

REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY, &c.

FOR CLASSED VESSELS ONLY.

Vessel's Name *Steel S.S. "Mount Stewart"* No. *863* in R. B. *457* Tons. *738*
 Date *31st July* 189*4*
 Built at *West Hartlepool* in 18*92*
 CLASS *100A1* Previously before Cl. Committee
4.94 Last minute of do.

Précis of particulars of Casualty

This vessel was sunk by collision four miles off Folkestone on the 24th instant. Two masts are visible at half tide.

The owner writes:-

"As I understand the vessel s/s "Mount Stewart" is ~~is~~ totally lost, I have no objection to the removal of her name from your "Register Book".

SOURCE OF INFORMATION.

MOUNT STEWART (s).—Dover, July 24, 7 50 a.m.—Screw steamer Trinidad, of London, from Bilbao for Middlesbrough (iron ore), anchored in bay with damage to bows, reported by captain to be not serious, after collision this morning with steamer reported Mount Stewart, of Sunderland, westward of Dover. Damage to latter unknown. Tugs gone in search. Weather foggy. Captain of Trinidad states he is proceeding for destination.

MOUNT STEWART (s).—Sandgate, July 24, 8 5 a.m.—Collision between Trinidad and Mount Stewart (s), of Sunderland, off Folkestone, at 3 30 this morning; weather thick. Latter vessel sunk. Crew landed at Folkestone. Trinidad supposed to have proceeded.—[See Dover paragraph.]

MOUNT STEWART (s).—Dover, July 24, 9 a.m.—Trinidad: Captain now reports about 15 to 20 tons of water in fore compartment. Has commenced jettison cargo from forehold, and purposes discharging 20 to 30 tons, and states will then proceed. Tugs returned from westward, have found no trace of other steamer.

MOUNT STEWART (s).—Folkestone, July 24.—The spot at which the Mount Stewart (s), of Sunderland, which was sunk off here by collision this morning, lies, is given as four miles SSE of Folkestone. Two masts are visible at half-tide.

July 24. 7. 94

July 26. 7. 94

Date of Casualty *24th July 1894*

OWNER'S NAME *Marquis of Londonderry*

Address *Londonderry Office
Seaham Harbour*

Suggested Record of Loss

lost by collision 7.94

Committee's Minute

*TUES. 31 JUL 1894
Lost by Collision 7.94*

Notice to Owners

26. 7. 94

Ans. L 22513

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