

# REPORT ON ELECTRIC FITTINGS.

(OTHER THAN FOR THE PROPULSION OF THE VESSEL)

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16189 on the "C. V. Butanne" (Number of Visits.....)

Built at Belfast By whom built Messrs Harland & Wolff Ltd Yard No. 807 Tons { Gross Net When built 1930.

Owners White Star Line Port belonging to Liverpool

Electric Light Installation fitted by Messrs Harland & Wolff Ltd Contract No. 807. When fitted 1930.

System of Distribution Two wire direct current system

Pressure of supply for Lighting 220. volts, Heating 220. volts, Power 220. volts.

Direct or Alternating Current, Lighting Direct Power Direct.

If alternating current system, state frequency of periods per second

Has the Automatic Governor been tested and found efficient when the whole load is suddenly thrown on or off yes.

Generators, do they comply with the requirements regarding rating yes. are they compound wound yes.

are they over compounded 5 per cent. yes. if not compound wound state distance between each generator yes.

Where more than one generator is fitted are they arranged to run in parallel yes. is an adjustable regulating resistance fitted in series with each shunt field yes.

Are all terminals accessible, clearly marked, and furnished with sockets yes. are they so spaced or shielded that they cannot be accidentally earthed, short circuited, or touched yes.

Position of Generators Main Generators in Aux. Motor Room Ford. Engg. Generator in House on C Deck. Are the lubricating arrangements of the generators as per Rule yes.

is the ventilation in way of the generators satisfactory yes. are they clear of all inflammable material yes.

if situated near unprotected woodwork or other combustible material, state distance of same horizontally from or vertically above the generators and are the generators protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam or oil yes.

are their axes of rotation fore and aft yes.

Earthing, are the bedplates and frames of the generating plant efficiently earthed yes. are the prime movers and their respective generators in metallic contact yes.

Main Switch Boards, where placed On Switchboard Platform. Fore End of Aux. Motor Rm.

If the generators and main switchboard are not placed in the same compartment, is each generator provided with a fuse on each insulated pole as near as possible to the terminals of the generator, additional to that provided on the main switchboard

Switchboards, are they placed in accessible positions, free from inflammable gases and acid fumes yes.

are they protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam or oil yes. if situated near unprotected woodwork or other combustible material, state distance of same horizontally from or vertically above the switchboards and

are they constructed wholly of durable, non-ignitable non-absorbent materials yes. is all insulation of high dielectric strength and of permanently high insulation resistance yes.

if semi-insulating material is used, are all conducting parts insulated from the slab with mica or micaite or other non-hygroscopic insulating material, and the slab similarly insulated from its framework

and is the frame effectively earthed yes.

Are the fittings as per Rule regarding: - spacing or shielding of live parts

yes. accessibility of all parts yes. absence of fuses on back of board yes. proportion of omnibus bars yes.

individual fuses to voltmeter, pilot or earth lamp yes. connections of switches yes.

Main Switchgear, description of switchgear for each generator and each outgoing circuit, and arrangement of equalizer switches D.P. Overload & Reverse Current Circuit Breakers with Time Limits & Interlocking Equalizer Switch for each Generator & D.P. Overload Circuit Breakers for each outgoing circuit

Instruments on main switchboard 6 ammeters 2 voltmeters arranged synchronising device for paralleling purposes.

Earth Testing, state what means are provided at the main switchboard for indicating the state of the insulation of the system Earth lamps connected to Bus-Bars by D.P. Switches & Fuses.

Switches, Circuit Breakers and Fusible Cut-outs, do these comply with the requirements of the Rules yes.

Joint Boxes Section and Distribution Boards, is the construction, protection, insulation, material, and position of these as per rule yes.



