



SFJ00219510420001 DS/Hvb FEMERN. Bilde via Narve Sørensen.

1951 DS/Hvb FEMERN (SFJ002195104)

Type	Dampskip, hvalbåt steam ship, whale cather	Off.no (IMO): 5113515
Flagg (flag):	NOR	Havn(port): Sandefjord
Byggeår (year built):	1951/10	Bnr (Sno): 149
Bygger (yard):	A/S Framnæs mek. Værksted, Sandefjord.	
Eier (owner):	A/S Odd, Sandefjord.	
Disponent (manager):	A/S Thor Dahl, Sandefjord.	
Klasse (Class):	DnV +1A1 Hvalfanger	
Tonnasje (Tonnage):	548 brt., 178 nrt	
Dimensjoner (size):	Loa: 158' 0"-Lbp: 29' 6"-B: 142' 6"-D: 17' 0".	
Fangstutstyr. (catching equipm.):		

Navigasjonsutstyr:

Manøversystemer

(syst. for manouvering)

Dekksmaskineri

(deck machinery):

Kommunikasjon (comm.):

Kallesignal (Call sign.): LAJK

Fremdrift (propulsion): 1 x stempel dampmaskin (steam reciprocating), type Fredriksstad compound exp., 4-sylinder, syl. diam: 2 x 14,6"-2 x 34,3", slag/stroke: 32,5". 305 NHK. Bygget av Framnæs mek. Værksted, Sandefjord.

Fart/forbr. (speed/cons.):

Hjelpemaskineri (aux):

Tot. el. kraft (el. power):

Kjele(r) (boiler): 2 x dampkjeler (vannrørskjeler/water tube boilers) med overheter, oljefyrt. Damptrykk 250/230 psi. Bygget ved Foster Wheeler Corporation, New York, NY, USA.

Bemanning (crew): pers,

Historikk: **1951** Bygget som hvalbåt **FEMERN** ved A/S Framnæs mek. Værksted for A/S Odd (A/S Thor Dahl), Sandefjord. Sjø satt 25/05, prøvetur 02/10-1951
Fanger for kokeriet **THORSHAVET** fra sesongen 1961/52.
1952 Forhales til Framnæs mek. Værksted for dokking. Ankommer verksted 27/06 og går inn i dokk 3. Forhales tilbake til opplag 30/06.
1957 I fangst for Flk **THORSHAVET** sesongen 1957/58. Skytter var Herman Berntsen, Cape Town.
1958 Etter endt sesong 1957/58 hadde Fl.k. **THORSHAVET** fanget 99 blåhval, 1662 finnhval, 1 seihval og 428 sperm. Det gav 114.500 fat hvalolje og 20.000 fat spermolje, samt biprodukter.
I fangst for Flk **THORSHAVET** sesongen 1958/59. Skytter var Herman Berntsen, Cape Town.

1959 Etter endt sesong 1958/59 var resultatet for ekspedisjonen 48 blåhval, 1510 finnhval, 181 knøl, 5 seihval og 279 spermhval. Det gav 105.000 fat hvalolje og 12.025 spermolje, samt biprodukter.

Til isen som fangstbåt for **THORSHAVET**. Skytter og telegrafist er Kristian Sletsjø, Tjølling.

1960 Total resultat for ekspedisjonen 1960/61 ble 27 blåhval, 1481 finnhval og 329 spermhval. Det gav en produksjon på 93.000 fat hvalolje og 14.000 fat spermolje, samt biprodukter.

Til isen som fangstbåt for **THORSHAVET**. Kombinert skytter og telegrafist er Kristian Sletsjø, Tjølling.

1961 Total resultat for sesongen 1960/61 ble 16 blåhval, 1423 finnhval, 277 spermhval og 1 seihval. Dette gav 91.500 fat hvalolje og 11.585 fat spermolje samt biprodukter.

Fanger for **THORSHAVET** sesongen 1961/62. Kombinert skytter og telegrafist er Kristian Sletsjø, Tjølling.

1962 Sesongen 1961/62 ble det fanget 45 blåhval, 875 finnhval, 354 spermhval og 5 seihval. Dette gav 65.880 fat hvalolje og 15.220 fat spermolje, samt 2.270 tonn hvalmel.

Fanger for **THORSHAVET** sesongen 1962/63.

1963 I fangst for **THORSHAVET** sesongen 1963/64.

Skytter/fører er Reidar W. Olsen, Sandefjord

1964 Resultat for sesongen 1963/64 ble 844 finnhval, 563 seihval og 304 spermhval. Av dette ble det produsert 30.000 fat hvalolje, 10.800 fat spermolje og 3.227 tonn hvalmel.

Utleid 04/12 til Hector Whaling Ltd (Cayzer, Irvine & Co. Ltd), London, England. Omdøpt til **TERRIER VIII**.

