

REPORT ON ELECTRIC LIGHTING INSTALLATION. No. 1501

Port of *Bremerhaven* Date of First Survey *22nd Sept.* Date of Last Survey *12th Oct.* No. of Visits *six*No. in on the *Steel* *S. S. Tagerturn* Port belonging to *Bremen*Reg. Book *18 in Reg.* Built at *Geestemünde* By whom *Th. F. Tecklenburg & Co.* When built *1909*Owners *G. F. Gesellschaft "Hansa"* Owners' Address *Bremen*Yard No. *233* Electric Light Installation fitted by *Allgemeine Elektrizitäts Gesellschaft* When fitted *1909*DESCRIPTION OF DYNAMO, ENGINE, ETC. *Dynamo: Direct current generator, Type M.P.H. 250, shunt wound, 13.5 Kilowatt, 8 poles, 300 revolutions per minute.*Capacity of Dynamo *123* Amperes at *110* Volts, whether continuous or alternating current *continuous*Where is Dynamo fixed *main engine room* Whether single or double wire system is used *double wire*Position of Main Switch Board *close to the Dynamo* having switches to groups *A, B, C, D, E* of lights, &c., as belowPositions of auxiliary switch boards and numbers of switches on each *1 switch board in the fore-cabin with 6 switches, 1 in the cardhouse on the bridge with 4 switches, 1 in the officer-rooms below the bridge with 8 switches, 1 close to the engine rooms with 8 switches, 1 in the prop with 4 switches, 1 switch for searchlight in the cardhouse.*If cut outs are fitted on main switch board to the cables of main circuit *yes* and on each auxiliary switch board to the cables of auxiliary circuits *yes* and at each position where a cable is branched or reduced in size *yes* and to each lamp circuit *yes*If vessel is wired on the double wire system are cut outs fitted to both flow and return wires or cables of all circuits including lamp circuits *yes*Are the cut outs of non-oxidizable metal *yes* and constructed to fuse at an excess of *50* per cent over the normal currentAre all cut outs fitted in easily accessible positions *yes* Are the fuses of standard dimensions *yes* If wire fuses are used are permanent instructions fitted on or near each switch board giving particulars of proper size of fuse for each circuit *yes*Are all switches and cut-outs constructed of incombustible materials and fitted on incombustible bases *yes*Total number of lights provided for *138 incandescent lamps* arranged in the following groups:—

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If arc lights, what protection is provided against fire, sparks, &c. *Provided with hexagon-lanterns with panes of glass*Where are the switches controlling the masthead and side lights placed *in the cardhouse on the bridge*

DESCRIPTION OF CABLES.

Main cable carrying <i>ea 10.5</i> Amperes, comprised of	wires, each	L.S.G. diameter,	<i>16</i>	<i>6.8</i> mm	square inches total sectional area
Branch cables carrying <i>ea 34</i> Amperes, comprised of	wires, each	L.S.G. diameter,	<i>35</i>	<i>21.8</i> mm	square inches total sectional area
Branch cables carrying <i>ea 32</i> Amperes, comprised of	wires, each	L.S.G. diameter,	<i>16</i>	<i>21.6</i> mm	square inches total sectional area
Leads to lamps carrying <i>ea 12</i> Amperes, comprised of	wires, each	L.S.G. diameter,	<i>6</i>	<i>7.75</i> mm	square inches total sectional area
Searchlight cables carrying <i>25</i> Amperes, comprised of	wires, each	L.S.G. diameter,	<i>16</i>	<i>22.5</i> mm	square inches total sectional area

DESCRIPTION OF INSULATION, PROTECTION, ETC.

*All cables are armoured, lead covered, rubber-cable, all wires best rubber-covered wire.*Joints in cables, how made, insulated, and protected *all joints and connections are made in watertight boxes*Are all the joints of cables thoroughly soldered, resin only having been used as a flux *yes* Are all joints in accessible positions, none being made in bunkers, cargo spaces, or spaces which may at any time be used for carrying cargo, stores, or baggage *yes*Are there any joints in or branches from the cable leading from dynamo to main switch board *no*How are the cables led through the ship, and how protected *The cables on the free deck are lying in Lifosilo-channels, in the engine- and boiler room they are fixed free at the iron walls, the cables at the masts are protected by iron pipes.*

DESCRIPTION OF INSULATION, PROTECTION, ETC.—continued.

Are they in places always accessible yes

What special protection has been provided for the cables in open alleyways or where exposed to weather or moisture double iron (band) armoured, seamless lead covered, seamless rubber

What special protection has been provided for the cables near galleys or oil lamps or other sources of heat "

What special protection has been provided for the cables near boiler casings "

What special protection has been provided for the cables in engine room "

How are cables carried through beams with stuffing boxes through bulkheads, &c. with stuffing boxes

How are cables carried through decks iron pipes, filled with chattering compound

Are any cables run through coal bunkers no or cargo spaces no or spaces which may be used for carrying cargo, stores, or baggage no

If so, how are they protected no

Are any lamps fitted in coal bunkers or spaces which may at times be used for cargo, coals, or baggage no

If so, how are the lamp fittings and cable terminals specially protected no

Where are the main switches and cut outs for these lights fitted no

If in the spaces, how are they specially protected no

Are any switches or cut outs fitted in bunkers no

Cargo light cables, whether portable or permanently fixed portable How fixed double wire system

In vessels fitted on the single wire system, how is the dynamo terminal fixed to the hull of vessel double wire system

How are the returns from the lamps connected to the hull double wire system

Are all the joints with the hull in accessible positions no

The installation is no supplied with a voltmeter and no an amperemeter, fixed on main switch, board

VESSELS BUILT FOR CARRYING PETROLEUM.

In vessels built for carrying petroleum, are all switches and cut-outs fitted in positions not liable to the accumulation of petroleum vapour or gas no

Are any switches, cut outs, or joints of cables fitted in the pump room or companion no

How are the lamps specially protected in places liable to the accumulation of vapour or gas no

The copper used is guaranteed to have a conductivity of 98 per cent. that of pure copper.

Insulation of cables is guaranteed to have a resistance of no less than 700 megohms per statute mile after 24 hours' immersion in seawater.

The foregoing statements are a correct description of the Electric Light installation fitted by us on this vessel and we declare that it is at this date in good order and safe working condition.

ALLGEMEINE ELEKTRICITÄTS-GESELLSCHAFT
ABTHEILUNG J. S.

Schmidt Electrical Engineers

Date 4. Oktober 1909

COMPASSES.

Distance between dynamo or electric motors and standard compass 108-0

Distance between dynamo or electric motors and steering compass 116-0

The nearest cables to the compasses are as follows:—

Cable	Amperes	feet from standard compass	feet from steering compass
<u>main</u> cable carrying <u>ca 5,7</u>	<u>20-0</u>	<u>20-0</u>	
A cable carrying			
A cable carrying			

Have the compasses been adjusted with and without the electric installation at work at full power yes

The maximum deviation due to electric currents, etc., was found to be no degrees on any course in the case of the standard compass and no degrees on any course in the case of the steering compass.

JOH. C. TECKLENBORG A.-G.
Schiffswerft und Maschinenfabrik.

Builder's Signature.

Date 14. Oktober 1909

GENERAL REMARKS.

This installation has been tried on a twelve hours trial trip found to work well causing no deviation of the compasses so that in my opinion the notation Electric Lighted might be added to the steamers class

It is submitted that this vessel is eligible for THE RECORD Elec. light.

J. W. D. 912 26/10/09

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