

# Ocean Joss

## Ships in Focus

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# “Weybank”



(Fotoflite)

Bank Line’s **“Weybank”** launched 1945, 7368 GRT, built by Wm Doxford & Sons., Pallion, Sunderland. Fitted with 3 cylinder opposed piston, Doxford Economy diesel main engine, Steam auxiliary pumps and winches, supported by two double ended boilers, max service speed 11 knots. Sold by Bank Line at Hong Kong in October 1962 to Pacific Overseas Nav Corp SA. and renamed **“Silver Moon”**. Sent for demolition at Kaohsiung in April 1968.

The author’s first ship - served on her as a deck apprentice June 1961-October 1962 and hold fond memories of time spent sailing on her.

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