

# REPORT of SURVEY for REPAIRS.

No. <sup>384</sup> Survey held at London Date Nov<sup>r</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> 1840  
 on the Ship John McWilliam Master   
 Tonnage 588 Built at Quebec When built 1833  
 By whom built  Owners J. McWilliam  
 Port belonging to Greenock Destined Voyage   
 If Surveyed Afloat or in Dry Dock At Greenock Dock during Repair

Original Survey, No. 364 Dated 1837 Classed 5 A 1  
 Port Clyde

## Repairs

At the present time shipped. — Reexamined from the Bilge up. 10 pairs of Knee Riders 7 pair of Intake Riders and 2 pair of knees between Decks now put in after being opened at Bilge — 53 Timbers on starboard side and 58 Timbers on the larboard side shifted, together with the Plank Strakes, Top side Sheer Strakes and plank sheers on both sides from the bulk of the Bow aft — Carvelled throughout. Stiffer some wood sheathed & coppered to water — several beams and shifted

The beam timbers still remaining are many of them quite short and defective in the heart. The Ceiling is also much decayed in many places. (in quality)

The Surveyor is also required to state the present Condition of the

Decks <u>Good</u>	Transoms <u>Fair order</u>	Windlass
Upper Deck Beams & Fastenings <u>very strong</u>	Timbers of the Frame <u>moderate aloft</u>	Capstan
Lower Deck Beams & Fastenings <u>"</u>	Topsides <u>fair order</u>	Pumps <u>Coverhauling</u>
Spirkettling <u>good</u>	Wales <u>for aft</u>	Masts, Yards, &c. <u>Good and</u>
Plank Sheers <u>also good</u>	Counter <u>in</u>	Sails <u>efficient</u>
Waterways <u>good</u>	Plank & Treenails (Outside to the Water's Edge) <u>fair appearance</u>	Cables
Hatchway Comings <u>good</u>	Rudder <u>good</u>	Anchors No. of
Breasthooks	Copper <u>1840</u>	Standing & Running Rigging

General Observations and Opinion. The defective top timbers have been removed when they as required by the Instructions, could be got out — and shifted so as to render her safe for say 12 or 18 months — I beg to refer her to the special consideration of the Committee

George Bayley

John Cowie

The Amount of Fee £ 3 : 3 : is received by me, John Cowie

Committee's Minute To have 28<sup>th</sup> June 1840

Character assigned At 1 week repair