

See to Chief Surveyor

28.12.97

Received from Chief Surveyor

VESSEL'S NAME

W Bk William Gordon Report Apr No. 2608

For the CHIEF SURVEYOR and ~~CHIEF ENGINEER SURVEYOR~~

(In cases which have to be submitted to the Classing Committee "the endorsement to contain a succinct summary of any repairs that have been required, and to show the cause or causes of such repairs, and also to bring out clearly any exceptional features in connection with the case, so that the Classing Committee may have all the salient points presented in the endorsement."—Extract from Sub-Committee's Report, 24/5/32.)

Nature of Survey

When due

This vessel was classed by the Committee A- in Red for 5 years on the 21st instant.

The Owner's Agent now writes stating that he is very much disappointed with the short term which has been assigned in comparison with the "GEORGE.B.DOANE", and thinks the Committee should have given her 7 years. He requests to know whether the Committee cannot see their way to give her another 2 years, and is sure the Society's Surveyor at Appledore can satisfy the Committee that she is deserving of it.

The Appledore Surveyor has been communicated with, and in reply states that he cannot furnish the Committee with any remark on the matter beyond that which he has already said with regard to the vessel.

By the first entry report the 2nd and 3rd futtocks, top timbers, transoms, knightheads, hawse timbers, aprons, deadwood, stem and stern post are of 8 years material. In view of this, it is considered the vessel is not entitled to more than 5 years A in Red or 2/3rds of the number of years accorded by the Rules for the above material, and the Owner's Agent should be informed accordingly.

By Owner's Agt 29/12/97



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