

IRON SHIP.

4th SEP. 82

No. 5816 Survey held at Glasgow Date, First Survey 23rd Nov 1881 Last Survey 2nd September 1882

On the Iron Screw Steamer "Clan Forbes"

Master *W. Ellwood*
 Built at *Glasgow*
 When built *1881-82* Launched *16th Aug 1882*
 By whom built *Alex. Stephen & Sons*
 Owners *Jesson Cuyper Irvine Co.*
 Residence *Glasgow*
 Port belonging to *Glasgow*
 Destined Voyage *Calcutta*
 If Surveyed while Building, Afloat, or in Dry Dock, *Building and Afloat.*

TONNAGE under Tonnage Deck	2253.24	ONE, OR TWO DECKED, THREE DECKED VESSEL.
Ditto of Forecastle <i>Forecastle</i>	15.64	SPAR, OR AWNING DECKED VESSEL.
Ditto of Poop, or <i>or</i> Lower Deck	34.63	Half Breadth (moulded)
Ditto of Houses on Deck	86.44	Depth from upper part of Keel to top of Upper Deck Beams
Ditto of Forecastle	51.06	Girth of Half Midship Frame (as per Rule)
Gross Tonnage	2441.04	1st Number
Less Crew Space	69.11	1st Number, if a 3-Decked Vessel .. deduct 7 feet
Less Engine Room	481.13	Length
Register Tonnage as out on Beam	1590.80	2nd Number
		Proportions— Breadths to Length
		Depths to Length— Upper Deck to Keel
		Main Deck ditto

Official Number

LENGTH on deck as per Rule	Feet. 322	Inches. 6	BREADTH— Moulded...	Feet. 34	Inches. 9	DEPTH top of Floors to Upper Deck Beams	Feet. 24	Inches. 0 1/2	Power of Engines	Horse. 300	Nº. of Decks with flat laid	3
						Do. do. Main Deck Beams.....	24	0 1/2			Nº. of Tiers of Beams	3

