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REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

22 in R. B. Wreck Book, p. 63 Date of writing this report 14th April 1897

's Name *Erasmus Wilson* of *London* 437 Tons.
YEAR. MONTH. 751
at *Hartlepool* When 1896 3 Casualty notice sent to Owner 12.4.97 Owner's reply *attached*

previously before Date Particulars of Classification.
ing Committee. Last Minute +90A1 ss N3-9.88
8.96 ss N7-92

of Casualty 9th April 1897
of particulars of Casualty

Vessel struck on a sunken steamer at Thameshaven on 9th April and sank.

The owners write on 13th April "we have given notice to the Thames Conservancy who will no doubt raise her in due course and it is our intention if practicable that she shall be repaired so as to keep her present class on your Register Book. Under these circumstances we take it that you will kindly defer acting with her character at present"

SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

ERASMUS WILSON (s).—Thameshaven, April 9, 8 5 a.m.—Erasmus Wilson, with coal, coming up at 2 a.m., hazy, settled on the Newburn, wreck; hole in her bottom; crew left.

ERASMUS WILSON (s).—Gravesend, April 9, 8 35 a.m.—Steamer Erasmus Wilson, of London, from Hartlepool, cargo coals, struck sunken steamer Newburn, at 2 o'clock this morning during fog and foundered. Crew saved and are now at Sailors' Home here.

ERASMUS WILSON (s).—Havenhole, April 9, 11 59 a.m.—During fog, 2 a.m., Erasmus Wilson ran into Newburn, reported sunk yesterday, and cut her in two. Crew saved in own boat. Cargo coals.

ERASMUS WILSON (s).—Stanford-le-Hope, April 9, 2 8 p.m.—Erasmus Wilson (s), which struck the wrecked steamer Newburn, 2 a.m., this morning, lay on the latter vessel, a total wreck.

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OWNER'S NAME *S. Clarke of*
Address *4 St Dunstons Alley, St Dunstons Hill E.C.*

Registered Record
Date of Committee THUR. 15 APL 1897 TUES 4 MAY 1897 FRI. 3 SEP 1897

Committee's Minute *Deferred for a fortnight*
dr to owner 15/4/97

