

T.S.M.V. No. 291 now being built by Messrs. Henry Robb & Co. Ltd. with a view to class 100A1 "with freeboard".

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Dimensions:- 255' x 45' x 21.5'  
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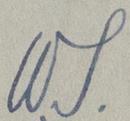
This vessel is of the single deck type with forecastle and the scantlings were approved on the basis of a freeboard corresponding to a summer moulded draught of 14 ft.

A letter has now been received from the Builders stating that the Owners now desire to have the draught increased to 14'6", and giving a list of additional scantlings incorporated in the vessel. The thicknesses of the keel, shell plating, sheerstrake and floors and girders in the double bottom have been increased, ~~in thicknesses.~~

The framing of the upper deck has been arranged longitudinally, and no reduction in thickness has been made on this account.

The side frames are reinforced on every 3rd frame by a heavy reversed frame and cantilever brackets.

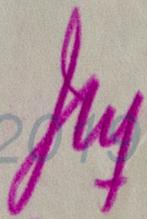
In these circumstances the Owners' application for a freeboard corresponding to a summer moulded draught of 14'6" is submitted for approval.

  
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