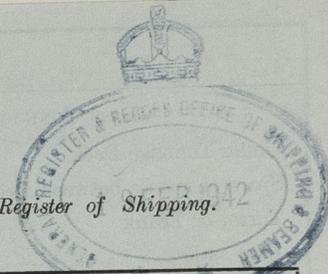


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**(LLOYD'S REGISTER.)****VESSELS OF 100 TONS AND UPWARDS.**

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Signal Letters (if any) B. C. W. C.

Official Number.		Name of Ship.		No., Date, and Port of Registry.				
168,652		"EMPIRE SQUIRE"		1 in 1942 South Shields.				
No., Date, and Port of previous Registry (if any). -								
Whether British or Foreign Built.		Whether a Sailing, Steam, or Motor Ship, if Steam or Motor Ship how propelled.		Where Built.	When Built.	Name and Address of Builders.		
British		Steam, Single Screw		South Shields	1942	John Readhead and Sons Limited, South Shields.		
Number of Decks		Length from fore part of stem, to the aft side of the head of the stern post		Feet.	Tenths.			
... .. two		... ..		430	9			
Number of Masts		Main breadth to outside of plank		56	2			
... .. two		... ..		35	2			
Rigged		Depth in hold from tonnage deck to ceiling amidships		-				
... .. not		... ..		-				
Stem		Depth in hold from upper deck to ceiling amidships, in the case of three decks and upwards		39	1.1			
... .. straight		... ..		1	1.5			
Stern		Depth from top of deck at side amidships to bottom of keel		49	0			
... .. cruiser		... ..						
Build		Round of beam						
... .. clencher		... ..						
Framework and description of vessel		Length of engine room, if any						
... .. steel cargo		... ..						
... .. Watertight - seven		... ..						
Number of Bulkheads		... ..						
Non-watertight - one		... ..						
Particulars of propelling Engines, etc. (if any), and Water Ballast Tanks, as supplied by Builders, Owners, or Engine Makers.								
No. of sets of Engines.	Description of Engines.	Whether British or Foreign Made.	When, made.	Name and address of makers.	Reciprocating Engines.		Rotary Engines.	N.H.P. D.H.P. I.H.P. Estimated Speed of Ship.
					No. and Diameter of Cylinders in each set.	Length of Stroke	No. of Cylinders in each set.	
one	Steam Reciprocating Direct Acting, Vertical, Triple Expansion.	Engines.	Engines.	Engines.	Three			342
		and	and	and	24 1/2"			2500
					39"	48"		11 knots
					70"			
No. of Shafts.	Particulars of Boilers		Boilers.	Boilers.	John Readhead & Sons Limited, South Shields.			
one	Description	S. E. Cyl. Mult. three steel	British	1942				
	Number	220 lbs.						
	Iron or Steel							
	Loaded Pressure							
Number of water ballast tanks, and their capacity in tons: - Eight = 1370 tons								

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Donkey Boilers ✓

PARTICULARS OF TONNAGE.

GROSS TONNAGE.	No. of Tons.	DEDUCTIONS ALLOWED.	No. of Tons.
Under Tonnage Deck	6578.66	On account of space required for propelling power	1552.88
Space or spaces between Decks		On account of spaces occupied by Seamen or Apprentices, and appropriated to their use, and kept free from Goods or Stores of every kind not being the personal property of the Crew.	377.16
Turret or Trunk		These spaces are the following, viz. :—	
Forecastle	6.28	Below Deck aft and Deck Houses (Number of Seamen or Apprentices for whom accommodation is certified 47)	
Bridge space		Deductions under Section 79 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, and Section 54 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1906, as follows :—	
Poop or Break		Master's Accommodation	18.30
Side Houses		Chart Space	6.22
Deck Houses	323.41	Wireless Space	4.39
Chart House		Emergency, Wireless Space	2.41
Spaces for Machinery, and light, and air, under Section 78 (2) of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894	64.51	Boatswain's Stores	53.81
Excess of Hatchways	70.69	Steering Gear Space	25.82
		Water Ballast Spaces	35.39
		Battery Space	0.62
		Total	2077.00
Gross Tonnage	7043.55	Cubic Meters.	19,933.25
Deductions, as per contra	2077.00		5,877.91
Register Tonnage	4966.55		14,055.34

NOTE 1.—The tonnage of the engine room spaces below the Upper Deck is 322.85 tons, and the tonnage of the total spaces framed in above the Upper Deck for propelling machinery and for light and air is 64.81 tons.

NOTE 2.—The undermentioned spaces above the Upper Deck are not included in the cubical contents forming the ship's register tonnage.

Forecastle L 40'0" = 71.74 tons

Name of Master Thomas Hector Irvin

Certificate of { Service No. 35349  
Competency No.

No. of Owners

Name, Residence, and Description of Managing Owner if there are more owners than one. Sixty four (64) shares.

His Majesty, as represented by the Minister of War Transport,  
Berkeley Square House, Berkeley Square,  
London, W.1.

manager: David M. Robinson  
of Messrs Joseph Robins & Sons  
maritime chambers  
1 Howard St.  
north Shields

Dated 8 January, 1942.