

# REPORT ON MACHINERY

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No. in Survey held at Hull Date, First Survey Feb. 8<sup>th</sup> Last Survey 10<sup>th</sup> Sept 1910

Reg. Book. 169 on the Steel Se. Darlington (Number of Visits 45)

Master Built at Hull By whom built Messrs Earle's Co. Ltd Tons { Gross 1076 Net 425

Engines made at Hull By whom made Messrs Earle's Co. Ltd when made 1910

Boilers made at Hull By whom made Earle's Co. Ltd when made 1910

Registered Horse Power Owners Wilson & North Eastern Rly Shipping Co. Ltd Port belonging to Hull

Nom. Horse Power as per Section 28 373 Is Refrigerating Machinery fitted for cargo purposes No Is Electric Light fitted Yes

**ENGINES, &c.**—Description of Engines Triple Expansion No. of Cylinders 3 No. of Cranks 3

Dia. of Cylinders 23 1/2" - 38" - 62" Length of Stroke 39" Revs. per minute 104 Dia. of Screw shaft as per rule 12.7" Material of Steel as fitted 14.25" screw shaft

Is the screw shaft fitted with a continuous liner the whole length of the stern tube No Is the after end of the liner made water tight in the propeller boss Yes If the liner is in more than one length are the joints burned — 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 — If two liners are fitted, is the shaft lapped or protected between the liners — Length of stern bush 4' - 10 3/8"

Dia. of Tunnel shaft as per rule 11.3" Dia. of Crank shaft journals as per rule 11.88" Dia. of Crank pin 12 3/4" Size of Crank webs 19 x 8 1/2" Dia. of thrust shaft under collars 12 3/8" Dia. of screw 13' - 9" Pitch of Screw 14' - 9" to 14' - 0" No. of Blades 4 State whether moveable No Total surface 54 sq ft

No. of Feed pumps Two Diameter of ditto 10 1/2" x 8" Stroke Can one be overhauled while the other is at work Yes

No. of Bilge pumps Two Diameter of ditto 3 1/2" Stroke 23" Can one be overhauled while the other is at work Yes

No. of Donkey Engines Two Sizes of Pumps 8" x 8" x 8" + 6" x 4 1/2" x 6" No. and size of Suctions connected to both Bilge and Donkey pumps

In Engine Room Five 2 1/2" One 3" in No. 4 Tank In Holds, &c. One 2 1/2" in F. Tank, one 2 1/4" No. 1 Tank, one 2 1/2" each side No. 3 tank, one 3" No. 5 tank, One 2 1/2" tunnel well, One 2 1/2" aft peak tank

No. of Bilge Injections 1 sizes 7" Connected to condenser, or to circulating pump pump Is a separate Donkey Suction fitted in Engine room & size Yes 3"

Are all the bilge suction pipes fitted with roses Yes Are the roses in Engine room always accessible Yes Are the sluices on Engine room bulkheads always accessible None

Are all connections with the sea direct on the skin of the ship Yes Are they Valves or Cocks both

Are they fixed sufficiently high on the ship's side to be seen without lifting the stokehold plates Yes Are the Discharge Pipes 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 are carried through the bunkers Tank suction How are they protected wood casing

Are all Pipes, Cocks, Valves, and Pumps in connection with the machinery and all boiler mountings accessible at all times Yes

Are the Bilge Suction Pipes, Cocks, and Valves arranged so as to prevent any communication between the sea and the bilges Yes

Dates of examination of completion of fitting of Sea Connections 4. 7. 10 of Stern Tube 4. 7. 10 Screw shaft and Propeller 4. 7. 10

Is the Screw Shaft Tunnel watertight Yes Is it fitted with a watertight door Yes worked from top platform

**BOILERS, &c.**—(Letter for record 0) Manufacturers of Steel Messrs John Spencer Sons, Newburn-on-Tyne

Total Heating Surface of Boilers 5840 Is Forced Draft fitted Yes No. and Description of Boilers Two Cyl. Multi Single Ended

Working Pressure 180 lbs Tested by hydraulic pressure to 360 lbs Date of test Port 5. 7. 10 Star 24. 6. 10 No. of Certificate 1755