**Cables:** Single, twin, concentric, or multicore yes are the cables insulated and protected as per Tables IV or V of the Rules yes

**Fall of Pressure,** state maximum between bus bars and any point of the installation under maximum load 8 Volts yes

**Cable Sockets and other connections,** are the ends of all cables having a sectional area of 0.04 square inch and above provided with soldering sockets yes

**Paper Insulated Cables,** If cables are paper covered, is the dielectric at the exposed ends of the conductor protected from moisture by being suitably sealed with insulating compound yes

**Cable Runs,** are the cables fixed as far as possible in accessible positions not exposed to drip or accumulation of water or oil, or to high temperature from boilers, steam pipes, uptakes or other hot objects, or to avoidable risk of mechanical damage yes

**Support and Protection of Cables,** state how the cables are supported and protected Hard Rubber Waterproof Type Cables run throughout & clipped to Perforated Sheet Steel Plating

If cables are run in wood casings, are the casings and caps secured by screws yes, are the cap screws of brass yes, are the cables run in separate grooves yes. If armoured and lead covered cables are secured by metal clips, are the clips spaced as per Table VIII yes

**Refrigerated Chambers,** if tight are fitted, are the cables and fittings in accordance with the special requirements yes

**Joints in Cables,** state if any, and how made, insulated, and protected Junction Boxes used for all joints

**Watertight Glands and Deck Tubes,** are all cables passing through decks and watertight bulkheads provided with deck tubes or watertight glands yes

**Bushes in Beams and Non-watertight Partitions,** where unarmoured cables pass through beams and non-watertight partitions, are the holes efficiently bushed yes. state the material of which the bushes are made Lead

**Earthing Connections,** state what earthing connections are fitted and their respective sectional areas All metal portable fittings fitted to Steelwork of Ships are earthed with connector equivalent to working conductors

are their connections made as per Rule yes

**Alternative Lighting,** are the groups of lights in the propelling machinery space arranged as per Rule yes

**Emergency Supply,** state position and method of control of the emergency supply and how the generator is driven Emergency Generator Room "C" Dr. Aft. controlled from Emergency Switch board in same house Generator is direct coupled to Diesel Engine

**Navigation Lamps,** are these separately wired yes, controlled by separate switch and separate fuses yes, are the fuses double pole yes

are the switches and fuses grouped in a position accessible only to the officers on watch yes

has each navigation lamp an automatic indicator as per Rule yes

**Secondary Batteries,** are they constructed and fitted as per Rule yes

**Fittings,** are all fittings on weather decks, in stokeholds and engine rooms and wherever exposed to drip or condensed moisture, watertight yes

are any fittings placed in spaces in which goods are liable to be stacked in close proximity to them; if so, how are they protected Cast Iron

are any fittings placed in spaces where inflammable or explosive dust or gases are liable to be present, if so, how are they protected Gas-tight

how are the cables led Guarded Locked Pendant

Hard Rubber Cables run in Galvanized Iron Conduit

where are the controlling switches situated Locally

**Searchlight Lamps, No. 01** yes, whether fixed or portable yes, are their fittings as per Rule yes

**Arc Lamps,** other than searchlight lamps, No. of yes, are their live parts insulated from the frame or case yes, are their fittings as per Rule yes

**Motors,** are their working parts readily accessible yes, are the coils self-contained and readily removable for replacement yes

are the brushes, brush holders, terminals and lubricating arrangements as per Rule yes, are the motors placed in well-ventilated compartments in which inflammable gases cannot accumulate and clear of all inflammable material yes

are they protected from mechanical injury and damage from water, steam or oil yes

are their axes of rotation fore and aft yes vertical motor

if situated near unprotected woodwork or other combustible material, are the motors of the totally enclosed, pipe ventilated, forced draught, drip or flame proof type yes

if not of this type, state distance of the combustible material horizontally or vertically above the motors yes and yes

**Control Gear and Resistances,** are the generator field and motor speed regulators, starters and controllers constructed and fitted as per Rule yes

**Lightning Conductors,** where lightning conductors are required, are these fitted as per Rule yes

**Ships carrying Oil having a Flash Point less than 150° F.** Have the special requirements of the Rules been complied with regarding switches, joint boxes, section and distribution boards, protection of cables, method of distribution, lead of cables, lights and fittings yes

If portable lamps for use in dangerous spaces are supplied, are they of a type approved by the Home Office yes

