

Campbelltown S.B. Co Hogg Shelter deck steamer.

With reference to the Builders request for freeboard assignment and their proposal to fit Collinson's scuppers through the vessels sides below the main deck it is submitted they should be referred to the Secretary's letter of the 12th Sept. last on this subject and they should be requested to forward an outline profile showing the proposed position of the scuppers and state the designed load draft of the vessel. A sketch should also be forwarded showing the means proposed for closing these scuppers.

At the same time they should be again informed that in a vessel of this small size, in which the Table freeboard under the Shelter deck rules would be so close to the main deck, it is considered the scuppers should be fitted with non return valves in substantial metal castings, other than cast-iron, at the ship's sides, and with suitable gratings at the deck.

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