

REPORT ON BOILERS.

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Date of writing Report 19 When handed in at Local Office 20 JAN 1939 Port of LIVERPOOL

No. in Survey held at Birkenhead Date, First Survey 29th June/38 Last Survey Dec 21st 1938

Reg. Book. on the S. S. Irefoil (Number of Visits 12.) Tons } Gross } Net }

Master Built at Rothwisch By whom built Yarwood & Co Ltd Yard No. 627 When built 1939

Engines made at Rothwisch By whom made Yarwood & Co Ltd Engine No. 627 When made 1939

Boilers made at Birkenhead By whom made Messrs Cammell Laird & Co Boiler No. 2215 When made 1938

Nominal Horse Power 38 Owners Mersey Dock & Harbour Board Port belonging to Liverpool

MULTITUBULAR BOILERS—MAIN, AUXILIARY, OR DONKEY.

Manufacturers of Steel Colvilles Ltd (Letter for Record S)

Total Heating Surface of Boilers 1020 sq ft Is forced draught fitted No Coal or Oil fired Coal

No. and Description of Boilers one Cylindrical Multitubular Working Pressure 200 lbs

Tested by hydraulic pressure to 350 lb Date of test 18-8-38 No. of Certificate 2507 Can each boiler be worked separately

Area of Firegrate in each Boiler 35 sq ft No. and Description of safety valves to each boiler Two spring loaded - improved lift type

Area of each set of valves per boiler { per Rule 2.97 sq ft } as fitted 3.52 sq ft Pressure to which they are adjusted Are they fitted with easing gear Yes

In case of donkey boilers, state whether steam from main boilers can enter the donkey boiler

Smallest distance between boilers or uptakes and bunkers or woodwork 9" Is oil fuel carried in the double bottom under boilers None

Smallest distance between shell of boiler and tank top 15 1/2" Is the bottom of the boiler insulated No

Largest internal dia. of boilers 11'-0" Length 10'-3" Shell plates: Material steel Tensile strength 29-33 tons

Thickness 1" Are the shell plates welded or flanged No Description of riveting: circ. seams { end P R lap } inter. } Pitch of rivets { 2.82" } { 7 3/16" } { plate } { rivets }

long. seams Double R. double butts Diameter of rivet holes in { circ. seams 1 1/16" } { long. seams 1 1/16" } Percentage of strength of circ. end seams { plate 62 } { rivets 50 } Percentage of strength of circ. intermediate seam { plate } { rivets }

Percentage of strength of longitudinal joint { plate 85.2 } { rivets 92 } { combined 89 } Working pressure of shell by Rules 204 lbs

Thickness of butt straps { outer 13/16" } { inner 15/16" } No. and Description of Furnaces in each Boiler Two Corrugated

Material steel Tensile strength 26-30 tons Smallest outside diameter 3'-2 7/8"

Length of plain part { top } { bottom } Thickness of plates { crown 9/16" } { bottom } Description of longitudinal joint Weld

Dimensions of stiffening rings on furnace or c.c. bottom None Working pressure of furnace by Rules 209 lbs

End plates in steam space: Material steel Tensile strength 26-30 tons Thickness 15/16" Pitch of stays 15 1/4 x 14"

How are stays secured Double hats & outside washers Working pressure by Rules 213 lbs

Tube plates: Material { front steel } { back steel } Tensile strength { 26-30 tons } { 26-30 tons } Thickness { 15/16" } { 27/32" } Working pressure { front 213 lbs } { back 203 lbs }

Mean pitch of stay tubes in nests 11 1/4" Pitch across wide water spaces 14 1/4" Working pressure { front 213 lbs } { back 203 lbs }

Girders to combustion chamber tops: Material steel Tensile strength 28-32 tons Depth and thickness of girder at centre 2 plates 7 1/4 x 1 1/2" Length as per Rule 2'-2 7/8" Distance apart 7 7/8" No. and pitch of stays in each 200. 8 1/4" Working pressure by Rules 230 lbs Combustion chamber plates: Material steel

