

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

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Date of writing Report 19th Decbr. 1941 When handed in at Local Office 20th Decbr. 1941 Port of SOUTHAMPTON
No. in Reg. Book. 25700 Survey held at SOUTHAMPTON Date, First Survey 20th July. Last Survey 12th Decbr. 1941
(No. of Visits 32.)
on the Machinery of the Wood, Iron or Steel TANKER 3/8 INVERARDER

Tonnage { Gross 5578 Vessel built at SUNDERLAND By whom SIR J. LAING & SONS, LTD. Year. Month. 1919 7
Net 3367 Engines made at SUNDERLAND By whom G. CLARK, LTD. When 1919 -
Nominal Horse Power 517 Boilers, when made (Main) 1919 (Donkey) -
No. of Main Boilers 3 Owners BRITISH MEXICAN PETROLEUM CO. LTD. Owners' Address -
No. of Donkey Boilers 1 Managers R. A. CORDER Port LONDON. Voyage -
Steam Pressure in Main Boilers 180 lb/sq. in If Surveyed Afloat or in Dry Dock No 6 Drydock & 49 BERTH.
in Donkey Boilers - (State name of Dock.)

Last Report No. - Port -
Particulars of Examination and Repairs (if any) DAMAGE + L.M.C.

(Periodical surveys, when held, must be reported in detail and seriatim in the terms of the Rules. State clearly the cause of repairs, if any, and, in detail, the nature and extent of examinations and subsequent repairs. Repairs on account of damage (the cause of which must be stated) should be separated from repairs due to other causes; and besides 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 damage 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.

Was a damage report made by anyone else? If so, by whom? Not Required.

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

" " Donkey " " " "

If this was not done, state for what reasons? -

And what parts of the Boilers could not be thus thoroughly examined? -

Also 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? -

State latest date of internal examination of each boiler 20/10/41 Present condition of funnel(s) Good

Did the Surveyor examine the Safety Valves of the Main Boiler? YES To what pressure were they afterwards adjusted under steam? 180 lb/sq. in

Did the Surveyor examine the Safety Valves of Donkey Boiler? - To what pressure were they afterwards adjusted under steam? -

Did the Surveyor examine all the manholes, doors and their fastenings of the Main Boilers? YES , and of the Donkey Boilers? -

Did the Surveyor examine the drain plugs of the Main Boilers? - , and of the Donkey Boilers? -

Did the Surveyor examine all the mountings of the Main Boilers? YES , and of the Donkey Boilers? -

Has screw shaft now been drawn and examined? No Is it fitted with continuous liner? YES Is an approved appliance fitted at the after end of the shaft to permit of it being efficiently lubricated? -

Has shaft now been changed? - If so, state reasons -

Has the shaft now fitted been previously used? YES Has it a continuous liner? - Is an approved appliance fitted at the after end of the shaft to permit of it being efficiently lubricated? -

State date of examination of Screw Shaft - State the distance between lignum vitae or bearing metal of stern bush and top of after bearing of screw shaft 1/8"

Engine parts, when referred to by numbers, should be counted from forward. Is electric light and/or power fitted? YES

If so, did the Surveyor examine the generators, motors, switchgear, cables and fuses? YES

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

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

Now done for damage: State to have been sustained during Enemy action on the 20th June 1941.

Now done for damage: Vessel placed in drydock, propeller, after end of stern bush, connections, with their inside and outside fastenings examined, wear down taken reading as above. All ship side valves and cocks opened up, examined and overhauled.

Main Engines: Cylinders, covers, liners, pistons with rings and rods, Valves with liners and fafts and splindles.

General Observations, Opinion, and Recommendation: The Machinery of this vessel is P.T.O.

(State 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, &c.; thus, for example, B.S. 2, 11, B.M.S. 2, 11, & L.M.C. 2, 11, or L.M.C. 140 lb., F.D., &c.)

in a good and efficient condition, and ought in our opinion to remain so classed and to have fresh record of survey + L.M.C. 12/41

1281 dated 12th July 1941

Survey Fee (per Section 29) £ 14 : 0 : 0 Fees applied for 31/12/1941

Special Damage & Repair Fee (if any) £ 31 - 10 - 0 Received by me, -

Travelling expenses (if chargeable) £ - - -

Committee's Minute TUE. 27 JAN 1942

Assigned + Lmc 12.41

Engineer Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

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Main Engines: relief valves and valves, impulse valves, chest and controls, connecting rods with the top and bottom end masses, fuel gear, eccentric rods with straps and clamps, crankshaft fitted, examined along with both valves of main bearings, bridge readings taken, crank block, shaft, intermediate shaft examined, steel bearings removed and examined along with full head gland and stuffing box. All bearings adjusted, shafting re-aligned, keyplate and locking down bolts examined, all aforesaid either found or placed in good order.

