

REPORT ON ELECTRIC LIGHTING INSTALLATION. No. 28237

Port of SUNDERLAND Date of First Survey Dec 13 Date of Last Survey 20th Dec 21 No. of Visits 6
 No. in on the ~~Iron~~ Steel S.S. "DAGHESTAN" Port belonging to Newcastle-on-Tyne
 Reg. Book 34033 Built at Sunderland By whom Short Brothers Limited When built 1921
 Owners Hindustan Steam Shipping Co. Limited Owners' Address Exchange Buildings, Quayside, Newcastle-on-Tyne
 Yard No. 413 Electric Light Installation fitted by Sunderland Forge & Engineering Co. Ltd When fitted 1921

DESCRIPTION OF DYNAMO, ENGINE, ETC.

One combined plant consisting of single cylinder vertical steam type inverted engine 100 lbs steam 360 revs. coupled to compound wound multipolar dynamo.

Capacity of Dynamo 100 Amperes at 110 Volts, whether continuous or alternating current continuous

Where is Dynamo fixed In engine room Whether single or double wire system is used double

Position of Main Switch Board Close to Dynamo having switches to groups Five of lights, &c., as below

Positions of auxiliary switch boards and numbers of switches on each In chart room with switches controlling Port, Starboard Foremast, Mainmast, Compasses & Telegraph lights also Morse Lamp.

If fuses are fitted on main switch board to the cables of main circuit Yes and on each auxiliary switch board to the cables of auxiliary circuits Yes and at each position where a cable is branched or reduced in size Yes and to each lamp circuit Yes

If vessel is wired on the double wire system are fuses fitted to both flow and return wires or cables of all circuits including lamp circuits Yes

Are the fuses of non-oxidizable metal Yes and constructed to fuse at an excess of 100 per cent over the normal current

Are all fuses fitted in easily accessible positions Yes Are the fuses of standard dimensions No If wire fuses are used are permanent instructions fitted on or near each switch board giving particulars of proper size of fuse for each circuit Yes

Are all switches and fuses constructed of incombustible materials and fitted on incombustible bases Yes

Total number of lights provided for 117 216% arranged in the following groups:—

A Navigation 24 lights each of 16% candle power requiring a total current of 13.44 Amperes

B Saloon & Sund rooms 29 lights each of " candle power requiring a total current of 16.24 Amperes

C Off Accomms 43 lights each of " candle power requiring a total current of 24.08 Amperes

D Engine & Boiler rooms 21 lights each of " candle power requiring a total current of 11.76 Amperes

E Wireless " lights each of " candle power requiring a total current of " Amperes

2 Mast head light with 1 lamp each of 32% candle power requiring a total current of 2.24 Amperes

2 Side lights with 1 lamp each of 32% candle power requiring a total current of 2.24 Amperes

2 Cargo lights of 500 watt 1/2 watt lamps candle power, whether incandescent or arc light " "

If arc lights, what protection is provided against fire, sparks, &c. None fitted

Where are the switches controlling the masthead and side lights placed In chart room

DESCRIPTION OF CABLES.

Main cable carrying 100 Amperes, comprised of 19 wires, each .083 S.W.G. diameter, .1 square inches total sectional area

Branch cables carrying 13.4 Amperes, comprised of 7 wires, each .036 S.W.G. diameter, .007 square inches total sectional area

Branch cables carrying 19.0 Amperes, comprised of 7 wires, each .044 S.W.G. diameter, .01 square inches total sectional area

Leads to lamps carrying .56 Amperes, comprised of 3 wires, each .029 S.W.G. diameter, .002 square inches total sectional area

Cargo light cables carrying 3.36 Amperes, comprised of 3 wires, each .029 S.W.G. diameter, .002 square inches total sectional area

DESCRIPTION OF INSULATION, PROTECTION, ETC.