Dimensions of Ship per Register, length, 324.5 breadth, 38.1 depth, 23.8

	Inches in Ship.	Inches per Rule.		Inches in Ship.	Inches per Rule.
KEEL, depth and thickness <i>side plates</i>	10 x 4	10 x 4	PLATES in Garboard Strakes, br'dth & thickness	36	2 36
STEM, moulding and thickness	10 x 2 1/2	10 x 2 1/2	From Garboard to upper part of Bilges	10	10
STERN-POST for Rudder do. do.	10 x 5 1/2	10 x 5 1/2	Of Bilge at Bilge, or increased thickness, and length applied <i>half length</i>	11-2	11-2
" " for Propeller	10 x 5 1/2	10 x 5 1/2	From up. prt of Bilge to lr. edge of Sh'rstrake	11	11
Distance of Frames from moulding edge to moulding edge, all fore and aft	24	24	Main Sheerstrake, breadth and thickness	47	47
FRAMES, Angle Iron, for 3/4 length amidships	5 3/2 8	5 3/2 8	Of Bilge at Sh'strk. & lng. applied		
Do. for 1/2 at each end	5 3/2 4	5 3/2 4	From M'n. to Up. or Spar Dk. Sh'rstrake		
REVERSED FRAMES, Angle Iron	3 1/2 8 8	3 1/2 8 8	Up. or Spar Dk. Sh'rstrake, br'dth & thiek'n'ss		
FLOORS, depth and thickness of Floor Plate at mid line for half length amidships	<i>Double bottom constructed on the cellular system, upper section attached hereto.</i>		Butt Straps to outside plating, breadth & thickness	8 1/2 x 1 1/2	8 1/2 x 1 1/2
" thickness at the ends of vessel			Lengths of Plating	6 frames	5 frames
" depth at 3/4 the half-bdth. as per Rule			Shifts of Plating, and Stringers	2 "	2 "
" height extended at the Bilges			Gunwale Plate on ends of Awning, Spar, or Upper Deck Beams, breadth and thickness	46	46
BEAMS, Upper, Spar, or Awning Deck	6 3 9	6 3 9	Angle Iron on ditto	4x4	4x4
Single or d'ble Ang. Iron, Plate or Tee Bulb Iron			Tie Plates fore and aft, outside Hatchways		
Single or double Angle Iron on Upper edge			Diagonal Tie Plates on Beams No. of Pairs	6	6
Average space	<i>One frame space</i>		Flat of Up., Spar, or Awning Dk. <i>laid on deck</i>	3 1/2	3 1/2
BEAMS, Main, or Middle Deck	6 3 9	6 3 9	How fastened to Beams <i>nut & screw</i>		
Single or d'ble Ang. Iron, Plate or Tee Bulb Iron			Stringer Plate on ends of Main or Middle Deck Beams, breadth and thickness	51	51
Single or double Angle Iron, on Upper Edge			Is the Stringer Plate attached to the outside plating?	<i>Yes</i>	
Average space	<i>One frame space</i>		Angle Irons on ditto, No. 2	4x4	4x4
BEAMS, Lower Deck			Tie Plates, outside Hatchways		
Single or d'ble Ang. Iron, Plate or Tee Bulb Iron			Diagonal Tie Plates on Beams, No. of pairs		
Single or double Angle Iron on Upper Edge			Flat of Middle Deck* do <i>iron, whole length</i>	6	6
Average space			How fastened to Beams <i>riveted</i>	<i>upper deck laid</i>	<i>iron</i>
BEAMS, Hold, or Orlop			Stringer Plates on ends of Lower Deck, Hold or Orlop Beams		
Single or d'ble Ang. Iron, Plate or Tee Bulb Iron			Is the Stringer Plate attached to the outside plating?		
Single or double Angle Iron on Upper Edge			Angle Irons on ditto, No.		
Average space			Stringer or Tie Plates, outside Hatchways		
KEELSONS Centre line, single or double plate, box, or Intercostal, Plates			Flat of Lower Deck*		
" Rider Plate	<i>Double bottom constructed on the cellular system, upper & lower sections attached hereto.</i>		Ceiling betwixt Decks, thickness and material	6x2	7.0
" Bulb Plate to Intercostal Keelson			" in hold do. do.	2 1/2	2 1/2
" Angle Irons			Main piece of Rudder, diameter at head	4 1/2	4 1/2
" Double Angle Iron Side Keelson			do. at heel	4	3 1/4
" Side Intercostal Plate			Can the Rudder be unshipped afloat?	<i>Yes</i>	
" do. Angle Irons			Bulkheads No. 6 No. per Rule	4	4
" Attached to outside plating with angle iron			" Thickness of	7/8 - 9/8	
BILGE Angle Irons	3 1/2 3 1/2 4	3 1/2 3 1/2 4	" Height up	<i>upper deck</i>	
" do. Bulb Iron <i>between web frames</i>			" How secured to sides of ship	<i>Double frame angle bars</i>	
" do. 7/8 Intercostal plates riveted to plating for <i>whole length</i>	3 1/2 3 1/2 8	3 1/2 3 1/2 8	" Size of Vertical Angle Irons	<i>3 1/2 x 3 1/2 x 5/8</i>	and distance apart 30 ins.
" <i>Side</i> STRINGER Angle Irons <i>between web frames</i>	3 1/2 3 1/2 4	3 1/2 3 1/2 4	" Are the outside Plates doubled two spaces of Frames in length?	<i>Yes</i>	
" 7/8 Intercostal plates riveted to plating for <i>whole length</i>	3 1/2 3 1/2 8	3 1/2 3 1/2 8	" Riveted through plates with 7/8 in. Rivets, about 1/4 apart.		
SIDE STRINGER Angle Irons			" Middle deck and to Upper deck alternately		

The FRAMES extend in one length from *margin plate to margin plate or from margin plate to middle deck*

The REVERSED ANGLE IRONS on floors and frames extend *from middle line to middle deck* and to *Upper deck* alternately

KEELSONS. Are the various lengths of Plates and Angle Irons properly connected? *Yes* And butts properly shifted? *Yes*

PLATING. Garboard, double riveted to Keel, with rivets *1/8* in. diameter, averaging *5 1/2* ins. from centre to centre.

" Edges of Garboards and to upper part of Bilge, worked clencher, double riveted; with rivets *7/8* in. diameter, averaging *3 1/2* ins. from centre to centre.

