

S.S. "FORDSDALE"

9650 Tons..

This vessel, which was built by the Commonwealth Dockyard, Sydney, N.S.W., for the Australian Commonwealth Line of Steamers, has just arrived in London.

The Deputy Chairman has suggested that, as this is the largest vessel built in Australia it would be advisable for ~~the~~ Senior Ship and Ship & Engineer Surveyors to pay a special visit to the vessel and make a general report on the same.

The Superintendent advises that the vessel is leaving to-day for Glasgow where she will discharge about the end of next week..

It is submitted that Dr. Montgomerie and Mr. Clarke should be instructed to make the necessary arrangements for visiting the vessel and reporting on the case.

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