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Sixth. For assaulting any master, mate, pilot, engineer, or staff officer, by imprisonment for not more than

two years.

Seventh. For willfully damaging the vessel, or embezzling or willfully damaging any of the stores or cargo, by forfeiture out of his wages of a sum equal in amount to the loss thereby sustained, and also, at the discretion of the court, by imprisonment for not more than twelve months of BUT YH YHELOUTHING GRUPTURE

Eighth. For any act of smuggling for which he is convicted and whereby loss or damage is occasioned to the master or owner, he shall be diable to pay such master or owner such a sum as a sufficient to reimburse the master or owner for such loss or damage, and the whole or any part of his wages may be retained in satisfaction or on account of such liability, and he shall be liable to imprisonment for a period of not more than twelve months. (Dec. 21, 1898, Sec. 19; Mar 4, 1915, Sec. 17, Aug 1, 1939, Sec. 6.)

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(Sec. 4597 (amended Dec. 21, 1898, sec. 20); Upon the commission of any of the offenses enumerated in the preceding section an entry thereof shall be made in the official log-book on the day on which the offense was committed, and shall be signed by the master and by the mater of one of the crew, and the offender, if still in the vessel, shall, before her next arrival at any port or, if she is at the time in port before her departure therefrom, be furnished with a copy of such entry, and have the same read over distinctly and audibly to him, and may be furnished with a copy of such entry, and have the same read over distinctly and audibly to him, and may thereupon make such a reply thereto as he thinks lit; and a statement that a copy of the entry has been so furnished, or the same has been so read over, together with his reply, if any, made by the offender, shall likewise be entered and signed in the same manner will any subsequent legal proceedings the centries hereinbefore required shall, if practicable; be produced or proved, and in default of such production of proof the court hearing the case may, at its discretion refuse to receive evidence of the offense, an arrada out of about year its vigor. ing the case may, at its discretion, refuse to receive evidence of the offense, as i, agnot to the charge, as i, and the charge, as i, and the charge is a charge of the offense, as i, and the charge is a charge of the charge is a charge of the offense.

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SEC. 8 (b). If the master of any vessel subject to this act and to the regulations established thereunder shall fail, before departing from her loading port or place, to enter in the official log-book of such vessel the statement required by section 6, he shall for each offense be liable to the United States in a penalty of \$100. The Commandant of the U.S. Coast Guard may in his discretion, remit or mitigate any penalty imposed under the occurrence, cause a statement thereof, and of the circumstances under which the same occurred arganage aid 

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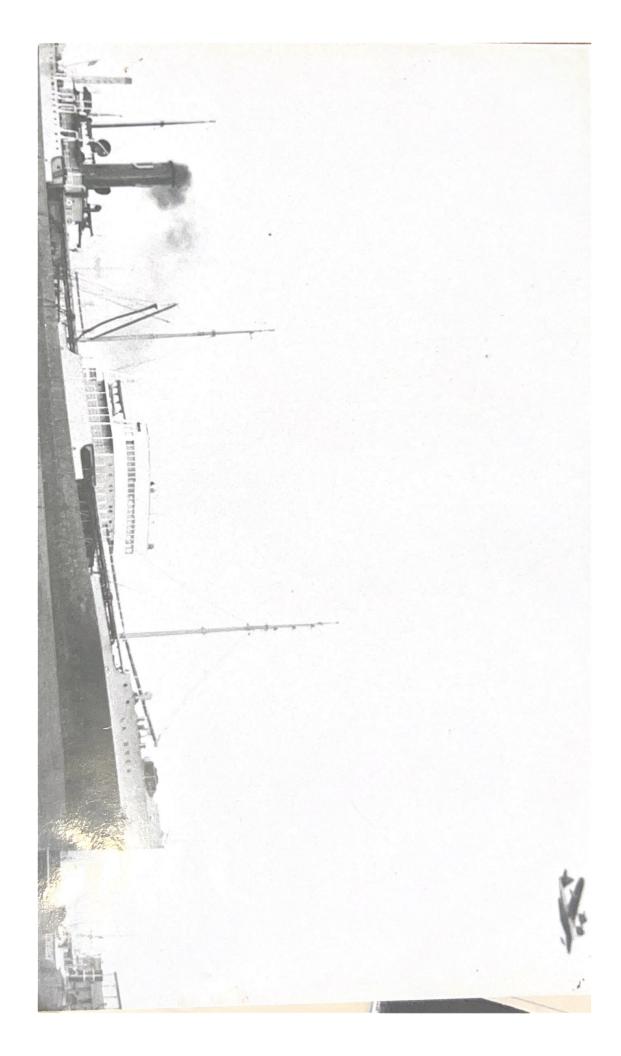
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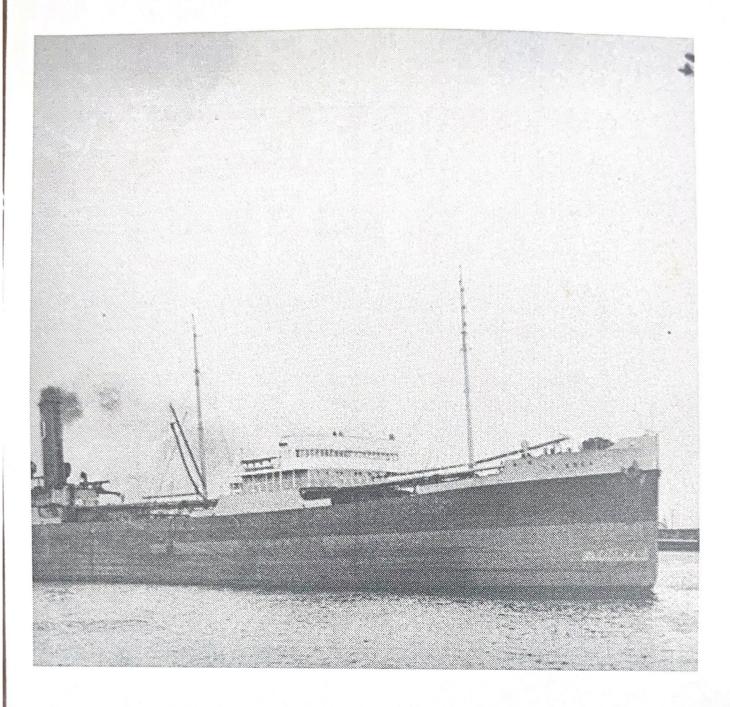
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# Bond, Garner, Open "Open House" Jp Gas Stations

