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in Survey held at Belfast Date, First Survey 5<sup>th</sup> April 1918 Last Survey 27<sup>th</sup> May 1919

g. Book. on the S.S. Newton (Number of Visits 41) Gross 6509 Tons Net 4815 When built 1919

Master Belfast Built at Belfast By whom built Harland & Wolff L<sup>r</sup> when made -

Engines made at Belfast By whom made - when made -

Boilers made at - By whom made - when made -

Registered Horse Power 518 Owners Mr. & Mrs. R. P. U. Long Belonging to Liverpool

m. Horse Power as per Section 28 518 Is Refrigerating Machinery fitted for cargo purposes No Is Electric Light fitted Yes

GINES, &c.—Description of Engines Single Screw Triple Expansion No. of Cylinders 3 No. of Cranks 3

a. of Cylinders 27-44-73 Length of Stroke 48 Revs. per minute 79 Dia. of Screw shaft 14.76 as per rule 15.75 as fitted Material of Steel

the screw shaft fitted with a continuous liner the whole length of the stern tube Yes Is the after end of the liner made water tight

the propeller boss Yes If the liner is in more than one length are the joints burned ✓ If the liner does not fit tightly at the part

between the bearings in the stern tube, is the space charged with a plastic material insoluble in water and non-corrosive ✓ If two

ers are fitted, is the shaft lapped or protected between the liners ✓ Length of stern bush 63

a. of Tunnel shaft 13.33 as per rule 13.87 as fitted Dia. of Crank shaft journals 13.9 as per rule 14.7 as fitted Dia. of Crank pin 14.3 Size of Crank webs 28 x 9 Dia. of thrust shaft under

lars 15 Dia. of screw 17-9 Pitch of Screw 16-6 No. of Blades 4 State whether moveable No Total surface 100 sq ft

a. of Feed pumps 2 Diameter of ditto 4 1/2 Stroke 24 Can one be overhauled while the other is at work Yes

a. of Bilge pumps 2 Diameter of ditto 4 1/2 Stroke 24 Can one be overhauled while the other is at work Yes

a. of Donkey Engines See Sizes of Pumps Sheet 5 No. and size of Suctions connected to both Bilge and Donkey pumps

Engine Room 4-3 1/2 1-3 In Holds, &c. 8-3 1/2 2-4 1/2 1-3 6-2 1/2

a. of Bilge Injections 1 sizes 13 Connected to condenser, or to circulating pump Pump Is a separate Donkey Suction fitted in Engine room & size Yes-3 1/2

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

Are all connections with the sea direct on the skin of the ship Yes Are the 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 Below

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 Fore hold Suctions How are they protected Iron Casings

Are all Pipes, Cocks, Valves, and Pumps in connection with the machinery and all boiler mountings accessible at all times Yes

Are the Bilge Suction Pipes, Cocks, and Valves arranged so as to prevent any communication between the sea and the bilges Yes

Is the Screw Shaft Tunnel watertight Yes Is it fitted with a watertight door Yes worked from Upper deck

ILERS, &c.—(Letter for record S) Manufacturers of Steel D. Colville & Sons L<sup>r</sup>

Working Surface of Boilers 768 sq ft Is Forced Draft fitted Yes No. and Description of Boilers 3-Single End Cylind<sup>r</sup>

Working Pressure 180 lbs Tested by hydraulic pressure to 360 lbs Date of test 29-4-19 No. of Certificate 542

Can each boiler be worked separately Yes Area of fire grate in each boiler 6 3/4 sq ft No. and Description of Safety Valves to

each boiler Two-Direct Spring Area of each valve 9.62 sq Pressure to which they are adjusted 185 lbs Are they fitted with easing gear Yes

Smallest distance between boilers or uptakes and bunkers or woodwork 14 Mean dia. of boilers 15-6 Length 11-6 Material of shell plates Steel

Thickness 1 1/4 Range of tensile strength 28-32 tons Are the shell plates welded or flanged No Descrip. of riveting: cir. seams Lap Double

g. seams Butt Single Diameter of rivet holes in long. seams 1 1/8 Pitch of rivets 9 1/8 Lap of plates or width of butt straps 19 1/2

Percentages of strength of longitudinal joint 88-1 Working pressure of shell by rules 182 lbs Size of manhole in shell 16 x 12

Plate 8 1/2 x 6 No. and Description of Furnaces in each boiler 3-Double Material Steel Outside diameter 50 3/16

Length of plain part 5 Thickness of plates 3 1/2 Description of longitudinal joint Weld No. of strengthening rings ✓

Working pressure of furnace by the rules 180 lbs Combustion chamber plates: Material Steel Thickness: Sides 2 3/8 Back 1 1/8 Top 2 3/8 Bottom 2 3/8

Pitch of stays to ditto: Sides 10 1/2 x 9 1/4 Back 9 1/2 x 8 1/2 Top 10 1/2 x 9 1/4 Are stays fitted with nuts or riveted heads No Working pressure by rules 180 lbs

Material of stays Steel Area at smallest part 2.39-3.49 supported by each stay 98 1/2 sq Working pressure by rules 186 lbs End plates in steam space:

Material Steel Thickness 1 1/2 Pitch of stays 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 How are stays secured By Nuts Working pressure by rules 180 lbs Material of stays Steel

Area at smallest part 8.29 sq Area supported by each stay 459 3/4 sq Working pressure by rules 187 lbs Material of Front plates at bottom Steel

Thickness 3/32 Material of Lower back plate Steel Thickness 2 3/8 Greatest pitch of stays 13 1/8 Working pressure of plate by rules 189 lbs

