

REPORT ON ELECTRIC LIGHTING INSTALLATION. No. 2367

Port of *Kobe* Date of First Survey *10th Oct.* Date of Last Survey *4th Nov* No. of Visits *6*
 No. in Reg. Book on the ~~Iron or Steel~~ *S.S. "Kifuku Maru"* Port belonging to *Kobe*
 Built at *Kobe* By whom *The Kawasaki Dry Dock Co. Ltd.* When built *1918*
 Owners *The Kawasaki Dry Dock Co. Ltd.* Owners' Address *Kobe*
 Yard No. *422* Electric Light Installation fitted by *The Kawasaki Dry Dock Co. Ltd.* When fitted *1918*

DESCRIPTION OF DYNAMO, ENGINE, ETC.

Two sets of compound dynamo coupled directly to the single cylinder automatic cut off vertical enclosed engine with forced lubrication. 3" dia. 6" stroke 450 r.p.m.

Capacity of Dynamo *170* Amperes at *100* Volts, whether continuous or alternating current *continuous*

Where is Dynamo fixed *in the engine room*

Position of Main Switch Board *in the engine room* having switches to groups *A, B, C, D & E* of lights, &c., as below

Positions of auxiliary switch boards and numbers of switches on each *1 in the engine room, 1 in the boiler room, 4 on the shelter deck, 1 on the lower bridge and 1 on the after main having one main switch on each board.*

If cut outs are fitted on main switch board to the cables of main circuit *yes* and on each auxiliary switch board to the cables of auxiliary circuits *yes* and at each position where a cable is branched or reduced in size *yes* and to each lamp circuit *yes*

If vessel is wired on the double wire system are cut outs fitted to both flow and return wires or cables of all circuits including lamp circuits *yes*

Are the cut outs of non-oxidizable metal *yes* and constructed to fuse at an excess of *100* per cent over the normal current

Are all cut outs fitted in easily accessible positions *yes* Are the fuses of standard dimensions *yes* If wire fuses are used are permanent instructions fitted on or near each switch board giving particulars of proper size of fuse for each circuit *yes*

Are all switches and cut-outs constructed of incombustible materials and fitted on incombustible bases *yes, porcelain & marble are used*

Total number of lights provided for *164 lamps* arranged in the following groups:—

A *73 incandescent* lights each of *5, 16 & 32* candle power requiring a total current of *37.00* Amperes

B *1 arc & 12 incandescent* lights each of *1200 & 32* candle power requiring a total current of *18.50* Amperes

C *1 arc & 8 incandescent* lights each of *1200 & 32* candle power requiring a total current of *14.00* Amperes

D *27 incandescent* lights each of *16 & 32* candle power requiring a total current of *15.50* Amperes

E *42 incandescent* lights each of *16* candle power requiring a total current of *24.50* Amperes

2 Mast head lights with *2* lamps each of *32* candle power requiring a total current of *2.24* Amperes

2 Side lights with *2* lamps each of *32* candle power requiring a total current of *2.24* Amperes

2 arc and 5 incandescent Cargo lights of *1200 & 128* candle power, whether incandescent or arc lights *incandescent and arc lights*

If are lights, what protection is provided against fire, sparks, &c. *Adequate fuses are inserted and arc is protected with inner and outer globes*

Where are the switches controlling the masthead and side lights placed *in the chart room*

DESCRIPTION OF CABLES.

Main cable carrying *170.0* Amperes, comprised of *250* wires, each *No. 20* L.S.G. diameter, *0.2500* square inches total sectional area

Branch cables carrying *27.0* Amperes, comprised of *11* wires, each *No. 20* L.S.G. diameter, *0.0110* square inch total sectional area

Branch cables carrying *18.5* Amperes, comprised of *10* wires, each *No. 20* L.S.G. diameter, *0.0100* square inches total sectional area

Branch cables carrying *14.0* Amperes, comprised of *2* wires, each *No. 16* L.S.G. diameter, *0.0064* square inch total sectional area

Branch cables carrying *15.5* Amperes, comprised of *2* wires, each *No. 16* L.S.G. diameter, *0.0064* square inches total sectional area

Branch cables carrying *24.5* Amperes, comprised of *15* wires, each *No. 20* L.S.G. diameter, *0.0150* square inch total sectional area

Leads to lamps carrying *0.5* Amperes, comprised of *1* wires, each *No. 18* L.S.G. diameter, *0.0018* square inches total sectional area

Cargo light cables carrying *4.5* Amperes, comprised of *283* wires, each *No. 38* L.S.G. diameter, *0.0080* square inches total sectional area

DESCRIPTION OF INSULATION, PROTECTION, ETC.