MOTOR CONDUCTORS (CONTINUED)									
REF. NO.	DESCRIPTION	NB. OF MOTORS	EFFECTIVE OF EACH CONDUCTOR PER LINE	COMPOSITION OF STRANDS DIA. IN.	TOTAL MAXIMUM CURRENT	APPROXIMATE LENGTH LEAD & RETURN	INSULATED WITH	HOW PROTECTED	
	Warping Winch (Ford)	1	0.25	37	.093"	285	90	Rubber	Hard Rubber
	" (Aft)	1	0.25	37	.093"	285	90	"	"
	Capstans Aft.	2	0.5	61	.103"	465	120	"	"
	Revolving Fan 2 1/2 H.P.	2	0.003	3	.036"	9	225	"	"
	" " 3 1/2 "	7	0.0045	7	.029"	13	210	"	"
	" " 4 1/2 "	23	0.0070	7	.036"	17	270	"	"
	" " 5 1/2 "	9	0.0070	7	.036"	22	270	"	"
	" " 7 1/2 "	1	0.0145	7	.052"	30	300	"	"
	Boat Winches	20	0.06	19	.064"	46	390	"	"
	by Under Cover 2 Gears	4	0.0145	7	.052"	32	366	"	"
	" " " "	4	0.0045	7	.029"	16	300	"	"
	Fire Service Pump	1	0.15	37	.072"	156	312	"	"
	Sleeping Cab Oil Pump	2	0.0225	7	.064"	40	390	"	"
	Fuel Oil Pump	2	0.0225	7	.064"	40	237	"	"
	Purified Oil Pump	1	0.0045	7	.029"	16	195	"	"
	Unpurified "	1	0.0045	7	.029"	16	180	"	"
	Lub. Oil Drain Pump	1	0.0045	7	.029"	16	50	"	"
	" " " "	1	0.0045	7	.029"	16	414	"	"
	Aux. Turning Gear	8	0.0045	7	.029"	16	216	"	"
	Hot. S.W. Pump	2	0.0300	19	.044"	48	185	"	"
	Air & Lube. Pump	1	0.0145	7	.052"	36	183	"	"
	Aux. F.W. Lube. Pump	2	0.0145	7	.052"	35	171	"	"
	" S.W. " "	2	0.0300	19	.044"	50	210	"	"
	Fuel Oil Purifiers	7	0.003	3	.036"	10	50	"	"
	Lub. Oil "	6	0.003	3	.036"	10	282	"	"
	F.W. Softening Plant	1	0.003	3	.036"	12	135	"	"
	W. 7 Doors 1 1/2 "	1	0.0225	7	.064"	6	1500	"	"
	" " " 2 "	1	0.0225	7	.064"	6	1500	"	"
	" " " 3 "	1	0.0225	7	.064"	4.2	1800	"	"
	" " " 4 "	1	0.0225	7	.064"	4.2	1800	"	"
	" " " 5 "	1	0.0225	7	.064"	4.2	1300	"	"
	" " " 6 "	1	0.0225	7	.064"	4.2	1300	"	"
	" " " 7 "	1	0.0225	7	.064"	4.2	1400	"	"
	" " " 8 "	1	0.0225	7	.064"	4.2	1400	"	"
	Oil Vapour Fans	5	0.007	7	.036"	18	270	"	"
	Rubbish Hoist	1	0.003	3	.036"	9	180	"	"
	Engrs. Elevator	1	0.007	7	.036"	16	180	"	"
	Cabin "	1	0.007	7	.036"	16	360	"	"
	Towrope "	1	0.007	7	.036"	16	180	"	"
	Store Hoist	1	0.007	7	.036"	16	330	"	"
	Swimming Pool Elev.	1	0.007	7	.036"	16	120	"	"
	Refrig. Cooler Fans	2	0.0045	7	.052"	38	210	"	"
	Oil Compressors	2	0.5	61	.103"	290/195	75	"	"
	Brine Pumps	3	0.0145	7	.052"	33	60	"	"
	" " " "	1	0.01	7	.044"	30	60	"	"
	Refrig. Lube. Pump	1	0.0145	7	.052"	36	180	"	"
	Ree. Rocking Elevator	1	0.01	7	.044"	18	510	"	"
	Deck Party Hoist	1	0.007	7	.036"	6	180	"	"
	Officers & Crew	1	0.007	7	.036"	6	180	"	"
	Emergency Lube. Pump	1	0.003	3	.036"	8	75	"	"
	" Water Cooler Fan	1	0.003	3	.036"	8	120	"	"
	Sounding Chime Pt. & Star	2	0.003	3	.036"	8	270	"	"
	Drub. Washing Chime	2	0.003	3	.036"	5	120	"	"
	Painting Elevator	1	0.003	3	.036"	5	210	"	"
	Bacon Slicer	1	0.002	3	.029"	1	60	"	"
	Trough Elevator	1	0.003	7	.036"	16	96	"	"
	Trough Divider	1	0.002	3	.029"	6	75	"	"
	Drub. Washing Chime	1	0.003	3	.036"	5	120	"	"
	Potato Peeler	1	0.002	3	.029"	5	135	"	"
	Workshop Elevator	5	0.003	3	.036"	9	60	"	"
	" " " "	3	0.002	3	.029"	2	60	"	"
	" " " "	1	0.002	3	.029"	4	60	"	"
	" " " "	1	0.003	3	.036"	10	60	"	"
	Roaster Elevator	1	0.002	3	.029"	1	15	"	"
	Gymnasium Chime	4	0.002	3	.029"	5	45	"	"
	Hobart Clincher	1	0.003	3	.036"	6	45	"	"
	" " " "	2	0.002	3	.029"	2	45	"	"
	Silver cleaning Chime	1	0.002	3	.029"	7	45	"	"
	Knife Cleaners	2	0.002	3	.029"	2	60	"	"

