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**No. 2128 Survey held at Dumbarton** on the **Ship "Asia"** Master **Isaac Watts**

Tonnage **450 43/4** Built at **Dumbarton** When built **Launched 8<sup>th</sup> September 1846**

By whom built **A. McMillan & Son** Owners **George Smith & Sons**

Port belonging to **Glasgow** Destined Voyage **Calcutta**

If Surveyed Afloat or in Dry Dock **Building Slip**

Length aloft .....	Feet. Inches.	Extreme Breadth .....	Feet. Inches.	Depth of Hold .....	Feet. Inches.
Scantlings of Timber.		Inches.	Inches. Middle	Inches. Ends	
Timber and Space..... each	2 1/2				
Floors..... sided	13	Moulded	12 1/2	10 1/2	Keel to Bilge .....
1 <sup>st</sup> Foothooks..... "	11	"	12	10	Bilge Planks .....
2 <sup>nd</sup> Ditto..... "	10	"	10	8 3/4	Bilge to Wales .....
3 <sup>rd</sup> Ditto..... "	9	"	8 3/4	7 1/2	Wales .....
Top Timbers .....	8 1/2	"	7 1/2	5	Topsides .....
Deck Beams ... N°. of 21 .....	9 1/2	"	9	7	Sheer Strakes 2 Strakes .....
Hold Beams ... N°. of 20 .....	12 1/2	"	12 1/2	10	Plank Sheers .....
Keel .....	13 1/2	"	13 1/2	-	Water-Ways .....
Kelsons .....	14	"	14	-	Upper Deck .....
<i>Rider</i>					
Yellow Copper or Iron. Metal	Size of Bolts in Fastenings, distinguishing whether	Iron.	Inches.		
Heel-Knee, and Dead Wood abaft .....	1 1/2	Yellow Copper or Iron. Metal			
Scarps of Keel .....	N°. 8	Bolts thro' the Bilge and Foot Waling .....	7/8	Hold Beam .....	Yellow Metal 1 1/2
Floor Timber Bolts .....	1 3/8	Butt End Bolts .....	3/4	Deck Beam .....	Iron 1 1/2
Kelson ditto .....	1 3/8	Lower Pintle of the Rudder .....	3 1/2		
Transoms and throats of Hooks .....	1 1/8				
Arms of Hooks .....	1 1/8				

**Timbering.**—The Space between the Floor Timbers and Lower Foothooks in this Vessel is **Close** Inches. The Space between the Top-timbers is **4 to 7** Inches. The Stem, Stern Post, are composed of **English Oak** the Transoms, Aprons, Knight Heads, Hawse Timbers, of **English Oak** and are free from all defects.

The Floors and first Foothooks are composed of **English Oak** Timber.

The other Foothooks and Top Timbers of **English Oak**

The Shifts of the first and second Foothooks are not less than **4 feet 2 inches** N. B. When less than prescribed by the Rule, state how many.

The rest of the Shifts of the Frame are **4 feet 2 inches**

The Frame is **fair squared & free from sap** from the first Foothook Heads upwards, and free from sap, and from thence downwards, the frame is **fair squared & free from sap**

The alternate Frames are **all** bolted together.

N. B. If not, state how bolted.

The Butts of the Timbers are **all** close together; their thickness not less than **1 3/4** of the entire moulding at that place.

The Frame is **Cross** chocked with **some** Butts at each end of the chock.

The Main Kelson is composed of **Greenheart & English Oak** and the False Kelson of **American Elm**

The Scarps of the Kelsons are not less than **7** feet **2** inches.

The Deck and Hold Beams are composed of **English Oak and Greenheart**

**Planking Outside.**—From the Keel to the first Foothook Heads the Plank is composed of **American Rock Elm**

From the first Foothook Heads to the Light Water Mark of **Pitch Pine and English Oak Hoolings**

From the Light Water Mark to the Wales of **Greenheart; African Teak and English Oak Hoolings**

The Wales and Black-strokes are of **Greenheart; African Teak & some English Oak** The Topsides of **Pitch Pine**

The Sheer-strokes and Plank-sheers of **African & English Oak** The Water-ways of **Pitch Pine**

The Decks of **Yellow Pine** State of **Good**

The Shifts of the Planking are not less than **5** Feet **2** Inches. N. B. If less than prescribed by the Rule, state whether general or partial, and if partial, in what part of the Ship.

