

Rpt. 13.

No. 85781

REPORT ON ELECTRIC FITTINGS.

(OTHER THAN FOR THE PROPULSION OF THE VESSEL)

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Port of **Newcastle-on-Tyne**

No. in

Survey held at

Newcastle

Date, First Survey

15 April

Last Survey

14 May19 **30.**

Reg. Book.

Fitted on the **S.S. "Maplewood"**

(Number of Visits.....5.....)

Tons

Gross

Net

Built at

Newcastle

By whom built

John S.B.G. & Co.

Yard No.

416

When built

1930

Owners

Joseph Constantine S.S. Line Ltd.

Port belonging to

Middlesboro

Electric Light Installation fitted by

Campbell & Sherwood & Co.

Contract No.

416

When fitted

1930

Is the Vessel fitted for carrying Petroleum in bulk

No.**System of Distribution****Double wire****Pressure of supply for Lighting****110**volts, **Heating****—**volts, **Power**

volts.

Direct or Alternating Current, Lighting**Direct****Power**

If alternating current system, state frequency of periods per second

—Has the **Automatic Governor** been tested and found efficient when the whole load is suddenly thrown on or off**Yes****Generators**, do they comply with the requirements regarding rating**Yes**

, are they compound wound

Yes

are they over compounded 5 per cent.

Yes

, if not compound wound state distance between each generator

Where more than one generator is fitted are they arranged to run in parallel

No

, is an adjustable regulating resistance fitted in

series with each shunt field

Yes

Are all terminals accessible, clearly marked, and furnished with sockets

Yes

, are they so spaced or shielded that they cannot be accidentally earthed,

short circuited, or touched

Yes

Are the lubricating arrangements of the generators as per Rule

Yes.**Position of Generators****Engine room starboard side**

is the ventilation in way of the generators satisfactory

Yes

, are they clear of all inflammable material

Yes

if situated near unprotected woodwork or other combustible material, state distance of same horizontally from or vertically above the generators

—

and

—

, are the generators protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam or oil

Yes

are their axes of rotation fore and aft

Yes**Earthing**, are the bedplates and frames of the generating plant efficiently earthed**Yes**

are the prime movers and

their respective generators in metallic contact

Yes.**Main Switch Boards**, where placed**Engine room starboard side**

If the generators and main switchboard are not placed in the same compartment, is each generator provided with

a fuse on each insulated pole as near as possible to the terminals of the generator, additional to that provided on the main switchboard

Switchboards, are they placed in accessible positions, free from inflammable gases and acid fumes**Yes**

are they protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam or oil

Yes

, if situated near unprotected

woodwork or other combustible material, state distance of same horizontally from or vertically above the switchboards

—

and

—

are they constructed wholly of durable, non-ignitable non-absorbent materials

Yes

, is all insulation of high dielectric strength and of

permanently high insulation resistance

Yes

, if semi-insulating material is used, are all conducting parts insulated from the slab

with mica or micanite or other non-hygroscopic insulating material, and the slab similarly insulated from its framework

Yes

and is the frame effectively earthed

Yes

Are the fittings as per Rule regarding:— spacing or shielding of live parts

Yes

, accessibility of all parts

Yes

, absence of fuses on back of board

Yes

, proportion of omnibus

bars

Yes

, individual fuses to voltmeter, pilot or earth lamp

Yes

, connections of switches

Yes**Main Switchgear**, description of switchgear for each generator and each outgoing circuit, and arrangement of equalizer switches**Double pole****switch fuses on dynamo mains. Double pole switch on each outgoing circuit****fuses****single pole****Instruments on main switchboard****one**

ammeters

one

voltmeters

—

synchronising device for paralleling purposes.

Earth Testing, state what means are provided at the main switchboard for indicating the state of the insulation of the system**Earth lamps****coupled to earth through switches fuses****Switches, Circuit Breakers and Fusible Cut-outs**, do these comply with the requirements of the Rules**Yes****Joint Boxes Section and Distribution Boards**, is the construction, protection, insulation, material, and position of these as per rule**Yes.**

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Cables: Single, twin, concentric, or multicore single are the cables insulated and protected as per Tables IV or V of the Rules Yes

Fall of Pressure, state maximum between bus bars and any point of the installation under maximum load 4 volts

Cable Sockets and other connections, are the ends of all cables having a sectional area of 0.04 square inch and above provided with soldering sockets Yes

Paper Insulated Cables. If cables are paper covered, is the dielectric at the exposed ends of the conductor protected from moisture by being suitably sealed with insulating compound —

Cable Runs, are the cables fixed as far as possible in accessible positions not exposed to drip or accumulation of water or oil, or to high temperature from boilers, steam pipes, uptakes or other hot objects, or to avoidable risk of mechanical damage Yes

Support and Protection of Cables, state how the cables are supported and protected Lead covered harmonised cables in engine room. V.I.R in pipe in tween decks cargo spaces lead on in acc.