PARTICULARS OF GENERATING PLANT.

DESCRIPTION OF GENERATOR.	No. of	RATED AT				DRIVEN BY	WHERE DRIVEN BY AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE.	
		Kilowatts.	Volts.	Ampères.	Revs. per Min.		Fuel Used.	Flash Point of Fuel.
MAIN ...	4	500	222.	2250	160	Diesel Engine.	diesel oil	above 150°F
AUXILIARY ...						"	"	"
EMERGENCY ...	1	75.	222.	340.		"	"	"
ROTARY TRANSFORMER								

LIGHTING AND HEATING CONDUCTORS.

Ref. No.	DESCRIPTION.	No. of Conductors.	Effective Area of each Conductor. Sq. Ins.	COMPOSITION OF STRAND.		Total Maximum Current. Ampères.	Approximate Length. (Lead and Return.) Feet.	Insulated with	HOW PROTECTED.
				No.	Diameter.				
	MAIN GENERATOR...	4	1.125"	(COPPER BAR)		2250	72.	-	(Encased in metal framework)
	EQUALISER CONNECTIONS	1	1.125"	Do.		1125			
	EMERGENCY GENERATOR	2	0.6"	91	.093"	340	75	Rubber.	Hard Rubber
	AUXILIARY SWITCHBOARDS								
	MOTOR ROOM No. 0.	2	0.75	91	.103	920	460	Rubber.	"
	AUX. MOTOR RM. L.	1	0.75	91	.103	409	240	"	"
	" " " M.	1	1.0	127	.103	530	270	"	"
	ACCOMMODATION A1 & A2	1	0.75	91	.103	430	450 EACH	"	"
	" " " B & C.	1	1.0	127	.103	450	1000	"	"
	" " " D.	1	1.0	127	.103	568	690	"	"
	" " " E. & F. 2.	1	1.0	127	.103	576	600	"	"
	" " " F & C.	1	0.75	91	.103	350	1140	"	"
	" " " G.	1	1.0	127	.103	582	900	"	"
	" " " H. 1	2	1.0	127	.103	1180	300	"	"
	" " " H. 2	2	1.0	127	.103	1170	300	"	"
	" " " J.	1	1.0	127	.103	544	780	"	"
	(REAR) K.	1	0.75	91	.103	460	300	"	"
	WIRELESS	2	0.0100	7	.044"	7	1200	"	"
	SEARCHLIGHT	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	"
	MASTHEAD LIGHT...	2	0.0020	3	.029	0.18	570.	"	"
	SIDE LIGHTS ...	2	0.0020	3	.029	0.18	120	"	"
	COMPASS LIGHTS ...	2	0.0020	3	.029	0.27	45	"	"
	POOP LIGHTS	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	"
	CARGO LIGHTS	2	0.06	19	.064	25	1200	"	"
	ARC LAMPS	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	"
	HEATERS	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	"

MOTOR CONDUCTORS.

