

REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c. 12126

No. 73461 in R. B. Wreck Book, p. 222/42 Date of writing this report 19

Vessel's Name S.S. Empire Tarpon of London Tons {Gross 6585
Net 3748

Built at Groton, Conn. When 1920 12 Casualty notice sent to Owner Owner's reply

Owner's Name Ministry of War Transport (Douglas Ramsey Mgrs)

Address 45, West Nile Street, Glasgow, C.1.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

Case previously before Classing Committee.	Date	Particulars of Classification.	
	Last Minute	+100A1 (Reclassification Contemplated) Examined 5.42 5.42.	LHC 1,41 +NB 9,41 (WTB) TS 4,42Cln Fitted for oil fuel 12,20 FR above 150°F.

Date of Casualty about 14th October, 1942

Précis of particulars of Casualty Developed serious engine trouble on the
6th October, 1942/when about 500 miles west of Lewis.
There were 23ft. of water in No.1 hold and she was
taken in tow. The tow subsequently broke and as the
condition of the vessel appeared critical, she was
abandoned at 7p.m. and sank at 10p.m. on the 14th
October, 1942.

Suggested Record ✓

Date of Committee 10 NOV 1942

Committee's Minute Noted



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