

# B.C. REPORT OF SURVEY FOR REPAIRS, &c., OF ENGINES AND BOILERS

No. 8774.

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No in Reg. Book Survey held at SINGAPORE.

Date First Survey 7-7-51 Last Survey 21-8-1951  
(No. of Visits 6)

71450 on the Machinery of the Wood, Iron &amp; Steel TWIN S.

M.V. "ORESTES"

Tonnage Gross 7760.  
Net 4737  
Nominal Horse Power —  
No. of Main Boilers —  
No. of Donkey Boilers —  
Steam Pressure — in Main Boilers —  
in Donkey Boilers —

Vessel built at BELFAST.  
Engines made at CPN.  
Boilers, when made (Main) —  
Owners OCEAN S.S. CO. LTD.  
Managers A. HOLT & CO.  
If Surveyed Afloat or in Dry Dock AFLOAT & DRYDOCK (Kings Dock)  
(State name of Dock.)

By whom WORKMAN, CLARK & CO. LTD. When 1926.  
By whom AKT. BURMEISTR & WAIN. When 1926.  
(Donkey) —  
Owners' Address —  
(if not already recorded in Appendix to Register Book.)  
Port LIVERPOOL Voyage —

Particulars of Classification (which must be inserted precisely as in Register Book &amp; Supplements).

CHARACTER.	Year in which assigned now expiring	Machinery and Boiler Surveys (including date of N.B., if any)
* for Special Survey. Date of last Survey and of Periodical Surveys.		

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(Classification Pending)

Last Report No. Port

## Particulars of Examination and Repairs (if any) MACHINERY PARTS (CLASSIFICATION)

Periodical Surveys, when held, must be reported in detail and verbatim in the terms of the Rules. State clearly the cause of Repairs, if any, and, in detail, the nature and extent of Examinations and subsequent Repairs. Repairs on account of damage (the cause of which must be stated) should be separated from Repairs due to other causes; and besides being detailed in the body of the report, should be briefly summarised at the end of the report. State also the dates and initials of any letters respecting this case CLASS 4 (S) dated 26 FEB. 1951

In damage cases where the Surveyor has not made a special damage report he is required to state whether he offered his services for this purpose, and why they were declined —

Was a damage report made by anyone else? If so, by whom? —

Did the Surveyor personally go inside each Main Boiler separately and make a thorough examination at this time? —

Donkey

If not, state for what reasons. —

What parts of the Boilers could not be thus thoroughly examined? —

What special means, in the absence of internal examination, were adopted by the Surveyor to assure himself of the thorough efficiency of those parts of each Boiler? —

State latest date of internal examination of each boiler. —

Present condition of funnel(s). Efficient.

Did the Surveyor examine the Safety Valves of the Main Boilers? —

To what pressure were they afterwards adjusted under steam? —

Did the Surveyor examine the Safety Valves of the Donkey Boilers? —

To what pressure were they afterwards adjusted under steam? —

Did the Surveyor examine all the manholes, doors and their fastenings of the Main Boilers? —

and of the Donkey Boilers? —

Did the Surveyor examine the drain plugs of the Main Boilers? —

and of the Donkey Boilers? —

Did the Surveyor examine all the mountings of the Main Boilers? —

and of the Donkey Boilers? —

Has the screw shaft now been drawn and examined? No

Has it a continuous liner? —

Is an approved oil retaining appliance fitted at the after end? No

Has shaft now been shopped? —

If so, state reason. —

Has the shaft now fitted been previously used? —

Has it a continuous liner? —

Is an approved oil retaining appliance fitted at the after end? —

State date of examination of Screw Shaft. —

State the wear down in the

stern bush 232.5%

Is electric light and/or power fitted? —

If so, did the Surveyor examine the generators, motors, switchgear, cables and fuses? —

Has the insulation resistance of the generators, circuits and apparatus been tested and found to be not less than 100,000 ohms? —

Engine parts, when referred to by numbers, should be counted from forward. Auxiliary machinery should be referred to by position in Machinery Space.

If the Survey is not complete, state what arrangements have been made for its completion and what remains to be done.

