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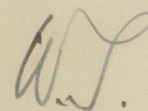

Dimensions:- 350' x 41.83' x 25.25' to Upper Deck  
17.25' to Second Deck.  
Owners:- Isle of Man Steam Packet Co.Ltd.  
Class:- RAL "Shelter deck with freeboard"  
"Irish Channel service".  
Built:- 1905. \_\_\_\_\_

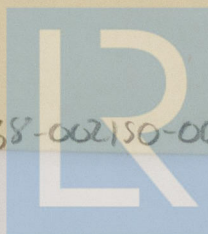
A memorandum has been received from the Freeboard Dept. stating that the Sea Transport Dept. desire the draught of this vessel to be increased from 12'0" to 13'10" (all seasons). The scantlings have been compared with the requirements of the Rules at the increased draught with the following results:-

Transverse Strength of framing is in excess of the Rule standard and 9 transverse bulkheads are fitted instead of 6 as required by the Rules.

Longitudinal Strength is in excess of the Rule requirements.

It is submitted the Freeboard Dept. be informed that the scantlings are such that no objection need be taken to the proposed increase in draught.

  
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