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## CARGO SHIP CREWS RAN GREAT DANGERS

New York, Feb. 15.—Fifteen cargo ships with a dead weight tonnage of 193,692 were lost during 1918 by the Naval Overseas Transportation Service, according to a report made public today by the district supervisor of the Third Naval district. The removal of the ban of secrecy, vital during the war as a shield to these vessels and their crews, discloses that six ships, aggregating 42,627 tons, were destroyed by enemy activity, five vessels with a combined tonnage of 44,071 tons, were sunk in collisions and four vessels, totalling 16,994 tons were destroyed by fire and explosion.

The report traces the growth of the Naval Overseas Transportation Service since the time of its organization late in 1917 and describes the part played by it in transporting food, munitions and supplies for troops and naval vessels abroad. Seventy-two ships were originally assigned to this service and when the armistice was signed, November 11, 1918, the cargo fleet numbered 453 vessels, including 106 ships ready to be taken over.

Crews of navy cargo ships are said to have endured the greatest hardships of the war. Their lives constantly endangered, they faced the perils of the deep, the menace of an unseen foe, the danger of collision and the liability to instant death by accidents from inflammable cargoes.

It is on record that a convoy of 50 ships from New York was disintegrated by a violent storm in mid-Atlantic and that only two of the entire number reached France under convoy. "Every ship for herself" the 48 others by luck, pluck and constant vigil all finally dropped their anchors in the protected harbors of their destination.

"Not only were these crews confronted with the normal perils of the sea," says the report, "but they faced destruction from torpedo, collision and other unforeseen accidents that might cause fire in inflammable cargoes. It takes brave men to steam week in and week out through submarines and mine-infested waters at eight knots an hour in a ship loaded with several thousand tons of depth charges, T N T, or poison gas, not knowing what minute the whole works is going to be blown to Kingdom Come."

The value of a cargo ship is realized when it is known that under existing war conditions each ship cost to operate \$100 every hour. Good, bad and indifferent ships, old or new, fast or slow, were transformed by the magic of naval energy into serviceable craft. Unromantic rusty tramps were created into models of efficiency by the halo of a dazzling camouflage.

The personnel of the Naval Overseas Transportation Service at the present time includes 5,000 officers and 45,000 enlisted men.

## AT THE MOVIES

"The Romance of Tarzan" Patrons of the Joy theatre who thrilled at the adventures of the titular character in "Tarzan of the Apes" will have an opportunity of witnessing his future career in "The Romance of Tarzan," which will be shown at the Joy on Sunday and Monday. This picture is even more entertaining than its predecessor, if such a thing is possible, for in it Tarzan is brought back to civilized lands, where he has a difficult time accustoming himself to the ways of folk who sleep in houses, wear dress clothes and eat meals with a knife and fork.

His romance with Jane Porter, the first woman he laid eyes on, makes a thrilling tale, inasmuch as it is often menaced by the plotting of Clayton, the man who seeks to rob Tarzan of the estates which are rightfully his. Part of his plot is the employment of La Belle Odine to lure Tarzan away from Jane. But the woman is unsuccessful in this, as Tarzan remains true to his love despite all La Belle's amorous advances.

The conspirators do, however, succeed in causing Jane to look with suspicion upon Tarzan and because of this he goes back to his jungle home. La Belle, however, clears the whole thing up because she has found that she loves Tarzan. She goes to Jane and tells her the truth with the result that soon afterwards Tarzan is joined in his jungle home by the woman he has always loved.

Elmo Lincoln continues in his original role and makes a splendid showing. Enid Markey is again seen as Jane while Cleo Madison, long a picture star in her own right, appears as La Belle, giving a highly sustained performance throughout the length of the picture.

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