Mains See above: IR. Taped vulcanized then lead covered & run in pipe

Accommodation " " " " " then lead covered

Machinery Spaces " " " " then lead covered & run in pipe

Joints in cables, how made, insulated, and protected None made

Are all the joints of cables thoroughly soldered, and the flux used not containing acids or other corrosive substances — Are all joints in accessible positions, none being made in bunkers, cargo spaces, or spaces which may at any time be used for carrying cargo, stores, or baggage —

Are there any joints in or branches from the cable leading from dynamo to main switch board None made

How are the cables led through the ship, and how protected Lead covered cable run in pipe

DESCRIPTION OF INSULATION, PROTECTION, ETC.—continued.

Are they in places always accessible Yes

What special protection has been provided for the cables in open alleyways or where exposed to weather or moisture Lead covered in side

What special protection has been provided for the cables near galleys or oil lamps or other sources of heat Lead covered around & braided.

What special protection has been provided for the cables near boiler casings " " " "

What special protection has been provided for the cables in engine room " " " "

How are cables carried through beams W/ly banded with fibre through bulkheads, &c. W/T. Glass.

How are cables carried through decks H.P. Hacks Jutes.

Are any cables run through coal bunkers No or cargo spaces No or spaces which may be used for carrying cargo, stores, or baggage Yes

If so, how are they protected L.C. in side

Are any lamps fitted in coal bunkers or spaces which may at times be used for cargo, coals, or baggage No

If so, how are the lamp fittings and cable terminals specially protected -

Where are the main switches and fuses for these lights fitted -

If in the spaces, how are they specially protected -

Are any switches or fuses fitted in bunkers -

Cargo light cables, whether portable or permanently fixed Portable How fixed -

In vessels fitted on the single wire system, how is the dynamo terminal fixed to the hull of vessel -

How are the returns from the lamps connected to the hull -

Are all the joints with the hull in accessible positions Yes

Is the installation supplied with a voltmeter Yes, and with an amperemeter Yes, fixed on main switchboard

VESSELS BUILT FOR CARRYING PETROLEUM.

In vessels built for carrying petroleum, are all switches and fuses fitted in positions not liable to the accumulation of petroleum vapour or gas -

Are any switches, fuses, or joints of cables fitted in the pump room or companion -

How are the lamps specially protected in places liable to the accumulation of vapour or gas -

The copper used is guaranteed to have a conductivity of not less than that of the Engineering Standards Committee's standard, and the wires are protected by tinning from the sulphur compounds present in the insulating material.

Insulation of cables is guaranteed to have a resistance of not less than 600 megohms per statute mile at 60° Fahrenheit after 24 hours' immersion in water, the test being made after one minute's electrification at not less than 500 volts and while the cable is still immersed.

The foregoing statements are a correct description of the Electric Light installation fitted by us on this vessel and we declare that it is at this date in good order and safe working condition.

p.pro THE SUNDERLAND FORGE & ENGINEERING CO. LTD.

Director, Electrical Engineers Date 21st December 1921.

COMPASSES.

Distance between dynamo or electric motors and standard compass 86 feet

Distance between dynamo or electric motors and steering compass 82 feet

The nearest cables to the compasses are as follows:—

A cable carrying	<u>13.44</u>	Amperes	<u>10</u>	feet from standard compass	<u>6</u>	feet from steering compass
A cable carrying	<u>.56</u>	Amperes	<u>6</u>	feet from standard compass	<u>led into</u>	feet from steering compass
A cable carrying	<u>.56</u>	Amperes	<u>led into</u>	feet from standard compass	<u>6</u>	feet from steering compass

Have the compasses been adjusted with and without the electric installation at work at full power Yes

The maximum deviation due to electric currents, etc., was found to be no degrees on any course in the case of the standard compass and no degrees on any course in the case of the steering compass.

FOR SHORTEBROTHERS LIMITED Ernest Short Builder's Signature. Date _____

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GENERAL REMARKS.

The installation has been satisfactorily fitted in the vessel, tested and found good.

Fee £ 10-0-0

21st Dec. 1921

Elec. Light

23/1/22

S. Davis

Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

Committee's Minute

THE SURVEYORS ARE REQUESTED NOT TO WRITE ACROSS THIS MARGIN.

