

REPORT OF SURVEY for REPAIRS &c

REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

No. 23904 in R. B.

Wreck Book, p.

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Date of writing this report 25th December

1927

Vessel's Name

Steel S.S. "Helmsman" of Newcastle

Tons

Net 105

Gross 242

Built at

North Shields

When

1905

8

Casualty notice sent to Owner 26. 11. 27 Owner's reply

Owner's Name

C. Rowbotham & Sons.

Address

19, St. Dunstan's Hill, London, E.C.3

Case previously before

Date

Committee

Last Minute

Casualty

Overdue.

Particulars of Casualty

Particulars of Classification.

+1000H S.N. 3. 12. 19

S.N. 2. 27

S. 27 + L.M.C.S. 27

Fitted with tanks in hold for carrying petroleum

This steamer left the River Medway on 27th October 1927 for Stockton-on-Tees and has not since been heard of. He was posted 'missing' at Lloyd's on 3rd November.

A casualty letter was sent to the Owners on 26th November, but no reply has yet been received.

SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

OVERDUE VESSEL

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HELMSMAN. — London, Nov. 2. — Grave anxiety prevails regarding the safety of the steamer Helmsman which is four days overdue. The vessel, carrying petroleum, left the Medway at about noon on Thursday last (Oct. 27) for the Tees, and was due on Saturday morning (Oct. 29). There was a crew of eight or nine men. — "Daily News."

— London, Nov. 2. — In reply to inquiry asking whether the steamer Helmsman, which left the Medway on Oct. 27 for the Tees, was sheltering in Yarmouth Roads, Lloyd's agent at Yarmouth (Nor.) telegraphed at 1 p.m. to-day as follows: — Helmsman not sheltering Yarmouth Roads, not sighted passing.

— Middlesbrough, Nov. 2. — There is still no news on Teesside of the steamer Helmsman, which is reported overdue on a voyage from the Medway to Stockton-on-Tees. — LLOYD'S LIST Correspondent.

HELMSMAN. — Lowestoft, Nov. 21. — Steam trawler Ampere landed here to-day small lifeboat marked "Helmsman of Newcastle." (Note. — The steamer Helmsman left the Medway on Oct. 27 for Stockton-on-Tees.)

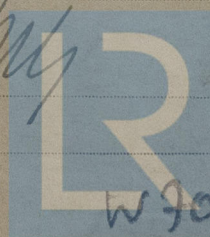
MISSING VESSEL

HELMSMAN. — London, Nov. 3. — Steamer Helmsman, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, 242 tons gross, official number 122327, master Marshall, which left the River Medway for Stockton-on-Tees on Oct. 27, 1927, with a cargo of motor spirit in bulk, was to-day posted at Lloyd's as a missing vessel.

Missing Since 10.27

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