1968 Solgt til Saldanha Whaling Ltd, Cape Town, Sør-Afrika.

1971 Solgt til Union Whaling Co. Ltd, Durban, Sør-Afrika.

1973 Omdøpt til **F. H. HUGHES**.

1975 Nedrigget. Senket 17/12 utenfor 100-favnerslinjen sør for Durban.

History in English:

1951 Built as whale catcher **FEMERN** by A/S Framnæs mek. Værksted for A/S Odd (A/S Thor Dahl), Sandefjord. Launched on 25/05, sea trail on 02/10-1951

Catching for the floating factory **THORSHAVET** the season of 1951/52.

1952 Shifted from lay up to the Framnæs mek. Værksted for for docking on 27/06 in the dock no 3. Left the dock and the yard on 30/06

1957 Catching for floating factory **THORSHAVET** season of 1957/58. Gunner was Mr. Herman Berntsen, of Cape Town.

1958 After end of season of 1957/58, total result of the expedition was 99 blue, 1.662 finn, 1 seiwhale and 428 spermacet whales. This gave a production of 114.500 barrels of whale oil, 20.000 barrels of sperm oil and some other product as whale meal.

Catching for **THORSHAVET** season of 1958/59. Bunner Mr. Herman Berntsen, Cape Town.

1959 End of season 1958/59 the result of the expedition was 48 blue, 1.510 finn, 181 humpback, 5 sei whales and 279 sperm whales. Gave a production of 105.000 barrels whale oil, 12.025 sperm oil and some bi-products.

To the south as catcher for **THORSHAVET**. Gunner and wireless operator was Kristian Sletsjø, Tjølling.

1960 Total catch for expedition season 1960/61 was 27 blue, 1.481 finn and 329 sperm whales. This gave a production of 93.000 barrels whale oil and 14.000 barrels sperm oil, and some bi-products.

To the Sothern Seas as catcher for **THORSHAVET**. Combined gunner and wireless operator was Kristian Sletsjø, Tjølling.

1961 Total result for season 1960/61 was 16 blue, 1.423 finn, 277 sperm whales and 1 sei whale. This gave 91.500 barrels whale oil and 11.585 barrels sperm oil and some bi-products.

Catching for **THORSHAVET** season of 1961/62. Combined gunner and wireless operator was Kristian Sletsjø, Tjølling.

1962 Season 1961/62 the total catch was 45 blue, 875 finn, 354 sperm whales and 5 sei whales. This gave 65.880 barrels whale oil and 15.220 barrels sperm oil, samt 2.270 tons whale meal.

Catching for **THORSHAVET** season 1962/63.

1963 Catching for **THORSHAVET** season 1963/64.

Gunner/master was Reidar W. Olsen, Sandefjord

1964 Result for season 1963/64 was 844 finn, 563 sei whales and 304 sperm whales. The production was 30.000 barrels

whale oil, 10.800 barrels sperm oil and 3.227 tons whale meal. Leased 04/12 to Hector Whaling Ltd (Cayzer, Irvine & Co. Ltd), London, England. Renamed **TERRIER VIII**.

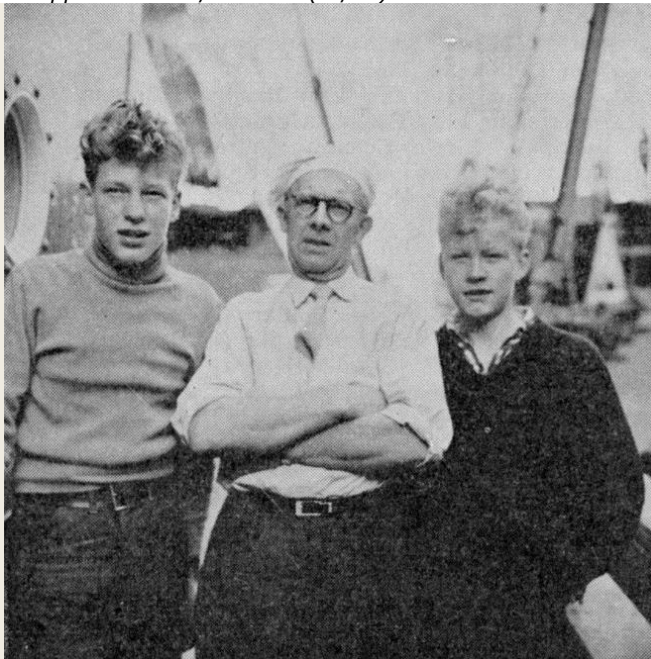
1968 Sold to Saldanha Whaling Ltd, Cape Town, South Africa.

1971 Sold to Union Whaling Co. Ltd, Durban, South Africa.

1973 Renamed **F. H. HUGHES**.

1975 Stripped. Scuttled 17/12 outside the 100 fathom line south of Durban.

*Kilde: Narve Sørensen, DnV, Starke. Einar Onsjøien
Samlet og bearbeidet av Ragnar Iversen
Sist oppdatert: 018/09-2015 (RI/PS)*



SFJ00219510455001 FEMERN (1). Stuert Håkon Borgersen med byssegutter Ingebret Hørte og Kjell Snippen klar for sesongen 1960/61



SFJ00219510455001 FEMERN (2). Maskinsjef Bjørn Floberg sjekker bunkers før avgang for sesongen 1960/61.