Conductors are doubly insulated with india rubber and vulcanized rubber and tape. Cables are protected against mechanical injury and chemical action by steel armoring and lead covering according to the requirements. Joints in cables, how made, insulated, and protected *Mechanical joints are made throughout and protected with water-tight cast iron boxes.*

Are all the joints of cables thoroughly soldered, resin only having been used as a flux *yes* Are all joints in accessible positions, none being made in bunkers, cargo spaces, or spaces which may at any time be used for carrying cargo, stores, or baggage *yes*

Are there any joints in or branches from the cable leading from dynamo to main switch board *None*

How are the cables led through the ship, and how protected *Cables are led unconcealed and without any additional protection those on cables themselves.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSULATION, PROTECTION, ETC.—continued.

Are they in places always accessible *They are all in accessible places.*

What special protection has been provided for the cables in open alleyways or where exposed to weather or moisture *without any additional protection beside those on cables themselves.*

What special protection has been provided for the cables near galleys or oil lamps or other sources of heat *as before*

What special protection has been provided for the cables near boiler casings *as before*

What special protection has been provided for the cables in engine room *In some parts where necessary the cables are led through iron pipes.*

How are cables carried through beams *Pierced through & wood lined through bulkheads, &c. pierced through & provided with water-tight gland.*

How are cables carried through decks *Pierced and led through iron pipes.*

Are any cables run through coal bunkers *yes* or cargo spaces *yes* or spaces which may be used for carrying cargo, stores, or baggage *yes*

If so, how are they protected *With lead covering & steel armoring on the cables.*

Are any lamps fitted in coal bunkers or spaces which may at times be used for cargo, coals, or baggage *None*

If so, how are the lamp fittings and cable terminals specially protected

Where are the main switches and cut outs for these lights fitted

If in the spaces, how are they specially protected

Are any switches or cut outs fitted in bunkers

Cargo light cables, whether portable or permanently fixed *portable* How fixed *in the water-tight cast iron boxes.*

In vessels fitted on the single wire system, how is the dynamo terminal fixed to the hull of vessel

How are the returns from the lamps connected to the hull

Are all the joints with the hull in accessible positions

VESSELS BUILT FOR CARRYING PETROLEUM.

In vessels built for carrying petroleum, are all switches and cut-outs fitted in positions not liable to the accumulation of petroleum vapour or gas

Are any switches, cut outs, or joints of cables fitted in the pump room or companion

How are the lamps specially protected in places liable to the accumulation of vapour or gas

The installation is supplied with a voltmeter and *two amperemeters fixed on a marble switch board.*

The copper used is guaranteed to have a conductivity of *98* per cent. that of pure copper.

Insulation of cables is guaranteed to have a resistance of not less than *600* megohms per statute mile after 24 hours' immersion in seawater.

The foregoing statements are a correct description of the Electric Light installation fitted by us on this vessel and we declare that it is at this date in good order and safe working condition.

S. Pads

Electrical Engineers

Date *21st 11/18*

COMPASSES.

Distance between dynamo or electric motors and standard compass *Dynamo to standard compass 115 feet*

Distance between dynamo or electric motors and steering compass *Dynamo " steering 110 feet*

Motor " " 105 feet

Motor " " 100 feet

The nearest cables to the compasses are as follows:—

Cable	Amperes	Feet from standard compass	Feet from steering compass
A cable carrying <i>5.6</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>15</i>
A cable carrying <i>13.5</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>13</i>
A cable carrying			

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

The maximum deviation due to electric currents, etc., 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.

Kawasaki Dockyard Co., Ltd.,

Per *[Signature]* Secretary.

Builder's Signature.

Date

GENERAL REMARKS.

This installation has been fitted in accordance with the requirements of the Rules & worked satisfactorily on trial.

It is submitted that this vessel is eligible for

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6/2/19

A. L. Jones
Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of British and Foreign Shipping.

Committee's Minute

THE SURVEYORS ARE REQUESTED, NOT TO WRITE ACROSS THIS MARGIN.

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