Ref. No.	DESCRIPTION.	No. of Motors.	Effective Area of each Conductor. Sq. Ins.	COMPOSITION OF STRAND.		Total Maximum Current. Ampères.	Approximate Length. (Lead and Return.) Feet.	Insulated with	HOW PROTECTED.
				No.	Diameter.				
	BALLAST PUMP ...	2	0.15	37	.072"	131	216	Rubber.	Hard Rubber
	MAIN BILGE LINE PUMPS	2	0.10	19	.083"	102	360	"	"
	GENERAL SERVICE PUMP	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	"
	EMERGENCY BILGE PUMP	1	0.10	19	.083"	92	1200	"	"
	SANITARY PUMP ...	2	0.20	37	.083"	172	129	"	"
	CIRC. SEA WATER PUMPS	4	0.30	37	.103"	216	201	"	"
	CIRC. FRESH WATER PUMPS	2	0.15	37	.072"	146	369	"	"
	AIR COMPRESSOR ...	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	"
	FRESH WATER PUMP ...	2	0.0145	7	.052"	37	201	"	"
	ENGINE TURNING GEAR	2	0.075	19	.072"	96	291	"	"
	ENGINE REVERSING GEAR	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	"
	LUBRICATING OIL PUMPS	4	0.75	91	.103"	377	369	"	"
	OIL FUEL TRANSFER PUMP	2	0.0225	7	.064"	40.5	258	"	"
	WINDLASS FORD	2	0.85	127	.093	800	50	"	"
	WINCHES, FORWARD	12	0.075	19	.072	112	300	"	"
	WINCHES, Aft " 5 TON.	4	0.10	19	.082	144	210	"	"
	STEERING GEAR—								
	(a) MOTOR GENERATOR...	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	"
	(b) MAIN MOTOR ...	2	0.75	91	.103	378	1200	"	"
	WORKSHOP MOTOR	-	-	-	-	-	-	"	"
	VENTILATING FANS								
	12 1/2 DIA. FAN	1	0.0020	3	.029	2	750	"	"
	10 " "	1	0.0020	3	.029	3	240	"	"
	12 1/2 " "	3	0.0020	3	.029	5	210	"	"
	15 " "	14	0.0030	3	.036	7	300	"	"
	17 1/2 " "	7	0.0030	3	.036	8	360	"	"
	20 " "	3	0.0030	3	.036	10	300	"	"
	30 " "	1	0.0100	7	.044	30	90	"	"
	35 " "	3	0.022	7	.064	40	300	"	"



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All Conductors are of annealed copper conforming to British Standard Specification No. 7.  
 The Insulated Conductors are guaranteed to withstand the immersion and resistance tests specified in the Rules.  
 The foregoing is a correct description



Electrical Engineers.

Date 18 June 1930

COMPASSES.

Distance between electric generators or motors and standard compass 120 feet 28' to nearest motor.  
 Distance between electric generators or motors and steering compass 114 " 24' " " "

The nearest cables to the compasses are as follows:—

A cable carrying 25 Ampères 14 feet from standard compass 10 feet from steering compass.  
 A cable carrying 27 Ampères 14 feet from standard compass 10 feet from steering compass.  
 A cable carrying 30 Ampères 14 feet from standard compass 10 feet from steering compass.

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

Has the effect of switching on and off circuits, motors and other electro-magnetic apparatus within the vicinity of the compasses been noted. yes.

The maximum deviation due to electric currents was found to be Nil degrees on all course in the case of the standard compass, and Nil degrees on All course in the case of the steering compass.



Builder's Signature.

Date 17 June 1930

Is this installation a duplicate of a previous case no. If so, state name of vessel

General Remarks (State quality of workmanship, opinions as to class, &c.)

This installation has been efficiently fitted on the vessel, tested with satisfactory results, and tried out under full working conditions, the materials and workmanship are good. In my opinion the vessel is now eligible for notation "Electric light."

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

Handwritten signature and date 17/6/30

Total Capacity of Generators 2075 Kilowatts.

The amount of Fee ... £ 83 : 7 : 6 } When applied for, 26 6 30  
 Travelling Expenses (if any) £ ... : } When received, 30 7 30

Handwritten signature R. Lee Amess, Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

Committee's Minute FRI. 11 JUL 1930

Assigned

Handwritten note: Elec. light

Im. 1. 2. - Transfer. (The Surveyors are requested not to file on or below the space for Committee's Minute.)



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