

# REPORT ON MACHINERY.

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Date, First Survey July 24<sup>th</sup> Last Survey Oct. 22<sup>nd</sup> 1919  
(Number of Visits 17)

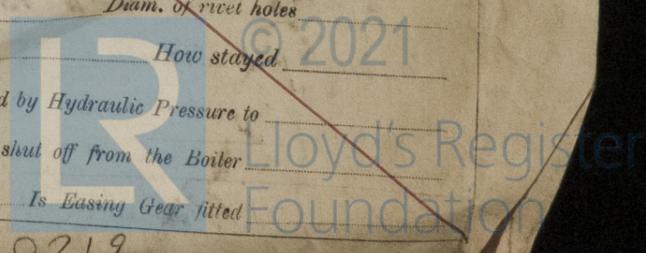
No. in Survey held at Seattle  
Reg. Book. Seattle  
FIRST ENTRY on the New Hood Motor Ship "BALCATT"  
Master E. Bodard Built at Seattle By whom built Patterson McDonald S.B.C. Tons { Gross 3109  
Net 2482  
Engines made at Aubury N.Y. By whom made McIntosh Seymour Corp. When built 1919  
Boilers made at Seattle By whom made Seattle when made 1919  
Registered Horse Power Each 500 Total 1000 Owners J. E. Chilberg Port belonging to Seattle  
Nom. Horse Power as per Section 28 188 Is Refrigerating Machinery fitted for cargo purposes No Is Electric Light fitted Yes

&c.—Description of Engines Two 4 Cycle Diesel type No. of Cylinders Each 6 Total 12 No. of Cranks Each 6 Total 12  
Diameter of shaft 16" Length of Stroke 24" Revs. per minute 185 Dia. of Screw shaft 8.23 Material of shaft Steel  
shaft fitted with a continuous liner the whole length of the stern tube No Is the after end of the liner made water tight  
roller boss Yes If the liner is in more than one length are the joints burned Each length separate If the liner does not fit tightly at the part  
bearings in the stern tube, is the space charged with a plastic material insoluble in water and non-corrosive. Yes If two  
lined, is the shaft lapped or protected between the liners No Length of stern bush 36" Strutt Bearings  
Dia. of shaft 16" Dia. of Crank shaft journals 9.435 Dia. of Crank pin 9.5 Size of Crank webs 13x5 1/4 Dia. of thrust shaft under  
Dia. of screw 8.0" Pitch of Screw 6-4" No. of Blades 3 State whether moveable No Total surface 15.8 sq ft  
pumps 2 Diameter of ditto 5" Stroke 8" Can one be overhauled while the other is at work Yes  
pumps 2 Triplex Diameter of ditto 5" Stroke 8" Can one be overhauled while the other is at work Yes  
by Engines 2 Centrifugal Sizes of Pumps 5" No. and size of Suctions connected to both Bilge and Donkey pumps  
Room 2-3' In Holds, &c. Fore Hold 4-3" Main Hold 2-3" Fore Peak 1-3"  
Injections 2 sizes 4" Connected to circulating pumps Yes Is a separate Donkey Suction fitted in Engine room & size Yes 1-3 1/2"  
type suction pipes fitted with roses Yes Are the roses in Engine room always accessible Yes Are the sluices on Engine room bulkheads always accessible None  
connections with the sea direct on the skin of the ship Yes Are they Valves or Cocks Valves  
and sufficiently high on the ship's side to be seen without lifting the plates Yes Are the Discharge Pipes above or below the deep water line at water line  
fitted with a Discharge Valve always accessible on the plating of the vessel Yes Are the Blow Off Cocks fitted with a spigot and brass covering plate Yes  
are carried through the bunkers None How are they protected Yes  
Cocks, Valves, and Pumps in connection with the machinery and all boiler mountings accessible at all times Yes  
Suction Pipes, Cocks, and Valves arranged so as to prevent any communication between the sea and the bilges Yes  
Shaft Tunnel watertight None Is it fitted with a watertight door Yes worked from Yes

S, &c.—(Letter for record) Manufacturers of Steel  
Working Surface of Boilers Is Forced Draft fitted No. and Description of Boilers  
Pressure Tested by hydraulic pressure to Date of test No. of Certificate  
Boiler be worked separately Area of fire grate in each boiler No. and Description of Safety Valves to  
Area of each valve Pressure to which they are adjusted Are they fitted with easing gear  
Distance between boilers or uptakes and bunkers or woodwork Mean dia. of boilers Length Material of shell plates  
Range of tensile strength Are the shell plates welded or flanged Descrip. of riveting: cir. seams  
Diameter of rivet holes in long. seams Pitch of rivets Lap of plates or width of butt straps  
Strength of longitudinal joint rivets Working pressure of shell by rules Size of manhole in shell  
Plate  
Compensating ring No. and Description of Furnaces in each boiler Material Outside diameter  
Plain part top Thickness of plates crown Description of longitudinal joint No. of strengthening rings  
bottom Thickness of plates bottom  
Pressure of furnace by the rules Combustion chamber plates: Material Thickness: Sides Back Top Bottom  
Stays to ditto: Sides Back Top If stays are fitted with nuts or riveted heads Working pressure by rules  
Working pressure by rules End plates in steam space:  
Thickness Pitch of stays How are stays secured Working pressure by rules Material of stays  
Smallest part Area supported by each stay Working pressure by rules Material of Front plates at bottom  
Material of Lower back plate Thickness Greatest pitch of stays Working pressure of plate by rules  
Pitch of tubes Material of tube plates Thickness: Front Back Mean pitch of stays  
Cross wide water spaces Working pressures by rules Girders to Chamber tops: Material Depth and  
of girder at centre Length as per rule Distance apart Number and pitch of stays in each  
Working pressure by rules Steam dome: description of joint to shell % of strength of joint  
Thickness of shell plates Material Description of longitudinal joint Diam. of rivet holes  
Working pressure of shell by rules Crown plates Thickness How stayed

