

REPORT ON OIL ENGINE MACHINERY.

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Single on the Twin Triple Quadruple Screw vessel. **BRITISH PIONEER** Tons Gross..... Net.....

Built at GLASGOW By whom built BLYTHSWOOD S.B. CO LD Yard No. 97 When built 1951

Engines made at GREENOCK By whom made JOHN G. KINCAID CO LD Engine No. K213 When made 1951

Donkey Boilers made at do By whom made do Boiler No. K213 When made 1951

Brake Horse Power 3520 Max 1197 3200 SERVICE Owners BRITISH TANKER CO LD Port belonging to LONDON

M.N. Power as per Rule 625 Is Refrigerating Machinery fitted for cargo purposes No Is Electric Light fitted Yes

Trade for which vessel is intended NHP 489 OPEN SEA SERVICE

IL ENGINES, &c. —Type of Engines DIESEL (UNDERPISTON SUP) 2 or 4 stroke cycle 4 Single or double acting 5

Maximum pressure in cylinders 650 lb/sq in Diameter of cylinders 740 Length of stroke 1500 No. of cylinders 6 No. of cranks 6

Mean Indicated Pressure 115 lb/sq in Ahead Firing Order in Cylinders 1.5.6.2.3.4 Span of bearings, adjacent to the crank, measured from inner edge to inner edge 988 Is there a bearing between each crank Yes Revolutions per minute 115

Flywheel dia 2489 Weight 2499 Moment of inertia of flywheel (lbs. in² or Kg. cm²) 23.53 Means of ignition Compound Kind of fuel used DIESEL HEAVY

Crank Shaft, Solid forged dia. of journals as per Rule 505 Crank pin dia. 505 Crank webs Mid. length breadth 980 Thickness parallel to axis 310 Semi built as fitted 505 Crank webs Mid. length thickness 310 shrunk Thickness around eye hole 292.57 All built as fitted 115

Flywheel Shaft, diameter as per Rule Intermediate Shafts, diameter as per Rule Thrust Shaft, diameter at collars as fitted 454 as fitted 17 as per Rule 44

Tube Shaft, diameter as per Rule Screw Shaft, diameter as per Rule Is the tube shaft fitted with a continuous liner Yes as fitted 16 as fitted 16

Bronze Liners, thickness in way of bushes as per Rule 13/16 Thickness between bushes as per Rule 13/16 Is the after end of the liner made watertight in the propeller boss Yes

If the liner is in more than one length are the junctions made by fusion through the whole thickness of the liner Yes If the liner does not fit tightly at the part between the bearings in the stern tube, is the space charged with a plastic material insoluble in water and non-corrosive Yes

If two liners are fitted, is the shaft lapped or protected between the liners One Is an approved Oil Gland or other appliance fitted at the after end of tube shaft No

If so, state type Length of bearing in Stern Bush next to and supporting propeller 5'4" Propeller, dia 16'0 Pitch 10'9 No. of blades 4 Material Bronze whether moveable No Total developed surface 88 sq. feet

Moment of inertia of propeller (lbs. in² or Kg. cm²) 106.2 x 10⁶ Kind of damper, if fitted None Method of reversing Engines Direct Is a governor or other arrangement fitted to prevent racing of the engine when declutched Yes

Means of lubrication Grease Thickness of cylinder liners 417 Are the cylinders fitted with safety valves Yes Are the exhaust pipes and silencers water cooled lagged with non-conducting material lagged

If the exhaust is led overboard near the waterline, what means are arranged to prevent water from being syphoned back to the engine. Cooling Water Pumps, No 2 2 ME down 3 Steam Is the sea suction provided with an efficient strainer which can be cleared within the vessel. Yes

Bilge Pumps worked from the Main Engines, No None Diameter Stroke Can one be overhauled while the other is at work Bilge Pumps connected to the Main Bilge Line

No. and size 2 100 tons 6 170 tons How driven Steam the cooling water led to the bilges No

If so, state what special arrangements are made to deal with this water in addition to the ordinary bilge pumping arrangements. Ballast Pumps, No. and size 6 170 tons Power Driven Lubricating Oil Pumps, including spare pump, No. and size 1 ME 100 tons ea/hr.

