

Report of Survey for Repairs, &c., of Engines and Boilers.

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Date of writing Report 8th December 1942 When handed in at Local Office 8th Dec 1942 Port of PORT NATAL
Survey held at PORT NATAL Date, First Survey 11th November Last Survey 2nd December 1942
(No. of Visits 11)

701 on the Machinery of the Wood, Iron or Steel Sc "LLANASHE"

Gross 4836 Vessel built at Sunderland
Net 2911 Engines made at Newcastle
Hull Power 348 Boilers, when made (Main) 1936
Main Boilers 25B. Owners Clarissa Ratcliffe & Co. Ltd.
Aux¹ Boilers 15B Managers Thomas Ratcliffe & Co.
Main Boilers 230.11 Pressure
Aux¹ Boilers 230.11 (State Name of Dock.)

By whom Bartram & Sons, Ltd.
By whom White Marine Eng Co Ltd.
AUX 1936

Year. 1936 Month.
When 1936

Owners' Address
(if not already recorded in Appendix to Register Book.)

Port London.

Voyage.

Particulars of Classification (which must be inserted precisely as in Register Book and Supplements).

CHARACTER. For Special Survey Date of last Survey and of Periodical Surveys.	Years assigned now expired.	Machinery and Boiler Surveys (including date of N.B., if any)
+100 A.I. with freeboard 7.41 Examined 11-41 Tonnage opening closed 11 (W.R.)		+L.M.C. 11-36 B.S. 11-41 TS-CL 2-40

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Port LIV

Commerce BS and Repairs.

Details of Examination and Repairs (if any)
Actual Surveys, when held, must be reported in detail and seriatim in the terms of the Rules. State clearly the use of Repairs, if any, and, in detail, the nature and extent of Examinations and subsequent Repairs. Repairs or count of Damage (the cause of which must be stated) should be separated from Repairs due to other causes; and sides being detailed in the body of the report, should be briefly summarised at the end of the report. State also the dates and initials of any letters respecting this case.

In cases, where the Surveyor has not made a special damage report, he is required to state whether he offered his services for this purpose, and why they were declined.

damage report made by anyone else? If so, by whom?

Surveyor personally go inside each Main Boiler separately and make a thorough examination at this time?

Surveyor personally go inside each Aux¹ Boiler separately and make a thorough examination at this time?

was not done, state for what reasons?

What parts of the Boilers could not be thus thoroughly examined?

What special means, in the absence of internal examination, were adopted by the Surveyor to assure himself of the thorough efficiency of those parts of each Boiler?

Test date of internal examination of each boiler. **Both Main 19-11-42, Aux¹ 30-11-42**

Present condition of funnel(s) —

Surveyor examine the Safety Valves of the Main Boilers? **Yes**

Surveyor examine the Safety Valves of Donkey Boiler? **Yes**

Surveyor examine all the manholes, doors and their fastenings of the Main Boilers? **Yes**

Surveyor examine the drain plugs of the Main Boilers? **Yes**

Surveyor examine all the mountings of the Main Boilers? **Yes**

Surveyor now been drawn and examined? **No**

If so, state reasons.

Surveyor now been changed? **✓**

If so, state reasons.

Surveyor now fitted been previously used? **✓**

Has it a continuous liner? **✓**

State the distance between lignum vitae or bearing metal of stern bush and top of after bearing of screw shaft.

Engine parts, when referred to by numbers, should be counted from forward.

Surveyor examine the generators, motors, switchgear, cables and fuses?

Insulation resistance of the generators, circuits and apparatus been tested and found to be not less than 100,000 ohms?

Survey is not complete, state what arrangements have been made for its completion and what remains to be done.

To Complete the B.S. the Safety

as of the Auxiliary Boilers require to be adjusted under steam, or is stated that

will be done at the first Convenient opportunity.

done & Commerce BS : The two main + the auxiliary boilers examined internally and

externally together with their safety valves, doors + mountings found, or placed, in good

condition. The Safety Valves of the two main boilers adjusted under steam & the pressure stated above

being. The LP turbine, pinion & coupling examined & found: The Pinion 1 blade

13th stage + 3 blades in 14th stage broken abroot, several blades distorted. Turbine Case

some blades distorted. Pinion & Coupling Coupling slack on pinion cone, cone surface

badly scored abraded, key slack in keyway + badly bowed.

P.T.O.

General Observations, Opinion, and Recommendation: — The Machinery of this Vessel, as now

clearly what alteration, if any, is suggested to be made in the existing classification of the vessel's machinery in the Register Book, consequent upon this survey, and also

any alteration required to be made in the records of the vessel's machinery, boilers, working pressures, etc.; thus, for example, B.S. 9.11, B. & M.S. 9.11, L.M.C. 9.11, or

L.M.C. 140 lb., F.D., etc.)

CS 3.34.

is in an efficient condition, and eligible in my opinion to remain as

performed with fresh record of B.S. 12.42 when the Safety Valves of the Auxiliary Boilers have been

adjusted under steam; Subject to some blading of the LP turbine being repaired at the

convenient opportunity, and to the turbine pinion & coupling being examined before the

end of December 1943.

Fee (per Section 29) BS £ 8.8.0

Repair Fee (if any) per Section 29 £ 19.19.0

Travelling expenses (if chargeable) £ 1.18.0

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Assigned Deferred for Comp B.S.

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Repairs W.T. - The following temporary repairs have been satisfactorily carried out:- LP turbine - distorted blading fairied as far as practicable, binding wire secured in way of missing rotor blades. All blading cleaned.
Pinion cone machined & keyway dressed, a new half coupling having a deeper collar & allow greater surface on pinion cone, fitted; key and securing nut renewed. A hardness test on the new half coupling was carried out & the results found satisfactory.

Permanent repairs :- L.P. turbine thrust pads renewed. Auxiliary boiler internal feed pipes renewed.

On completion of the repairs the machinery was tried under working conditions with satisfactory results.

It is recommended that some blading in the LP turbine be repaired at the first convenient opportunity, and the LP turbine pinion and coupling be examined before the end of December 1943, in the meantime the machinery is, in my opinion, efficient.

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