

REPORT ON ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT.

(OTHER THAN FOR THE PROPULSION OF THE VESSEL)

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Reg. Book. (Number of Visits.....)

on the H.M.T. SHAPINSAY Tons { Gross 452
Net 142

Built at Selby By whom built Cochrane & Sons Ltd Yard No. 1230 When built.....

Owners The Admiralty Port belonging to.....

Electrical Installation fitted by Wm Brooker & Son Ltd Contract No. ✓ When fitted.....

Is vessel fitted for carrying Petroleum in bulk No Is vessel equipped with D.F. yes E.S.D. yes Gy.C. ✓ Sub.Sig. ✓

Have plans been submitted and approved yes System of Distribution Parallel constant pressure 2 wire Voltage of supply for Lighting 110

Heating 110 Power 110 Direct or Alternating Current, Lighting D.C. Power D.C. If Alternating Current state frequency ✓ Prime Movers,

has the governing been tested and found efficient when the whole load is suddenly thrown on and off yes Are turbine emergency governors fitted with a

trip switch as per Rule ✓ Generators, are they compound wound yes, are they level compounded under working conditions yes

if not compound wound state distance between generators ✓ and from switchboard ✓ Where more than one generator is fitted are they

arranged to run in parallel ✓, are shunt field regulators provided yes Is the compound winding connected to the negative or positive pole

Positive Have machines over 100 kw. 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 ✓ Are the lubricating arrangements and the construction

of the generators as per rule yes Position of Generators Engine room

is the ventilation in way of generators satisfactory yes are they clear of inflammable material yes, if situated

near unprotected combustible material state distance from same horizontally ✓ and vertically ✓, are the generators protected from mechanical

injury and damage from water, steam and oil yes, are the bedplates and frames earthed yes and the prime movers and generators in metallic

contact yes Switchboards, where are main switchboards placed Engine room, adjacent to generator

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

and oil yes, if situated near unprotected combustible material state distance from same horizontally ✓ and vertically ✓, what insulation

material is used for the panels Units mounted on frame-work, 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 frame effectually earthed yes

Is the construction as per Rule yes, including accessibility of parts yes, absence of fuses on the back of the board yes, individual fuses

to pilot and earth lamps, voltmeters, etc. yes locking of screws and nuts yes, labelling of apparatus and fuses yes, fuses on the "dead"

side of switches yes Description of Main Switchgear for each generator and arrangement of equaliser switches

D.P. Switches & fuses

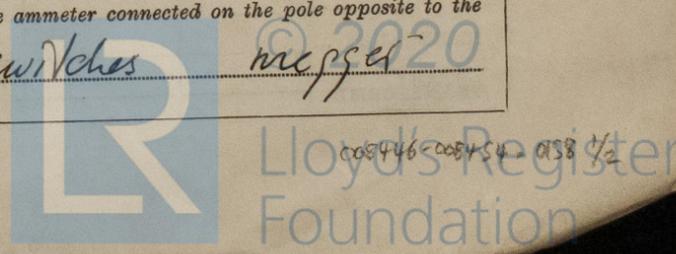
and for each outgoing circuit D.P. Switches & fuses

Are compartments containing switchboards composed of fire-resisting material or lined as per Rule yes Instruments on main switchboard one

ammeters one voltmeters ✓ synchronising devices. For compound machines in parallel is the ammeter connected on the pole opposite to the

equaliser connection ✓ Earth Testing, state means provided Earth lamps & switches

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Switches, Circuit Breakers and Fuses, are they as per Rule yes, are the fuses an approved type yes, are all fuses labelled as per Rule yes, are the reversed current protection devices connected on the pole opposite to the equaliser connection ✓, have they been tested under working conditions ✓. Joint Boxes, Section Boards and Distribution Boards, is the construction and position as per Rule yes. Cables, are they insulated and protected as per the appropriate Tables of the Rules ✓, if otherwise than as per Rule are they of an approved type ✓, state maximum fall of pressure between bus bars and any point under maximum load 4 volts, are the ends of all cables having a sectional area of 0.04 square inch and above provided with soldering sockets yes. Are paper insulated and varnished cambric insulated cables sealed at the exposed ends ✓ with insulating compound ✓ or waterproof insulating tape ✓. 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 cables laid under machines or floorplates no, if so, are they adequately protected ✓. Are cables in machinery spaces, galleys, laundries, etc., lead covered yes or run in conduit ✓. State how the cables are supported and protected Clipped to trays or bulkheads
Cables run in solid drawn conduit in bunkers & magazine spaces.

Are all lead sheaths, armoring and conduits effectually bonded and earthed yes. Refrigerated chambers, are the cables and fittings as per Rule ✓. 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 and with what material lead. Alternative Lighting, are the groups of lights in the engine and boiler rooms arranged as per Rule yes. Emergency Supply, state position None and method of control ✓.

Navigation Lamps, are they separately wired yes controlled by separate double pole switches yes and fuses yes. Are the switches and fuses in a position accessible only to the officers on watch yes, is an automatic indicator fitted W/T only. Secondary Batteries, are they constructed and fitted as per Rule yes, are they adequately ventilated yes.

Fittings, are all fittings on weather decks, in stokeholds and engine rooms and wherever exposed to drip or condensed moisture, weatherproof yes. Are fittings installed where readily combustible materials or inflammable or explosive dust or gases are likely to be present yes, if so, how are they protected Special Admiralty pattern lamps in magazine with cables in conduit and where are the controlling switches fitted Stoker's mess, adjacent, are all fittings suitably ventilated yes, are all fittings and accessories constructed and installed as per Rule yes. Searchlight Lamps, No. of one 20" whether fixed or portable fixed, " 6" " " " " portable, are their fittings as per Rule yes. Heating and Cooking, is the general construction as per Rule yes, are the frames effectually earthed yes, are heaters in the accommodation of the convection type yes. Motors, are all motors constructed and installed as per Rule ✓ and placed in well-ventilated compartments in which inflammable gases cannot accumulate and free from damage from water, steam and oil ✓, if situated near unprotected combustible material state minimum distance from same horizontally ✓ and vertically ✓.