Are there two independent means arranged for circulating water through the Oil Cooler Yes Suctions, connected to both main bilge pumps and auxiliary bilge pumps, No. and size:—In machinery spaces 3 hoses 2 3/2 In pump room 1 ME 2 2 1/2

holds, &c. 2 2 1/2 Independent Power Pump Direct Suctions to the engine room bilges, No. and size 2 6

Are all the bilge suction pipes in holds and tunnel well fitted with strum-boxes Yes Are the bilge suction in the machinery spaces led from easily accessible mud-boxes, placed above the level of the working floor, with straight tail pipes to the bilges Yes

Are all Sea Connections fitted direct on the skin of the Ship Yes Are they fitted with valves or cocks Both Are they fixed sufficiently high on the ship's side to be seen without lifting the platform plates Yes

Are the overboard discharges above or below the deep water line Above Are they each fitted with a discharge valve always accessible on the plating of the vessel Yes

Are the blow off cocks fitted with a spigot and brass covering plate Yes What pipes pass through the bunkers None How are they protected

What pipes pass through the deep tanks None Have they been tested as per Rule Are all pipes, cocks, valves and pumps in connection with the machinery and all boiler mountings accessible at all times Yes

Is the arrangement of valves and their connections such as to prevent the possibility of water passing from the sea or from water tanks into the cargo or machinery spaces, or from one compartment to another Yes Is the shaft tunnel watertight None Is it fitted with a watertight door worked from

Is it a wood vessel, what means are provided to prevent leakage of either fuel oil or of lubricating oil from saturating the woodwork. Main Air Compressors, No. of stages diameters stroke driven by

Auxiliary Air Compressors, No. 2 No. of stages 2 diameters stroke driven by Steam Small Auxiliary Air Compressors, No. of stages diameters stroke driven by

What provision is made for first charging the air receivers Steam compressors as above scavenging Air Pumps, No. diameter stroke driven by

Auxiliary Engines crank shafts, diameter as per Rule No. 2 Position EP Platform 175 Cdn N D 23284/5.

Have the auxiliary engines been constructed under special survey Yes Is a report sent herewith Yes

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AIR RECEIVERS:—Have they been made under survey Yes ✓ State No. of report or certificate.....
 Is each receiver, which can be isolated, fitted with a safety valve as per Rule..... Yes ✓ Relief valve on supply line.
 Can the internal surfaces of the receivers be examined and cleaned..... Yes ✓ Is a drain fitted at the lowest part of each receiver..... Yes ✓
Injection Air Receivers, No. None ✓ Cubic capacity of each..... ✓ Internal diameter..... ✓ thickness..... ✓
 Seamless, welded or riveted longitudinal joint..... ✓ Material..... ✓ Range of tensile strength..... ✓ Working pressure..... ✓
Starting Air Receivers, No. Two ✓ Total cubic capacity..... 900 cu ft Internal diameter..... 6'-0 1/8" - 5'-0 1/4" thickness..... 3/32" - 1/16"
 Seamless, welded or riveted longitudinal joint..... Riveted Material..... SMS Range of tensile strength..... 29/33 tons Working pressure..... 357 lb
 by Rules..... 357 lb
 Actual..... 356 lb

IS A DONKEY BOILER FITTED Yes ✓ If so, is a report now forwarded..... Yes ✓
 Is the donkey boiler intended to be used for domestic purposes only..... No ✓

PLANS. Are approved plans forwarded herewith for shafting..... 20-8-48 Receivers..... 9-3-48 Separate fuel tanks..... 2-3-48
 (If not, state date of approval)
 Donkey boilers..... 26-2-48 General pumping arrangements..... Pumping arrangements in machinery space..... 1-9-49
 Oil fuel burning arrangements..... 11-8-49
 Have Torsional Vibration characteristics been approved..... Yes for 115 rpm ✓ Date of approval..... 20-8-48

SPARE GEAR.

Has the spare gear required by the Rules been supplied..... Yes ✓
 State the principal additional spare gear supplied.....
Screw shaft 110405 19204F/16315 CNH 6-4-51
C.I. propeller

For JOHN G. KINCAID & COY., LIMITED.

