

# REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &C.

WRECK BOX

Bottom 7951

No. 32030 in R. B. Wreck Book, p. 137

Date of writing this report 19th December 1929

Vessel's Name Steel Sc "Radyr"

of Cardiff

Tons Net 1360 Gross 2357

Built at Belfast When 1918 - 6

Casualty notice sent to Owner 16/12/29 Owner's reply 17/12/29

Owner's Name Rupert Phillips S.S. Co. Ltd. (R. Rupert Phillips, mgr.)

Address 14 The Exchange, Cardiff

Case previously before Classing Committee.

Date  Last Minute

Particulars of Classification.	
+100A1	s.s. Bde. No 2-27
4-29	+LMC 3-27
	B5 5-29

Date of Casualty 7th December 1929

Brief of particulars of Casualty

*This steamer is reported to have foundered in Bideford Bay on the 7th December, 1929.*

*The Owners confirm the above.*

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## SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

**RADYR.**—Fishguard Wireless Station, Dec. 7.—Following from British steamer Radyr at 7 49 a.m. (G.M.T.): SOS Radyr off Hartland Point, hatches stove in. Requires immediate assistance. sinking. Trying to get lifeboats out.

9/12/29

Land's End Wireless Station, Dec. 7.—Following intercepted at 8 19 a.m.: SOS British steamer Radyr off Hartland Point, sinking. Requires immediate assistance.

Bideford, Dec. 7.—Up to now can get no information from Hartland, Clovelly or Appledore regarding wreck of steamer Radyr. No one seems to have seen her or know anything. We are informed the Clovelly lifeboat has not been out.—Lloyd's Agents.

Bideford, Dec. 7.—Now advised steamer Radyr foundered in Bideford Bay. Long ladder, two life jackets, hatches and large lifeboat marked "London" washed in between Westward Ho and mouth of Torridge. Vessel last seen in bay about 1 20 p.m. to-day.

Padstow, Dec. 8.—It is understood that the Padstow lifeboat found no trace during a nine-hours' search of any survivors of the steamer Radyr.

London, Dec. 8.—A later message from the owner of the steamer Radyr states—Two bodies, believed to belong to the steamer Radyr, were washed ashore at Hartland to-day. They have not yet been identified. The shore is being searched for other bodies.

**RADYR.**—Padstow, Dec. 9.—Padstow lifeboat searched for steamer Radyr without success. None of crew picked up.

10/12/29

**RADYR.**—London, Dec. 9.—Three bodies from the steamer Radyr, which foundered off the North Devon coast, were washed ashore at Bideford Bay to-day, two at Westward Ho and one at Braunton. Large quantities of wreckage from the ship were also washed up.

11/12/29

Suggested Record, *Foundered 12.29*

Date of Committee *X FRI, 20 DEC 1929*

Committee's Minute *Foundered, 12.29*

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