

UNIT NUMBER: 107145

CALEDONIA

AREA OF SERVICE: SKEENA RIVER (ca. 1894)
STIKINE RIVER (1897-1898)

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:

Stern paddlewheel.

Construction:

Designer and builder: J. Macfarlane, B.C. Iron Works at New Westminster, B.C.

Dimensions: Length - 142.4'; width - 30.4'; depth - 4'.

Draft:

Number of passengers: Number of crew:

Plans:

Power: Two high-pressure horizontal engines, 1892 by Albion Iron Works, 2 cylinders.

Registered: Vancouver, British Columbia, 3/1898.

Speed: 17 h.p.

Tonnage: Gross - 569.06; registered - 358.52.

HISTORY:

1890-1891 Built for the Hudson's Bay Company (A.12/FT 341/2).
1898 Rebuilt for the Hudson's Bay Company (B.226/b/53.05/B, C, R; E.166/1).
1898, 23 March Launched (E.166/1).
1903 Laid up (A.12/FT 341/[14],fos.30-34).
ca. 1907 Bought by Caledonia Trading Co. (E.166/1).
1908, 24 August Wrecked (E.166/1).

MASTERS:

1898 J.H. Bonsor E.166/1
1907 George Magar E.166/1

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

PHOTOGRAPHS AND DOCUMENTARY ART:

A.12/FT 341/2, fo. 79 (1894)
1979/53-137, 144 (1897-1898)



REFERENCES:

A.12/FT 341/2, 14, fos. 30-34	London Inward Correspondence	1891-1903
B.226/b/53.05/B	B.C. Ironworks	1898
B.226/b/53.05/C	<i>Caledonia</i>	1898
B.226/b/53.05/R	Repairs	1898-1899
E.166/1	Registry Papers	1898-1909

MICROFILM REELS:

(853), (855)
(1M1211)
(1M1211)
(1M1215)

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