Can each boiler be worked separately Yes Area of fire grate in each boiler 48.25 sq ft No. and Description of Safety Valves to each boiler Two Spring Area of each valve 9.6 sq in Pressure to which they are adjusted 185 lbs Are they fitted with easing gear Yes

Smallest distance between boilers or uptakes and bunkers or woodwork 12" Mean dia. of boilers 15' - 9" Length 12' - 0" Material of shell plates Steel

Thickness 1 1/32" Range of tensile strength 29 - 32 tons Are the shell plates welded or flanged No Descrip. of riveting: cir. seams L D

long. seams D. B. S. J. R Diameter of rivet holes in long. seams 1 1/2" Pitch of rivets 9 9/16" Lap of plates or width of butt straps 1' - 9 5/8"

Per centages of strength of longitudinal joint rivets 94.5 Working pressure of shell by rules 208 lbs Size of manhole in shell 16" x 12"

Size of compensating ring 10" x 1 1/32" No. and Description of Furnaces in each boiler Four Deighton's Material Steel Outside diameter 3' - 8 7/16"

Length of plain part top bottom Thickness of plates crown 19" bottom 32" Description of longitudinal joint Welded No. of strengthening rings

Working pressure of furnace by the rules 211 lbs Combustion chamber plates: Material Steel Thickness: Sides 1/16" Back 1/16" Top 1/16" Bottom 1/8"

Pitch of stays to ditto: Sides 8 1/2" x 8 3/4" Back 8 1/2" x 8 1/2" Top 8" x 9 5/8" If stays are fitted with nuts or riveted heads Nuts Working pressure by rules 208 lbs

Material of stays Steel Diameter at smallest part 1 1/2" Area supported by each stay 440" Working pressure by rules 183 lbs End plates in steam space:

Material Steel Thickness 1" Pitch of stays 15" x 15 1/2" How are stays secured D. N. Working pressure by rules 192 lbs Material of stays Steel

Diameter at smallest part 2 9/16" Area supported by each stay 232.5 sq in Working pressure by rules 231 lbs Material of Front plates at bottom Steel

Thickness 15/16" Material of Lower back plate Steel Thickness 15/16" Greatest pitch of stays 14 1/2" x 8" Working pressure of plate by rules 221 lbs

Diameter of tubes 2 1/2" Pitch of tubes 3 3/4" x 3 3/32" Material of tube plates Steel Thickness: Front 15/16" Back 1/8" Mean pitch of stays 7 30/32"

Pitch across wide water spaces 13" Working pressures by rules 186 lbs Girders to Chamber tops: Material Steel Depth and thickness of girder at centre 9 1/2" x 13 1/4" Length as per rule 2' - 9 15/16" Distance apart 9 7/8" Number and pitch of stays in each three 8"

Working pressure by rules 194 lbs Superheater or Steam chest; how connected to boiler Can the superheater be shut off and the boiler worked separately

Diameter Length Thickness of shell plates Material Description of longitudinal joint Diam. of rivet holes Pitch of rivets Working pressure of shell by rules Diameter of flue Material of flue plates Thickness

If stiffened with rings Distance between rings Working pressure by rules End plates: Thickness How stayed

Working pressure of end plates Area of safety valves to superheater Are they fitted with easing gear

**VERTICAL DONKEY BOILER—** Manufacturers of Steel

No. \_\_\_\_\_ Description \_\_\_\_\_

Made at \_\_\_\_\_ By whom made \_\_\_\_\_ When made \_\_\_\_\_ Where fixed \_\_\_\_\_

Working pressure tested by hydraulic pressure to \_\_\_\_\_ Date of test \_\_\_\_\_ No. of Certificate \_\_\_\_\_ Fire grate area \_\_\_\_\_ Description of Safety \_\_\_\_\_

Valves \_\_\_\_\_ No. of Safety Valves \_\_\_\_\_ Area of each \_\_\_\_\_ Pressure to which they are adjusted \_\_\_\_\_ Date of adjustment \_\_\_\_\_

If fitted with easing gear \_\_\_\_\_ If steam from main boilers can enter the donkey boiler \_\_\_\_\_ Dia. of donkey boiler \_\_\_\_\_ Length \_\_\_\_\_

Material of shell plates \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness \_\_\_\_\_ Range of tensile strength \_\_\_\_\_ Descrip. of riveting long. seams \_\_\_\_\_