The Planking is wrought **Three Strakes** between

**Planking Inside.**—The Limber-strokes are composed of **Quebec White Oak** the Bilge Planks of **Quebec W. Oak**

The Ceiling, Lower Hold, of **Quebec White Oak** Between Decks of **Pitch Pine**

Shelf Pieces of **African Teak** Clamps of **Quebec White Oak**

**Fastenings.**—To Hold Beams **Shelf, Dowelled Iron Staple Sodging Knees to every Beam**

**I pair diagonal hanging braces, 2 pair staple standards**

Deck Beams **Shelf, and thick Plank next Waterways Dowelled, Staple Sodging Knees to**

**every Beam - 17 pair Iron Diagonal Hanging Knees**

Number of Breasthooks **Five** Pointers **One pair** Crutches **One**

Butts End Bolts are of **Yellow Metal** in the Bottom, and **One** Bolt in each Butt End through and clenched.

Bilge and Footwaling **Yellow Metal** bolted through and clenched.

General Quality of Workmanship **Good**

We certify that the preceding is a correct description of the above-named Vessel,

Builder's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Surveyor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Her Masts, Yards, &c. are in Good condition, and sufficient in size and length.

She has SAILS.		CABLES, &c.		ANCHORS, and their weights.	
N°.	Fathoms.	Inches.	N°.	C. 2 lb	C. 2 lb
2	Fore Sails,	120	Chain .....	3	Bowers 22" 0" 0 = 21" 0" 0 = 20" 0"
2	Fore Top Sails,	120	Hempen Stream Cable .....	1	Stream, 8" 0" 0" - - - - -
2	Fore Topmast Stay Sails,	85	Hawser .....	2	Kedges 3" 0" 0" 2" 0" 0" - - -
1	Main Sails,	85	Towlines Stream Chain..	1	
2	Main Top Sails,	85	Warp .....	5	
and all other requisite sails		All of <u>Good</u> quality.			

Her Standing and Running Rigging is complete sufficient in size and Good in quality.

She has One 22 feet Long Boat and One 24 feet Pinnace & one 19 feet Jolly Boat

The present state of the Windlass is Good Capstan (2) Good and Rudder well fitted & Good

#### General Remarks—Statement and Date of Repairs.

This is a good, well finished Ship, the timbers are all framed and  
Botted together, of well seasoned English Oak. The planking Outside and Inside  
Ceiling well seasoned and of good quality - All the Deck Beams doweled to the thick  
plank next the waterways and to the shelf.

The Out and in Hold Beam fastenings, Bolts viz. Logring Knees  
Shelfpieces and Stringers (on Waterway over the Beams) are all yellow Metal

She has a full Poop, forecastle and full length Figure Head; The Bottom  
Sheathed with Yellow Metal over patent Felt to the 12 feet Waterline.

Specially Surveyed by me during the progress while Building &  
in accordance with the Rules -

Deck Beam Spaces from Hatch - <sup>ft inches</sup> ~~M H~~ F H  
3" 3-4" 1-4" 3-4" 9-3" 10-5" 0-4" 7-4" 8-4" 5-  
-4" 8-8" 0-4" 9-4" 2-4" 6-4" 6-4" 7-4" 8-4" 6-4" 9-4" 8-4" 1 = 98.21 -

Hold Beams - <sup>ft in.</sup> ~~M H~~ F H <sup>M H</sup>  
2" 8-3" 5-4" 0-4" 0-4" 6-5" 2-4" 3-4" 2-4" 7-4" 5-8" 4-  
-4" 4-4" 5-4" 9-4" 4-4" 8-11" 0-4" 10-4" 6-5" 0 - N° 20

If Sheathed, Doubled, Felted, or Coppered Yellow Metal over Felt When last done September 1840

I am of opinion this Vessel should be Classed A 1. 10 Years

The Amount of the Fee ..... £ 5 : 0 : 0 is received by me,

*✓* Special ..... £ 22 : 10 : 0

Certificate (if required) ..... £ 0 : 10 : 0

Committee's Minute

*6th Nov 1840*

*Wm Robertson*

Character assigned

*A 1 for 10 Years*

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