

Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

RETURNS

OF

SHIPS TOTALLY LOST, BROKEN UP, &c.

(INCLUDING WAR LOSSES).

1st APRIL to 30th JUNE, 1944.

LLOYD'S REGISTER WRECK RETURNS

for the Quarter ended 30th JUNE, 1944.

I.—These Returns show that during the quarter the number and gross tonnage of ships of 100 tons gross and above totally lost, condemned, etc., in consequence of casualty (including War Losses) or stress of weather, were as follows:—

COUNTRY.	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	37	132,728	...	...	37	132,728
Other Countries	132	356,283	1	123	133	356,406
WORLD	169	489,011	1	123	170	489,134

II.—Cases of ships broken up, condemned, etc., not known to be in consequence of casualty or stress of weather, are excluded from the foregoing table. The tonnage so excluded amounted to:—

COUNTRY.	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	...	...	1	129	1	129
Other Countries	2	1,749	...	...	2	1,749
WORLD	2	1,749	1	129	3	1,878

III.—The gross reduction in the Mercantile Marine of the World, from all causes, reported during the quarter was therefore:—

COUNTRY.	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	37	132,728	1	129	38	132,857
Other Countries	134	358,032	1	123	135	358,155
WORLD	171	490,760	2	252	173	491,012

TABLE No. 1:—Showing the number, gross tonnage and nationality of STEAMERS & MOTORSHIPS totally lost, broken up, &c., during the quarter ended 30th June, 1944, as reported up to the 22nd November, 1945. (Ships under 100 tons gross are not included in this return.)

COUNTRY.	HOW LOST.																		TOTAL. (e)	
	ABANDONED AT SEA.		FOUNDERED.		MISSING. (a)		BROKEN UP, CONDEMNED, ETC. (b)		BURNT.		COLLISION.		WRECKED. (c)		LOST, ETC. (d)		WAR LOSSES.		No.	Tons.
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND	3	1,206	...	...	...	...	4	20,131	1	254	4	11,457	...	...	25	99,680	37	132,728
BRITISH DOMINIONS, COLONIES, &c.	1	231	...	...	2	9,249	...	...	1	707	...	...	2	5,082	6	15,219
* AMERICA (UNITED STATES OF)	1	275	1	4,607	...	...	2	7,324	1	2,468	2	8,604	...	...	11	82,868	18	106,146
DENMARK	1	369	2	314	3	683
FRANCE	1	482	6	18,209	7	18,691
GERMANY	2	1,376	30	92,582	41	93,958
GREECE	1	1,545	1	1,545
HOLLAND	3	3,385	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	9,640	7	13,025
ITALY	9	28,862	9	28,862
† JAPAN
NORWAY	2	1,949	1	1,128	...	...	1	248	7	22,345	11	25,670
SPAIN	1	643	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	648	2	1,291
SWEDEN	1	1,592	...	...	8	6,135	9	7,727
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES	2	4,847	...	...	...	...	1	2,864	...	...	1	305	...	...	4	6,644	8	14,660
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA	2	9,211	...	...	4	4,651	...	...	2	7,771	8	21,633
OTHER COUNTRIES	1	6,842	...	...	1	331	...	...	...	...	2	7,173
Totals...	6	6,328	2	4,838	...	...	18	61,598	3	3,850	14	27,647	5	2,475	121	382,275	169	489,011

MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION OF ABOVE SHIPS:—STEEL, 154—480,710 tons. IRON, 5—4,364 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 10—3,937 tons. STEAMERS, 136—440,544 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 33—48,467 tons.

THE LOSSES INCLUDED IN THIS TABLE ARE DETAILED ON PAGES 6 to 10.

* Excluding ships trading on the Great Lakes of North America.

† Japanese wood auxiliary vessels under 300 tons gross are not inserted in Lloyd's Register Book, and are not included in this Table.

(a) Under the heading "Missing," are included only ships so posted or reported during the period covered by the return.

(b) Ships condemned after damage by fire, collision, stranding, &c., are included, according to the date of the casualties, under "Burnt," "Collision," "Wrecked," &c. Cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., not consequent upon stress of weather, &c., are excluded from the Table. During the quarter, 2 steamers of 1,749 tons gross, come within this category.

(c) Under the heading "Wrecked," are included ships lost through stranding, or through striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.

(d) Under the heading "Lost, &c.," are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot be otherwise classified.

(e) Excluding cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., which are not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c. (See Summary on page 3.)

are excluded from the Table. During the quarter, 2 steamers of 1,749 tons gross, come within this category.

(See summary on page 6.)

TABLE No. 2:—Showing the number, gross tonnage and nationality of SAILING SHIPS and BARGES totally lost, broken up, &c., during the quarter ended 30th June, 1944, as reported up to the 22nd November, 1945. (Ships under 100 tons net are not included in this return.)

COUNTRY.	HOW LOST.																		TOTAL (c)	
	ABANDONED AT SEA.		FOUNDERED.		MISSING. (a)		BROKEN UP, CONDEMNED, ETC. (b)		BURNT.		COLLISION.		WRECKED. (a)		LOST, ETC. (a)		WAR LOSSES.		No.	Tons.
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		
GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND
BRITISH DOMINIONS, COLONIES, &c.
*AMERICA (UNITED STATES OF)	1	123	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	123
FRANCE
GERMANY
HOLLAND
ITALY
SPAIN
SWEDEN
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA
OTHER COUNTRIES
Totals...	1	123	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	123

MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION OF ABOVE SHIPS.—STEEL, Nil.

IRON, Nil.

WOOD & COMPOSITE, 1—123 tons.

THE LOSSES INCLUDED IN THIS TABLE ARE DETAILED ON PAGE 11.

(a) For explanation and notes see footnote on page 4.

(b) Cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c., are excluded from the Table. During the quarter, 1 barge of 129 tons gross, belonging to Great Britain and Northern Ireland, comes within this category.

(c) Excluding cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., which are not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c. (See Summary on page 3.)

* Excluding ships trading on the Great Lakes of North America.

LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING.

RETURNS OF SHIPS TOTALLY LOST, BROKEN UP, &c.

1st APRIL to 30th JUNE, 1944.

List of total losses of Merchant Ships of 100 tons and upwards between the above dates, of which information was received up to the 22nd November, 1945.

EXPLANATION OF CONTRACTIONS.

COUNTRY.

Amr. = U.S. of America	Egy. = Egypt.	Itl. = Italy.	Ptg. = Portugal.
Arg. = Argentina.	Est. = Estonia.	Jpn. = Japan.	Rou. = Roumania.
Blg. = Belgium.	Fin. = Finland.	Lat. = Latvia.	S.R. = Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.
Brz. = Brazil.	Fra. = France.	Mex. = Mexico.	Sp. = Spain.
C.-S. = Czechoslovakia.	G.B.I. = Great Britain and Northern Ireland.	Mor. = Morocco.	Swd. = Sweden.
Cba. = Cuba.	Ger. = Germany.	Nor. = Norway.	Tha. = Thailand.
Chi. = Chile.	Grk. = Greece.	Pal. = Palestine.	Trk. = Turkey.
Chn. = China.	Hol. = Holland.	Pan. = Panama.	Urg. = Uruguay.
Den. = Denmark.	Hon. = Honduras.	Per. = Peru.	Ygs. = Yugoslavia.
Dom. = British Dominions, Colonies, etc.	Icl. = Iceland.	Pol. = Poland.	

DESCRIPTION.

Aux. = Auxiliary.	C. = Composite.	m.s. = Motorship.	s.s. = Steamship.	(T.) = Oil Tanker.
Bg. = Brig.	F.C. = Ferro-Concrete.	Pad. = Paddle.	Sc. = Screw.	Trp. = Triple.
Bk. = Bark.	I. = Iron.	Qd. = Quadruple.	Sr. = Schooner.	Tw. = Twin.
Bkn. = Barkentine.	Lr. = Lugger.	S. = Ship.	Stl. = Steel.	W. = Wood.
Bn. = Brigantine.	m. = Masts.			

N.B.—Unless otherwise stated, all steamers and motorships were of steel construction and propelled by a single screw.

I.—STEAMERS & MOTORSHIPS.

(a.) Abandoned at Sea.

Nil.

(b.) Foundered.

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
41009 (Supp.)	Chant 61 (T.) ... '44	404	G.B.I.	m.s.	Thameshaven— Normandy.	Petrol ...	Capsized and sank off Normandy.	8th June
37081 (Supp.)	Chant 63 (T.) ... '44	401	G.B.I.	m.s.	Middlesbrough— Portsmouth.	Fresh water.	Capsized and sank off Flam-borough Head.	5th June
37068 (Supp.)	Chant 69 (T.) ... '44	401	G.B.I.	m.s.	... ..	...	Sunk by gunfire after capsizing.	16th June
16531 (Supp.)	East Coast ... '92	275	Amr.	W.m.s.	... ..	...	Foundered in heavy weather ...	27th May
—	Marianela ... '44	681	Ptg.	W.m.s.	Philadelphia— Lisbon.	General...	Sprang leak; taken in tow, but sank on way to Bermuda.	10th June
26151	Ilich '95	4166	S.R.	s.s.	San Francisco— Portland, Or.	...	Capsized and sank in Portland, Or. Total loss.	23rd June

TOTAL { STEEL, 4—5,372 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 2—956 tons. } 6—6,328 tons.
STEAMERS 1—4,166 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 5—2,162 tons.

(c.) Missing.

(Under this heading are included only ships Posted or Reported as Missing during the quarter.)

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
06504	Cymric '93	231	Dom.	I.Aux. Tw.Sc.	Ardrossan— Lisbon.	Coal ...	Left Dublin Bay on 24th February, 1944, and not since heard of.	—
33886	Suffolk '11	4607	Amr.	m.s. s.s.	Norfolk, Va.— Boston, Mass.	Coal ...	Left Norfolk, Va., on 9th December, 1943; reported in distress in lat. 40 33 N., long. 71 58 W. on 11th December, and not since heard of.	—

TOTAL { STEEL, 1—4,607 tons. IRON, 1—231 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. } 2—4,838 tons.
STEAMERS, 1—4,607 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 1—231 tons.

(d.) Broken up, Condemned, &c.

(i.) Cases consequent upon stress of weather, etc.

NIL.

(ii.) Other cases.

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
09804	Killara ... '09	309	Dom.	s.s.	...	...	Broken up ...	—
29597	Monmouth ... '88	1440	Amr.	I.Tw.Sc. s.s.	...	...	Broken up ...	—

TOTALS { d. (i.) :—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. TOTAL, Nil.
d. (ii.) :—STEEL, 1—309 tons. IRON, 1—1,440 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. TOTAL, 2—1,749 tons.
STEAMERS, 2—1,749 tons. MOTORSHIPS, Nil. TOTAL, 2—1,749 tons.

(e.) Burnt.

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
20112	Baroda ... '11	3205	G.B.I.	s.s.	...	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
37659 (Supp.)	Fort Crevier ... '43	7181	G.B.I.	s.s.	New York— Bombay.	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay; converted into a hulk.	14th Apl.
24427	Fort Stikine ... '42	7142	G.B.I.	s.s.	Karachi— Bombay.	General...	Totally destroyed by explosion on board at Bombay.	14th Apl.
27510	Kingyuan... ... '21	2653	G.B.I.	s.s.	Basra—Bombay...	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
23082	El Hind '38	5314	Dom.	s.s.	...	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
26558	Jalapadma ... '29	3935	Dom.	s.s.	...	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
09486	John E. McAllister '25	148	Amr.	W.s.s.	Tug ...	...	Destroyed by fire ...	29th June
38471 (Supp.)	John Straub ... '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	Port Townshend— Dutch Harbor.	Oil & Petrol.	Sank after explosion in lat. 54 22 N., long. 163 24 W.	19th Apl.
32187	Rod-el-Farag ... '10	6842	Egy.	s.s.	Suez—Bombay ...	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
24744	Generaal v. d. Heyden '28	1213	Hol.	s.s.	...	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
24746	Generaal van Swieten '28	1300	Hol.	s.s.	...	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
34675	Tinombo '30	872	Hol.	m.s.	...	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
25079	Graciosa '17	1773	Nor.	s.s.	Trivandrum— Bombay.	General...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
10026	Krosdøl '18	176	Nor.	C.Aux. Sc.m.s.	...	...	Totally destroyed by explosion on another vessel at Bergen.	20th Apl.
26313	Iran '19	5704	Pan.	s.s.	Suez—Bombay ...	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
30344	Norse Trader ... '12	3507	Pan.	s.s.	Abadan—Bombay.	...	Badly damaged by explosion on another vessel at Bombay. Total loss.	14th Apl.
31075	Pavlin Vinogradov '29	2864	S.R.	s.s.	Portland, Or.— Petropavlovsk.	...	Sank after explosion in lat. 53 12N., long. 160 22W.	23rd Apl.
21384	Castillo Jarandilla '08	643	Sp.	s.s.	...	...	Destroyed by fire at Melilla ...	28th June

TOTAL { STEEL, 16—61,274 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 2—324 tons. } 18—61,598 tons.
STEAMERS, 16—60,550 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 2—1,048 tons.

(f.) Collision.

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
06904	Dundas ... '19	254	G.B.I.	s.s.	Tug ... ..	...	Sunk by collision in the English Channel. Refloated, taken in tow, but capsized and sank.	24th June
29216	Maurice Tracey.. '16	2468	Amr.	s.s.	... ..	...	In lat. 39 53 N., long. 73 58 W....	16th June
31917	Reias ... '18	1128	Nor.	s.s.	Normandy—U.K..	Ballast ...	In the English Channel ...	13th June

TOTAL { STEEL, 3—3,850 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. } 3—3,850 tons.
STEAMERS, 3—3,850 tons. MOTORSHIPS, Nil.

(g.) Wrecked.

(Under this heading are included ships lost through stranding, or striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.)

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
—	Atako ... '44	543	G.B.I.	s.s.	Tug ... ..	...	1 mile S.E. of Punta Musimiliana, C.R.	1st June
41019 (Supp.)	Chant 7 (T.) ... '44	405	G.B.I.	m.s.	Thameshaven—Normandy.	Petrol ...	On the Normandy Coast ...	19th June
21924	Clearpool ... '35	5404	G.B.I.	s.s.	Hull—Algiers ...	Coal ...	On Skitter Bank, off Hull, while in charge of tugs.	4th June
28703	Magician ... '25	5105	G.B.I.	s.s.	Trinidad—London.	General...	On Crig Ewen Point, 2 miles N of Peterhead.	14th Apr.
31304	Pictou County... '20	707	Dom.	m.s.	Cartaret, N.J.—Windsor, N.S.	Fertiliser.	Stranded on Cape Spencer. Refloated and reported to be a total loss.	12th June
24809	George L. Olson.. '17	1428	Amr.	W.s.s.	Coos Bay—	Lumber...	Stranded and badly damaged in Coos Bay. Refloated, and after several groundings finally beached on 20th December, 1944. Total loss.	23rd June
38011 (Supp.)	Henry Bergh ... '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	Pacific—San Francisco.	...	On the Farallon Islands ...	31st May
22695	Don Ricardo ... '06	2629	Chl.	s.s.	... ..	Ballast ...	While in tow, tow rope was thrown over owing to heavy weather, and vessel stranded in Chambique Bay, near Lota, and became a total loss.	9th May
11923	Ofqui ... '98	126	Chl.	s.s.	Tug ... ..	...	Sank after striking Campana Shoal, Chacao Channel.	11th June
31836	Rapel ... '36	1700	Chl.	s.s.	Valparaiso—Punta Arenas.	Gasoline, Coal, &c.	Struck rock at Angostura Guia; beached on Rock Island and subsequently sank.	16th May
16303 (Supp.)	Castillo Rada ... '43	196	Col.	W.Aux. Sc.m.s.	Santa Marta—Curacao.	Cattle ...	In the Bay of Maracaibo ...	22nd Apl.
29141	Masr... ... '18	331	Egy.	s.s.	... ..	General...	12 miles N. of Bardia ...	31st May
10821	Maria Preciosa '25	305	Ptg.	W.Aux. Sc.m.s.	Fishing ... ..	...	Sunk by iceberg on the Greenland Banks.	14th June
24578	Frigg ... '86	1592	Swd.	I.s.s.	Emden—Sundsvall	Coke ...	Sank after striking submerged object near Kiel.	— May

TOTAL { STEEL, 10—24,126 tons. IRON, 1—1,592 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 3—1,929 tons. } 14—27,647 tons.
STEAMERS, 10—26,034 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 4—1,613 tons.