If cables are run in wood casings, are the casings and caps secured by screws —, are the cap screws of brass —, are the cables run in separate grooves —. If armoured and lead covered cables are secured by metal clips, are the clips spaced as per Table VIII Yes

Refrigerated Chambers, if lights are fitted, are the cables and fittings in accordance with the special requirements —

Joints in Cables, state if any, and how made, insulated, and protected none made

Watertight Glands and Deck Tubes, are all cables passing through decks and watertight bulkheads provided with deck tubes or watertight glands Yes

Bushes in Beams and Non-watertight Partitions, where unarmoured cables pass through beams and non-watertight partitions, are the holes efficiently bushed Yes state the material of which the bushes are made lead

Earthing Connections, state what earthing connections are fitted and their respective sectional areas —, are their connections made as per Rule —

Alternative Lighting, are the groups of lights in the propelling machinery space arranged as per Rule Yes

Emergency Supply, state position and method of control of the emergency supply and how the generator is driven —

Navigation Lamps, are these separately wired Yes, controlled by separate switch and separate fuses Yes, are the fuses double pole Yes, are the switches and fuses grouped in a position accessible only to the officers on watch Yes, has each navigation lamp an automatic indicator as per Rule Yes

Secondary Batteries, are they constructed and fitted as per Rule —

Fittings, are all fittings on weather decks, in stokeholds and engine rooms and wherever exposed to drip or condensed moisture, watertight Yes, are any fittings placed in spaces in which goods are liable to be stacked in close proximity to them; if so, how are they protected —, are any fittings placed in spaces where inflammable or explosive dust or gases are liable to be present, if so, how are they protected —, how are the cables led —

where are the controlling switches situated —

Searchlight Lamps, No. of —, whether fixed or portable —, are their fittings as per Rule —

Are Lamps, other than searchlight lamps, No. of —, are their live parts insulated from the frame or case —, are their fittings as per Rule —

Motors, are their working parts readily accessible Yes, are the coils self-contained and readily removable for replacement Yes, are the brushes, brush holders, terminals and lubricating arrangements as per Rule Yes, are the motors placed in well-ventilated compartments in which inflammable gases cannot accumulate and clear of all inflammable material Yes, are they protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam or oil Yes, are their axes of rotation fore and aft Yes, if situated near unprotected woodwork or other combustible material, are the motors of the totally enclosed, pipe ventilated, forced draught, drip or flame proof type —, if not of this type, state distance of the combustible material horizontally or vertically above the motors — and —

Control Gear and Resistances, are the generator field and motor speed regulators, starters and controllers constructed and fitted as per Rule Yes

Lightning Conductors, where lightning conductors are required, are these fitted as per Rule —


Ships carrying Oil having a Flash Point less than 150° F. Have the special requirements of the Rules been complied with regarding switches, joint boxes, section and distribution boards, protection of cables, method of distribution, lead of cables, lights and fittings. —

If portable lamps for use in dangerous spaces are supplied, are they of a type approved by the Home Office —

PARTICULARS OF GENERATING PLANT.									
DESCRIPTION OF GENERATOR.	No of	RATED AT				DRIVEN BY	WHERE DRIVEN BY AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE.		
		Kilowatts.	Volts.	Ampères.	Revs. per Min.		Fuel Used.	Flash Point of Fuel.	
MAIN ...	1	10	110	91	400	Steam engine			
AUXILIARY ...									
EMERGENCY ...									
ROTARY TRANSFORMER									

