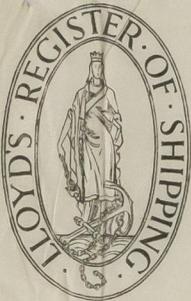


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LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING



Certificate No. D 1561

Port Melbourne

10th February, 1961

w/s 736 + 100 A1

This is to certify that

A. L. SIMPSON

the undersigned Surveyor to this Society did at the request of
The Owners Representative attend on board the Twin Screw Steamer

"BUMC"

13587 tons gross of Southampton
whilst lying afloat at this port on the 24th January, 1961,
and subsequently for the purpose of ascertaining the nature
and extent of damage stated to have been sustained by the
port main boiler "Howden - Ljungstrom" air preheater.

It was stated that on the 24th December, 1960,
whilst manoeuvring at Port Said with the boiler air and gas
by-pass flaps open, a fire occurred in the port main boiler
air preheater. The fire being finally extinguished by sea
water from the deck service line being sprayed on the air
pass side of the preheater.

For further particulars refer to Ship's Log Books.

Upon examination the following damage was found
and repairs recommended without prejudice to the terms and
conditions of insurance :

| <u>Found</u> | <u>Recommended</u> |
|---|------------------------------------|
| Elements in six sectors of the preheater damaged by fire | Renew. |
| Sealing strips of six sectors of the preheater damaged by fire. | Renew. |
| Four sector plates and four sector division plates buckled. | Copy and renew as found necessary. |

The above recommendations were made with a view to placing the preheater in the same good and efficient condition as prior to the alleged casualty and the damage found could be consistent with the stated cause.

It was stated that the repairs to the preheater would be carried out on the vessel's arrival in New Zealand this voyage.

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A. L. Simpson

