

# REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

No. 38820 in R. B.

Wreck Book, p. 70/29

Date of writing this report

21st October

1929

Vessel's Name

Steel S.S. "Yomei Maru"

of

Kobe

Tons

Net 5196

Gross 7151

Built at Innoshima

When 1919

YEAR. MONTH.

Casualty notice sent to Owner 23.8.29

Owner's reply 27.9.29

Owner's Name Nippon Kyodo Kaisha K.K. (Nippon Kaisha K.K. Mgrs)

Address

17, Harima Machi, Kobe, Japan

Case previously before  
Classing Committee.

Date

Last Minute

Particulars of Classification.

+1000M

5.11.2.27

Shell deck

with 100

+Lmc 5.29

Date of Casualty

4th July, 1929

Précis of particulars of Casualty

This steamer stranded during a thick fog near Kamaishi on 4th July, and on 9th August it was stated that her back had broken and she had become unsalvageable.

In a letter dated 12th August the Kobe Surveyors stated that the vessel had been abandoned as a total loss.

The Owners concur.

## SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

YOMEI MARU.—Yokohama, July 5.—Japanese steamer Yomei Maru reported went ashore during a thick fog yesterday near Kamaishi.

YOMEI MARU.—London, July 8.—The following cable has been received from Tokio, dated July 8: Steamer Yomei Maru: Condition precarious.

London, July 8.—The following cable has been received from Tokio, dated July 8: Japanese steamer Yomei Maru, in ballast, stranded at the Cape Kobe, Iwate Prefecture, on July 4. Sent salvage boat. Prospects pessimistic.

YOMEI MARU.—London, July 9.—The following cable has been received from Tokio, dated July 9: Steamer Yomei Maru, in ballast, badly stranded at Cape Kobezaki, 9 miles south of Kamaishi, Rukochu Province, July 4. Imperial Salvage steamer Oura Maru arrived scene on July 6 and found her pivoted under engine-room, boiler-rooms with forward hold and machinery space flooded, listing 30 deg. seaward. Salvage very difficult.

YOMEI MARU.—Yokohama, July 16.—Japanese steamer Yomei Maru: Damage extends. Prospects of floating bad. (See issue of July 6.)

YOMEI MARU.—London, Aug. 6.—The following cable has been received from Tokio, dated Aug. 6: Steamer Yomei Maru, 5196 tons: Stranding case settled total loss hull and disbursements. (See issues of July 6, 9, 10 and 17.)

YOMEI MARU.—London, Aug. 9.—The following cable has been received from Tokio, dated Aug. 9, 11 14 a.m.: Steamer Yomei Maru: Owing to exposed position and continued pounding, back now broken and vessel has become unsalvageable.

Suggested Record

Wrecked 7.29

Date of Committee

TU 22 OCT 1929

Committee's Minute

Wrecked, 7.29



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