

"BALTIC COAST"

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In reply to their letter of the 5.8.48 the Surveyors should be referred to the plan of Profile and Decks "as built" forwarded with their First Entry Report on which the forward end of the bridge at side is at frame 66 and accordingly the length of the combined poop and bridge would be 132'. If, as now stated, however, the forward end of the bridge is at 1 foot forward of frame 64 the length of 129' as measured in accordance with Circular 1551 is in order, but the plan "as built" is incorrect.

On the plans at this Office, including the above plan "as built", the after end of the forecastle as determined by Circular 1551, Clause (a), is at frame 116, i.e. where the deck extends from side to side of the ship and is enclosed by side plating, which is 4 feet abaft the lamp room bulkhead on frame 118.

The Surveyors should therefore again be requested to verify the length of the forecastle.



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