(h.) Lost.

(Under this heading are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot otherwise be classified.)

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
35936	Aase Henny ... '18	369	Den.	W.Aux. Sc.m.s.	... ..	...	... ..	— June
11756	Notre Dame des Dunes '09	482	Fra.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	At Nantes	— Apl.
07827	Franz Westermann '37	481	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	In the Baltic Sea	— June
26226	Ingeborg ... '04	895	Ger.	s.s.	... ..	...	In Riga Bay	— May
09968 "K"	Firmament ... '30 (ex "Kos IX")	248	Nor.	s.s.	... ..	...	... ..	12th June

TOTAL { STEEL, 4—2,106 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 1—369 tons. } 5—2,475 tons.
STEAMERS, 4—2,106 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 1—369 tons.

(i.) War Losses.

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.	No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.
04581	Alert '19	793	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc.	20476	Bizon... .. '07	783	Blg.	s.s.
19298	Anadyr '30	5231	G.B.I.	s.s.	06389	Cornwall '06	214	Den.	W.Aux. Sc.m.s.
19707	Ashanti '36	534	G.B.I.	m.s.	10394	Lise '31	100	Den.	Aux.Sc. m.s.
20639	Brackenfield '37	657	G.B.I.	s.s.	26526	Jäämeri '20	2522	Fin.	s.s.
22323	Dahomian... .. '29	5277	G.B.I.	s.s.	06211	Clairvoyant '22	943	Fra.	s.s.
37135 (Supp.)	Derrycunihy '44	7093	G.B.I.	m.s.	23069	El-Biar '27	4678	Fra.	s.s.
22841	Dungrange '14	621	G.B.I.	s.s.	23077	El Djezair... .. '34	5790	Fra.	Tw.Sc.
22853	Dunvegan Head '20	638	G.B.I.	s.s.	32466	Saint Basile '20	2778	Fra.	s.s.
23453	Empire Heath '41	6643	G.B.I.	s.s.	32901	Saumur '20	2955	Fra.	s.s.
23507	Empire Lough '40	2824	G.B.I.	s.s.	33544	Song-Giang '22	1065	Fra.	Tw.Sc.
23578	Empire Portia '42	7058	G.B.I.	s.s.	19150	Alice Robert '34	2588	Ger.	s.s.
37684 (Supp.)	Fort Missanabie '43	7147	G.B.I.	s.s.	19723	Asien... .. '05	3894	Ger.	s.s.
37610 (Supp.)	Fort Norfolk '43	7131	G.B.I.	s.s.	33214 "S"	Astree (ex "Siena")... .. '21	2147	Ger.	s.s.
25605	Helen Moller '18	5259	G.B.I.	s.s.	19981	Bahia '27	4117	Ger.	m.s.
26666	Janeta '29	5312	G.B.I.	s.s.	26534 "J"	Baldur '20 (ex "Jacob Christensen")	3594	Ger.	s.s.
10456	Lord Austin '37	483	G.B.I.	s.s.	20103	Bärenfels '21	7569	Ger.	s.s.
28723	Maid of Orleans '18	2386	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc.	05660	Braunschweig '38	200	Ger.	m.s.
29973	Nebraska '20	8261	G.B.I.	s.s.	22056	Condor '22	889	Ger.	s.s.
29988	Nellore '13	6942	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc.	22072	Constantinos '22	4697	Ger.	s.s.
30255	Nordeflinge '42	2873	G.B.I.	s.s.	Louloudis				
32303	Royal Star '19	7900	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc.	22968	Eduard Geiss '03	1456	Ger.	s.s.
39791 (Supp.)	Sambut '43	7219	G.B.I.	s.s.	29981 "N"	Geiserich '70 (ex "Neghelli")	712	Ger.	I.s.s.
14034	Southern Pride '36	582	G.B.I.	s.s.	24859	Gertrud '30 (ex "Gerda Toft")	1960	Ger.	s.s.
35940	Westdale '11	424	G.B.I.	s.s.	08889	Gustáv Hugo Deiters '38	533	Ger.	s.s.
15909	Wyoming '15	302	G.B.I.	s.s.	25408	Hans Leonhardt '38	4174	Ger.	s.s.
18988	Albert C. Field '23	1764	Dom.	s.s.	25288	Helga (ex "Hadrian") '19	1620	Ger.	s.s.
22020	Columbine... .. '21	3268	Dom.	s.s.	—	Hochheimer '18 (ex "Ronwyn")	1766	Ger.	s.s.
37028 (Supp.)	Charles Morgan '43	7244	Amr.	s.s.	26453	Itauri '23	6838	Ger.	s.s.
36939 (Supp.)	Charles W. Eliot '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	26669	Johann Faulbaum '07 (ex "Janis Faulbaums")	2944	Ger.	s.s.
38022 (Supp.)	H. G. Blasdel '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	27273	Kassar Wiek (T.) '29	528	Ger.	s.s.
38325 (Supp.)	James A. Farrell '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	10051	Kurmark '37	473	Ger.	s.s.
26603	James Guthrie... .. '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	28140	Lasbek '30	2159	Ger.	s.s.
38521 (Supp.)	John A. Treutlen '44	7198	Amr.	s.s.	31498 "P"	Lavinia (ex "Portia") '11	968	Ger.	s.s.
38958 (Supp.)	Meyer London '44	7176	Amr.	s.s.	28502	Lotte Leonhardt '37	4167	Ger.	s.s.
39309 (Supp.)	Pan-Pennsylvania(T.) '43	11017	Amr.	s.s.	10542	Ludwig Janssen '37	470	Ger.	s.s.
31062	Paul Hamilton '42	7177	Amr.	s.s.	10876	Mariensee '16	109	Ger.	m.s.
39922 (Supp.)	Thomas G. Masaryk... .. '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	29251	Medea '36	1246	Ger.	Tw.Sc.
40288 (Supp.)	William S. Thayer '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	27012 "J"	Memelland '06 (ex "Julia")	1892	Ger.	s.s.
					30007	Nerissa '36	992	Ger.	s.s.

Continued.

(i.) War Losses—continued.

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.	No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.
11846	Nurnberg '38	472	Ger.	s.s.	32605	Salvatore '21	2252	Itl.	s.s.
27066 "J"	Obra (ex "Jylland")... '87	539	Ger.	s.s.	35473	Verdi... .. '28	2423	Itl.	m.s.
30536	Odin '28	5806	Ger.	s.s.	19182	Almora '05	2433	Nor.	s.s.
12089	Otto Bröhan '37	510	Ger.	s.s.	22646	Dixie '37	1571	Nor.	s.s.
39624 (Supp.)	Reamur (ex "Rigel").. '19	550	Ger.	s.s.	32348	Ruth I '00	3531	Nor.	s.s.
32209	Roland '27	2436	Ger.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	13972	Solbjörn '18	145	Nor.	W.m.s.
28683 "M"	Rossbach (T.) ... '17 (ex "Madrono")	5894	Ger.	s.s.	—	Solviken '40	3502	Nor.	s.s.
32408	Sabine Howaldt ... '38	5956	Ger.	s.s.	33576	South America (T.)... '31	6246	Nor.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
13688	Seydlitz '36	449	Ger.	s.s.	34429	Tento... .. '21	4917	Nor.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
15042	Trinchen Behrens ... '38	218	Ger.	Aux.Sc. m.s.	21979	Colin '21	6255	Pan.	m.s.
35285	Ursula Rickmers ... '17	5050	Ger.	s.s.	31324	Pillory '33	1516	Pan.	s.s.
34271	Tanais '07	1545	Grk.	s.s.	22425	Danubius '90	1489	Rou.	s.s.
24703	Garoot '17	7118	Hol.	s.s.	31208	Pestel '90	1850	S.R.	s.s.
09029	Hydra '34	200	Hol.	m.s.	26940	Jose Illueca '22	648	Sp.	s.s.
13058	Roode Zee... .. '38	468	Hol.	m.s.	05188	B.T.V. (T.) '37	262	Swd.	I.s.s.
35491	Vesta... .. '07	1854	Hol.	s.s.	23227	Embla '08	1040	Swd.	s.s.
19172	Alma... .. '05	598	Itl.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	23238	Emily '82	1567	Swd.	I.s.s.
21652	Chisone '22	6168	Itl.	m.s.	37773 (Supp.)	Fenja... .. '44	2037	Swd.	m.s.
23946	Eugenio C. '28	4078	Itl.	s.s.	28283	Libau... .. '90	334	Swd.	s.s.
—	Giuliana (T.) —	350	Itl.	s.s.	12193	Patria '19	154	Swd.	Aux.Sc. m.s.
29994	Nennella '06	1017	Itl.	s.s.	34306	Tárnán '15	541	Swd.	s.s.
31518	Poseidone (T.)... .. '12	6613	Itl.	s.s.	15183	Ulla '37	200	Swd.	Aux.Sc. m.s.
31840	Rapido '19	5363	Itl.	s.s.					

TOTAL { STEEL, 116—379,375 tons. IRON, 3—2,541 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 2—359 tons. } 121—382,275 tons.
 STEAMERS, 101—339,231 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 20—43,044 tons.

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of Shipping.

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship'
00409	Chas. G.

TOTAL :—STEEL, Nil.

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(d.) Broken

(i.) Cases consequent

NIL.

(ii.) Other cases

P, &c.

No. in Reg. Book 1943-44.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.
01468	Lady Delamere... '72	129	G.B.I.	W. Flat ... ..	...

TOTALS	d. (i.):—STEEL, Nil.	IRON, Nil.	WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil.	TO. TOTAL. <u>TOTAL,</u>
	d. (ii.):—STEEL, Nil.	IRON, Nil.	WOOD & COMPOSITE, 1—129 tons.	

(e.) Burnt.

NIL.

(f.) Collision.

NIL.

(g.) Wrecked.

(Under this heading are included ships lost through stranding, or striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.)

NIL.

(h.) Lost.

(Under this heading are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot otherwise be classified.)

NIL.

(i.) War Losses.

NIL.

Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

RETURNS

OF

SHIPS TOTALLY LOST, BROKEN UP, &c.

(INCLUDING WAR LOSSES).

1st JULY to 30th SEPTEMBER, 1944.

1, FENCHURCH STREET, LONDON, E.C.3.

January, 1946.

LLOYD'S REGISTER WRECK RETURNS

for the Quarter ended 30th SEPTEMBER, 1944.

I.—These Returns show that during the quarter the number and gross tonnage of ships of 100 tons gross and above totally lost, condemned, etc., in consequence of casualty (including War Losses) or stress of weather, were as follows:—

COUNTRY.	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	41	160,003	...	...	41	160,003
Other Countries	180	536,804	4	5,269	184	542,073
WORLD	221	696,807	4	5,269	225	702,076

II.—Cases of ships broken up, condemned, etc., not known to be in consequence of casualty or stress of weather, are excluded from the foregoing table. The tonnage so excluded amounted to:—

COUNTRY.	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Countries	2	1,137	1	780	3	1,917
WORLD	2	1,137	1	780	3	1,917

III.—The gross reduction in the Mercantile Marine of the World, from all causes, reported during the quarter was therefore:—

COUNTRY.	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	41	160,003	...	...	41	160,003
Other Countries	182	537,941	5	6,049	187	543,990
WORLD	223	697,944	5	6,049	228	703,993

TABLE No. 1:—Showing the number, gross tonnage and nationality of STEAMERS & MOTORSHIPS totally lost, broken up, &c., during the quarter ended 30th September, 1944, as reported up to the 3rd January, 1946. (Ships under 100 tons gross are not included in this return.)

COUNTRY.	HOW LOST.																		TOTAL. (e)	
	ABANDONED AT SEA.		FOUNDERED.		MISSING. (a)		BROKEN UP, CONDEMNED, ETC. (b)		BURNED.		COLLISION.		WRECKED. (c)		LOST, ETC. (d)		WAR LOSSES.		No.	Tons.
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		
GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND	1	1,793	7	13,281	2	1,945	31	142,984	41	160,003
BRITISH DOMINIONS, COLONIES, &c.	2	260	1	108	1	1,892	3	859	1	2,140	8	5,259
*AMERICA (UNITED STATES OF)	2	14,820	1	7,176	2	2,566	9	68,080	14	92,642
DENMARK	1	124	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,710	3	1,834	
FRANCE	1	510	22	101,748	23	102,258	
GERMANY	2	1,467	14	9,940	59	129,898	75	141,305	
GREECE	3	9,958	3	9,958	
HOLLAND	1	2,700	...	...	1	142	4	8,122	6	10,964	
ITALY	9	68,679	9	68,679	
†JAPAN	1	9,419	1	9,419	
NORWAY	1	124	...	...	12	34,031	13	34,155	
SPAIN	
SWEDEN	1	341	...	...	6	7,476	7	7,817	
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES	1	8,718	...	...	...	5	14,204	6	22,922	
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA	3	19,978	5	6,860	3	2,512	...	...	...	11	29,350	
OTHER COUNTRIES	1	242	...	...	...	...	1	242	
Totals...	4	2,177	6	34,906	16	40,627	15	10,056	16	10,592	164	598,449	221	696,807

MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION OF ABOVE SHIPS:—STEEL, 209—692,836 tons. IRON, 4—2,613 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 8—1,358 tons.

STEAMERS, 173—577,701 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 48—119,106 tons.

THE LOSSES INCLUDED IN THIS TABLE ARE DETAILED ON PAGES 6 to 11.

* Excluding ships trading on the Great Lakes of North America.

† Japanese wood auxiliary vessels under 300 tons gross are not inserted in Lloyd's Register Book, and are not included in this Table.

(a) Under the heading "Missing," are included only ships so posted or reported during the period covered by the return.

(b) Ships condemned after damage by fire, collision, stranding, &c., are included, according to the date of the casualties, under "Burnt," "Collision," "Wrecked," &c. Cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., not consequent upon stress of weather, &c..

(c) Under the heading "Wrecked," are included ships lost through stranding, or through striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.

