March 11, 1946 CHWABE COLLINA Mr. Richard W. Carpenter Legal Dept. Room 1116 Stanolind Oil and Gas Company Stanolind Bldg. Tulsa, Oklahoma. Dear Mr. Carpenter: I am just in receipt of your letter of the 8th instant requesting me to send you a copy of the Merchant Seamans Bill of Rights which you designate as H. B. 226. What I think you want is H. R. 2346 a bill introduced by Representative Peterson of Florida. No. 226 is a Private Bill and it could not possibly be the one that you want. I hope that I am right in surmising that you do want H. R. 2346 hence I am enclosing herewith a printed copy of H. R. 2346 and I trust that it will serve the desired purpose. If I can be of further service to you in this or any other matters at any time, please do not hesitate to call upon me. Sincerely yours. George B. Schwabe, M. C. GBS:rbh enc. P. S .- I have had requests from others for copies of this bill in the same mail that I received your letter. They have asked for the status of this bill and I thought you and your group might be interested in knowing the present status of it. Hearings have been held by the Full Committee and the bill is now being studied by a Sub-committee. There is nothing definite as to when the bill may be considered by the Full Committee for further action nor when a report will be forthcoming.

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STANOLIND OIL AND GAS COMPANY

STANOLIND BUILDING

TULSA, OKLAHOMA

8 March 1946

Honorable George Schwabe Congressional Office Bldg. Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Having recently returned from service in the U. S. Navy, I am very much interested in procurring a copy of the Merchant Seamans Bill of Rights (H.B.226).

JKR 2346

As the Tulsa Post of the American Veterans is meeting next Thursday and this Bill is up for discussion, I will appreciate your forwarding me a copy as soon as possible.

Very truly yours,

RC/mc

Richard W. Carpenter

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