Diameter of tubes 2 3/4 Pitch of tubes 4 x 3 1/2 Material of tube plates Steel Thickness: Front 3/32 Back 1/4 Mean pitch of stays 12 x 7 1/2

Pitch across wide water spaces 13 1/8 Working pressures by rules 181 lbs Girders to Chamber tops: Material Steel Depth and

Thickness of girder at centre 10 x (8 1/2 x 2) Length as per rule 35 7/8 Distance apart 10 1/2 Number and pitch of stays in each 3-9 1/4

Working pressure by rules 182 lbs Steam dome: description of joint to shell ✓ % of strength of joint ✓

Diameter ✓ Thickness of shell plates ✓ Material ✓ Description of longitudinal joint ✓ Diam. of rivet holes ✓

Pitch of rivets ✓ Working pressure of shell by rules ✓ Crown plates ✓ Thickness ✓ How stayed ✓

PERHEATER. Type ✓ Date of Approval of Plan ✓ Tested by Hydraulic Pressure to ✓

Mode of Test ✓ Is a Safety Valve fitted to each Section of the Superheater which can be shut off from the Boiler ✓

Material of Safety Valve ✓ Pressure to which each is adjusted ✓ Is Easing Gear fitted ✓



IS A DONKEY BOILER FITTED? *No* If so, is a report now forwarded? *✓*

SPARE GEAR. State the articles supplied:— *See separate sheet*

The foregoing is a correct description,

For HARLAND & WOLFF Ltd.

*H. C. Beck*

Manufacturer.

Dates of Survey while building  
During progress of work in shops --  
During erection on board vessel ---  
Total No. of visits

*5<sup>th</sup> April 1918 to 27<sup>th</sup> May 1919*  
*41*

Is the approved plan of main boiler forwarded herewith *No*

Dates of Examination of principal parts—Cylinders

*2 Stacks*

*8 Covers*

*18*

*Pistons*

*8*

*Rods*

Connecting rods *6-4-19* Crank shaft *19* Thrust shaft *18* Tunnel shafts *5* Screw shaft *7-3-19* Propeller *28-2*

Stern tube *9-4-19* Steam pipes tested *10-12-18* Engine and boiler seatings *10-5-19* Engines holding down bolts *16-5-19*

Completion of pumping arrangements *22-5-19* Boilers fixed *10-5-19* Engines tried under steam *27-5-19*

Completion of fitting sea connections *18-4-19* Stern tube *18-4-19* Screw shaft and propeller *25-4-19*

Main boiler safety valves adjusted *22-5-19* Thickness of adjusting washers *32*

Material of Crank shaft *Steel* Identification Mark on Do. *LLOYDS* Material of Thrust shaft *Do* Identification Mark on Do. *Do*

Material of Tunnel shafts *Do* Identification Marks on Do. *Do* Material of Screw shafts *Do* Identification Marks on Do. *Do*

Material of Steam Pipes *W-Iron* Test pressure *540 lbs*

Is an installation fitted for burning oil fuel *No* Is the flash point of the oil to be used over 150°F. *✓*

Have the requirements of Section 49 of the Rules been complied with *✓*

Is this machinery duplicate of a previous case *Yes* If so, state name of vessel *S.S. "Vacantia" etc.*

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

*The machinery of this vessel has been constructed under Special Survey, and in accordance with the Rules. The workmanship and the materials are of good description, and on trial under steam in Belfast Lough, the machinery worked satisfactorily. In my opinion, it is eligible for record + L.M.C. 5-19, with notations "Fanned Draft" + "Electric Light"*

It is submitted that this vessel is eligible for THE RECORD + L.M.C. 5-19 F.D.

*H.W. DICK*  
*12/6/19*

*R. F. Beveridge*

Engineer Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

The amount of Entry Fee ... £ *3* :  
Special ... £ *45* : *18* : *30* : *5* : *19* :  
Donkey Boiler Fee ... £ *26* :  
Travelling Expenses (if any) £ :  
When received, *1916/19*  
*1.7.19*

Committee's Minute *FRI JUN 13 1919*

Assigned *+ L.M.C. 5-19*

*F.D.*

*ORIGINAL CONTAINED*

pt. 9a.

Port of

*Belfast*

Continuation of Report No. *8129* dated *5<sup>th</sup> June 1919*

*S.S. Newton*

- 1 Auxiliary Feed Pump*
- 1 General Service*
- 1 Ballast*
- 1 Fresh Water*

*Spare Gear. Principal items*

- 2 Top & two bottom end bolts + nuts*
- 2 Main bearing bolts + nuts*
- 6 Coupling bolts*
- 2 Feed + 2 Bilge Pump valves*
- 3 Main + 3 Donkey feed check valves*
- 50 Bolts + nuts assorted*
- 8 Bars Iron*
- 1 C. Iron propeller*
- 12 Condenser tubes + 50 ferrules*
- 6 Air pump valves*
- 2 Piston rod packing rings*
- 2 Valve spindle*
- 200 Fine bars*
- 9 Furnace Baffle plates*
- 1 Fitted bucket + 50 lbs coir fibre*
- Set of spare gear Circulating Pump*
- Feed*
- General*
- Ballast*
- piston rings Fan Engine*
- 12 Boiler tubes plain*
- 1 Feed pump escape valve spring*
- 1 Diaphragm each size reducing valve*
- 1 Valve die for Main Engine Stop Valve*
- 6 Studs for Cylinder Covers*
- 6 - Steam Chest*
- 6 - each size in Boiler mountings etc.*

*R. F. Beveridge*