

# REPORT ON MACHINERY

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Port of Shull

No. 7516

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No. in Survey held at Shull

Date, first Survey July 11<sup>th</sup>

Last Survey Oct 10

1890

Reg. Book.

(Number of Visits 17)

On the Iron Steam Trawler Achilles

Tons { Gross 147.93  
Net 53.46

Master Cottrell

Built at Shull

By whom built Carlis Co Lim

When built 1890

Engines made at Shull

By whom made Carlis Co Lim

when made 1890

Boilers made at Shull

By whom made Carlis Co Lim

when made 1890

Registered Horse Power 50

Owners R. Gladis & J. B. Rippon

Port belonging to Shull

## ENGINES, &c.—

Description of Engines Single Compound Inverted Direct Acting No. of Cylinders Three

Diam. of Cylinders 12 1/4, 20 & 32 Length of Stroke 90 Rev. per minute 140 Point of Cut off, High Pressure .62 Low Pressure .68

Diameter of Screw shaft 5 1/8 Diam. of Tunnel shaft 5 1/8 Diam. of Crank shaft journals 5 1/8 Diam. of Crank pin 6 size of Crank webs 7 x 4 1/8

Diameter of screw 7.9 Pitch of screw 8:6 No. of blades 4 state whether moveable No total surface 22 sq ft

No. of Feed pumps One diameter of ditto 2 Stroke 10 Can one be overhauled while the other is at work -

No. of Bilge pumps One diameter of ditto 3 Stroke 10 Can one be overhauled while the other is at work -

Where do they pump from Bilge, hold, Muckwell sea.

No. of Donkey Engines One Size of Pumps 3 x 6 Where do they pump from Bilge, hold, Muckwell,

Ballast tank, sea & hold. Gector with suction in Engine Bilge & discharge on deck

Are all the bilge suction pipes fitted with roses Yes Are the roses always accessible Yes Are the sluices on Engine room bulkheads always accessible -

No. of bilge injections one and sizes 3 Are they connected to condenser, or to circulating pump Circulating Pumps

How are the pumps worked from intermediate piston rod, rocking levers.

Are all connections with the sea direct on the skin of the ship Yes Are they Valves or Cocks both

Are they fixed sufficiently high on the ship's side to be seen without lifting the stokehold plates Yes Are the discharge pipes above or below the deep water line above

Are they each fitted with a discharge valve always accessible on the plating of the vessel Yes Are the blow off cocks fitted with a spigot and brass covering plate Yes

What pipes are carried through the bunkers suction to forward How are they protected hood cased

Are all pipes, cocks, valves, and pumps in connection with the machinery accessible at all times Yes in Engine room

Are the pipes, cocks, and valves arranged so as to prevent an unintentional connection between the sea and the bilges Yes

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## BOILERS, &c.—

No. of Boilers One Description Cylindrical Mult Material Steel Letter (for record) S

Working Pressure 150 lb Tested by hydraulic pressure to 300 lb Date of test 25 Sept 1890

Description of superheating apparatus or steam chest none fitted

Can each boiler be worked separately Yes Can the superheater be shut off and the boiler worked separately -

Area of square feet of fire grate surface in each boiler 284 sq ft Description of safety valves Spring loaded No. to each boiler two

Area of each valve 3.14 sq ft Are they fitted with easing gear Yes No. of safety valves to superheater - area of each valve -

Are they fitted with easing gear - Smallest distance between boilers and bunkers or woodwork 9 Diameter of boilers 10:0

Thickness of shell plates 10:0 description of riveting of shell long. seams double strap double circum. seams double in lap Thickness of shell plates 10:0

Diameter of rivet holes 1 3/16 whether punched or drilled drilled pitch of rivets 6 1/2 Lap of plating 12 3/4

Percentage of strength of longitudinal joint 81.93 % working pressure of shell by rules 150 lb size of manholes in shell 16 x 12

Description of compensating rings 2.4 x 2.2 x 2 1/2 No. of Furnaces in each boiler two Description of Furnaces Admiral's Patent

Outside diameter 39 1/2 length 6:4 thickness of plates 10 1/16 description of joint brided if rings are fitted Yes