(d) Under the heading "Lost, &c.," are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot be otherwise classified.

(e) Excluding cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., which are not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c.

TABLE No. 2:—Showing the number, gross tonnage and nationality of SAILING SHIPS and BARGES totally lost, broken up, &c., during the quarter ended 30th September, 1944, as reported up to the 3rd January, 1946. (Ships under 100 tons net are not included in this return.)

COUNTRY.	HOW LOST.																		TOTAL. (c)	
	ABANDONED AT SEA.		FOUNDERED.		MISSING. (a)		BROKEN UP, CONDEMNED, ETC. (b)		BURNT.		COLLISION.		WRECKED. (a)		LOST, ETC. (a)		WAR LOSSES.		No.	Tons.
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		
GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND
BRITISH DOMINIONS, COLONIES, &C.
*AMERICA (UNITED STATES OF)	2	1,679	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,289	1	2,301	...	...	...	...	4	5,269
FRANCE
GERMANY
HOLLAND
ITALY
SPAIN
SWEDEN
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA
OTHER COUNTRIES
Totals...	2	1,679	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,289	1	2,301	...	...	...	...	4	5,269

MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION OF ABOVE SHIPS:—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 4—5,269 tons.

THE LOSSES INCLUDED IN THIS TABLE ARE DETAILED ON PAGES 11 and 12.

(a) For explanation and notes see footnote on page 4.

(b) Cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c., are excluded from the Table. During the quarter, 1 barge of 780 tons gross, comes within this category.

(c) Excluding cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., which are not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c. (See Summary on page 3.)

* Excluding ships trading on the Great Lakes of North America.

LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING.

RETURNS OF SHIPS TOTALLY LOST, BROKEN UP, &c

1st JULY to 30th SEPTEMBER, 1944.

List of total losses of Merchant Ships of 100 tons and upwards between the above dates, of which information was received up to the 3rd January, 1946.

EXPLANATION OF CONTRACTIONS.

COUNTRY.			
Amr. = U.S. of America.	Egy. = Egypt.	Itl. = Italy.	Ptg. = Portugal.
Arg. = Argentina.	Est. = Estonia.	Jpn. = Japan.	Rou. = Roumania.
Blg. = Belgium.	Fin. = Finland.	Lat. = Latvia.	S.R. = Union of Soviet Social Republics.
Brz. = Brazil.	Fra. = France.	Mex. = Mexico.	Sp. = Spain.
C.-S. = Czecho-Slovakia.	G.B.I. = Great Britain and Northern Ireland.	Mor. = Morocco.	Swd. = Sweden.
Cba. = Cuba.	Ger. = Germany.	Nor. = Norway.	Tha. = Thailand.
Chi. = Chile.	Grk. = Greece.	Pal. = Palestine.	Trk. = Turkey.
Chn. = China.	Hol. = Holland.	Pan. = Panama.	Urg. = Uruguay.
Den. = Denmark.	Hon. = Honduras.	Per. = Peru.	Ygs. = Yugoslavia.
Dom. = British Dominions, Colonies, etc.	Icl. = Iceland.	Pol. = Poland.	

DESCRIPTION.				
Aux. = Auxiliary.	C. = Composite.	m.s. = Motorship.	s.s. = Steamship.	(T.) = Oil Tanker.
Bg. = Brig.	F.C. = Ferro-Concrete.	Pad. = Paddle.	Sc. = Screw.	Trp. = Triple.
Bk. = Bark.	I. = Iron.	Qd. = Quadruple.	Sr. = Schooner.	Tw. = Twin.
Bkn. = Barkentine.	Lr. = Lugger.	S. = Ship.	Stl. = Steel.	W. = Wood.
Ba. = Brigantine.	m. = Masts.			

N.B.—Unless otherwise stated, all steamers and motorships were of steel construction and propelled by a single screw.

I.—STEAMERS & MOTORSHIPS.

(a.) Abandoned at Sea.

NIL.

(b.) Foundered.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
69183	Alden Gifford ... '42	1793	G.B.I.	s.s.	Barry—Devonport.	Coal ...	4 miles N.N.W. of Longships ...	2nd Sept
59614	Josie and Phebe '08	152	Dom.	W.Aux. Tw.Sc.	Sydney, N.S.—Bay Roberts, Nfld.	Salt ...	Lost propeller and shaft and sank 15 miles off St. Pierre, Miq.	8th Aug
61561	Nellie J. King ... '00	108	Dom.	W.m.s.	...	...	Off Labrador ...	25th Sept
58724	Helga ... '16	124	Den.	Aux.Sc. m.s.	...	...	In the Kattegat ...	7th Sept

TOTAL { STEEL, 2—1,917 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 2—260 tons. } 4—2,177 tons.
STEAMERS 1—1,793 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 3—384 tons.

(c.) Missing.

(Under this heading are included only ships Posted or Reported as Missing during the quarter.)

NIL.

(d.) Broken up, Condemned, &c.

(i.) Cases consequent upon stress of weather, etc.

NIL.

(ii.) Other cases.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
76638	Hinemoa ... '76	559	Dom.	I.s.s.	...	...	Dismantled and sunk ...	—
61688	Noble Maxwell.. 16	578	Amr.	W.s.s.	...	...	Converted into a barge... ..	—

TOTALS { d. (i.) :—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. TOTAL, Nil.
d. (ii.) :—STEEL, Nil. IRON, 1—559 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 1—578 tons. TOTAL, 2—1,137 tons.
STEAMERS, 2—1,137 tons. MOTORSHIPS, Nil. TOTAL, 2—1,137 tons.

(e.) Burnt.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
60288	Lawrence T. Porter '37	108	Dom.	m.s.	Tug ... ..	...	Caught fire and sank after explosion about 5 miles S.E. of Wedge Island, Guysborough, N.S.	2nd Sept.
73303	E. A. Bryan ...'44	7212	Amr.	s.s.	... ..	...	Totally destroyed by explosion while loading at Port Chicago, Cal.	17th July
91553 (Supp.)	Quinault Victory '44	7608	Amr.	s.s.	... ..	...	Totally destroyed by explosion while loading at Port Chicago, Cal.	17th July
83459	Rio de La Plata '23	8918	Arg.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	Los Angeles— Buenaventura.	...	Caught fire in Acapulco. Towed away and sank 1 mile off shore.	18th Aug.
84260	San Blas (T.) ...'15	10825	Arg.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	Comodoro Rivadavia— La Plata.	Petroleum	Caught fire after explosion and sank in La Plata.	27th Sept.
63393	St. Pierre... ...'04	235	Hon.	I.s.s.	Sydney, N.S.— St. Pierre, Miq.	Coal ...	15 miles S. of Penguin Islands...	5th July

TOTAL { STEEL, 5—34,671 tons. IRON, 1—235 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. } 6—34,906 tons.
STEAMERS, 5—34,798 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 1—108 tons.

(f.) Collision.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
55638	Braconburn ...'18	203	G.B.I.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	In lat. 56 33 N., long. 29 15 W.	30th July
71400	Cape Clear ...'39	5085	G.B.I.	m.s.	Basra— Hampton Roads.	Ballast ...	In lat. 28 21 N., long. 33 11 30 E.	21st Aug.
73625	Elisabeth Dal ...'10	4258	G.B.I.	s.s.	Montreal— Manchester.	Grain ...	Beached after collision in the Mersey. Total loss and sold for breaking up.	3rd Aug.
61251	Mirabelle ... ...'18	203	G.B.I.	s.s.	... ..	...	... ..	17th Sept.
83050	Punta Gorda (T.) '28	2395	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	Lake Maracaibo— Aruba.	Oil ...	About 5 miles off Cape San Roman	18th Sept.
83237	Ravonia ... ...'25	813	G.B.I.	s.s.	Sunderland— Cowes.	Coal ...	In lat. 53 31 18 N., long. 0 24 12 E.	23rd Sept.
88266	Zealous ... ...'02	324	G.B.I.	s.s.	Sunderland— Aberdeen.	Coal ...	About 8 miles N. of Bell Rock...	14th July
87633	Wear ... ...'11	1892	Dom.	s.s.	Melbourne— Newcastle, N.S.W.	Ballast ...	Near Montagu Island, N.S.W....	8th Sept.
73113	Don Marquis ...'43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	Langemak Bay— Seeadler Harbour.	General...	In lat. 2 10 S., long. 147 32 E.; towed into Seeadler Bay. Total loss.	26th Sept.
55492	Bigua ... ...'16	274	Arg.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Off Banco Chico, River Plate...	17th Sept.
69410	Ampetco (T.) ...'26	8718	Blg.	Tw.Sc. m.s.	Curacao— Las Piedras.	Ballast ...	About 5 miles off Cape San Roman. Towed into St. Nicholas, and subsequently sunk as a target.	18th Sept.
72037	Chuiloides ... ...'35	1659	Brz.	m.s.	Bahia— Buenos Aires.	Ballast ...	In lat. 28 5 S., long. 48 30 W....	7th Aug.
86353	Tiété... ... ...'18	1696	Brz.	s.s.	Imbituba— Rio de Janeiro.	Coal ...	In lat. 28 5 S., long. 48 30 W....	7th Aug.
72002	Choapa ... ...'37	1700	Chl.	s.s.	Valparaiso— New York.	Sugar ...	In lat. 40 16 N., long. 73 47 W....	21st Sept.
78160	Justina (T.) ...'24	2700	Hol.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	... ..	...	In lat. 12 8 N., long. 69 26 W....	23rd Sept.
76635	Hindoo ... ...'25	1531	Pan.	s.s.	New York— Cristobal.	...	In lat. 11 N., long. 77 57 W. ...	9th Sept.

TOTAL { STEEL, 16—40,627 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. } 16—40,627 tons.
STEAMERS, 13—25,165 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 3—15,462 tons.

(g.) Wrecked.

(Under this heading are included ships lost through stranding, or striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.)

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
69841	Arthurstown ...'36	527	G.B.I.	m.s.	Southampton— Ardrossan.	Scrapsteel	Sank off Padstow after stranding near Trevose Head.	7th Aug.
80021	Manö ... ...'25	1418	G.B.I.	s.s.	London— Reykjavik.	Cement ...	On Geirfluglasker, off Reykjanes	21st Aug.

Continued.

(g.) Wrecked—continued.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
61963	Ocean Maid ... '20	173	Dom.	W.Aux. Tw.Sc. m.s.	... ..	Rum ...	At Palmetto Point, Bahamas...	20th Jul
52240	Ruth D. Adams '17	135	Dom.	W.Aux. Sc.m.s.	Sydney, N.S.— Marystown.	Coal ...	At Point aux Gauls, Nfl. ...	29th Sep
65694	W. H. Fuller ... '34	551	Dom.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	Tug ... ..	...	Sank after striking submerged rock 3 miles off Bird Island.	22nd Sep
57154	Elk '10	123	Amr.	W.Aux. Tw.Sc. m.s.	Fishing ... —	...	On Seal Island	17th Aug
86286	Thomas Tracy... '16	2443	Amr.	s.s.	New England— Hampton Roads, Va.	Ballast ...	At Cape Henlopen	14th Sept
59625	Juan Traverso... '17	296	Arg.	Aux.Sc. m.s.	Brazil— Buenos Aires.	Lumber...	Near Cape Polonia, Uruguay...	23rd Jul
72392	Comandante Alcideo '05	1858	Brz.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	Rio de Janeiro— N. Brazil.	General...	On bar outside Aracaju... ..	14th Aug
82457	Huelen '— "P" (ex "Penco")	358	Chl.	s.s.	Valparaiso—	...	Stranded and sank at Punta Plata.	16th Aug
62542	Polar '10	242	Cba.	s.s.	... ..	Ballast ...	Beached at Miami owing to leak; subsequently capsized and sank. Total loss.	—
64003	Burgunder ... '15 "S" (ex "Skjervøy")	151	Ger.	s.s.	Fishing ... ..	...	Near Bud, N.E. of Aalesund ...	17th Aug
73462A	Eem '20	1316	Ger.	s.s.	... ..	...	Off the Frisian Islands	— July
59022	Hugin '06	124	Nor.	s.s.	Fishing ... ..	...	At Vadso	15th July
78972	Kristina '19	341	Swd.	W.Aux. Sc.m.s.	Danzig—Slite ...	Coal ...	Beached near Hela Lighthouse, Danzig, after striking a submerged object. Total loss.	4th Aug.

TOTAL { STEEL, 11—9,284 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 4—772 tons. } 15—10,056 tons.
STEAMERS, 9—8,461 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 6—1,595 tons.

(h.) Lost.

(Under this heading are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot otherwise be classified.)

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
—	Jupiter —	510	Fra.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Off N. Norway	— July
68939	Adolph Kirsten... '27	995	Ger.	s.s.	... ..	...	At Brest	— Aug.
54966	Arion '00	123	Ger.	s.s.	Tug ... ..	...	At Brest	— Aug.
55116	August Bösch... '34	401	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Off Sables d'Olonne	— Aug.
55788	C. P. Andersen... '34	423	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	In the River Gironde	— July
87413	Colmar '32 "V" (ex "Volgoles")	3946	Ger.	m.s.	... ..	...	Off N. Norway	— Aug.
57099	Elbe '14	237	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Off the River Weser	8th Sept.
58136	Germania... .. '34	427	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Off the River Gironde	— Aug.
58438	Gustav Körner... '36	450	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Off Lister	— Aug.
58575	Hardi '21	916	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	6 miles S. of Genoa	— July
58794	Herkules '23	181	Ger.	s.s.	Tug ... ..	...	Off France	— Aug.
58813	Hermes '22	275	Ger.	Tw.Sc. m.s.	Tug ... ..	...	Off France	— July
59350	J. Hinr. Wilhelms '34	440	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Off Normandy	— Sept.
59423	Jan Mayen ... '38	654	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Off Normandy	— Sept.
59970	Köln '37	472	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	In the Arctic Sea	— Aug.
65640	Amulet '10 "V" (ex "Vledderveen")	142	Hol.	Aux.Sc. m.s.	... ..	...	Off Kiel	24th Sept.

TOTAL { STEEL, 16—10,592 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. } 16—10,592 tons.
STEAMERS, 13—6,229 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 3—4,363 tons.

