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MILWAUKEE PUBLIC LIBRARY Ship Information and Data Record

Official No. 93363

| BUILT: 1903 at Cle | eveland, Ohio ^{by} American Ship Building Co. | for Manistique, Marquetterig Carferry Hull Steel & Northern RR Company | | | |
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| OPERATING DATA | | DIMENSIONS | | | |
| ENGINES Type: Cyl. & St.: H.P.: | BOILERS Type: No.: Size: | GR.T 2933 NET T. 1755 LENGTH 338.0 BEAM 56.0 DRAFT 19.5 HATCHES No. SIZE CENTERS Cap. | | | |
| Rev.: Built by: Year built: | Press.: Built by: Year built: | COMPARTMENTS No. Cap. About 30 freight cars and passenters | | | |

HISTORY:

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Built as the MANISTIQUE, MARQUETTE & NORTHERN I. She was built to carry cars between Northport and Manistique.

In the fall of 1908, she was sold to the Grand Trunk, Milwaukee Car Ferry Line and was put on the run between Grand Haven and Milwaukee to run alternately with the car ferry GRAND HAVEN. On December 1, 1908, her name was changed to MILWAUKEE.

On October 22, 1929, she left Milwaukee about 12:30 p.m. in a heavy gale with 27 freight cars and a crew of 46. It is thought to have foundered the same day about 6:30 p.m.

She is a favorite wreck for divers. Located in 125 feet of water only six miles north of Milwaukee and three miles off shore. She is sitting upright on the bottom.

For more information on her see the file for articles and photographs.

| ILLUSTRATIONS: | | | |
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