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have been undergoing general reclosed Shell station. Both stations and F. Bond re-opening the long into new activity in recent weeks paint jobs and overhaul work, and lease of the Standard service station Pomona avenue have been stirred residents like. friendly helpful service that Brea house" at the Legion Hall Monday operators will offer the kind of the indications are that the new already seen military service in with Keith Garner taking over the

are married. Garner has two chil- | March 6. lease locally. Both he and Bond, the former tion in Fullerton before he acquired specially honored Paul Gheen, year at the Standard service stawho has had a station in Los Nietos, dren: Bobby, ten; and Linda Kaye, California, are from Oklahoma and Keith Garner worked for the past

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# Two gasoline stations on south Dance Honors Cheen, I roup

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other local friends of the boys, were way yard after participating in Students, as well as the many

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hower waste paper campaign closes Monday, April 1. opened Thursday, March 1, and The Boy Scout-General Eisen-

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March 17 west of Pomona avenue and Saturday, March 31 east of Pomona avenue. Pick up dates are Saturday,

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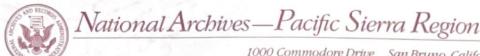
### | Personal Appearance Of Breans Creates Amity, Good Will

Mayor Emil F. Carlson, Councilmen were admirably combined when and stirring personal testimony to key participation in the war effort the community's dynamic spirit gress M. R. Norins traveled to Sauwell as Associate Editor of the Pro-L. A. Crowe and R. W. Monroe as day, February 24. Tanker S. S. La Brea Hills Satursalito for the launching of the More solid steel evidence of Brea's

dollar shipyard and what takes ship Corporation, its ample cargo Mayor Emil Carlson, Councilmen jointly became yet another symbol What is in a seventeen million Sausalito shipyard ways of Marinupon thousands of tons of space and bristling defensive guns into San Francisco bay from the honor of the Brea oilfields, glided tries have also become symbols of When the La Brea Hills, named in

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September 21, 1992

Brian G. Saul 505 E. Date St. Brea, CA 92621

Dear Mr. Saul:

This is in response to your letter regarding the vessel La Brea Hills.

I have located two Official Log Books among the holdings of this regional archives for Record Group 26, records of the U.S. Coast Guard. They cover voyages ending March 5, 1945 and September 9, 1955. I have also located some records related to the vessel title, measurement and inspection among our holdings for R.G. 36, records of the Bureau of Customs, plus a reference to the vessel in the 1947 Bureau of Customs publication, Merchant Vessels of the United States.

The standard fee for electrostatic reprodictions of National Archives records is \$.25 pe r page. The minimum fee for mail-order reproductions is \$6.00. The total number of pages to be copied in response to your request is 33. We have accepted your \$6.00 check, so please send the difference of \$2.25. Thank you,

Master Carpenters Certificates may be among the holdings of the Civil Reference Branch (NNRC), National Archives, Washington, DC 20408 (see enclosed page from their inventory NC-18 of some holdings within Record Group 41, records of the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation). Photographs of the vessel may be among the holdings of the Still Picture Branch (NNSP) of the National Archives at the same address. You might also consider contacting the J. Porter Shaw Library and Historic Prrk. Bldg. E, Fort Mason, San Francisco, CA 94123.

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