Working pressure of furnace by the rules 150 lb combustion chamber plating, thickness, sides 9 1/16 back 9 1/16 top 9 1/16

Working pressure of plating by rules 150 lb Diameter of stays at smallest part 1 3/8 working pressure of ditto by rules 185 lb end plates in steam space, thickness 14 1/16

How stays are secured double nuts working pressure by rules 159 lb diameter of stays at smallest part 2 1/4

Working pressure by rules 190 lb Front plates at bottom, thickness 10 1/16 Back plates, thickness 10 1/16

Working pressure by rules 150 lb Diameter of tubes 3 1/2 pitch of tubes 4 1/2 thickness of tube plates, front 10 1/16 back 10 1/16

How stayed double nuts pitch of stays 9 width of water spaces 10

Diameter of Superheater or Steam chest - length - thickness of plates - description of longitudinal joint - diam. of rivet holes -

Working pressure of shell by rules - diameter of flue - thickness of plates - If stiffened with rings -

Working pressure by rules - end plates of superheater, or steam chest: thickness - how stayed -

Superheater or steam chest; how connected to boiler -

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DONKEY BOILER— Description *None fitted*

Made at \_\_\_\_\_ by whom made \_\_\_\_\_ when made \_\_\_\_\_ where fixed \_\_\_\_\_  
Working pressure \_\_\_\_\_ tested by hydraulic pressure to \_\_\_\_\_ No. of Certificate \_\_\_\_\_ fire grate area \_\_\_\_\_ description of safety  
valves \_\_\_\_\_ No. of safety valves \_\_\_\_\_ area of each \_\_\_\_\_ if fitted with easing gear \_\_\_\_\_ if steam from main boilers can  
enter the donkey boiler \_\_\_\_\_ diameter of donkey boiler \_\_\_\_\_ length \_\_\_\_\_ description of riveting \_\_\_\_\_  
Thickness of shell plates \_\_\_\_\_ diameter of rivet holes \_\_\_\_\_ whether punched or drilled \_\_\_\_\_ pitch of rivets \_\_\_\_\_ lap of plating \_\_\_\_\_  
per centage of strength of joint \_\_\_\_\_ thickness of crown plates \_\_\_\_\_ stayed by \_\_\_\_\_  
Diameter of furnace, top \_\_\_\_\_ bottom \_\_\_\_\_ length of furnace \_\_\_\_\_ thickness of plates \_\_\_\_\_ description of joint \_\_\_\_\_  
Thickness of furnace crown plates \_\_\_\_\_ stayed by \_\_\_\_\_ working pressure of shell by rules \_\_\_\_\_  
Working pressure of furnace by rules \_\_\_\_\_ diameter of uptake \_\_\_\_\_ thickness of plates \_\_\_\_\_ thickness of water tubes \_\_\_\_\_

SPARE GEAR. State the articles supplied:— *Two top end bolts, Two bottom end bolts, Two main bearing bolts, One set coupling bolts, One set Sea & One set Bilge pumps &c*

*The vessel efficient with masts and sails as a trawler.*

The foregoing is a correct description,

SHIPBUILDING & ENGINEERING CO. LIMITED Manufacturer.

*Mearns*

General Remarks (State quality of workmanship, opinions as to class, &c. *Workmanship Good*)

*The Machinery and Boiler of this Steam Trawler have been constructed under special Order and placed on board in accordance with the Society's Rules, they are now in my opinion in safe working condition and the case is respectfully submitted for the certification + L.M.C. 10.90. in the Register Book.*

*It is submitted that this vessel is eligible to have + L.M.C. 10.90 recorded*

*W.D.  
29-10-90*

Machinery Certificate

The amount of Entry Fee £ 1 : : received by me,  
Special .. .. £ 8 : :  
Donkey Boiler Fee .. .. £ - : :  
Certificate (if required) .. £ - : : *3/12/90*  
To be sent as per margin.  
(Travelling Expenses, if any, £ - )

*James Jones*  
Engineer Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of British & Foreign Shipping.

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*+ L.M.C. 10/90*

