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Ship-Iceberg Collision Incident Report



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Vessel Characteristics

Name: Iceland	Prime Mover: Steam
Flag: Newfoundland	Transmission: Unknown
ASPPR Ice Class: Unknown	Power (kW):
Lloyd's Class: Unknown	# Propellers:
Baltic Class: Unknown	Prop. Type: Unknown
Vessel Type: Steamship	Service Speed:
Owner: Munn and Co.	Stern Form:
Registered Country:	Steel Grade: Unknown
Year of Manufacture:	<u>Miscellaneous Vessel Notes:</u>
Bow Shape: Unknown	Sealing vessel.
Stem Angle:	
<u>Dimensions (m):</u>	
<u>Mass (tonnes):</u>	
Length:	Gross:
Beam:	Net:
Depth:	Dead:

Collision Details

Date: 11-Mar-1901	Air Temperature:
Visibility (nautical miles):	Water Temperature:
Visibility: Poor	Wind Speed:
Visibility - Fog: Unknown	Wave Height:
Visibility - Snow: Snow	Sea State: Unknown
Visibility - Light: Unknown	
Collision Speed: 7	
Kerwin Place	Place Kerwin
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Damage Details

Damage Sustained: Yes	Damage Report No. :
Scenario: Direct Impact	Steel Failure Type: Unknown
Severity: Hole	Size - Length (m):
Location: Bow	Size - Height (m):
Code: Plate	Damage Below WL (m):
Length of Downtime:	Damage Above WL - Height (m):
Cost of Downtime:	Damage Above WL - Length (m):
Cost to Repair:	
No. Lives Lost:	
No. Injuries:	Cause of Deaths/Injuries: Unknown
Cargo Loss: Unknown	
Pollution: Unknown	Pollution Potential: Unknown

Cause of Damage:

Hit a berg off Newfoundland at half speed in a snow storm. Lat - lon estimated.

Damage Description:

Jib-boom, bowsprit and topmasts carried away; foredeck torn up and leaking considerably with pumps constantly going. Forecastle was filled with jagged beams which could have caused fatalities but all crew were on deck at the time and only a few were injured. Boats were readied and swung out but were not required.

Ice Details

Ice Briefing Received: Unknown

Iceberg Population:

IIP Iceberg Number:

Sea Ice Concentration:

Position of Nearest Known Iceberg:

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Iceberg Shape: Unknown

Latitude: 0 ° ' " N

Iceberg Size: Unknown

Longitude: 0 ° ' " W

Length:

Date of Observation:

Width:

Iceberg Tonnage:

Route Details

Geographic Area: Strait of Belle Isle and

Origin:

Collision Latitude: 50 ° 30 ' " N

Destination: Sealing grounds

Collision Longitude: 054 ° 00 ' " W

Distance:

Locale Accuracy: Unknown

Cargo at Event:

Voyage:

Displacement:

Draft FWD (m):

Captain's Experience: Unknown

Radar Equipped?: Unknown

Radar Details:

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