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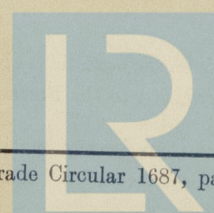
## REPORT ON ANNUAL LOAD LINE SURVEY.

Name of Ship EMPIRE FLOVER Official Number 168189 Port of Registry LONDON  
 Place of Survey BIRKENHEAD Dates of Survey 12<sup>TH</sup> AUG & 16<sup>TH</sup> SEPT. 1942 Date of last Load Line Survey 21<sup>ST</sup> OCT. 1942

### PARTICULARS OF SURVEY.

Items examined	Condition in which found.	Repairs.	
		Necessary.	Date effected.
<b>HATCHWAYS, INCLUDING SMALL HATCHWAYS.</b>			
<b>1. Exposed on freeboard deck.</b>			
Coamings, their stays and stiffeners	5000		
Beams	5000		
Fore and afters	✓		
*Covers	14 DEFECTIVE. REMAINDER 5000.	14 COVERS TO RENEW. (FROM SPARE ON BOARD).	16. 9. 42.
*Tarpaulins (State number per hatchway)	5000. 3		
*Cleats and battens	5000		
Lashings and their fittings	5000		
Wedges (Is supply, including spares, adequate ?)	5000. YES.		
<b>2. Exposed on superstructure decks, including raised quarter decks.</b>			
Coamings, their stays and stiffeners	5000		
Beams	✓		
Fore and afters	✓		
*Covers	5000		
*Tarpaulins (State number per hatchway)	5000 2		
*Cleats and battens	5000		
Lashings and their fittings	✓		
Wedges (Is supply, including spares, adequate ?)	5000. YES.		
<b>3. Within superstructures not intact or not protected by Class I closing appliances.</b>			
Coamings	5000		
Beams	✓		
Fore and afters	✓		
Covers	5000.		
Tarpaulins (State number per hatchway)	5000. 2.		
Cleats and Battens	5000.		
Wedges (Is supply, including spares, adequate ?)	5000. YES.		
<b>VENTILATORS IN EXPOSED POSITIONS.</b>			
<b>4. To spaces below freeboard deck.</b>			
Coamings, their supports and deck connections	5000		
Closing arrangements	5000.		
<b>5. To spaces below decks of superstructure which are intact or closed by Class I appliances.</b>			
Coamings, their supports and deck connections	✓		
Closing arrangements	✓		
<b>AIR PIPES.</b>			
<b>6. Exposed on freeboard and superstructure decks.</b>			
Closing arrangements	5000.		
<b>7. Within partially enclosed superstructures.</b>			
Closing arrangements	✓		
<b>MACHINERY CASINGS.</b>			
<b>8. Casing Top.</b>			
Fiddle openings, their covers and fastenings	5000		
Skylights, their fastenings, covers and lashings	5000.		
<b>9. Exposed on freeboard and raised quarter decks.</b>			
Doors and fastenings	5000.		
<b>10. Exposed on superstructure decks other than raised quarter decks.</b>			
Doors and fastenings	✓		
<b>11. Within partially enclosed superstructures.</b>			
Doors and fastenings	✓		
<b>12. FLUSH BUNKER SCUTTLES and chain attachments</b>			
	✓		
<b>13. COMPANIONWAYS, including deckhouses enclosing ladderways.</b>			
Doors, fastenings, covers	5000.		

\* Tarpaulins, battens, covers, etc., to be examined in place as well as separately (see Board of Trade Circular 1687, paragraph 117 (i)).



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14. CLOSING APPLIANCES FOR OPENINGS IN SUPER-STRUCTURE BULKHEADS.			
Forecastle ... ..	✓		
Bridge, fore end ... ..			
Bridge, after end ... ..			
Poop ... ..			
15. GANGWAY, CARGO AND COALING PORTS.			
In ship's side and superstructures ... ..			
16. SCUPPERS AND SANITARY DISCHARGE PIPES.			
Valves ... ..	GOOD.		
17. SIDE SCUTTLES AND DEADLIGHTS ... ..	DEFECTIVE.	TO OVERHAUL AND RERUBBER AS NECESSARY	16. 9. 42.
18. GUARD RAILS ... ..	GOOD.		
19. PROTECTION AND ACCESS TO CREW'S QUARTERS.			
Gangways ... ..	✓		
20. LIFELINES (fittings and material) ... ..	GOOD.		
21. FREEING PORTS.			
Shutters ... ..	✓		
Protection bars ... ..	✓		
22. TIMBER, TANKER OR SPECIAL STEAMER LOAD LINES.			
Fittings or appliances ... ..	✓		
23. ITEMS NOT INCLUDED IN THE FOREGOING.			
24. LOAD LINE MARKS ... ..	VERIFIED.		

#### Certificate A. To be signed by Surveyor in respect of a partial or complete survey.

I have surveyed the ship named at the head hereof, to the extent indicated below, in accordance with the instructions contained in Board of Trade Circular 1687, and the requisite details of the survey have been entered herein.

Index Nos. of items examined. († Insert "all" in case of a complete survey.)	Signature of Surveyor.	Place.	Date.
all	S.B. Lumsden	Birkenhead	16 <sup>th</sup> Sept. 1942.

#### Certificate B. To be signed by Surveyor completing the survey.

I am satisfied

- (i) that the fittings and appliances for the protection of openings, the guard rails, the freeing ports and the means of access to the crew's quarters have been maintained on the ship in as effective a condition as they were in when the certificate was issued; and
- (ii) that no material alterations have taken place in the hull or superstructures of the ship which affect the positions of the load lines.

I have endorsed the Load Line Certificate and the certified copy as follows:—

Signature of Surveyor S.B. Lumsden Place Birkenhead Date 16<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1942

Signature S.B. Lumsden

Date 16<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1942

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Number of Visits 2

Particulars of any change from the conditions given on the Load Line Certificate or on Form C 11 should be reported on Form C 11 (contd.) and attached to the Form C 11 on the Ship, a copy being forwarded to the Freeboard Department.

Surveyors should note that there is only one valid certificate, and the above endorsement should be made thereon. No entry should be made on a certified copy of the certificate unless the original certificate has been produced to and endorsed by the Surveyor.