Survey complete (C S class)

Not done. The following machinery parts opened up, examined, and all found or placed in satisfactory condition: -

Starboard main engine Nos. 1 to 8 crank pins and bottoms and braces and, Nos. 1 to 10 crank journals and main bearings.

Starboard thrust, thrust shaft and bearings and, thrust pads.

Starboard intermediate shafting and bearings.

Port and starboard oil fuel daily service tanks examined internally and the fittings examined.

Starboard side air receiver (internally) and its fittings and connections.

Fine/bilge pump (forward end of starboard side) water and character, impeller and shafting.

Steam driven auxiliary 2-stage air compressor in its entirety.

Wear and tear repairs. Main engine (starboard) No. 8 main bearing top half white metal found badly broken and the starboard half bearing fitted. Re-lubricate top half main bearing and top half. Steam engine of the auxiliary air compressor fitted with new valve spindle. The new pair of teeth. (Please see Construction Sheet)

## General Observations, Opinion, and Recommendation. —

(State clearly what alteration, if any, is suggested to be made in the existing classification of the vessel's machinery in the Register Book, consequent upon this survey, and also any alteration required to be made in the records of the vessel's machinery, boilers, working pressures, &c.; thus, for example, BS 0, II, B&MS 0, II, ELMC 0, II or G.L.M.D. 140 lb. P.D. &c.)

The machinery of this vessel so far as seen is in good condition and eligible, in my opinion, to have the record of M.S. C.S. (with dates) after the classification Survey has been completed.

Survey Fee (per Section 29) PART MB8 £ 150/-

Fees applied for 7/9/1951

g/hrs

Received by me,

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Special Damage or Repair Fee (if any) £ : :

Travelling expenses (if chargeable) £ : :

Committee's Minute TUES. 20 NOV 1951

Assigned

Deferred for Compt

Chm Survey

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Rpt. 9a.

Port of SINGAPORE.

Continuation of Report No. 8744 dated 10<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER, 1951 on the

T. S. M.V. "ORESTES"

Machinery Parts (Continued) Particulars and sizes were taken of the parts of the machinery opened up for examination and, are given in the attached Rpt 9a.

Not done for Docking. Vessel placed in dry dock.

The propellers, sea valves and cocks (opened up) and their fastenings examined and found in satisfactory condition.

N.P. Watson.

TWIN SCREW. M.V. "ORESTES"

Particulars and sizes of the parts of the machinery which were opened up for examination are recorded as under:-

Main engine crankshaft, dia of journals (all built) 19 $\frac{1}{8}$  inches.

Crank pin diameter 19 $\frac{1}{8}$  inches.

Span of bearings adjacent to the crank, 39 $\frac{5}{8}$  inches.

Crank webs, mid length breadth 33 $\frac{1}{4}$  inches; mid length thickness 11 $\frac{3}{4}$  inches.

Crank webs (shank) thickness parallel to axis 11 $\frac{1}{4}$  inches; thickness around cylinder 12 $\frac{1}{4}$  inches.

Intermediate shaft diam, 15 inches; Thrust shaft, dia at collar 15 $\frac{3}{4}$  inches.

Air Receiver No 2. Total cubic capacity 26,000 cu ft.

External diameter 7-1/2"; Thickness 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ " - 17/16"; Double butt strip riveted longitudinal joint; material steel. Working pressure 360 lbs/sq.in.

Position: port and starboard sides of engine room at mid height.

Is each receiver, which can be isolated from a safety valve, fitted with a fusible plug, yes.

Is a safety valve fitted on the discharge line from the compressors, yes.

Can the internal surfaces of the receivers be examined, yes.

Is a drain fitted at the lowest part of each receiver, yes.

Small Auxiliary Air Compressor: - No 1; No of stages 2

Diameters, HP 1 $\frac{5}{8}$ ", LP 4 $\frac{3}{16}$ ", stroke 4 inches, driven by single cylinder steam engine.

Fwd/Bilge Pump (Forward and of engine room on starboard side)

Type Drysdale Centrifugal, Model, Sunderland Forge DC motor. No A 459.

12 HP, 96 Arms, 110 Volts. Bent Rating 1300/1450 RPM.

Compound Wound Built 1925. Approximate Capacity 100 Tons/boat.

N.P. Watson.