" Butts from Keel to turn of Bilge, worked carvel, double riveted; with rivets *7/8* in. diameter averaging *3 1/2* ins. from centre to centre.

" Butts of *Three* Strakes at Bilge for *half* length, treble riveted with Butt Straps *1/16* in. thicker than the plates they connect.

" Edges from Bilge to Main Sheerstrake, worked clencher, double or single riveted; with rivets *7/8* in. diameter, averaging *3 1/2* ins. from cr. to cr.

" Butts from Bilge to Main Sheerstrake, worked carvel, double riveted; with rivets *7/8* in. diameter, averaging *3 1/2* ins. from cr. to cr.

Lower Edges of Main Sheerstrake, double or single riveted. *Upper Sheerstrake*, double or single riveted.

" Butts of Main Sheerstrake, treble riveted for *1/2* length amidships. Butts of Upper or Spar Sheerstrake, treble riveted *1/2* length amidships.

" Butts of Main Stringer Plate, treble riveted for *1/2* length amidships. Butts of Upper or Spar Stringer Plate, treble riveted for *half* length.

" Breadth of laps of plating in double riveting *5 1/2* ins. Breadth of laps of plating in single riveting

Butt Straps of Keelsons, Stringer and Tie Plates, treble, double or single Riveted? *treble & double* No. of Breasthooks, *5* Crutches, *3*

What description of Iron is used for Frames, Beams, Keelsons, Tie, and Stringer Plates, Outside Plating, &c.? *Best*

Manufacturer's name or trade mark, *Pritchard and Glasgow.*

The above is a correct description.

Builder's Signature, *A.C. Stephen & Sons* Surveyor's Signature, *J. & R. Lloyd's Register*

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

State clearly where plating is of alternate thicknesses—as distinguished from diminished thickness at ends of vessel.

* If Iron Deck, state if whole or part, and if wood deck is laid thereon.

Form No. 1 for Iron Ships—4000—2-15/81.

Workmanship. Are the butts of plating planed or otherwise fitted? *Planed* 8516 99
 Do the edges of the carvel work and of the butts lay close together throughout their length without requiring any making good of deficiencies? *yes*
 Are the fillings between the ribs and plates solid single pieces? *yes*
 Do the holes for riveting plate to frames, butt straps, or plate to plate, &c., conform well to each other? *yes*
 Are the rivet holes well and sufficiently countersunk in the plate and punched from the faying surfaces? *yes*
 Do any rivets break into or through the seams or butts of the plating? *A few*

Masts, ~~Bowsprit~~, Yards, &c., are *new* in *good* condition, and sufficient in size and length. If of Iron or Steel give Scantlings of Plating, Angle Irons, &c., and further explain by a Sketch showing how the lower Masts and Bowsprit are constructed, showing the number of Plates and Angle Irons, mode of riveting, quality of Materials, and if stamped with Maker's name.
 State also Length and Diameter of Lower Masts and Bowsprit

Iron (Clydesdale S.S.) } Foremast 84.3 25 1/2 18 18 1/2 13 8 2 Two plates in the round, treble
 Mainmast 46.9 24 1/2 19 18 12 1/4 8 5 rickled butts and double rickled bands.
 Lowermast, topmast and topgallantmast in one.
 Plating 7/16-inch in thickness to lowermast, tapering to 5/16-inch at head.

NUMBER for EQUIPMENT	SAILS.	CABLES, &c.	Fathoms.	Inches.	Test per Certificate.	Inches per Rule.	Machine where Tested & Suprntd.	ANCHORS.					
								No. of	Weight.	Test per Certificate	W'ght req'd per Rule.		
	Chain	2 1/2" S.S.	300 1/2	1 1/2	13.8 1/4	300 x 1 1/2		Bower Anchors	489	37.0.19	33.14.3.4	36 1/2	
	Fore Sails,	Iron Steam Chain	90 1/2	1 1/2	13.8 1/4	90 x 1 1/2		490	36.0.1	33.2.2.0	36 1/2		
	Fore Top Sails,	Steel Wire			7.3.22 3/4			488	30.3.16	29.5.2.14	31		
	Fore Topmast Stay Sails,	Towline	100	5	D.S. 59	100 x 4							
	Main Sails,	Steel Wire											
	Main Top Sails,	Hawser	90	10		90 x 10		Stream Anchor	485	11.1.0	13.2.2.0	11 1/4	
	and	Warp	90	8 1/2		90 x 8 1/2		Kedge	486	5.2.0	7.16.1.0	5 1/2	
		quality						2nd Kedge	484	2.3.8	5.6.1.0	2 3/4	