Tensile strength 26-30 tons Thickness: Sides 2 1/32" Back 2 1/32" Top 2 1/32" Bottom 7/8"

Pitch of stays to ditto: Sides 8 3/4 x 8 1/2" Back 8 3/4 x 8 1/2" Top 8 1/4 x 7 7/8" Are stays fitted with nuts or riveted over Rotted

Working pressure by Rules 202 lbs Front plate at bottom: Material steel Tensile strength 26-30 tons

Thickness 15/16" Lower back plate: Material steel Tensile strength 26-30 tons Thickness 15/16"

Pitch of stays at wide water space 15 x 8 1/2" Are stays fitted with nuts or riveted over Rotted

Working Pressure 243 lbs Main stays: Material steel Tensile strength 28-32 tons

Diameter { At body of stay } { Over threads } 2 1/2" No. of threads per inch 6 Area supported by each stay 213 sq in

Working pressure by Rules 207 lbs Screw stays: Material steel Tensile strength 26-30 tons

Diameter { At turned off part } { Over threads } 1 7/8" No. of threads per inch 9 Area supported by each stay 74 sq in

Working pressure by Rules 204 lbs Are the stays drilled at the outer ends no Margin stays: Diameter { At turned off part, 1 1/8" or Over threads: 1 1/8"

No. of threads per inch 9 Area supported by each stay 970" Working pressure by Rules 220 lbs

Tubes: Material B. B Iron External diameter { Plain 3 1/4" Stay 3 1/4" Thickness { 908 L59 5/16" No. of threads per inch 9

Pitch of tubes 4 1/2 x 4 1/2" Working pressure by Rules 205 lbs Manhole compensation: Size of opening in shell plate 2 1/4 x 1 7/8" Section of compensating ring 9 x 1 1/16" No. of rivets and diameter of rivet holes 46 @ 1 1/16"

Outer row rivet pitch at ends 7 3/16" Depth of flange if manhole flanged 3 1/2" Steam Dome: Material None

Tensile strength Thickness of shell Description of longitudinal joint

Diameter of rivet holes Pitch of rivets Percentage of strength of joint { Plate Rivets

Internal diameter Working pressure by Rules Thickness of crown No. and diameter of stays Inner radius of crown Working pressure by Rules

How connected to shell Size of doubling plate under dome Diameter of rivet holes and pitch of rivets in outer row in dome connection to shell

Type of Superheater None Manufacturers of { Tubes Steel forgings Steel castings

Number of elements Material of tubes Internal diameter and thickness of tubes

Material of headers Tensile strength Thickness Can the superheater be shut off and the boiler be worked separately

Area of each safety valve Are the safety valves fitted with easing gear Working pressure as per Rules Pressure to which the safety valves are adjusted Hydraulic test pressure: tubes forgings and castings and after assembly in place Are drain cocks or valves fitted to free the superheater from water where necessary

Have all the requirements of Sections 14 to 22 inclusive for boilers been complied with Yes

The foregoing is a correct description,
GAMMELL LAIRD & CO. LIMITED Manufacturer.
J. H. Melton Manager.

Dates of Survey { During progress of work in shops - - - June 29, July 5, 7, 15, 21, Aug 8, 15, 16, 18, 19, 25, Dec 21. See the approved plans of boiler and superheater forwarded herewith (If not state date of approval.) } Yes

while building { During erection on board vessel - - - } Total No. of visits 12 +

Is this Boiler a duplicate of a previous case no If so, state Vessel's name and Report No.

GENERAL REMARKS (State quality of workmanship, opinions as to class, &c.) This boiler has been constructed under special survey, and is in accordance with the Rules and the approved plan. The workmanship is good throughout. It has now been forwarded to Northwich where it is to be fitted on board.

Survey Fee £ 6-16-0 } When applied for, 20 JAN 1939
 Travelling Expenses (if any) £ : : } When received, San Ch & Pool 9/3/39
J. H. Melton

Engineer Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

Committee's Minute LIVERPOOL 24 JAN 1939
 Assigned Transmit to London See Minute on F.E. Machinery
LIVERPOOL 25 APR 1939

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