

Wreck Report No. 15574

# REPORT OF TOTAL LOSS, CASUALTY &c.

No. 59575 in R.B. Wreck Book, p. 132/60 Date of writing this report 5th October, 1960.

Ship's Name s.s. "ELETRIC" of Panama Tons Gross 4963 Net 3047

Built at Belfast When 1924 9 Casualty notice sent to Owner 21.9.60. Owner's reply ---

Owners Cia. Puerto Rico S.A.

Managers ---

Address c/o P. Wigham-Richardson & Co., Ltd., Armadores House, Bury Street, E.C.3.

### Classification details

+ 100A1	+ LMC 5,57
11,59	BS M11,59
ss (Dr) 7,48	sp 5,57
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f Casualty 12th August, 1960.

of Casualty

This ship stranded in lat. 20 43N., long. 58 53E., 1 mile NW of Ras al Jidufa, Masirah and was subsequently abandoned when tidal.

No reply has been received to a letter addressed to the Owners on 21st September, 1960.

### SOURCE OF INFORMATION

**ELETRIC.**—London, Aug. 12.—Panamanian steamer Eletric, Mormugao for Lubeck, reported this afternoon: All holds and engine-room full of water, will abandon the ship.

Aden, Aug. 12.—Reported by local agents: Steamer Eletric is aground south of Masirah, near Ras al Jidufa. Tank of bilges full of water at 24 ft.

Bahrein, Aug. 14.—Steamer Eletric: Reports indicate vessel drifted on to beach at Masirah at 9 30 a.m., G.M.T., Aug. 13, with bottom badly damaged and engine-room flooded. Crew of 27 transferred to tank steamer Ras al Ardh, bound Suez.

Muscat, Aug. 14.—Motor tanker British Premier advises steamer Eletric aground between Ras Yei and Ras al Jidufa on Aug. 12 and all crew taken off by tank steamer Ras al Ardh. Eletric was flooded and went aground about one mile off land.

London, Aug. 14.—The managers of tank steamer Ras al Ardh report that the following radio message has been received from the vessel, timed 9 25 a.m., G.M.T., Aug. 13: Have taken off full crew of 27 men from Panamanian steamer Eletric, stranded in position lat. 20 43 N., long. 58 53 E., one mile NW. of Ras al Jidufa, Masirah Island. All men fit and well. My boats recovered free of damage.

**ELETRIC.**—London, Sept. 1.—The following message has been received from Muscat, dated Aug. 28: Steamer Eletric, near Masirah: Royal Air Force estimate that at present rate of settling vessel may be a total loss in two weeks or less. She is also heeling to starboard. They have removed to safe custody compass, rockets and signal pistol. There are a number of small items including cigarettes and consumables which could be salvaged now. (See issue of Aug. 15.)

**ELETRIC.**—Muscat, Sept. 10.—Steamer Eletric: Permission now received, salvage vessel Ocean Salvor effecting salvage.—Lloyd's Sub-agents per Salvage Association. (See issue of Sept. 2.)

WRECK  
SECT ON  
No. 670

LL 17/8/60

LL 2/9/60

LL 13/9/60



Suggested Record STRANDED & SANK 8,60

Date of Committee FRIDAY - 7 OCT 1960

Committee's Minute *Stranded + sank 8.60*

*Louis Lloyd*



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