Standing and Running Rigging *Wire & hemp* sufficient in size and *good* in quality. She has *Lia Long Boats* and *2 Lifeboats & 4 others*
 The Windlass is *Iron (patent)* Capstan and Rudder *good* Pumps *good*
Engine Room Skylights. How constructed? *Leak framing* How secured in ordinary weather? *Plates and Bolts*
 What arrangements for deadlights in bad weather? *Flaps with bulls' eyes*
Coal Bunker Openings. How constructed? *Plates & angles* How are lids secured? *Solid hatches & tarpaulins* Height above deck? *14 inches*
Scuppers, &c. What arrangements for clearing upper deck of water, in case of shipping a sea?
Sixteen scuppers and fourteen water ports

Cargo Hatchways. How formed? *Deep coming plates and angles*
 State size *Main Hatch 14.0 x 11.0* *No. 2 Hatch 28.0 x 11.0* *No. 3 Quarter Hatch 16.0 x 11.0* *No. 4 Hatch 24.0 x 11.0*
 If of extraordinary size, state how framed and secured? *Framed with plates and angles. The plates form coming & carling and extend to a height of 21 inches above deck flat.*
 What arrangement for shifting beams? *In No. 2 hatchway 2 deep web plates, No. 3 hatchway one deep web plate, No. 4 hatchway two deep web plates.*
Hatches, If strong and efficient? *yes (solid hatches)*

Order for Special Survey No.	Date	Order for Ordinary Survey No.	Date	No.	DATES OF SURVEYS held while building as per Section 18.
596	31 st March 1881	1		263	1st. On the several parts of the frame, when in place, and before the plating was wrought 2nd. On the plating during the process of riveting 3rd. When the beams were in and fastened, and before the decks were laid... 4th. When the ship was complete, and before the plating was finally coated or cemented... 5th. After the ship was launched and equipped
					1881 - Nov. 23 & 26. Dec. 2, 14 & 24. 1882 - Jan. 11, 19, 26 & 27. Feb. 2, 10, 16, 20, 23 & 24. March 8, 16, 25 & 29. April 4, 11, 14, 18, 21, 25 & 29. May 5, 9, 16, 24 & 31. June 5, 13, 16, 21, 28 & 29. July 6, 7, 12, 26 & 31. August 3, 7, 10, 12, 19. Sept. 2.

General Remarks (State quality of workmanship, &c.)
This vessel has been built in conformity with the approved Guidship and Longitudinal Sections, the instructions contained in the Secretary's letters dated 28th February, and 8th & 12th March 1881, and otherwise in accordance with the Rules with a view to the grade Contemplated.
The quality of workmanship and material is good
This is a sister vessel to the "Clan Cameron" and "Clan Campbell," (Glasgow Reports Nos. 566 and 5456) but has iron bulwarks as "Clan Campbell."

Two decks and web frames with
Poop 12 feet - Bridge 74 feet - Forecastle 38 feet and Double bottom.
 State if one, two, or three decked vessel, or if spar, or awning decked; and the lengths of poop, bridge, forecastle, or raised quarter deck. (If double bottom, state particulars on separate form.)

How are the surfaces preserved from oxidation? Inside *Paint and Cement* Outside *Paint*
 I am of opinion this Vessel should be Classed 100 A 1.
 The amount of the Entry Fee ... £ 5 : 0 : 0 is received by me,
 Special ... £ 84 : 6 : 0 1/9/ 1882
 Certificate ... 0 : 0 : 0
 (to be sent as per margin) £ 89 : 6 : 0
 (Travelling Expenses, if any, £)

Committee's Minute 18
 Character assigned *100 A 1 Live P*
2 Dks Iron & web frames
 T. J. House
 Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of British and Foreign Shipping.
 Lloyd's Register Foundation

Reference should be made to any correspondence connected with the case.
 (The Surveyors are requested not to write on or below the space for Committee's Minute.)