captain and three of the crew were killed.

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Suggested Record ☒

Date of Committee

OMITTED FROM R.B.

TUE 10 SEP 1940

Committee's Minute

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