(i.) War Losses.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.	No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.
69417	Amsterdam ... ..'30	4220	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	77747	John Barry ... ..'41	7176	Amr.	s.s.
69888	Ashmun J. Clough ...'43	1791	G.B.I.	s.s.	83600	Robin Goodfellow ...'20	6885	Amr.	s.s.
70049	Auk ... ..'21	1338	G.B.I.	s.s.	87874	William Gaston ...'42	7177	Amr.	s.s.
70596	Berwickshire ... ..'12	7464	G.B.I.	s.s.	82951	Prince Leopold... ..'30	2950	Blg.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
72479	Coral... ..'19	638	G.B.I.	s.s.	54441	Agerse ... ..'01	298	Den.	s.s.
73049	Director ... ..'26	5107	G.B.I.	s.s.	82097	Oslo ... ..'20	1412	Den.	s.s.
73788	Empire Broadsword... '43	7177	G.B.I.	s.s.	79332	Leda ... ..'08	1283	Fin.	s.s.
73825	Empire City ... ..'43	7295	G.B.I.	m.s.	82029	Orient ... ..'14	4160	Fin.	s.s.
73865	Empire Day ... ..'41	7242	G.B.I.	m.s.	70080	Auvergne ... ..'21	2114	Fra.	s.s.
73964	Empire Heritage (T.)'30	15702	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	71368	Cap Corse ... ..'29	2444	Fra.	s.s.
74004	Empire Lancer... ..'42	7037	G.B.I.	s.s.	56004	Cassiopée ... ..'29	173	Fra.	s.s.
89350 (Supp.)	Empire Rosebery (T.)'44	2370	G.B.I.	s.s.	71937	Chenonceaux ... ..'22	14825	Fra.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
75092	Fort Yale ... ..'42	7134	G.B.I.	s.s.	72353	Colleville ... ..'22	2012	Fra.	s.s.
75204	Fratton ... ..'25	757	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	73069	Djebel-Dira ... ..'30	2835	Fra.	s.s.
75700	Glendinning ... ..'21	1927	G.B.I.	s.s.	73071	Djenne ... ..'31	8790	Fra.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
76960	Iddesleigh ... ..'27	5205	G.B.I.	s.s.	73556	El Mansour ... ..'33	5818	Fra.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
78606	King Frederick ...'20	5265	G.B.I.	s.s.	75114	Francaise II (T.) ..'35	584	Fra.	m.s.
61753	Noreen Mary ... ..'16	207	G.B.I.	s.s.	75768	Gonneville ... ..'12	2285	Fra.	s.s.
61903	No. 36 ... ..'25	772	G.B.I.	s.s.	77017	Iméréthie II ... ..'24	3713	Fra.	s.s.
82053	Orminster... ..'14	5712	G.B.I.	s.s.	79111	La Mailleraye ... ..'18	490	Fra.	s.s.
82683	Pinto... ..'28	1346	G.B.I.	m.s.	79514	Linois ... ..'07	7473	Fra.	s.s.
82864	Portsea ... ..'38	1583	G.B.I.	s.s.	80356	Massilia ... ..'20	15363	Fra.	Qd.Sc. s.s.
83135	Radbury ... ..'10	3614	G.B.I.	s.s.	—	Petit Poilu ... ..'20	339	Fra.	s.s.
63115	Rochester... ..'98	165	G.B.I.	s.s.	82731	Pluviose (T.) ... ..'31	9561	Fra.	s.s.
88926	Saint-Enogat ... ..'18	2360	G.B.I.	s.s.	82896	Prado ... ..'05	997	Fra.	s.s.
91879 (Supp.)	Samsuva ... ..'44	7219	G.B.I.	s.s.	83655	Romain ... ..'98	372	Fra.	s.s.
84236	Samwake ... ..'43	7219	G.B.I.	s.s.	84319	San Pedro... ..'31	5947	Fra.	s.s.
84744	Shahzada ... ..'42	5454	G.B.I.	s.s.	84692	Senneville... ..'22	4578	Fra.	s.s.
85961	Tanda ... ..'14	7174	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	84936	Sinaia ... ..'22	8567	Fra.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
86730	Troilus ... ..'21	7422	G.B.I.	s.s.	85334	Stanasfalt (T.)... ..'29	2468	Fra.	s.s.
87630	Wayfarer ... ..'25	5068	G.B.I.	s.s.	69648	Agathe (ex "Aprilia")'07	1259	Ger.	s.s.
79554	Livingston ... ..'28	2140	Dom.	s.s.	69230	Alexandra ... ..'03	592	Ger.	s.s.
73423	Edward H. Crockett..'44	7176	Amr.	s.s.	80152	Anita ... ..'99	1165	Ger.	s.s.
74436	Esso Harrisburg (T.)'42	9887	Amr.	s.s.	"M" (ex "Maria Nomicou")				
74574	Exmouth ... ..'20	4979	Amr.	s.s.	69657	Aquileja ... ..'14	9448	Ger.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
74588	Ezra Weston ... ..'43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	—	Aura'—	800	Ger.	s.s.
77402	Jacksonville (T.) ..'44	10448	Amr.	s.s.	73367	Axel (ex "Edda") ..'78	1587	Ger.	l.s.s.
77639	Jean Nicolet'43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	"E"				
					56238	Claus... ..'37	165	Ger.	m.s.
					71990	Chios... ..'12	1731	Ger.	s.s.

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(i.) War Losses—continued.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.	No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.
72268	Clare Hugo Stinnes I '35	5295	Ger.	m.s.	84497	Sauerland '29	7087	Ger.	m.s.
80455	Dietrich Von Bern ... '34	984	Ger.	s.s.	84548	Schwanheim '35	5339	Ger.	m.s.
76777	"M" (ex "Mazara")				63960	Sirius '01	116	Ger.	W.Au. Sc.m.s.
76777	Eisbahr (ex "Hoop") .. '38	385	Ger.	m.s.	84302	Susan '19	552	Ger.	s.s.
57159	Ellé '04	199	Ger.	s.s.	—	(ex "San Juan II") Tellus '38	1494	Ger.	m.s.
73683	Elsa Essberger ... '38	6103	Ger.	m.s.	86059	Toni (ex "Tealia") ... '11	638	Ger.	s.s.
74628	Falke... .. '09	997	Ger.	s.s.	87028	Usaramo '20	7775	Ger.	s.s.
57654	Ferdinand... .. '07	167	Ger.	s.s.	87084	Valeria '37	1450	Ger.	s.s.
75725	Globe '37	314	Ger.	m.s.	87253	Viadra '99	947	Ger.	s.s.
74284	Grenadier '32	2767	Ger.	Tw.Sc.	—	Weilburg '44	1923	Ger.	s.s.
58374	"E" (ex "England")				87222	Westfalen... .. '06	5367	Ger.	s.s.
58374	Grönland '36	447	Ger.	s.s.	88034	Winnetou (T.) '13	5113	Ger.	s.s.
58885	Hinrich Hey '34	422	Ger.	s.s.	88061	Wolsum '21	3668	Ger.	s.s.
59094	Ibis '19	208	Ger.	s.s.	77148	Ioannis Fafalios ... '19	5670	Grk.	s.s.
77104	Ingrid Horn '28	4006	Ger.	m.s.	—	Konistra '07	3537	Grk.	s.s.
59453	Jean Marthe '34	156	Ger.	m.s.	84004	Salomea '97	751	Grk.	Tw.Sc.
59464	Jeanne-Marie '19	314	Ger.	s.s.	54749	Amsterdam '37	368	Hol.	s.s.
—	Kaldnes '40	3549	Ger.	m.s.	70735	Bodegraven '29	5593	Hol.	s.s.
—	Les Baleines '13	253	Ger.	s.s.	56401	Corona '34	192	Hol.	m.s.
79875	Magdeburg '25	6128	Ger.	m.s.	83427	Rijn '16	1969	Hol.	s.s.
60928	Marie-Simone '18	282	Ger.	s.s.	54381	Addis Abeba '21	614	Itl.	s.s.
80193	Marienburg '17	1322	Ger.	s.s.	55043	Assab '19	625	Itl.	m.s.
68816	Meyersledge '02	868	Ger.	s.s.	86614	Ferrara '09	2993	Itl.	s.s.
"A" (ex "A. K. Fernstrom")					"T" (ex "Tourquennois")				
61178	Michel François ... '13	535	Ger.	s.s.	75653	Giuseppe Dormio ... '04	1008	Itl.	s.s.
83349	Miranda (ex "Rhein") '17	736	Ger.	s.s.	76630	Himalaya... .. '29	6240	Itl.	Tw.Sc.
"R"					59112	Igea '17	159	Itl.	Aux.Sc.
80796	Moero '37	6111	Ger.	m.s.	81711	Numidia '13	5339	Itl.	m.s.
81984	Nordwind '37	374	Ger.	m.s.	82786	Pomezia '83	639	Itl.	I.s.s.
"O" (ex "Opsterland")					83336	Rex '32	51062	Itl.	Qd.Sc.
61984	Odenwald... .. '39	639	Ger.	s.s.	83162	Rakuyo Maru '21	9419	Jpn.	s.s.
81831	Odin '02	1137	Ger.	Tw.Sc.	70901	Breda '15	1260	Nor.	s.s.
81889	Olbers '25	1236	Ger.	s.s.	74354	Erling Lindoe '17	1281	Nor.	s.s.
82021	Orest... .. '06	652	Ger.	s.s.	82621	Fjordheim... .. '30	4115	Nor.	s.s.
—	Orion... .. —	700	Ger.	s.s.	62648	Hygia '14	104	Nor.	Aux.Sc.
82103	Osorno '38	6951	Ger.	m.s.	79395	Knute Nelson '26	5749	Nor.	Tw.Sc.
82183	Peter... .. '21	3754	Ger.	s.s.	63230	Langanger (T.) ... '30	9215	Nor.	Tw.Sc.
(ex "P. L. M. 16")					81580	Norfolk '19	5675	Nor.	m.s.
82621	Philipp Heineken ... '39	2042	Ger.	s.s.	83439	Ringen '17	1499	Nor.	s.s.
62648	Preussen '30	425	Ger.	s.s.					
79395	Rastenburg '11	4479	Ger.	s.s.					
"L" (ex "Leontios Teryazos")									
63230	Rugenwalde '81	152	Ger.	I.s.s.					
63300	Sachsenwald '39	650	Ger.	s.s.					
84429	Santos '23	5943	Ger.	s.s.					

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(i) War Losses—*continued.*

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.	No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.
86893	Tyrifjord '20	3080	Nor.	s.s.	81156	Nämdö '07	2860	Swd.	s.s.
87131	Vang '01	678	Nor.	s.s.	83679	Rosafred '22	1348	Swd.	s.s.
65408	Vangsnæs '01	191	Nor.	m.s.	84858	Sif '13	1365	Swd.	s.s.
87173	Vela '30	1184	Nor.	s.s.	85159	Solbris (T.) '35	466	Swd.	m.s.
77217	Marina Raskova ... '19 "I" (ex "Ironclad")	5685	S.R.	s.s.	64979	Titti '09	210	Swd.	W.Aux. Se.m.s.
80790	Mode '12	1227	Swd.	s.s.	64025	Slavija '11	126	Ygs.	s.s.

TOTAL { STEEL, 159—595,745 tons. IRON, 3—2,378 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 2—326 tons. } 164—598,449 tons.
STEAMERS, 132—501,255 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 32—97,194 tons. }

II.—SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.

(a.) Abandoned at Sea.

NIL.

(b.) Foundered.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
51153	Herbert '18	735	Amr.	W. Barge	Norfolk, Va.— New York.	Coal ...	Off New Jersey, in heavy weather, while in tow.	30th Sept.
52035	Pearce '13	944	Amr.	W. Barge	Norfolk, Va.— New York.	Coal ...	Off Atlantic City, N.J., in heavy weather, while in tow.	30th Sept.

TOTAL :—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 2—1,679 tons. TOTAL, 2—1,679 tons.

(c.) Missing.

(Under this heading are included only ships Posted or Reported as Missing during the quarter.)

NIL.

(d.) Broken up, Condemned, &c.

(i.) Cases consequent upon stress of weather.

NIL.

(ii.) Other cases.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
52361	Severn '07	780	Amr.	W. Barge	... ..	...	Dismantled	—

TOTALS { d. (i.) :—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. TOTAL, Nil.
d. (ii.) :—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 1—780 tons. TOTAL, 1—780 tons.
TOTAL, 1—780 tons.

(e.) Burnt.*NIL.***(f.) Collision.**

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
51621	Manokin ... ..'19	1289	Amr.	W. Barge	... ..	Coal ...	Near New York, while anchored	— Aug.

TOTAL :—STEEL, Nil.*IRON, Nil.***WOOD & COMPOSITE, 1—1,289 tons.****TOTAL, 1—1,289 tons.****(g.) Wrecked.****(Under this heading are included ships lost through stranding, or striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.)**

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
50938	Garrett ... ..'19	2301	Amr.	W.Sr. Barge	... ..	Coal ...	On Bold Rocks, New York ...	7th Sept.

TOTAL :—STEEL, Nil.*IRON, Nil.***WOOD & COMPOSITE, 1—2,301 tons.****TOTAL, 1—2,301 tons.****(h.) Lost.****(Under this heading are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot otherwise be classified.)***NIL.***(i.) War Losses.***NIL.*

Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

RETURNS

OF

SHIPS TOTALLY LOST, BROKEN UP, &c.
(INCLUDING WAR LOSSES).

1st OCTOBER to 31st DECEMBER, 1944.

1, FENCHURCH STREET, LONDON, E.C.3.

February, 1946.

LLOYD'S REGISTER WRECK RETURNS

for the Quarter ended 31st DECEMBER, 1944.

I.—These Returns show that during the quarter the number and gross tonnage of ships of 100 tons gross and above totally lost, condemned, etc., in consequence of casualty (including War Losses) or stress of weather, were as follows:—

COUNTRY.	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	29	88,658	1	912	30	89,570
Other Countries	144	408,926	6	7,432	150	416,358
WORLD	173	497,584	7	8,344	180	505,928

II.—Cases of ships broken up, condemned, etc., not known to be in consequence of casualty or stress of weather, are excluded from the foregoing table. The tonnage so excluded amounted to:—

COUNTRY.	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other Countries	3	681	2	1,408	5	2,089
WORLD	3	681	2	1,408	5	2,089

III.—The gross reduction in the Mercantile Marine of the World, from all causes, reported during the quarter was therefore:—

COUNTRY.	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	29	88,658	1	912	30	89,570
Other Countries	147	409,607	8	8,840	155	418,447
WORLD	176	498,265	9	9,752	185	508,017

TABLE No. 1.—Showing the number, gross tonnage and nationality of STEAMERS & MOTORSHIPS totally lost, broken up, &c., during the quarter ended 31st December, 1944, as reported up to the 4th February, 1946. (Ships under 100 tons gross are not included in this return.)

COUNTRY.	HOW LOST.																		TOTAL. (e)	
	ABANDONED AT SEA.		FOUNDERED.		MISSING. (a)		BROKEN UP, CONDEMNED, ETC. (b)		BURNED.		COLLISION.		WRECKED. (c)		LOST, ETC. (d)		WAR LOSSES.			
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND	1	400	4	6,582	...	...	...	...	4	9,269	3	12,129	2	553	15	59,725	29	88,658
BRITISH DOMINIONS, COLONIES, &C.	3	509	...	...	1	5,458	4	5,967
*AMERICA (UNITED STATES OF)	2	367	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	8,364	3	9,982	...	...	14	103,425	21	122,138
DENMARK	1	1,596	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,147	...	...	...	...	2	2,871	4	6,614
FRANCE	1	4,765	...	...	...	...	1	4,765
GERMANY ...	1	370	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,347	4	1,519	59	155,998	65	160,234
GREECE	1	6,669	...	...	1	1,459	2	8,128
HOLLAND	2	7,269	...	...	2	6,551	4	13,820
ITALY	3	10,581	3	10,581
†JAPAN
NORWAY	2	757	...	...	...	...	1	6,327	1	325	2	1,796	...	...	16	24,696	22	33,901
SPAIN
SWEDEN	3	2,158	...	...	2	1,607	5	3,765
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES	1	1,409	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	286	3	2,735	...	...	4	16,540	9	20,970
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA	2	6,277	...	...	1	4,702	3	10,979
OTHER COUNTRIES	1	7,064	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	7,064
Totals...	1	370	8	11,593	4	6,582	...	...	1	6,327	9	20,391	24	56,636	6	2,072	120	393,613	173	497,584

MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION OF ABOVE SHIPS:—STEEL, 161—492,276 tons. IRON, 4—2,957 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 3—2,351 tons.

