

SS. Beatus of Cardiff

A Fine Display Model



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GRT 4885 LOA/BM 119/17 m

Triple Expansion Steam Engine rated at 436 NHP, Single Screw, Speed 11 knots.

Built by Ropner Shipbuilding and Repairing Co., Ltd. in 1925 at Stockton-on-Tees, for Tempus Shipping Co., Ltd. and managed on their behalf by their subsidiary company of W. H. Seager and Co., Ltd. of Cardiff.

The ship was in Convoy on a voyage from Trois Rivieres, Quebec to Middlesbrough with a cargo of Steel, Timber and Deck cargo of crated Aircraft. When approximately 100 Miles WSW of Barra Head she was torpedoed and sunk by a German Submarine on 18th October, 1940. All the ship's crew survived and were rescued by a convoy escort vessel.

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