

Rpt. 13.

No. 114465

REPORT ON ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT.

(OTHER THAN FOR THE PROPULSION OF THE VESSEL)

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Date of writing Report **3rd July 1957** When handed in at Local Office **3 JUL 1957** Port of **NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE**

No. in Survey held at **SOUTH SHIELDS** Date, First Survey **DEC. 11 1956** Last Survey **20 27 19 57**

Reg. Book. (No. of Visits **13**)

on the **S.S. "ESSO WANDSWORTH"** Tons **4352**

Built at **DULUTH, MINNESOTA** By whom built **Barnes, Duluth S.B.Co.** Yard No. **-** When built **1943**

Owners **Esso Petroleum Co. Limited.** Port belonging to **LONDON**

Installation fitted by **Barnes - Duluth S. B. Company.** When fitted **1943**

Is vessel equipped for carrying Petroleum in bulk **Yes** Is vessel equipped with D.F. **Yes** E.S.D. **Yes** Gy.C. **No** ~~S.S.C.~~ **Yes** Radar **Decca**

Plans, have they been submitted and approved **Survey** System of Distribution **Two wire** Voltage of Lighting **110**

Heating **-** Power **110** D.C. or A.C., Lighting **D.C.** Power **D.C.** If A.C. state frequency **-**

Prime Movers, has the governing been found as per Rule when full load is thrown on and off **Yes** Are turbine emergency governors fitted with a trip switch **-**

Generators, are they compound wound **Yes**, and level compounded under working conditions **Yes**

Are the generators arranged to run in parallel **Yes** Is the compound winding connected to the negative or positive pole **Negative**

Have machines 100 kw. and over been inspected by the Surveyors during manufacture and testing **-** Have certificates of test for machines under 100 kw. been supplied and the results found as per Rule **-**

Position of Generators **Engine Room floor level aft of main engine.**

Is the ventilation in way of generators satisfactory **Yes** are they clear of inflammable material and protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam and oil **Yes**

Switchboards, where are main switchboards placed **Engine Room floor level, adjacent to after bulkhead and adjacent to generators.**

are they in accessible positions, free from inflammable gases and acid fumes and protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam and oil **Yes**

what insulation is used for the panels **Dead Front**, if of synthetic insulating material is it an Approved Type **-**

if of semi-insulating material (slate or marble) are all conducting parts insulated therefrom as per Rule **-**

Is the construction as per Rule, including locking of screws and nuts **Yes** Description of Main Switchgear for each generator and arrangement of equaliser switches **Manually operated double pole circuit breaker with 2**

O/L's and time lags and reverse current trip and triple pole isolating switch.

and the switch and fuse gear (or circuit breakers) for each outgoing circuit **Double pole switch and fuses.**

Are compartments containing switchboards composed of fire-resisting material or lined as per Rule **Yes** Instruments on main switchboard **4**

ammeters **3** voltmeters **-** synchronising devices. For compound machines in parallel are the ammeters and reverse current protection devices connected on the pole opposite to the equaliser connection **Yes**

Earth Testing, state means provided **-**

Earth lamps Preference Tripping, state if provided **No**, and tested **-**

Switches, Circuit Breakers and Fuses, are they as per Rule **Yes**, are the fuses an Approved Type **American Standard**

make of fuses **American Std. Cartridge** all fuses labelled **Yes** If circuit breakers are provided for the generators, at what overload do they operate **Tested at 100% Set at 150% F.L.**

and at what current do the reverse current protective devices operate **15% F.L.**

Cables, are they insulated and protected as per Rule **6.9.56**

if otherwise than as per Rule are they of an Approved Type **L.O. letter** state maximum fall of pressure between bus bars and any point under maximum load **Less than 6%**

Are all paper insulated and varnished cambric insulated cables sealed at the ends **Yes**

Are all the cable runs in accessible positions not exposed to drip or accumulation of water or oil, high temperatures or risk of mechanical damage **Yes**

are any cables laid under machines or floorplates **-**, if so, are they adequately protected **Yes**

type of cables (if in conduit this should also be stated) in machinery spaces **V.C. L.A.**, galleys **L.O. Letter 6.9.56.**

and laundries **-** State how the cables are supported or protected **Main run V.C. L.A.B. through pipes on deck. Accommodation and machinery spaces cables clipped to metal trays, metalwork or woodwork and protected where necessary.**

Are all lead sheaths, armouring and conduits effectually bonded and earthed **Yes**