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 services been supplied and the results found as per Rule ✓. Control Gear and Resistances, are they constructed and fitted as per Rule yes. Lightning Conductors, where required are they fitted as per Rule yes. Ships carrying Oil having a Flash Point less than 150° F. Have all the special requirements of the Rules for such ships been complied with ✓, are all fuses of the cartridge type ✓ are they of an approved type ✓. If portable lamps for use in dangerous spaces are supplied, are they of a self-contained battery-fed flameproof type ✓. Spare Gear, if the vessel is for open sea service have spares been provided as per Rule yes, are they suitably stored in dry situations yes. Insulation Tests, has the insulation resistance of all circuits and apparatus been megger tested and found satisfactory yes.

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 ...	one	15	110	136	500	Steam Engine	✓	✓
EMERGENCY ...								
ROTARY TRANSFORMER								

GENERATOR CABLES.

DESCRIPTION.	KILOWATTS.	CONDUCTORS.		MAXIMUM CURRENT IN AMPERES.		APPROX. LENGTH (load plus return feet).	INSULATED WITH.	HOW PROTECTED.
		No. in Parallel Per Pole.	Sectional Area or No. and Dia. of Strands. Sq. ins. or sq. mm.	In the Circuit.	Rule.			
MAIN GENERATOR ...	15	one	37/072	136	152	18	V.I.R	L.C.
" " EQUALISER ...								
EMERGENCY GENERATOR ...								
ROTARY TRANSFORMER: MOTOR								
" " GENERATOR ...								

MAIN DISTRIBUTION CABLES.

AUX. SWITCHBOARDS AND SECTION BOARDS D. 6.	No. in Parallel Per Pole.	Sectional Area or No. and Dia. of Strands. Sq. ins. or sq. mm.	In the Circuit.	Rule.	APPROX. LENGTH (load plus return feet).	INSULATED WITH.	HOW PROTECTED.
Navigation	one	7/044	30	31	150	V.I.R	L.C.
Wireless	"	7/036	15	24	135	"	"
Search lights	"	"	15	"	150	"	"
Tor'd lighting	"	7/044	23	31	150	"	"
aft "	"	"	29	"	120	"	"
Tor'd Radiators	"	"	18	"	150	"	"
aft "	"	"	27	"	120	"	"
asdic	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
short connection	"	37/072	136	152	70	"	"

LIGHTING AND HEATING, ETC., CABLES.

WIRELESS ...	No.	B.H.P.	In the Circuit.	Rule.	APPROX. LENGTH (load plus return feet).	INSULATED WITH.	HOW PROTECTED.
WIRELESS ...	one	1/044	1.5 Max	5	240 Max	V.I.R	L.C.
NAVIGATION LIGHTS ...	"	7/0076	"	10	70 Max	"	tough rubber's heeling & in some cases Phos BR Braiding
LIGHTING AND HEATING							
all lighting	"	1/044	3 Max	5	140 Max	"	L.C.
Radiator's hot dish	"	3/036	9	10	20 Max	"	"
Signalling projector 20'	"	"	10	"	60	"	"
6'	"	"	3	"	60	"	"

MOTOR CABLES.

ALL IMPORTANT MOTORS TO BE ENUMERATED.	No.	B.H.P.	In the Circuit.	Rule.	APPROX. LENGTH (load plus return feet).	INSULATED WITH.	HOW PROTECTED.
1 1/2 Vent Fans	1	.5	one	3/036	4	10	50 V.I.R L.C.
5" "	2	.2	"	"	2	"	100 " "
3 1/2 cu ft Refrigeration	1	.5	"	1/044	4	5	20 " "

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.

WM BROADY & SON LTD
 ENGLISH STREET,
 HULL.

Electrical Engineers.

Date 14. 8. 41.

COMPASSES.

Minimum distance between electric generators or motors and standard compass.....
 Minimum distance between electric generators or motors and steering compass.....
 The nearest cables to the compasses are as follows:—
 A cable carrying Ampères feet from standard compass feet from steering compass.
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 Have the compasses been adjusted with and without the electric installation at work at full power.....
 Has the effect of switching on and off circuits, motors and other electro magnetic apparatus within the vicinity of the compasses been noted.....
 The maximum deviation due to electric currents was found to be degrees on course in the case of the
 standard compass, and degrees on course in the case of the steering compass.

Numerous cables in the vicinity of both compasses for lighting wireless and radio apparatus not available

Builder's Signature.

Date.....

Is this installation a duplicate of a previous case.....

Yes

If so, state name of vessel.....

H.M.T. BIRCH

with minor additions

General Remarks (State quality of workmanship, whether insulation tests, etc., have been made, opinions as to class, etc.).....

This installation has been fitted on board in accordance with the approved admiralty plans and requirements and the Society's Rules.

The workmanship and materials are good when subjected to the tests required by the Admiralty and as prescribed in the Rules & also when tried under full working conditions the installation was found satisfactory in every respect.

Total Capacity of Generators..... *15* Kilowatts.

The amount of Fee £ *15 : 0* :

When applied for
16 OCT 1941

Travelling Expenses (if any) £ : :

When received.
19.....

[Signature]
 Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

TUE. 28 OCT 1941

Committee's Minute

Assigned.....

See Hull No 51371

2m.10.38.—Transfer. (MADE IN ENGLAND.) (The Surveyors are requested not to write on or below the space for Committee's Minute.)