

# REPORT of SURVEY for REPAIRS, &c.

WRECK DAY

No. 147

9516

## REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

No. 69293 in R. B. Wreck Book, p. 86-38

Date of writing this report 15th December, 1938 -19

Vessel's Name Steel's s.s. "AKTI" of Syra Tons { Gross 4261  
Net 2593

Built at Newcastle When 1920 2 Casualty notice sent to Owner 9-12-38 Owner's reply 12-12-38

Owner's Name Kassos Ste. Nav. Co. Ltd. (Agents: Rethymnis & Kulukundis, Ltd.)

Agents' Address Holland House, Bury Street, London, E.C. 3.

Case previously before { Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Classing Committee. { Last Minute \_\_\_\_\_

Particulars of Classification.	
+100A1 Shelter deck with freeboard 9.38 SS No 13-4,33 SS No 1-34	+LMC 637 TS938 CL

Date of Casualty 4th December, 1938

Précis of particulars of Casualty This vessel is reported to have  
been sunk by collision in a fog on the 4th December,  
1938, about 150 miles southwest of Ushant.

The Owners London Agents concur.

### SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

—London, Dec. 4.—German steamer LA PLATA has been in collision with Greek steamer Akti in lat. 47 40 N., long. 6 20 W. An Italian steamer is standing by and two tugs are on the way.—Exchange Telegraph Company.

—Brest, Dec. 5.—German steamer LA PLATA has been in collision with Greek steamer Akti 150 miles off Ushant. LA PLATA leaking badly in No. 1 hold, expected Brest to-night in tow of tugs Zwarte Zee and Abeille No. 22.

—Land's End Wireless Station, Dec. 5.—Tug Abeille No. 22 reports via Niton Radio that the Greek steamer Akti has sunk.

—London, Dec. 5.—The following message has been received from the wireless operator of Greek steamer Akti on board German steamer LA PLATA via Ushant Radio, dated Dec. 5. 9 15 a.m.: After tragic sinking of Akti survivors second and third engineers, wireless operator, chief steward, five firemen, three sailors, two deck boys, and mess-room boy, we are on board German steamer LA PLATA and are proceeding under towage to Brest. Hope arrive this afternoon.

The owners of the steamer Akti state that 15 men are missing. The vessel carried a cargo of iron ore from Rio Janeiro.

AKTI.—Brest, Dec. 6.—German steamer LA PLATA arrived in tow last night. Greek steamer Akti sank after collision. Seventeen of the crew and passengers drowned, remainder landed here.

—Brest, Dec. 5.—It is confirmed here to-night that 17 persons perished when the Greek steamer Akti collided with the German steamer LA PLATA, off Ushant, in a fog yesterday.—Reuter.

Suggested Record

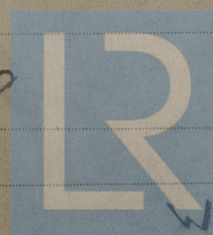
Sunk by collision 12.38.

Date of Committee

FRI. 16 DEC 1938

Committee's Minute

Sunk by Collision 12.38



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