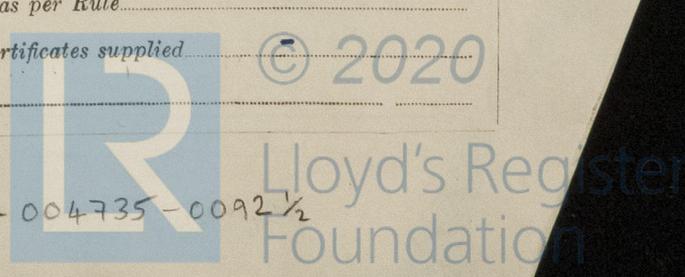
Are all cables passing through decks and watertight bulkheads provided with deck tubes or watertight glands **Yes**

where unarmoured cables pass through beams, etc., are the holes effectively bushed **Yes**

Refrigerated chambers, are the cables and fittings as per Rule **-**

Have refrigeration fan motors been constructed under survey **-** and test certificates supplied **-**

Are the motors accessible for maintenance at all times **-**



Alternative Lighting, are the groups of lights in the engine and boiler rooms arranged as per Rule Yes Emergency Supply, state position

Navigation Lamps, are they separately wired Yes controlled by separate double pole switches and fuses Yes Are the switches and fuses in a position accessible only to the officers on watch Yes, is an automatic indicator fitted Yes Is an alternative supply provided Yes

Secondary Batteries, are they constructed, fitted and adequately ventilated as per Rule -, state battery capacity in ampere hours - Where required to do so does it comply with 1948 International Convention -

Lighting, is fluorescent lighting fitted No If so, state nominal lamp voltage - and compartments where lamps are fitted -

Fittings, are all fittings on weather decks, in stokeholds and engine rooms and wherever exposed to drip or condensed moisture, weatherproof Yes

Searchlights, No. of -, whether fixed or portable -, are they of the carbon arc or of the filament type -

Heating and Cooking, is the general construction as per Rule -, are the frames effectually earthed -, are heaters in the accommodation of the convection type - Motors, are all motors constructed and installed as per Rule and placed in well-ventilated compartments in which inflammable gases cannot accumulate and protected from damage from water, steam and oil Yes

Are motors coupled to oil fuel transfer and pressure pumps capable of being stopped from a position accessible in the event of fire in the pump compartment - Have motors of 100 BHP and over been inspected by the Surveyors during manufacture and testing -

Have certificates of test for motors under 100 BHP intended for essential sea services been supplied and the results found as per Rule -

Lightning Conductors, where required are they fitted as per Rule Steel masts and top masts

Ships carrying Oil having a Flash Point of less than 150° F. Have all the special requirements of the Rules for such ships been complied with Yes L.O. letter 6.9.56.

Are all fuses of an Approved Cartridge Type Yes, make of fuse American Std. Cart. ridge Letter Are the fittings for pumps L.O. letter

rooms, tween deck spaces, etc., in accordance with the special requirements for such ships L.O. Are all cables lead covered as per Rule 6.9.56.

E.S.D., if fitted state maker Marconi location of transmitter and receiver Forward Pump Room Centre Frame Nos: 158-159

Spare Gear, if the vessel is for open sea service have spares been provided as per Rule and suitably stored in dry situations Yes

Insulation Tests, has the insulation resistance of all circuits and apparatus been tested and found satisfactory Yes

PARTICULARS OF GENERATING PLANT.

DESCRIPTION OF GENERATOR.	No. of	MAKER.	RATED AT				PRIME MOVER.	
			Kw. per Generator	Volts.	Ampères.	Revs. per Min.	TYPE.	MAKER.
MAIN	2	G.F. STURTEVANT	10	110	91	450	STEAM	STURTEVANT & CO.
		1 TROY ENG. & MACH. CO.	15	120	125	450	STEAM	STURTEVANT & CO.
EMERGENCY								
ROTARY								
TRANSFORMER								

GENERATOR CABLES.

DESCRIPTION.	No. of	Kw.	CONDUCTORS.		MAXIMUM CURRENT IN AMPERES.		APPROX. LENGTH (lead plus return feet).	INSULATION.	PROTECTIVE COVERING.
			No. in Parallel per Pole.	Sectional Area or No. and Dia. of Strands. Sq. ins. or sq. mm.	In the Circuit.	Rule.			
MAIN GENERATOR	2	10	1	.055	91	125	36	V.C.	L.C.A.
" EQUALISER	1	15	1	.055	-	125	36	V.C.	L.C.A.
			1	.055	125	125	36	V.C.	L.C.A.
			1	.055	125	125	36	V.C.	L.C.A.
EMERGENCY GENERATOR									
ROTARY TRANSFORMER: MOTOR									
" GENERATOR									

MAIN DISTRIBUTION CABLES (to Auxiliary Switchboards, etc.).