STEAMERS, 131—406,724 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 42—90,860 tons.

THE LOSSES INCLUDED IN THIS TABLE ARE DETAILED ON PAGES 6 to 11.

* Excluding ships trading on the Great Lakes of North America.

† Japanese wood auxiliary vessels under 300 tons gross are not inserted in Lloyd's Register Book, and are not included in this Table.

(c) Under the heading "Wrecked," are included ships lost through stranding, or through striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.

(d) Under the heading "Lost, &c.," are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot be otherwise classified.

(a) Under the heading "Missing," are included only ships so posted or reported during the period covered by the return.

TABLE No. 2:—Showing the number, gross tonnage and nationality of SAILING SHIPS and BARGES totally lost, broken up, &c., during the quarter ended 31st December, 1944, as reported up to the 4th February, 1946. (Ships under 100 tons net are not included in this return.)

COUNTRY.	HOW LOST.																TOTAL. (c)			
	ABANDONED AT SEA.		FOUNDERED.		MISSING. (a)		BROKEN UP, CONDEMNED, ETC. (b)		BURNT.		COLLISION.		WRECKED. (a)		LOST, ETC. (a)		WAR LOSSES.		No.	Tons.
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		
GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND	1	912	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	912
BRITISH DOMINIONS, COLONIES, &c.	1	2,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,200
AMERICA (UNITED STATES OF)	2	3,164	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,572	...	...	...	...	...	4	4,736
FRANCE
GERMANY
HOLLAND
ITALY
SPAIN
SWEDEN
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA
OTHER COUNTRIES	1	496	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	496
Totals...	1	2,200	4	4,572	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1,572	...	...	...	...	...	7	8,344

MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION OF ABOVE SHIPS:—STEEL, 2—1,408 tons.

IRON, NH.

WOOD & COMPOSITE, 5—6,936 tons.

THE LOSSES INCLUDED IN THIS TABLE ARE DETAILED ON PAGE 12.

(a) For explanation and notes see footnote on page 4.

(b) Cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c., are excluded from the Table. During the quarter, 2 barges of 3,560 tons gross, come within this category.

(c) Excluding cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., which are not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c. (See Summary on page 3.)

* Excluding ships trading on the Great Lakes of North America.

LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING.

RETURNS OF SHIPS TOTALLY LOST, BROKEN UP, &c.

1st OCTOBER to 31st DECEMBER, 1944.

List of total losses of Merchant Ships of 100 tons and upwards between the above dates, of which information was received up to the 4th February, 1946.

EXPLANATION OF CONTRACTIONS.

COUNTRY.

Amr. = U.S. of America.	Egy. = Egypt.	Itl. = Italy.	Ptg. = Portugal.
Arg. = Argentina.	Est. = Estonia.	Jpn. = Japan.	Rou. = Roumania.
Blg. = Belgium.	Fin. = Finland.	Lat. = Latvia.	S.R. = Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.
Brz. = Brazil.	Fra. = France.	Mex. = Mexico.	Sp. = Spain.
C.-S. = Czecho-Slovakia.	G.B.I. = Great Britain and Northern Ireland.	Mor. = Morocco.	Swd. = Sweden.
Cba. = Cuba.	Ger. = Germany.	Nor. = Norway.	Tha. = Thailand.
Chi. = Chile.	Grk. = Greece.	Pal. = Palestine.	Trk. = Turkey.
Chn. = China.	Hol. = Holland.	Pan. = Panama.	Urg. = Uruguay.
Den. = Denmark.	Hon. = Honduras.	Per. = Peru.	Ygs. = Yugoslavia.
Dom. = British Dominions, Colonies, etc.	Icl. = Iceland.	Pol. = Poland.	

DESCRIPTION.

Aux. = Auxiliary.	C. = Composite.	m.s. = Motorship.	s.s. = Steamship.	(T.) = Oil Tanker.
Bg. = Brig.	F.C. = Ferro-Concrete.	Pad. = Paddle.	Sc. = Screw.	Trp. = Triple.
Bk. = Bark.	I. = Iron.	Qd. = Quadruple.	Sr. = Schooner.	Tw. = Twin.
Bkn. = Barkentine.	Lr. = Lugger.	S. = Ship.	Stl. = Steel.	W. = Wood.
Bn. = Brigantine.	m. = Masts.			

N.B.—Unless otherwise stated, all steamers and motorships were of steel construction and propelled by a single screw.

I.—STEAMERS & MOTORSHIPS.

(a.) Abandoned at Sea.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
76754	Holstentor ...'05	370	Ger.	s.s.	... ..	Timber ...	Capsized and abandoned about 6 miles from Morups Tange Lighthouse.	10th Dec.

TOTAL { STEEL, 1—370 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. } 1—370 tons.
STEAMERS, 1—370 tons. MOTORSHIPS, NIL.

(b.) Foundered.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
76206	Harley ... ..'19	400	G.B.I.	s.s.	Sunderland—Aberdeen.	Coal ...	Sprang a leak and sank in lat. 56 18 53 N., long. 2 9 12 W.	14th Nov.
57194	Elvira Gaspar... '29	185	Amr.	W.m.s.	... ..	Bananas...	Off Cape Canaveral, Fla., in heavy weather.	22nd Nov.
63007	Richard Card ... '04	182	Amr.	W.s.s.	Tug ... ..	...	In New York	6th Oct.
85475	Stockholm ... ..'30	1596	Den.	s.s.	Stettin—Odense...	Coal ...	Sprang a leak and sank in the Baltic Sea.	10th Nov.
78095	Juan Casiano(T.)'19	7064	Mex.	s.s.	Tampico—New York.	...	About 90 miles off Savannah, Ga.	19th Oct.
58987	Hornøy ... ..'38	178	Nor.	m.s.	... ..	...	Off North Norway	— Nov.
77241	Isbjorn ... ..'07	579	Nor.	s.s.	Swansea—Poole ...	...	Capsized and sank in lat. 50 27 20 N., long. 3 14 5 W.	17th Dec.
79003	Kumanovo ... ..'07	1409	Ygs.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	... ..	...	Sprang a leak and sank E. of Sicily.	27th Dec.

TOTAL { STEEL, 6—11,226 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 2—367 tons. } 8—11,593 tons.
STEAMERS, 6—11,230 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 2—363 tons.

(c.) Missing.

(Under this heading are included only ships Posted or Reported as Missing during the quarter.)

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
57325	Empire Wold ... '42	269	G.B.I.	s.s.	Tug ... ..	...	Left Reykjavik on 10th November, 1944; seen on same day in lat. 64 8 N., long. 22 38 W., and not since heard of.	—
81149	Nairung '42	5414	G.B.I.	s.s.	Durban—Bombay.	General...	Left Durban 13th August, 1944, for Dar-es-Salaam, and not since heard of.	—
82254	Pamela '21	408	G.B.I.	s.s.	Sharpness— Liverpool.	Barley ...	Left Sharpness and Barry Roads on 10th October, 1944, and not since heard of.	—
85524	Stronsa Firth ... '25	491	G.B.I.	s.s.	King's Lynn— Leith.	Barley ...	Left King's Lynn on 26th November, 1944; seen on 28th November near Whitby, and not since heard of.	—

TOTAL { STEEL, 4—6,582 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. } 4—6,582 tons.
 STEAMERS, 4—6,582 tons. MOTORSHIPS, Nil.

(d.) Broken up, Condemned, &c.

(i.) Cases consequent upon stress of weather, etc.

NIL.

(ii.) Other cases.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
58211	Glenelg '78	288	Dom.	I.s.s.	... ..	...	Dismantled	—
58852	Hikurangi ... '89	287	Dom.	I.s.s.	... ..	...	Dismantled	—
62059	Opawa '97	106	Dom.	C.m.s.	... ..	...	Dismantled	—

TOTALS { d. (i.) :—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. } TOTAL, Nil.
 { d. (ii.) :—STEEL, Nil. IRON, 2—575 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 1—106 tons. } TOTAL, 3—681 tons.
 STEAMERS, 2—575 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 1—106 tons. TOTAL, 3—681 tons.

(e.) Burnt.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
70859	Braganza '24	6327	Nor.	m.s.	Buenos Aires— Freetown & U.K.	General...	Abandoned on fire after explosion in lat. 32 40 S., long. 48 30 W.	12th Oct.

TOTAL { STEEL, 1—6,327 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. } 1—6,327 tons.
 STEAMERS, Nil. MOTORSHIPS, 1—6,327 tons.

(f.) Collision.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
68838	Aarö ... '25	1426	G.B.I.	s.s.	—North France.	General...	Dragged anchors off north of France, and became a total loss following subsequent collision.	6th Oct.
74070	Empire Ness ... '41	2922	G.B.I.	s.s.	... ..	General...	In the Scheldt estuary ...	30th Nov.
77447	Jamaica Planter '36	4098	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc. m.s.	Halifax— Avonmouth.	General...	In lat. 51 21 45 N., long. 3 14 22 W.	27th Dec.
88158	Yewdale ... '29	823	G.B.I.	s.s.	Grimsby— N. France.	Coal ...	Off north of France ...	6th Oct.
90025 (Supp.)	Howard L. Gibson '44	7247	Amr.	s.s.	Galveston— Bombay.	...	Extensively damaged by collision and subsequent fire in lat. 34 7 N., long. 21 24 W. Broken up.	14th Oct.
61294	Mobile Point ... '43	1117	Amr.	m.s.	Vancouver, Wash.— San Francisco.	...	Abandoned after collision in lat. 44 43 N., long. 124 2 W.	22nd Dec.
85658	Svanhild ... '19	2147	Den.	s.s.	—Germany.	...	In the Baltic Sea ...	9th Nov.
84496	Saude ... '97	325	Nor.	s.s.	... ..	...	Between Stavanger and Bergen	13th Nov.
54548	Albertos 2 ... '07	286	Ptg.	s.s.	Trawler ...	...	Off Cape St. Vincent ...	7th Nov.

TOTAL { STEEL, 9—20,391 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. } 9—20,391 tons.
 STEAMERS, 7—15,176 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 2—5,215 tons.

(g.) Wrecked.

(Under this heading are included ships lost through stranding, or striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.)

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
70415	Beaverhill ... '28	10041	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	St. John, N.B.— Liverpool.	General & grain.	On Hillyard's Reef, St. John, N.B.	24th Nov.
57681	Finlande ... '37	1343	G.B.I.	m.s.	Trawler ...	...	Off North Head, Peterhead ...	18th Dec.
75710	Glenmaroon ... '17	745	G.B.I.	s.s.	Larne—Ellesmere Port.	Empty petrol tins.	Set on fire and sank after being struck by aeroplane in lat. 54 5 N., long. 3 53 W.	7th Dec.
60908	Marie A. Spindler '24	144	Dom.	W.Aux. Sc.m.s.	Sydney, N.S.— Carbonear, Nfl.	Coal ...	Stranded off Cape Pine. Refloated, but sank the following day.	13th Oct.
61018	Mary B. Mitchell '92	227	Dom.	Aux.Tw. Sc.m.s.	Dublin—Silloth...	Ore ...	Stranded in estuary of the River Dee, Kirkcubright. Drifted off, drove on to rocks and became a total loss.	14th Dec.
63417	Saladin ... '02	188	Dom.	W.Aux. Tw.Sc. m.s.	Hearts Content— Carbonear, Nfl.	Ballast ...	Near Champneys West ...	28th Dec.
77746	John Banvard ... '43	7191	Amr.	s.s.	Hampton Roads— Terceira.	...	Stranded and extensively damaged in Praia Bay. Refloated, towed to Jacksonville and dismantled.	31st Oct.
81654	North Wind ... '18	2448	Amr.	s.s.	...	...	In Alaskan waters ...	14th Dec.
65785	Wathen ... '19	343	Amr.	m.s.	Tug ...	...	Off Sandwich, Mass. ...	17th Nov.
71914	Chateauroux ... '21	4765	Fra.	s.s.	Quebec—Garston	Wood-pulp.	Stranded and badly damaged near Dingle Jetty, Liverpool. Refloated and broken up.	2nd Nov.

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(g) Wrecked—continued.

No. in Reg. Book 344-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
181	Walter ... '90 (<i>ex</i> "Velta")	2347	Ger.	s.s.			Near Stavanger	— Oct.
311	Michael J. Goulandris	'21 6669	Grk.	s.s.	Sydney, N.S.W.— Fremantle.	Coal & general.	On South-West Reefs, 3½ miles S. of D'Entrecasteaux Point.	21st Dec.
229	Palembang ... '21	7070	Hol.	s.s.	Alexandria—U.K.	Cotton, etc.	In Great Pass, Alexandria ...	6th Nov.
165	Spes-Salutis ... '32	199	Hol.	m.s.			Near Port Blanc	13th Nov.
733	Budaklettur ... '23	101	Icl.	m.s.	Fishing		In Faxa Bay	23rd Dec.
181	Iris '01	1177	Nor.	s.s.	Frobisher Bay—		On uncharted rock in lat. 54 45N., long. 58 20W.	4th Oct.
062	Sjofna '18	619	Nor.	s.s.	Fowey—Larne ...	Chinaclay	On Knap Head, 7 miles N. of Bude.	23rd Nov.
622	Lookout '32	5339	Pan.	m.s.			Sank after striking a wreck ...	12th Dec.
1879 pp.)	Mario '08	938	Pan.	W.s.s.		Ballast ...	In Baracoa Harbour, Oriente...	7th Oct.
—	Lotta '42	151	Ptg.	W.Aux. Sc.m.s.	Casablanca— Lisbon.	Phosphate	Near Sines	10th Nov.
1040	Sirius '89	1870	Swd.	s.s.	Stockholm— Mantyluoto.	Coal ...	Stranded and sank near Bjorneborg.	16th Dec.
1196	Staffan '88	169	Swd.	Stl.& I.s.s.		Pig iron	At Norra Kränkan, off Havringe	10th Oct.
1617	Virgo '98	119	Swd.	W.Aux. Sc.m.s.		Wood ...	Off Visby	20th Nov.
1374	Erol '18	2483	Trk.	s.s.	Istanbul— Zonguldak.	Salt, etc.	Off Cape Yasun, near Samsun	26th Oct.

TOTAL { STEEL, 19—55,146 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 5—1,490 tons. } 24—56,636 tons.
STEAMERS, 14—48,532 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 10—8,104 tons.

(h.) Lost.

(Under this heading are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot otherwise be classified.)

No. in Reg. Book 344-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
61790	Northcoates ... '19	277	G.B.I.	s.s.	... ..	...	... ..	2nd Dec.
65555	Vidonia '07	276	G.B.I.	s.s.	... ..	...	... ..	7th Oct.
54944	Argentina ... '00	158	Ger.	s.s.	Tug ... ..	...	In the Baltic Sea	— Nov.
59642	Julius Fock ... '35	432	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Off Steinort	— Dec.
61050	Masuren '37	435	Ger.	s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Off Norway	— Oct.
86559	Tormilind... .. '22	494	Ger.	W.Aux. Sc.m.s.	... ..	...	Off Aalborg	— Oct.