SUPERHEATER. Type \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Approval of Plan \_\_\_\_\_ Tested by Hydraulic Pressure to \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Test \_\_\_\_\_ Is a Safety Valve fitted to each Section of the Superheater which can be shut off from the Boiler \_\_\_\_\_  
Diameter of Safety Valve \_\_\_\_\_ Pressure to which each is adjusted \_\_\_\_\_ Is Easing Gear fitted \_\_\_\_\_

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IS A DONKEY BOILER FITTED? No

If so, is a report now forwarded?

SPARE GEAR. State the articles supplied:—

The following spare parts supplied in addition to the spare parts supplied by the Engine Builders noted in the New York Report No 16029

Main Engines:

- 1 Set top and bottom end bearings
- 1 Bottom half of main bearing
- 1 Centrifugal crank pin oiler
- 12 Burner plates
- 12 Fuel pump plunger packing rings
- 24 Needle valve rings
- 6 Fuel pump valves (3 suction 3 delivery)
- 1 Set HP air compressor valves and springs
- 1/2 " HP " " " "
- 12 Ball valves for fuel pump lines
- 6 Exhaust valve springs

- 2 Air starting valves
- 3 Needle valves.
- a quantity of gaskets for Cylinder Heads, air compressors and fuel pumps.

AUXILIARY ENGINES

A complete set of parts for Fairbanks Morse engines air compressors, triples reciprocating & centrifugal pumps  
 Lengths of pipe suitable for fuel, blast pipes, and air compressors with unions and flanges suitable for each

The foregoing is a correct description,

A. F. Marshall Gen Supt Patterson <sup>Manufacturer.</sup> Donald

Dates of Survey while building: During progress of work in shops -- July 24-30 Aug 4  
 During erection on board vessel --- July 24 Aug 4-5-14-25 Sep. 3-10-16-26 Oct. 6-8-10-21-22  
 Total No. of visits 17

Is the approved plan of main boiler forwarded herewith

Dates of Examination of principal parts—		Cylinders	Slides	Covers	Pistons	Rods
Connecting rods	Crank shaft	Thrust shaft	Tunnel shafts	Screw shaft	Propeller	
July 24 Aug. 5	Steam pipes tested	Engine and boiler seatings	Engines holding down bolts	July 30 Aug 4	July 30 Aug. 4	
Completion of pumping arrangements	Oct 6-10	Boilers fired	Engines tried under power	Oct 10		
Completion of fitting sea connections	Oct 6	Stern tube	Screw shaft and propeller	Aug 5		
Main boiler safety valves adjusted		Thickness of adjusting washers				
Material of Crank shaft	Identification Mark on Do.	Material of Thrust shafts	Identification Mark on Do.			
Material of Tunnel shafts	None	Identification Marks on Do.	Material of Screw shafts	Steel	Identification Marks on Do.	
Material of Steam Pipes		Test pressure				

Is an installation fitted for burning oil fuel Is the flash point of the oil to be used over 150°F.

Have the requirements of Section 49 of the Rules been complied with

Is this machinery duplicate of a previous case yes ✓ If so, state name of vessel "BENOWA" and "BABINDA"

**General Remarks** (State quality of workmanship, opinions as to class, &c. These Diesel Engines (Builders No 1651 and 1652) built by the McIntosh & Seymour Corp., Aubury, N.Y. under special survey, have been installed in this vessel together with tail shafts, stern tubes, struts, sea connections, auxiliaries, pipes and fittings under special survey, the material tested in accordance with the rules of the Society and the workmanship good. One 75 HP two cylinder and one 37 1/2 HP one cylinder Fairbanks Morse oil engine installed and direct connected to Electric generator for power and lighting. All auxiliary pumps, air compressors, steering gear, windlass and deck winches are operated by electric motors. Auxiliary installation consists of an air compressor 9" x 3 1/2" x and one Boiler 7 1/2 x 3", one 5" centrifugal pump connected to the bilges direct and to bilge manifold two triples reciprocating 5" x 8" pumps connected to bilges, bilge manifolds and general service, one triple 4" x 6" reciprocating pump for oil transfer, also centrifugal pump for sanitary and fresh water purposes. On completion the machinery tried under working conditions and the working and manœuvres found satisfactory. The machinery eligible, in my opinion, to be classed and to have the record in the Register Book of the Society + LMC 10.19. Oil Engine 4 SC. SA. 12 Cys.

The amount of Entry Fee	£	When applied for,
Special	50:00	Nov. 15 <sup>th</sup> 1919
Donkey Boiler Fee and other	£	When received,
Travelling Expenses (if any)	13:25	19/12/20

James Fowler Engineer Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

Committee's Minute

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P. M. C 10.19 Subject

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