Dia. of rivet holes \_\_\_\_\_ Whether punched or drilled \_\_\_\_\_ Pitch of rivets \_\_\_\_\_ Lap of plating \_\_\_\_\_ Per centage of strength of joint \_\_\_\_\_ Rivets \_\_\_\_\_ Plates \_\_\_\_\_

Working pressure of shell by rules \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness of shell crown plates \_\_\_\_\_ Radius of do. \_\_\_\_\_ No. of stays to do. \_\_\_\_\_ Dia. of stays \_\_\_\_\_

Diameter of furnace Top \_\_\_\_\_ Bottom \_\_\_\_\_ Length of furnace \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness of furnace plates \_\_\_\_\_ Description of joint \_\_\_\_\_

Working pressure of furnace by rules \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness of furnace crown plates \_\_\_\_\_ Radius of do. \_\_\_\_\_ Stayed by \_\_\_\_\_

Diameter of uptake \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness of uptake plates \_\_\_\_\_ Thickness of water tubes \_\_\_\_\_ Dates of survey \_\_\_\_\_

**SPARE GEAR.** State the articles supplied:— Two each top and bottom end connecting rod bolts and nuts, two main bearing bolts and nuts, one set coupling bolts and nuts, one set each air circulating feed and bilge pump valves, main check valves, a quantity of assorted bolts nuts etc.

The foregoing is a correct description,

Manufacturer. *J. V. Palethorpe.*

Dates of Survey while building: During progress of work in shops— 1910 - Feb 8, 17, 22, 23, 28. Mar. 2, 7, 9, 16, 21, 23. Apr. 4, 8, 21, 22, 26. May 4, 10, 23, 26, 28. Jun 2. During erection on board vessel - Jan 7, 9, 16, 18, 20, 23, 24. July 4, 5, 7, 8, 11, 12, 16, 18, 20, 22, 25, 28, 30. Aug 31. Sep 10. Total No. of visits 45.

Is the approved plan of main boiler forwarded herewith *Yes*  
 " " " donkey " " "

Dates of Examination of principal parts—Cylinders 16.6.10 Slides 4.4.10 Covers 4.4.10 Pistons 8.2.10 Rods 23.2.10  
 Connecting rods 5.4.10 Crank shaft 21.4.10 Thrust shaft 5.4.10 Tunnel shafts 5.4.10 Screw shaft 20.6.10 Propeller 4.4.10  
 Stern tube 6.6.10 Steam pipes tested 18.4.10 Engine and boiler seatings 8.4.10 Engines holding down bolts 25.4.10  
 Completion of pumping arrangements 10.9.10 Boilers fixed 25.4.10 Engines tried under steam 29.4.10  
 Main boiler safety valves adjusted 28.4.10 Thickness of adjusting washers  $\frac{9}{32}$   $\frac{9}{32}$   $\frac{9}{32}$   $\frac{1}{4}$

Material of Crank shaft *Steel* Identification Mark on Do. *2437WDH* Material of Thrust shaft *Steel* Identification Mark on Do. *2437WD*  
 Material of Tunnel shafts *Steel* Identification Marks on Do. *2437WDH* Material of Screw shafts *Steel* Identification Marks on Do. *24376A*  
 Material of Steam Pipes *Steel* Test pressure *360 lbs per sq inch*

**General Remarks** (State quality of workmanship, opinions as to class, &c. *The engines and boiler of this vessel have been constructed under special survey in accordance with the Society's Rules. The materials and workmanship are sound and good. The boiler tested by hydraulic pressure found satisfactory, and with the engines, secured on board, and tested under steam, they are now in good order, and safe working condition, and respectfully submitted as being eligible in my opinion to be classed with the notated of L.M.C. 9.10 in the Register Book.*

It is submitted that this vessel is eligible for THE RECORD. + L.M.C. 9.10.

F.D. *JWR* 14/9/10

*J.M.*  
*James Barclay*  
 Engineer Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of British & Foreign Shipping

The amount of Entry Fee .. £ 3 ..	When applied for, 12-10-1910
Special .. .. £ 38 : 13 ..	
Donkey Boiler Fee .. .. £ ..	When received, 26.9.1910
Travelling Expenses (if any) £ ..	

Committee's Minute *FRI. 16 SEP 1910*  
 Assigned *H.M.C. 9.10*

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