The foregoing is a correct description,
J. G. Kincaid Manufacturer.
 Chief Draughtsman.

Dates of Survey while building
 During progress of work in shops - - (1949) OCT. 3-12. DEC. 24-29. (1950) FEB. 15. APRIL 14. MAY 9-10. JUNE 19-20. JULY 19-28. SEPT. 19-21-24. OCT. 26-31. NOV. 1-10-15. 17-22-23-28. DEC. 6-8-11-15-18-19-26
 During erection on board vessel - - (1951) JAN. 4-11-12-14-17-22-26-30. FEB. 6-7-13-15-20. MAR. 1-7-8-13-15-19-20-23-27-28-29-30. APRIL 2-3-5-6-10-12-17-18-20-23-24-30. MAY 1-3-7-11-14-23-24-29-30-31
 JUNE 6-8-11-13-15-21-25. JULY 17-24. AUG. 3. SEPT. 3-12-18.
 Total No. of visits..... 93

Dates of examination of principal parts—Cylinders..... 20-2-51 1/2 Covers..... 20-2-51 1/2 Pistons..... 27-3-51 Rods..... 1-5-51 Connecting rods..... 1-5-51
 Crank shaft..... 1-5-51 Flywheel shaft..... 1-5-51 Thrust shaft..... 1-5-51 Intermediate shafts..... 30-4-51 Tube shaft..... ✓
 Screw shaft..... 7-3-51 Propeller..... 7-3-51 Stern tube..... 1-11-50 Engine seatings..... 11-5-51 Engine holding down bolts..... 11-6-51
 Completion of fitting sea connections..... 13-9-51 Completion of pumping arrangements..... 18-9-51 Engines tried under working conditions..... 18-9-51
 Crank shaft, material..... SMS Identification mark..... 19209 1-5-51 Flywheel shaft, material..... SMS Identification mark..... 20-2-51 1/2
 Thrust shaft, material..... SMS Identification mark..... 19209 1-5-51 Intermediate shafts, material..... SMS Identification marks..... 19209 30-4-51
 Tube shaft, material..... ✓ Identification mark..... ✓ Screw shaft, material..... SMS Identification mark..... 19209 7-3-51

Identification marks on air receivers..... 110405
N° 3790 A & B
356 lb TP CNH 24-4-51
356 lb WP
 Welded receivers, state Makers' Name.....
 Is the flash point of the oil to be used over 150°F..... Yes ✓
 Have the requirements of the Rules for oil fuel pipes and tank fittings been complied with..... Yes ✓
 Description of fire extinguishing apparatus fitted..... Steam under boiler, oil unit & transfer pump, 10-2 gal portable 1-10 gal with hose
 Is the vessel (not being an oil tanker) fitted for carrying oil as cargo..... TANKER ✓ If so, have the requirements of the Rules been complied with..... Yes ✓
 If the notation for ice strengthening is desired, state whether the requirements in this respect have been complied with..... No ✓
 Is this machinery duplicate of a previous case..... Yes ✓ If so, state name of vessel..... BRITISH PREMIER GRX FEN 24366

General Remarks (State quality of workmanship, opinions as to class, &c.)
The machinery of this vessel has been constructed under special survey in accordance with the Rules & approved plans. The materials & workmanship are sound & good. The engine & boiler have been efficiently installed in the vessel & tested on a sea trial under full working conditions with satisfactory results. This installation is eligible in my opinion to be classed in the Society's Register book with Record + LMC 9-51, Notation Screw shaft (Ch. 2 DB 150 lb) & FD fitted for oil fuel FP above 150°F.

Certificates of forging repeats concern to this engine and K208, K209, K211 already reported are sent herewith.

The amount of Entry Fee £ 200 :
 Special £ :
 Donkey Boiler Fee... .. £ 59 :
 Air Receivers £ 16 :
 Travelling Expenses (if any) £ :
 When applied for..... 5th SEP 1951
 When received..... 19
 Assigned..... + LMC 9, 51 Oil Engine
2 DB - 150 lb.
 Committee's Minute..... 9 OCT 1951
 Assigned..... J. G. Kincaid
 Engineer Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping

