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No. 8914.

REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

No. 74872 in R. B. Wreck Book, p. 66/38

Date of writing this report 24th October, 1938.

Vessel's Name *Steel S. S. Gastelu*

of San Sebastian

Tons { Gross 3272
Net 2102Built at *badiz* When 1921 8

Casualty notice sent to Owner 10/10/38 Owner's reply X

Owner's Name *Via Naviera Guipuzcoana*Address *Gran Via 31-1°, Bilbao.*Previously before
Committee. Date
Last Minute

Particulars of Classification.

+100A1 2,38	+LM 4,36
ss No3-12,32	B 2,38
ss No1-36	TS1,37CL

Casualty 1st October, 1938.

particulars of Casualty This vessel is reported to have
foundered in the Bay of Biscay on the 1st October,
1938, due to springing a leak in the after holds,
the cause not being known. The crew were landed at
Ferrol.

No further reports have been
published and no reply has been received to the
casualty notice addressed to the Owners on the 10th
instant.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

GASTELU.—Land's End Wireless Station,
Oct. 1.—Following received from
Ushant Radio at 2 55 a.m., G.M.T.:
Spanish steamer Gastelu in distress,
position lat. 46 25 N., long. 7 15 W.
She is making plenty of water in No. 3
hold.

Spanish steamer Gastelu reports at
4 9 a.m., G.M.T.: We are in imminent
danger.

Ferrol, Oct. 2.—
British motor vessel British Aviator,
Sunderland for Abadan, arrived landing
crew of Spanish steamer Gastelu, Huelva
for Hamburg, sunk in Bay of Biscay,
owing to having sprung a leak.

GASTELU. — Ferrol, Oct. 2. — British
motor vessel British Aviator, Sunderland
for Abadan, arrived landing crew of
Spanish steamer Gastelu, Huelva for
Hamburg, sunk in Bay of Biscay, owing
to having sprung a leak.

GASTELU. — Ferrol, Oct. 5.—Steamer
Gastelu sank owing to having sprung a
leak in after holds, cause unknown;
weather conditions good.—Lloyd's Agent
per Salvage Association.

Suggested Record

Foundered 10,38

Date of Committee

TUE. 25 OCT 1938

Committee's Minute

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