GENERATOR, LIGHTING AND HEATING CONDUCTORS.									
DESCRIPTION.	CONDUCTORS.		COMPOSITION OF STRAND.		TOTAL MAXIMUM CURRENT. AMPERES.		Approximate Length. (Lead and Return.) Feet.	Insulated with	HOW PROTECTED.
	No. per Pole.	Total Effective Area per Pole Sq. Ins.	No.	Diameter.	In Circuit.	Rule.			
MAIN GENERATOR ...	1	.07892	19	.072	91	94	15	V.I.R	Lead on stranded
EQUALISER CONNECTIONS									
AUXILIARY GENERATOR...									
EMERGENCY GENERATOR									
ROTARY TRANSFORMER { MOTOR GENERATOR...									
ENGINE ROOM...	1	.02214	4	.064	18	46	10	50	Lead on stranded
BOILER ROOM...									
AUXILIARY SWITCHBOARDS									
ACCOMMODATION Saloon, etc.	1	.01462	4	.052	25.0	37.0	200	50	50 ft. Rm. pipe
Engine room	1	.01462	4	.052	23.0	37.0	80	50	50
WIRELESS	1	.01046	4	.0744	15	31	220	50	50
SEARCHLIGHT									
MASTHEAD LIGHT	1	.00194	3	.029	.4	7.8	4.10	50	1 50
SIDE LIGHTS	1	.00194	3	.029	.4	7.8	4.5	50	50
COMPASS LIGHTS	1	.00194	3	.029	.25	7.8	20	50	50
STEER LIGHTS	1	.00194	3	.029	.4	7.8	550	50	50
CARGO LIGHTS	1	.00194	3	.029	3.4	7.8	120	50	Cable type flexible
ARC LAMPS									
HEATERS									

MOTOR CONDUCTORS.										
DESCRIPTION.	No. of Motors.	CONDUCTORS.		COMPOSITION OF STRAND.		TOTAL MAXIMUM CURRENT. AMPERES.		Approximate Length. (Lead and Return.) Feet.	Insulated with	HOW PROTECTED.
		No. Per Pole.	Total Effective Area per Pole Sq. Ins.	No.	Diameter.	In Circuit.	Rule.			
BALLAST PUMP										
MAIN BILGE LINE PUMPS										
GENERAL SERVICE PUMP										
EMERGENCY BILGE PUMP										
SANITARY PUMP										
CIRC. SEA WATER PUMPS										
CIRC. FRESH WATER PUMPS.										
AIR COMPRESSOR										
FRESH WATER PUMP										
ENGINE TURNING GEAR...										
ENGINE REVERSING GEAR										
LUBRICATING OIL PUMPS										
OIL FUEL TRANSFER PUMP...										
WINDLASS										
WINCHES, FORWARD										
WINCHES, AFT										
STEERING GEAR—										
(a) MOTOR GENERATOR...										
(b) MAIN MOTOR										
WORKSHOP MOTOR										
VENTILATING FANS										
Refrigerator	1	1	.01462	4	.052	30	37	60	V.I.R	Lead on stranded

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All Conductors are of annealed copper conforming to British Standard Specification No. 7.

The Insulated Conductors are guaranteed to withstand the immersion and resistance tests specified in the Rules.

The foregoing is a correct description.

CAMPBELL & ISHERWOOD, LTD.
PER Thor Meade

Electrical Engineers.

Date 9th July 1930

COMPASSES.

Distance between electric generators or motors and standard compass 138 feet

Distance between electric generators or motors and steering compass 128 feet.

The nearest cables to the compasses are as follows:—

A cable carrying 25 Ampères 10 feet from standard compass on the ~~feet from~~ steering compass.

A cable carrying 25 Ampères on the ~~feet from~~ standard compass 10 feet from steering compass.

A cable carrying _____ Ampères _____ feet from standard compass _____ feet from steering compass.

Have the compasses been adjusted with and without the electric installation at work at full power Yes

Has the effect of switching on and off circuits, motors and other electro-magnetic apparatus within the vicinity of the compasses been noted Yes.

The maximum deviation due to electric currents was found to be nil degrees on all course in the case of the standard

compass, and nil degrees on all course in the case of the steering compass.

FOR NORTHUMBRIA SHIPBUILDING CO. (1927) LTD.

Clara J. Bellie Builder's Signature.

Date 23rd July 1930

Is this installation a duplicate of a previous case Yes. If so, state name of vessel S.S. "Kingswood"

General Remarks (State quality of workmanship, opinions as to class, &c.)

The above installation is in accordance with the Society's Rules. The vessel is eligible in my opinion for notation elec light wireless

It is submitted that
this vessel is eligible for
THE RECORD. Elec. Light.

W.T. Badger
5/8/30

Total Capacity of Generators 10 Kilowatts.

The amount of Fee ... £ 10 :- + 26.5 1930
When applied for,
Travelling Expenses (if any) £ : : 3.6 1930
When received, W.T.

W.T. Badger
Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

Committee's Minute

Assigned

Elec. Lt.

"Thapledore"



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