TOTAL { STEEL, 5—1,578 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 1—494 tons. } 6—2,072 tons.
STEAMERS, 5—1,578 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 1—494 tons.

(i.) War Losses.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.	No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.
73249	Dumfries '35	5149	G.B.I.	s.s.	70036	August Bolten... .. '36	3665	Ger.	s.s.
57249	Empire Dace '42	716	G.B.I.	s.s.	87075	Baltenland '04	3042	Ger.	s.s.
73982	Empire Javelin '44	7177	G.B.I.	s.s.	"V"	(<i>ex</i> "Valdona")			
74093	Empire Path '43	6140	G.B.I.	s.s.	70142	Bertha (<i>ex</i> "Bacchus") '22	1810	Ger.	s.s.
75013	Fort Maisonneuve '42	7128	G.B.I.	s.s.	70906	Bremerhaven '21	5355	Ger.	s.s.
75938	Guernsey Queen '39	567	G.B.I.	m.s.	—	Brigitte —	437	Ger.	s.s.
80220	Marion Moller '09	3827	G.B.I.	s.s.	55886	Cap Nord '26	1034	Ger.	s.s.
83452	Rio Bravo (<i>T.</i>) '43	1141	G.B.I.	m.s.	71562	Carl Cords '10	903	Ger.	s.s.
83723	Rouseville (<i>T.</i>) '43	1155	G.B.I.	m.s.	72549	Carola '06	1348	Ger.	s.s.
84160	Samsip '43	7219	G.B.I.	s.s.	(<i>ex</i> "Corso Fougier")				
84808	Shirvan (<i>T.</i>) '25	6017	G.B.I.	s.s.	72533	Cornouaille '28	3324	Ger.	s.s.
84905	Silverlaurel '39	6142	G.B.I.	s.s.	—	Ditmar Koel —	4479	Ger.	s.s.
85101	Slemish '09	1536	G.B.I.	s.s.	73354	Eberhard '13	749	Ger.	s.s.
65107	Transvaal '16	250	G.B.I.	s.s.	73624	Elisabeth Bornhofen.. '23	2289	Ger.	s.s.
87576	War Diwan (<i>T.</i>) '19	5561	G.B.I.	s.s.	—	Finnland '41	5281	Ger.	m.s.
72536	Cornwallis '21	5458	Dom.	s.s.	57704	Flamingo '33	165	Ger.	Aux.Sc.
69604	Antoine Saugrain '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	—	Fusilier '42	6157	Ger.	m.s.
70701	Black Hawk '43	7191	Amr.	s.s.	70216	Gotia (<i>ex</i> "Balticia").. '05	1966	Ger.	s.s.
72787	Dan Beard... .. '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	"B"				
75001	Fort Lee (<i>T.</i>) '43	10198	Amr.	s.s.	75876	Greif '23	996	Ger.	s.s.
75126	Francis Asbury '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	75929	Gudrun '23	1485	Ger.	s.s.
76683	Hobart Baker '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	81008	Hartmuth '38	2713	Ger.	m.s.
77500	James H. Breasted '44	7212	Amr.	s.s.	"M"	(<i>ex</i> "Mostun")			
77724	John A. Johnson '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	76289	Havenstein '21	7974	Ger.	s.s.
77755	John Burke '42	7180	Amr.	s.s.	76399	Helga Ferdinand '97	2566	Ger.	s.s.
79337	Lee S. Overman '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	72366	Hohenhorn '24	2997	Ger.	s.s.
83560	Robert J. Walker '43	7180	Amr.	s.s.	"C"	(<i>ex</i> "Colon")			
85416	Steel Traveler '22	7056	Amr.	s.s.	—	Holmengraa (<i>T.</i>) '42	791	Ger.	s.s.
87841	William D. Burnham '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	76999	Iller '38	3290	Ger.	m.s.
87964	William S. Ladd '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	77073	Inge Christophersen.. '05	1353	Ger.	s.s.
79398	Leopoldville '29	11509	Blg.	Tw.Sc.	59793	Kattrepel '21	267	Ger.	s.s.
86897	Tzar Ferdinand '18	1994	Bul.	s.s.	78571A	Kiel '22	3703	Ger.	s.s.
68873	Absalon '32	457	Den.	s.s.	60553	Lotte... .. '11	136	Ger.	m.s.
76627	Hilma Lau '22	2414	Den.	s.s.	79722	Ludolf Oldendorff ... '03	1953	Ger.	s.s.
83423	Rigel... .. '37	1495	Fin.	s.s.	79748	Lumme '28	1730	Ger.	s.s.
84991	Albert Janus '16	2275	Ger.	s.s.	60615A	Lumme '33	169	Ger.	m.s.
69543	Anna Peters '13	486	Ger.	m.s.	75600	Max Bornhofen '03	1312	Ger.	s.s.
69092	Aquila (<i>ex</i> "Alba")... '08	3495	Ger.	s.s.	"G"	(<i>ex</i> "Gerda Vith")			
					80679	Milos... .. '06	2702	Ger.	s.s.
					80708	Minna Cords '21	951	Ger.	s.s.
					80711A	Minos '39	1127	Ger.	Tw.Sc.
					81546	Nordenham '14	4592	Ger.	m.s.
					81948	Olsa (<i>ex</i> "Omonia")... '08	3699	Ger.	s.s.
					62166	Otto N. Andersen ... '38	485	Ger.	s.s.

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(i.) War Losses—continued.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.	No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.
84531	Schiffbek '30	2158	Ger.	s.s.	68949	Adriana '23	4353	Itl.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
73726	Schirmeck... .. '05	1592	Ger.	s.s.	74741	Fidelitas '14	5740	Itl.	s.s.
—	(<i>ex</i> "Emmi")				84889	Silva... .. '89	488	Itl.	I.s.s.
—	Seeburg '40	11000	Ger.	Tw.Sc. m.s.	74724	Ferndale '25	4302	Nor.	m.s.
85482	Stor '21	665	Ger.	s.s.	76287	Havda '81	678	Nor.	I.s.s.
64405	Sud Amerika VIII ... '14	199	Ger.	s.s.	77087	Inger Johanne (<i>T.</i>) ... '38	1202	Nor.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
85551	Südmeer '02	8133	Ger.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	59441	Jason... .. '08	295	Nor.	m.s.
86140	Terra (<i>T.</i>)... .. '35	1533	Ger.	Tw.Sc. m.s.	78352	Karmøy '21	2498	Nor.	s.s.
82631	Thann (<i>T.</i>) '26	7412	Ger.	m.s.	78813	Kong Halfdan '23	1456	Nor.	s.s.
—	(<i>ex</i> "Phobos")				78815	Kong Olaf... .. '83	562	Nor.	I.s.s.
75808	Tubingen '22	3509	Ger.	s.s.	78872	Korsvik '83	1229	Nor.	I.s.s.
—	(<i>ex</i> "Gouverneur Général Tirman")				81419	Nina '17	1371	Nor.	s.s.
87061	Vacuum (<i>T.</i>) '39	622	Ger.	m.s.	81574	Nordvard '25	4111	Nor.	m.s.
87484	Wachtel '23	992	Ger.	s.s.	62229	Parat '05	135	Nor.	s.s.
—	Wangerooge '44	2819	Ger.	s.s.	62795	Radøy '09	182	Nor.	s.s.
69777	Wartheland '07	3678	Ger.	s.s.	83421	Rigel '24	3828	Nor.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
—	(<i>ex</i> "Arija")				85338	Standard '30	1264	Nor.	s.s.
75989	Weichselland '06	3583	Ger.	s.s.	85436	Sten '10	1464	Nor.	s.s.
—	(<i>ex</i> "Gundega")				64501	Svein... .. '07	119	Nor.	m.s.
87642	Welheim '39	5455	Ger.	m.s.	69079	Alan-A-Dale '38	4702	Pan.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
65895	Wilhelm Söhle... .. '38	475	Ger.	s.s.	76176	Hansa '99	563	Swd.	s.s.
75121	Zeus '28	2423	Ger.	Tw.Sc. m.s.	87187	Venersborg '14	1044	Swd.	s.s.
—	(<i>ex</i> "Francesco Morosini")								
88302	Zonnewijk '28	4499	Ger.	s.s.					
—	Ypanis '09	1459	Grk.	s.s.					
82589	Petronella (<i>T.</i>)... .. '27	2770	Hol.	Tw.Sc. m.s.					
85308	Stad Dordrecht ... '20	3781	Hol.	s.s.					
75742	Godafoss '21	1542	Icl.	s.s.					

TOTAL { STEEL, 116—390,656 tons. IRON, 4—2,957 tons. STEAMERS, 94—323,256 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. MOTORSHIPS, 26—70,357 tons. } 120—393,613 tons.

II.—SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.

(a.) Abandoned at Sea.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
52441	Spruce Lake ... '18	2200	Dom.	W. Barge	Roberts Arm— Corner Brook.	Pulpwood	32 miles off South Head, Bay of Islands. Last sighted in lat. 49 5 N., long. 58 46 W., on 9th December.	7th Nov.

TOTAL:—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 1—2,200 tons. TOTAL, 1—2,200 tons.

(b.) Foundered.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
50433	Churchill No. 1. '28	912	G.B.I.	Stl. dredger	Glasgow— Southampton.	...	Capsized and sank in lat. 51 48 48 N., long. 5 41 24 W. while in tow.	10th Dec.
51676	Marie Hooper ... '20	2190	Amr.	W. Barge	...	Coal	Sank during heavy weather in Buzzards Bay while in tow.	28th Dec.
52113	Pottstown ... '17	974	Amr.	W. Barge	...	Coal	Off Sandwich, Mass. ...	17th Nov.
52474	Superworker ... '20	496	Egy.	Stl. dredger	Aden—Karachi or Bombay.	...	Capsized and sank in lat. 12 58 N., long. 45 39 E. while in tow.	17th Dec.

TOTAL:—STEEL, 2—1,408 tons. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 2—3,164 tons. TOTAL, 4—4,572 tons.

(c.) Missing.

(Under this heading are included only ships Posted or Reported as Missing during the quarter.)

NIL.

(d.) Broken up, Condemned, &c.

(i.) Cases consequent upon stress of weather.

NIL.

(ii.) Other cases.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
50527	Cumru ... '05	1780	Amr.	W. Barge	...	...	Dismantled and sunk ...	—
51592	Oley ... '04	1780	Amr.	W. Barge	...	...	Dismantled and sunk ...	—

TOTALS { d. (i.):—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, Nil. TOTAL, Nil.
d. (ii.):—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 2—3,560 tons. TOTAL, 2—3,560 tons.
TOTAL, 2—3,560 tons.

(e.) Burnt.

NIL.

(f.) Collision.

NIL.

(g.) Wrecked.

(Under this heading are included ships lost through stranding, or striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.)

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
51012	Glenside ... '17	974	Amr.	W. Barge	...	...	Dragged anchors off Sandwich, Mass. and went ashore on rocks. Total loss.	20th Nov.
51192	Howard Wood... '89	598	Amr.	W. Barge	Norfolk, Va.— Chester, Pa.	Pig iron...	Sunk by ice off Arnold's Point, Chesapeake Bay.	24th Dec.

TOTAL:—STEEL, Nil. IRON, Nil. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 2—1,572 tons. TOTAL, 2—1,572 tons.

(h.) Lost.

(Under this heading are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot otherwise be classified.)

NIL.

(i.) War Losses.

NIL.

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STATISTICAL SUMMARY

OF

MERCHANT VESSELS OF 100 TONS AND UPWARDS

TOTALLY LOST, BROKEN UP, &c.,

(INCLUDING WAR LOSSES)

DURING THE YEAR

1944.

NOTE:—This Summary, which is based upon the quarterly returns of total losses, &c., includes vessels which had not been given up as total losses, or of the loss of which information had not been received, when the returns for the quarters in which they respectively occurred were compiled. Particulars of all such additions to the quarterly returns are given on pages 7 to 11.

A distinguishing feature of the Wreck Returns published by Lloyd's Register is that, except as stated in the footnotes to Table No. 1, they are compiled strictly according to the dates at which the casualties resulting in total loss actually *occurred*, and not according to the dates at which *reports* of casualties were *received*.

LLOYD'S REGISTER WRECK RETURNS.

Annual Statistical Summary, 1944.

I.—These Returns show that during the year 1944 the number and gross tonnage of ships of 100 tons gross and above totally lost, condemned, etc., in consequence of casualty (including War Losses) or stress of weather, were as follows:—

	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	181	728,198	1	912	182	724,110
Other Countries	751	2,476,098	16	19,194	767	2,495,292
WORLD	932	3,199,296	17	20,106	949	3,219,402

II.—Cases of ships broken up, not known to be in consequence of casualty or stress of weather, are excluded from the foregoing table. The tonnage so excluded amounted to:—

	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	1	100	1	129	2	229
Other Countries	12	6,824	7	7,816	19	14,140
WORLD	13	6,924	8	7,445	21	14,369

III.—The gross reduction in the Mercantile Marine of the World, from all causes, reported during the year was therefore:—

	STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.		SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.		TOTAL.	
	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).	No.	Tons (Gross).
Great Britain and Northern Ireland	182	728,298	2	1,041	184	724,339
Other Countries	763	2,482,922	23	26,510	786	2,509,432
WORLD	945	3,206,220	25	27,551	970	3,233,771

TABLE No. 1:—Showing the number, gross tonnage and nationality of STEAMERS & MOTORSHIPS totally lost, broken up, &c., during the year 1944, as reported up to the 4th July, 1946. (Ships under 100 tons gross are not included in this return.)

COUNTRY.	HOW LOST.																		TOTAL. (e)	
	ABANDONED AT SEA.		FOUNDERED.		MISSING. (a)		BROKEN UP, CONDEMNED, ETC. (b)		BURNT.		COLLISION.		WRECKED. (c)		LOST, ETC. (d)		WAR LOSSES.		No.	Tons.
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.
GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND ...	...	...	5	3,399	8	8,841	...	...	4	20,131	15	31,823	14	42,164	2	553	133	616,287	181	723,198
BRITISH DOMINIONS, COLONIES, &C. ...	...	...	2	260	1	231	...	...	3	9,357	2	5,623	10	2,992	...	...	7	20,494	25	38,957
* AMERICA (UNITED STATES OF) ...	2	14,367	5	9,792	2	11,783	...	...	6	25,663	4	18,008	14	59,883	...	...	83	580,461	116	719,957
DENMARK ...	...	...	2	1,720	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2,147	1	115	1	369	8	8,365	13	12,716
FRANCE ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4,051	2	10,182	2	992	52	216,535	57	231,760
GERMANY ...	1	370	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	13,974	7	15,675	24	15,689	213	578,260	248	623,968
GREECE ...	...	...	...	...	1	2,560	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	11,958	...	...	15	36,986	18	51,504
HOLLAND ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3,385	2	3,089	2	7,269	1	142	29	81,628	37	95,513
ITALY ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	570	...	...	48	229,145	49	229,715
† JAPAN ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	62,906	9	62,906
NORWAY ...	...	...	3	2,090	...	...	...	...	6	11,867	5	2,643	6	2,712	1	248	47	126,698	68	146,258
SPAIN ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	643	1	293	4	891	1	123	1	648	8	2,598
SWEDEN ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4,091	...	...	19	18,746	24	22,837
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES ...	...	...	4	6,383	1	321	...	...	1	2,864	3	10,864	10	14,781	1	2,900	20	68,947	40	107,060
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA ...	1	358	1	450	...	...	...	...	5	29,189	6	14,140	10	15,554	...	...	10	48,648	33	108,339
OTHER COUNTRIES ...	...	...	1	7,064	...	...	...	...	1	6,842	1	375	2	573	...	...	1	7,176	6	22,010
Totals...	4	50,095 15,095	23	31,158	13	23,736	...	...	30	109,941	44	107,010	90	189,410	33	21,016	695	2,701,930	932	3,199,296

MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION OF ABOVE SHIPS.—STEEL & FERRO-CONCRETE, 876—3,172,131 tons. IRON, 18—13,309 tons. WOOD & COMPOSITE, 38—13,856 tons. STEAMERS, 747—2,605,981 tons. MOTORSHIPS, 185—593,315 tons.

* Excluding ships trading on the Great Lakes of North America.

† Japanese wood auxiliary vessels under 300 tons gross are not inserted in Lloyd's Register Book, and are not included in this Table.

(a) Under the heading "Missing," are included only ships so posted or reported during the period covered by the return.

(b) Ships condemned after damage by fire, collision, stranding, &c., are included, according to the date of the casualties, under

are excluded from the Table. During the year, 13 steamers and motorships of 6,924 tons gross (including 1 belonging to Great Britain and Northern Ireland, of 100 tons gross) come within this category.

(c) Under the heading "Wrecked," are included ships lost through stranding, or through striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.

(d) Under the heading "Lost, &c.," are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot be otherwise classified.

(e) Excluding cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., which are not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c.

TABLE No. 2:—Showing the number, gross tonnage and nationality of SAILING SHIPS and BARGES totally lost, broken up, &c., during the year 1944, as reported up to the 4th July, 1946. (Ships under 100 tons net are not included in this return.)

COUNTRY.	HOW LOST.																		TOTAL (c)	
	ABANDONED AT SEA.		FOUNDERED.		MISSING. (a)		BROKEN UP, CONDEMNED, ETC. (b)		BURNT.		COLLISION.		WRECKED. (a)		LOST, ETC. (a)		WAR LOSSES.		No.	Tons.
	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.	No.	Tons.		
GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND	1	912	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	912
BRITISH DOMINIONS, COLONIES, &c.	1	2,200	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3,141	...	...	...	...	3	5,341	
* AMERICA (UNITED STATES OF)	6	5,731	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,289	3	3,873	...	...	1	825	11	11,718
FRANCE
GERMANY	1	1,639	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,639	
HOLLAND
ITALY
SPAIN
SWEDEN
OTHER EUROPEAN COUNTRIES
CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA
OTHER COUNTRIES	1	496	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	496	
Totals...	1	2,200	9	8,778	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1,289	5	7,014	...	...	1	825	17	20,106

MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION OF ABOVE SHIPS:—STEEL, 3—2,233 tons.

IRON, Nil.

WOOD & COMPOSITE, 14—17,873 tons.

(a) For explanation and notes see footnote on page 4.

(b) Cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c., are excluded from the Table. During the year, 8 sailing ships and barges of 7,445 tons gross (including 1 belonging to Great Britain & Northern Ireland of 129 tons gross) come within this category.

(c) Excluding cases of breaking up, condemnation, &c., which are not known to be consequent upon stress of weather, &c. (See Summary on page 3.)

* Excluding ships trading on the Great Lakes of North America.

TABLE No. 3:—Showing the number and gross tonnage of STEAMERS & MOTORSHIPS of 100 tons and upwards totally lost, condemned, &c. (including War losses), during the years 1921 to 1944 distinguishing the principal maritime countries, and showing also the percentage lost of the tonnage owned by the various countries.

TOTAL.

YEAR.	GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.*			BRITISH DOMINIONS.*			AMERICA† (United States.)			DENMARK.			FRANCE.			GERMANY.			GREECE.			HOLLAND.			ITALY.			JAPAN.			NORWAY.			SPAIN.			SWEDEN.			OTHER COUNTRIES.				
	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.	No.	Tons.	Per Cent.					
1921	65	65,718	0.34	35	42,332	1.87	22	60,392	0.45	8	5,536	0.63	21	27,899	0.85	12	7,005	1.07	26	52,363	8.92	2	602	0.03	15	23,069	1.14	29	51,185	1.53	16	29,210	1.23	30	53,772	4.84	8	9,698	0.89	21	25,211	310	458,992	0.81
1922	77	119,297	0.62	15	11,897	0.47	24	54,842	0.40	4	6,773	0.70	23	23,770	0.67	27	24,280	1.37	5	7,136	1.09	6	5,037	0.19	15	31,059	1.45	64	54,136	1.51	27	23,040	0.95	20	27,917	2.30	7	6,138	0.59	37	33,334	351	428,756	0.72
1923	84	138,744	0.73	17	17,836	0.69	28	65,939	0.49	5	6,966	0.74	20	12,936	0.37	29	35,710	1.42	4	9,941	1.33	5	10,817	0.41	22	49,629	1.72	33	58,548	1.62	27	36,085	1.52	9	10,779	0.90	18	12,587	1.11	23	27,847	324	494,364	0.82
1924	67	108,077	0.57	31	26,518	1.02	26	42,415	0.34	7	12,248	1.24	13	23,908	0.73	20	15,542	0.54	3	9,625	1.27	1	801	0.03	12	38,125	1.40	42	70,933	1.85	21	22,863	0.96	6	9,336	0.79	11	14,084	1.18	32	45,899	292	440,404	0.74
1925	54	61,778	0.32	25	15,574	0.60	11	27,416	0.23	4	1,812	0.18	16	12,949	0.39	23	18,370	0.61	11	21,477	2.40	5	14,431	0.56	17	37,736	1.29	38	42,788	1.09	21	20,367	0.78	14	17,516	1.53	15	14,504	1.16	26	21,000	280	327,748	0.55
1926	55	111,780	0.58	31	29,680	1.10	20	39,547	0.35	3	771	0.07	13	23,984	0.81	24	21,512	0.80	9	16,034	1.74	6	9,991	0.39	19	47,905	1.52	43	44,576	1.12	29	26,110	0.94	12	15,954	1.42	9	10,510	0.81	35	23,589	298	428,240	0.71
1927	52	64,419	0.34	19	14,931	0.55	25	71,862	0.65	5	4,791	0.46	16	29,428	0.87	17	27,353	0.82	8	22,279	2.22	5	21,165	0.80	19	53,445	1.58	12	76,212	1.89	21	21,051	0.75	10	10,424	0.94	8	9,233	0.75	27	22,406	280	449,700	0.74
1928	67	116,623	0.59	17	23,281	0.85	15	46,890	0.42	1	2,651	0.25	18	54,098	1.66	22	13,935	0.37	7	19,017	1.60	5	7,083	0.25	18	28,830	0.86	35	69,416	1.68	28	23,72	0.80	7	14,113	1.24	10	15,891	1.13	38	46,027	288	431,523	0.77
1929	59	113,146	0.56	29	32,615	1.17	26	61,095	0.55	5	9,715	0.94	19	27,492	0.83	28	32,297	0.80	14	38,168	3.01	4	2,689	0.09	19	36,634	1.44	33	67,032	1.60	30	25,460	0.79	9	16,805	1.48	7	7,462	0.50	38	44,396	320	515,056	0.81
1930	46	100,169	0.49	13	2,482	0.09	19	33,058	0.31	9	7,154	0.67	14	12,631	0.36	15	30,596	0.73	9	28,184	2.03	4	13,968	0.45	11	14,147	0.43	41	64,870	1.50	18	24,615	0.67	12	9,211	0.76	11	11,955	0.75	28	30,943	250	383,983	0.59
1931	41	34,747	0.17	16	25,963	0.89	13	22,526	0.22	4	4,196	0.37	14	15,857	0.45	13	10,207	0.24	17	48,985	3.50	8	9,379	0.30	10	23,401	0.71	37	54,011	1.26	14	17,681	0.44	7	9,331	0.77	9	8,503	0.51	31	32,744	234	317,534	0.48
1932	51	59,326	0.30	22	31,455	1.06	16	31,772	0.31	5	3,753	0.32	9	29,422	0.58	7	2,392	0.06	11	42,403	2.89	4	15,139	0.51	8	16,943	0.51	24	55,777	1.31	10	10,680	0.26	6	15,760	1.26	6	6,194	0.37	26	38,030	208	350,105	0.53
1933	51	71,774	0.39	21	7,090	0.24	9	20,762	0.21	8	4,536	0.39	13	14,468	0.42	15	4,252	0.11	11	30,355	2.14	3	549	0.02	7	14,881	0.48	19	35,524	0.83	20	33,558	0.82	12	11,393	0.94	12	10,057	0.61	43	61,070	244	320,369	0.50
1934	52	74,634	0.42	22	13,353	0.45	8	24,477	0.25	4	5,712	0.52	14	10,989	0.34	13	25,036	0.68	6	25,749	1.71	6	11,856	0.45	7	21,064	0.73	13	21,637	0.53	19	21,278	0.53	5	6,624	0.57	4	3,231	0.21	33	65,017	206	330,767	0.53
1935	47	71,240	0.41	21	18,090	0.61	10	16,379	0.17	4	2,359	0.21	11	11,670	0.39	14	9,753	0.26	6	13,892	0.81	5	2,718	0.11	7	21,510	0.76	19	33,314	0.82	21	16,233	0.41	9	8,323	0.72	10	10,838	0.71	29	33,374	213	269,728	0.44
1936	41	41,209	0.24	30	12,411	0.41	16	31,107	0.33	5	1,483	0.13	9	21,912	0.74	14	26,468	0.71	14	40,638	2.26	8	7,227	0.29	10	21,844	0.71	33	45,961	1.09	21	29,035	0.72	11	24,624	2.15	9	5,107	0.34	45	55,659	266	364,735	0.59
1937	49	80,611	0.46	24	26,992	0.91	12	40,374	0.43	7	9,173	0.82	16	13,358	0.47	12	22,734	0.58	12	40,364	2.18	4	7,020	0.27	13	33,117	1.04	25	33,987	0.76	19	20,199	0.46	16	56,928	5.54	1	178	0.01	38	52,724	248	437,761	0.70
1938	56	88,932	0.50	18	8,692	0.29	12	18,411	0.24	4	8,174	0.72	13	13,548	1.51	9	12,334	0.30	9	31,345	1.66	5	7,949	0.28	5	18,041	0.55	23	33,714	0.67	18	17,567	0.38	11	20,619	2.18	8	13,247	0.84	26	38,133	217	351,195	0.56
1939	179	548,407	3.06	13	7,500	0.24	11	24,360	0.27	10	28,232	2.40	27	131,788	4.49	35	155,576	3.47	21	67,461	3.79	12	10,779	1.37	4	9,769	0.28	22	42,920	0.76	47	85,763	1.77	5	41,652	4.62	29	47,527	3.01	59	116,035	474	1,347,768	2.04
1940	739	2,753,318	—	49	107,602	—	11	36,632	—	39	69,532	—	66	257,288	—	62	304,752	—	72	283,186	—	78	245,985	—	24	103,515	—	16	53,499	—	135	103,357	—	9	18,572	—	68	158,496	—	110	304,687	1,478	5,066,418	—
1941	756	2,871,280	—	54	124,320	—	24	93,504	—	21	21,224	—	26	47,576	—	30	131,425	—	103	321,115	—	64	286,226	—	31	205,962	—	11	30,195	—	121	373,476	—	13	19,545	—	40	111,849	—	125	308,575	1,410	4,949,272	—
1942	610	3,326,385	—	115	355,662	—	336	1943,571	—	15	12,132	—	32	96,377	—	35	117,608	—	55	244,490	—	117	480,741	—	66	238,551	—	11	101,511	—	172	755,491	—	13	25,751	—	46	150,362	—	213	848,770	1,836	8,697,402	—
1943	318	1,642,025	—	50	80,657	—	168	1081,198	—	13	11,337	—	63	203,034	—	106	338,673	—	27	105,005	—	45	181,749	—	178	527,540	—	4	29,889	—	79	359,559	—	12	19,335	—	30	79,854	—	94	349,062	1,187	5,009,397	—
1944	181	723,198	—	25	38,957	—	116	719,957	—	13	12,716	—	57	231,766	—	248	623,968	—	18	51,504	—	37	95,513	—	49	229,715	—	9	62,906	—	68	146,258	—	8	2,593	—	24	22,837	—	79	237,409	932	3,199,296	—

* Figures of vessels registered in Eire are included under British Dominions for 1942 and onwards.

† Excluding ships trading on the Great Lakes of North America. ‡ Owing to conditions imposed by various countries.

LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING.

SUPPLEMENT TO LLOYD'S REGISTER QUARTERLY RETURNS OF MERCHANT VESSELS TOTALLY LOST, BROKEN UP, &c., DURING 1944

EXPLANATION OF CONTRACTIONS.

COUNTRY.

Amr. = U.S. of America.	Egy. = Egypt.	Itl. = Italy.	Ptg. = Portugal.
Arg. = Argentina.	Est. = Estonia.	Jpn. = Japan.	Rou. = Roumania
Blg. = Belgium.	Fin. = Finland.	Lat. = Latvia.	S.R. = Union of Soviet Socialist Republics.
Brz. = Brazil.	Fra. = France.	Mex. = Mexico.	Sp. = Spain.
C.S. = Czecho-Slovakia.	G.B.I. = Great Britain and Northern Ireland.	Mor. = Morocco	Swd. = Sweden.
Cba. = Cuba.	Ger. = Germany.	Nor. = Norway.	Tha. = Thailand.
Chl. = Chile.	Grk. = Greece.	Pal. = Palestine	Trk. = Turkey.
Chn. = China.	Hol. = Holland.	Pan. = Panama.	Urg. = Uruguay.
Den. = Denmark.	Hon. = Honduras.	Per. = Peru.	Ygs. = Yugoslavia.
Dom. = British Dominions, Colonies, etc.	Icl. = Iceland.	Pol. = Poland.	

DESCRIPTION.

Aux. = Auxiliary.	C. = Composite.	m.s. = Motorship.	s.s. = Steamship.	(T.) = Oil Tanker
Bg. = Brig.	F.C. = Ferro-Concrete.	Pad. = Paddle.	Sc. = Screw.	Trp. = Triple.
Bk. = Bark.	I. = Iron	Qd. = Quadruple.	Sr. = Schooner.	Tw. = Twin.
Bkn. = Barkentine.	Lr. = Lugger.	S. = Ship.	Stl. = Steel.	W. = Wood.
Bn. = Brigantine.	m. = Masts.			

N.B.—Unless otherwise stated, all steamers and motorships were of steel construction and propelled by a single screw.

- (a). List of Merchant Vessels, of 100 tons and upwards, totally lost, &c., during 1944 which were not given up as total losses, or of the loss of which information was not received, in time for them to be included in Lloyd's Register Quarterly Returns.

I.—STEAMERS AND MOTORSHIPS.

Abandoned at Sea.

NIL.

Foundered.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
60764	Manhattan ... '05	1954	Amr.	s.s.	Ferry ... ..	...	At Elizabeth, N.J.	1st Mar.

Missing.

(Under this heading are included only ships Posted or Reported as Missing during the year.)

NIL.

Broken Up.

(i.) Cases consequent upon stress of weather.

NIL.

(ii.) Other Cases.

GREAT BRITAIN AND NORTHERN IRELAND.....	one (100 tons).
U.S. OF AMERICA.....	one (113 tons).
SWEDEN	one (131 tons).

Burnt.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
64330	Stortind ... '96	169	Nor.	L.s.s.	Trawler ... ..	...	Total loss after explosion in Hillefjord.	—Nov.

Collision.

No. in Reg. Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross)	Country.	Description.	Voyage.	Cargo.	Circumstances and place.	Date.
73615	Elima ... '20	5264	Ger.	s.s.	...	...	Beached after collision off Bergen. Total loss.	—
86941	Ulv ... '20	938	Nor.	s.s.	Aalesund— Trondheim.	Coal ...	In the Aalesund roads ...	4th Oct.

Wrecked.

(Under this heading are included ships lost through stranding, or striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.)

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73856	Empire Curzon ... '44	7067	G.B.I.	s.s.	Driven ashore and badly damaged on Normandy coast; refloated and broken up.	2nd Sept.
79201	Lake Folcroft ... '19	3353	Amr.	s.s.	...	...	Stranded and badly damaged off Puerto Esperanza, Cuba. Refloated. Total loss.	19th Oct.
83396	Richard Montgomery '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.	...	...	On Nore Sands ...	20th Aug.
64407	Suderö ... '02	115	Den.	s.s.	Whaler ...	...	At Tveraa ...	—
87773	Wiides ... '04	2324	Fin.	s.s.	...	...	At Rotesand, River Weser ...	24th Jan.
82185	P. L. M. 21 ... '21	5417	Fra.	s.s.	—Milford Haven.	Coal ...	Sank after striking Middle Chanel Rocks, off Milford Haven.	3rd Dec.
70293	Barmbek ... '29	2446	Ger.	s.s.	Thamshavn—	Pyrites ...	N. of Maaloy ...	—
74545	Irma... '06 (ex "Everonika")	3743	Ger.	s.s.	...	Iron ore...	Stranded and sank at Vetterbrae	— Mar.
80919	Montebello ... '18	570	Itl.	s.s.	...	...	In Pantellaria Harbour...	— Mar.
79540	Lita ... '90	318	Nor.	s.s.	...	...	At Langholmen, Stoksund ...	30th Jan.
79038	Kuzbass ... '14	3109	S.R.	s.s.	Ugolnaya Bay— Providenia.	Ballast ...	Between Cape Yakkun and Cape Uliachpen, N.E. Siberia.	26th Sept.
—	Maria del Carmen '06	212	Sp.	s.s.	Corcubion— Gijon.	Manganese ore.	At Carrumeiro Chico ...	14th Aug.
83049	Punta Galea ... '93	446	Sp.	s.s.	Aviles— Ayamonte.	Coal ...	Struck rocks and sank near entrance to Aviles after jamming of rudder.	30th Oct.

Lost.

(Under this heading are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot otherwise be classified.)

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55214	Baldo ... '32	123	Sp.	W.s.s.	Trawler	—

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69339	Alynbank '25	5151	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc.	75546	George S. Wasson ... '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.
70417	Becheville '24	4228	G.B.I.	m.s. s.s.	75562	George W. Childs ... '43	7176	Amr.	s.s.
70494	Bendoran '10	5567	G.B.I.	s.s.	77000	Illinoian '18	6473	Amr.	s.s.
70825	Bosworth '19	6672	G.B.I.	s.s.	77509	James Iredell '42	7177	Amr.	s.s.
73175	Dover Hill '18	5815	G.B.I.	s.s.	77570	James W. Marshall... '42	7176	Amr.	s.s.
73591	Elswick Park '20	4188	G.B.I.	s.s.	78504	Kentuckian '10	5200	Amr.	s.s.
73778	Empire Bittern ... '02	8546	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	78746	Kofresi '20	4934	Amr.	s.s.
73796	Empire Bunting ... '19	6648	G.B.I.	s.s.	79366	Lena Luckenbach ... '20	5238	Amr.	s.s.
73867	Empire Defiance ... '09	4632	G.B.I.	s.s.	80387	Matt W. Ransom ... '43	7177	Amr.	s.s.
73904	Empire Flamingo ... '20	5207	G.B.I.	s.s.	82477	Pennsylvanian '13	5191	Amr.	s.s.
74063	Empire Moorhen ... '19	5617	G.B.I.	s.s.	83601	Robin Gray '20	6896	Amr.	s.s.
74210	Empire Tamar '07	6561	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	83893	Sahale '19	5028	Amr.	s.s.
74211	Empire Tana '23	6148	G.B.I.	s.s.	84383	Santa Clara '30	8101	Amr.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
74249	Empire Waterhen ... '20	6004	G.B.I.	s.s.	87282	Victory Sword '10	4750	Amr.	s.s.
74837	Flowergate '11	5156	G.B.I.	s.s.	87391	Vitruvius '43	4826	Amr.	F.C. s.s.
74863	Forbin '22	7291	G.B.I.	s.s.	87667	West Cheswald ... '19	5711	Amr.	s.s.
77099	Ingman '07	3169	G.B.I.	s.s.	87674	West Grama '18	5326	Amr.	m.s.
77114	Innerton '19	5276	G.B.I.	s.s.	87677	West Honaker '20	5428	Amr.	m.s.
79997	Manchester Spinner... '18	4767	G.B.I.	s.s.	87691	West Nilus '20	5495	Amr.	s.s.
80224	Mariposa '14	3807	G.B.I.	s.s.	87692	West Nohno '19	5769	Amr.	s.s.
80446	Maycrest '13	5923	G.B.I.	s.s.	87917	William L. Marcy ... '42	7176	Amr.	s.s.
80715	Minster '24	707	G.B.I.	Tw.Sc. s.s.	88005	Wilcox '19	5861	Amr.	m.s.
81502	Njegos '08	4393	G.B.I.	s.s.	70379	Baudouinville '39	13761	Blg.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
82303	Panos '20	4914	G.B.I.	s.s.	70448	Belgique '02	4606	Blg.	s.s.
83705	Roslea '04	642	G.B.I.	s.s.	73609	Elie '21	1873	Den.	s.s.
84013	Saltergate '24	3940	G.B.I.	s.s.	69409	Ampère '30	2435	Fra.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
85371	Stanwell '14	5767	G.B.I.	s.s.	70842	Bourges '19	2910	Fra.	s.s.
64577	T. C. C. Hopper No. 1... '24	604	G.B.I.	s.s.	71925	Chef Mecanicien Armand Blanc '22	3070	Fra.	s.s.
87208	Vera Radcliffe '25	5587	G.B.I.	s.s.	72422	Condé '15	7202	Fra.	s.s.
87347	Vinlake '13	3938	G.B.I.	s.s.	73556	El Mansour '33	5818	Fra.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
88029	Winha '04	3391	G.B.I.	s.s.	60235	Laita '07	215	Fra.	s.s.
69147	Alcoa Leader '19	5041	Amr.	s.s.	80103	Maréchal Lyautey ... '24	8256	Fra.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
69827	Artemas Ward... .. '42	7177	Amr.	s.s.	80197	Mariette Pacha ... '25	12239	Fra.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
70512	Benjamin Contee ... '42	7176	Amr.	s.s.	61075	Maurice Fajj '17	190	Fra.	s.s.
72575	Courageous '18	7573	Amr.	m.s.	80474	Medjerda '23	4578	Fra.	s.s.
72869	David O. Saylor ... '43	4826	Amr.	F.C. s.s.	82520	Perros-Guirec '21	2012	Fra.	s.s.
74567	Exford '19	4969	Amr.	s.s.	82904	Président Dal Piaz... '29	4929	Fra.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
75366	Galveston '21	6173	Amr.	m.s.	87326	Ville de Toulon ... '05	672	Fra.	Tw.Sc. s.s.

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88819	Zweana (T.)'30	651	Fra.	Tw.Sc. m.s.	71307	Campania'18	5247	Itl.	s.
69585	Antarktis (T.)... ..'39	10711	Ger.	m.s.	56043	Cefalo'21	302	Itl.	s.
69843	Artushof ... ..'19	1478	Ger.	s.s.	79901	Diana... ..'01	1190	Itl.	s.s.
70451	Belgrad ... ..'37	4418	Ger.	m.s.	"M" (ex "Maid of Samos")				
27937	Brannau (ex "Konsuls P. Dannebergs") '04	2747	Ger.	s.s.	75950	Ida ... ..'23	6131	Itl.	s.s.
71113A	Bugssee ... ..'27	2307	Ger.	s.s.	77289	Italia ... ..'05	5203	Itl.	Tw.i s.s.
72975	Derindje ... ..'15	3063	Ger.	s.s.	80097	Marconi ... ..'19	1406	Itl.	s.s.
74341	Erika Schünemann ...'89	1177	Ger.	s.s.	89291	Marte (T.) ... ..'92	2502	Itl.	s.s.
75268	Friesland ... ..'04	1029	Ger.	s.s.	69980	Palermo ... ..'10	2897	Itl.	s.s.
76452	Henry John (ex "Henry Boge") ...'38	1995	Ger.	s.s.	"A" (ex "Athinal")				
79603	Lola ... ..'20	1193	Ger.	s.s.	82789	Pomona ... ..'21	2198	Itl.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
81899	Ole Wegger ... ..'14	12201	Ger.	s.s.	83019	Promontore ... ..'17	998	Itl.	s.s.
83126	Rabe ... ..'23	994	Ger.	s.s.	85474	Sabaudia ... ..'40	28000	Itl.	Trp.Sc. m.s.
70477	Scharlachberger (ex "Belgion") ...'19	2844	Ger.	s.s.	(ex "Stockholm")				
69627	Schlesien ... ..'36	430	Ger.	s.s.	87355	Virgilio ... ..'28	11748	Itl.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
87445	Vulkan ... ..'27	989	Ger.	m.s.	88097	XXIV Maggio ... ..'16	5372	Itl.	s.s.
87662	Werner Vinnen... ..'22	2342	Ger.	m.s.	69361	Aoki Maru ... ..'10	3710	Jpn.	s.s.
68995	Aghios Spyridon ...'05	3338	Grk.	s.s.	(ex "Amba Alagi")				
75590	Georgios P. ... ..'03	4052	Grk.	s.s.	80218	Manryo Maru ... ..'06	1185	Jpn.	s.s.
75592	Georgios S. Krinis ...'18	365	Grk.	s.s.	(ex "Marion")				
75593	Georgos ... ..'02	667	Grk.	s.s.	69433	Rozan Maru ... ..'19	6638	Jpn.	s.s.
77267	Helly (ex "Ismini")... '78	314	Grk.	I.s.s.	"A" (ex "Analock")				
78407	Katina P. ... ..'00	1216	Grk.	s.s.	69683	Teia Maru... ..'32	17537	Jpn.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
56392	Cornelis ... ..'03	193	Hol.	s.s.	"A" (ex "Aramis")				
73044	Dinteldijk... ..'22	9399	Hol.	Tw.Sc. m.s.	79329	Teiritu Maru ... ..'22	9877	Jpn.	Tw.Sc. s.s.
74513	Europa ... ..'36	339	Hol.	m.s.	"L" (ex "Leconte de Lisle")				
58752	Hengelo ... ..'34	195	Hol.	m.s.	71550	Teiyu Maru ... ..'18	5733	Jpn.	s.s.
59047	Humber ... ..'07	519	Hol.	s.s.	"C" (ex "Carignano")				
56019	Ibis (ex "Catharina")... '29	129	Hol.	Aux.Sc. m.s.	74324	Urato Maru ... ..'18	5904	Jpn.	s.s.
59236	Irene ... ..'27	199	Hol.	m.s.	"E" (ex "Erato")				
82340	Parkhaven ... ..'20	4803	Hol.	s.s.	74091	Brynilen ... ..'12	316	Nor.	s.s.
82341	Parklaan ... ..'11	3807	Hol.	s.s.	77848	John Knudsen (T.) ...'34	9071	Nor.	Tw.Sc. m.s.
—	Tjikini'—	7400	Hol.	m.s.	79792	Lynghaug... ..'19	2829	Nor.	s.s.
69619	Antonio Landi ... ..'19	415	Itl.	Aux.Sc. m.s.	60935	Nordnorge ... ..'83	194	Nor.	s.s.
54987	Arno ... ..'11	106	Itl.	s.s.	"M" (ex "Mariehamn")				
70045	Augustus ... ..'27	30418	Itl.	Qd.Sc. m.s.	81596	Norjerv ... ..'19	5582	Nor.	s.s.
					85033	Sirehei ... ..'07	3888	Nor.	s.s.
					87243	Vestra ... ..'04	1422	Nor.	s.s.
					70030	Audacious... ..'13	7455	Pan.	s.s.
					70166	Baialoide ... ..'14	6476	Pan.	s.s.
					74803	Flight-Command ...'11	4341	Pan.	s.s.
					81885	Olabala ... ..'01	4815	Pan.	s.s.
					82881	Potter ... ..'20	6174	Pan.	m.s.
					83182	Ramona ... ..'20	3513	Pan.	s.s.
					80793	Modlin ... ..'06	3569	Pol.	s.s.
					78956	Krasny Profintern ...'02	4648	S.R.	s.s.
					75452	Generoso ... ..'96	1437	Swiss	s.s.

II.—SAILING SHIPS AND BARGES.

Abandoned at Sea.

NIL.

Foundered.

NIL.

Missing.

(Under this heading are included only ships Posted or Reported as Missing during the year.)

NIL.

Broken up.

(i.) Cases consequent upon stress of weather.

NIL.

(ii.) Other cases.

BRITISH DOMINIONS, COLONIES, ETC.....one (137 tons).

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Burnt.

NIL.

Collision.

NIL.

Wrecked.

(Under this heading are included ships lost through stranding, or striking rocks, sunken wrecks, &c.)

NIL.

Lost.

(Under this heading are included total losses which for want of sufficient information, or for other reasons, cannot otherwise be classified.)

NIL.

War Losses.

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52558	Texaco 324 ... '33	822	Amr.	Stl. Barge					

(b.) List of Merchant Vessels of 100 tons and upwards, included in Lloyd's Register Quarterly Returns for 1944, as having been totally lost, &c., which have since been floated, repaired, &c.

I.—STEAMERS & MOTORSHIPS.

No. in Register Book 1944-45.	Ship's Name, and Year of Build.	Tons (Gross).	Country.	Description.	Quarterly Return and Section in which included.
82652	Pictou County ... '20	707	Dom.	m.s.	June Quarter—Wrecked.
64029 "S"	Lagosta (ex "Sloboda")... '02	180	Itl.	s.s.	March Quarter—War Loss.
82871	Poseidone (T.) ... '12	6613	Itl.	s.s.	June Quarter—War Loss.
64501	Svein ... '07	119	Nor.	m.s.	December Quarter—War Loss.

II.—SAILING SHIPS & BARGES.

NIL.