DESCRIPTION.	No. of	Kw.	CONDUCTORS.	MAXIMUM CURRENT IN AMPERES.	APPROX. LENGTH (lead plus return feet).	INSULATION.	PROTECTIVE COVERING.
			No. in Parallel per Pole.	Sectional Area or No. and Dia. of Strands. Sq. ins. or sq. mm.	In the Circuit.	Rule.	
Shore connection box	1		2c-.0521	100	125	260	V.C. L.C.A.
Degaussing supply	1		2c-19/.052	75	110	216	" L.C.B.
Radio supply	1		2c-7/.064	30	80	800	" L.C.A.
Battery Charging	1		2c-.0051	5	20	80	" "
Radar Supply	1		2c-3/.036	5	10	90	V.I.R. L.C.A.B.

DISTRIBUTION CABLES (to Section-Boards and Distribution-Fuse-Boards, etc.).

DESCRIPTION.	No. in Parallel per Pole.	Sectional Area or No. and Dia. of Strands. Sq. ins. or sq. mm.	MAXIMUM CURRENT IN AMPERES.		APPROX. LENGTH (lead plus return feet).	INSULATION.	PROTECTIVE COVERING.
			In the Circuit.	Rule.			
Forward quarters ltg. D.B.	P.2	1 2c-19/.064	78	83	860	V.I.R.	L.C.A.B.
Aft quarters ltg. D.B.	P.5	1 2c-.0329	80	100	130	V.C.	L.C.A.
Pilot House panel D.B.	P.8	1 2c-7/.044	13	45	860	"	L.C.A.B.
Engine Rm. & Blr. Rm. Ltg. D.B. P11		1 2c-.0206	15	46	80	"	L.C.A.
Steering room & Aft Acc." D.B. P12		1 2c-.0206	15	46	80	"	"
Navigation Ltg. (Fed from P.8)		1 2c-.0051	5	20	40	"	"
Bosuns Stores Panel (Fed from P.2)		1 2c-.0130	20	50	140	"	"

MOTOR CABLES.

ALL IMPORTANT MOTORS TO BE ENUMERATED.	No.	B.H.P.	CONDUCTORS.	MAXIMUM CURRENT IN AMPERES.	APPROX. LENGTH (lead plus return feet).	INSULATION.	PROTECTIVE COVERING.
			No. in Parallel per Pole.	Sectional Area or No. and Dia. of Strands. Sq. ins. or sq. mm.	In the Circuit.	Rule.	
Refrig. Compressor	1	5	1 2c-.0329	36	100	70	V.C. L.C.A.B.
Telegraph convertors	2	1/2	1 2c-.0051	5	18	40	" "
Drill	1	1/2	1 2c-.0051	5	18	64	" "
Grinder	1	1/2	1 2c-.0051	5	18	60	" "
Fresh Water pump	1	1/2	1 2c-.0051	5	18	60	" "

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NOTE.—Use Rpt. 13 Continuation Sheet if the above space is insufficient.

The Electrical Equipment is installed in accordance with the approved plans and the requirements of the Rules.

All Insulated Conductors are guaranteed to have been tested at the maker's works as specified in the Rules.

The foregoing is a correct description.

Electrical Contractors. Date

COMPASSES.

Have the compasses been adjusted under working conditions

Builder's Signature. Date

Have the foregoing descriptions and schedules been verified and found correct

Is this installation a duplicate of a previous case. YES If so, state name of vessel. ESO CHESTER

Plans. Are approved plans forwarded herewith. YES If not, state date of approval

Certificates. Are certificates of test for motors engaged on essential sea services and generators forwarded herewith. NOT AVAILABLE VESSEL NOT BUILT TO CLASS

General Remarks. (State quality of workmanship and materials, opinions as to class, etc.)

The Electrical Equipment of this Vessel, was fitted on board under American Bureau Survey, has now been examined throughout, seen under working conditions and found to be satisfactory. The equipment, as installed, is in our opinion, suitable for a Class Ship.

Total Capacity of Generators 35 Kilowatts.

The amount of Fee ... £ 12 : 0 : When applied for, 19

Travelling Expenses (if any) £ : : When received, 19

J. Hancock. Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

J. HANCOCK.

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Committee's Minute

Assigned See Rpt. 8.

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