Turning engine and reversing engine opened up and examined in their entirety.

Main Engine driven pumps: (Air, fuel & Bilge) opened up and examined along with rockers, spindles, levers &

Main and Auxiliary Condensers: degreased and examined and tested.

Main and Auxiliary steam pipes, lines: degreased and examined under hydraulic test to rule requirement.

Main Circulating pump: opened up and examined in its entirety.

The following Auxiliaries opened up and examined in their entirety: - Water fuel pumps, Ballast pump, general service pump, fire pump, Cargo ballast pumps, fan engine.

Stokehold Unit House: - both fuel pumps opened up and examined in their entirety, the fuel oil heater opened up, casing examined and tested, coils annealed and tested, mountings examined, filters examined.

Water fuel heater examined internally and externally along with mountings.

Evaporator: opened up, examined, coil annealed and tested, mountings examined.

Main Boilers 3 in number: examined internally and externally along with manholes, doors etc. mountings opened up, examined and overhauled, trials examined under hydraulic test, afterwards examined under steam and safety valves set to 180 lb/sq. in.

Fuel oil system: fuel suction and discharge valves, diesel controls, pipes and joints examined under working conditions and found satisfactory.

Electrical Equipment: - Generator examined in its entirety and found it placed in good working order. Motor overhauled, examined and megger tested. Electrical fittings and cables on main and sub-distribution circuits examined along with switchboard gear, fuses & switches, and found it placed in satisfactory condition. Insulation resistance test carried out on all circuits and found it placed in good condition above rule requirements.

Bilge pumping arrangements: pipes, valves, steam forces etc examined and arrangements examined under working conditions.

All cargo ballast pipe lines or valves examined and tested.

All cold heating coils and units examined under test.

Main and Auxiliary Machinery examined under full working conditions and found to be satisfactory.

DAMAGE REPAIRS: - All cargo ballast line pipes and valves removed or repaired as required. All cold heating coil pipes and valves repaired or removed as required.

Several engine room and stokehold pipes removed as required.

Bolted doubler plate fitted to center bolt air casing.

All packings renewed.

Dynamo armature and field overhauled.

6 locking down bolts renewed.

REPAIRS FOR WEAR & TEAR:

I.P. Cylinder piston rod much bush, renewed, piston and piston rings adjusted, all link masses, top and bottom end masses with main bearings and eccentric straps adjusted.

Turned shaft steel bearings, but replaced.

Turning engine: water chamber removed, new piston valve fitted, piston rings removed, masses adjusted.

Reversing engine: water chamber removed, new piston valve fitted, piston rings removed, bearings adjusted.

Main engine driven pumps: several air pump valves renewed, klgs and fuel pump valves overhauled, all pump link & rock masses adjusted.

Main Condenser: four tubes renewed.

Dynamo engine: crankshaft tried for truth in lathe, new piston rings fitted, bearings adjusted.

Outboard Water fuel pump: suction and discharge valves machined.

Inboard Water fuel pump: suction and discharge valves and seats machined, discharge seat stopped pin renewed, fuel jet rod machined new gland and nut bushes fitted, piston rod machined, gland and nut bushes renewed, shuttle valve chest reconditioned.

Main Circulating pump: piston rod machined, gland and nut bushes renewed, piston rings renewed, impeller nut and nut renewed.

Ballast pump: new piston and buckets renewed, valves refitted, valve gear and steam valve chest removed, supplied by owner.

Fire pump: water chamber liners bored, buckets renewed, valve spindle with nut and gland bushes renewed.

Cargo Oil fuel ballast pump: Outboard pump, new buckets with rings fitted, plunger rod machined, new gland and nut bushes fitted, S.P. valve overhauled.

Cargo Oil fuel inboard pump: S.P. valve chest overhauled.

Fan engine: new piston rings fitted.

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