

UNIT NUMBER: 742 Official No.: 190465 (Montreal)

RUPERTSLAND

AREA OF SERVICE: GLASGOW-HALIFAX (1948-1949)
EASTERN ARCTIC (1949-1960)

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:

Construction:

Designer and builder: Built by Fairfield Shipping, Govan, Glasgow to a design by German & Milne, Montreal, A. Goodwin-Hamilton & Adamson of Liverpool and Glasgow supervising naval architects.

Dimensions: 170'; in 1957 21' extension by Ailsa Shipbuilding Co.

Draft:

Number of passengers: Number of crew:

Plans: 1947 (A.104/251/1; 1948 G.1/468-169)

Power:

Registered:

Speed:

Tonnage: 600 Tons; increased by 150 Tons 1957

HISTORY:

1948, 30 November Launched by Lady Cooper as the Hudson's Bay Company's Eastern Arctic supply ship.

1957 Extended 21 feet to increase cargo capacity

1960 Sold to Euclid Bouchard Ltee of Quebec, replaced by *Pierre Radisson*

MASTERS:

1948-1960 Capt. A.C. Lloyd



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