

RMS Aquitania (1914): Sources

(John Brown Shipbuilding & Engineering Co Ltd, Clydebank, Yard No. 409)

How to use this list of sources

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Abstract of Sectional Weights

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/98/1 Iron Department

Costs

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/75/6	Abstract Cost Books - Progressive Costs	1906-15
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/75/7	Abstract Cost Books - Progressive Costs	1902-12
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/75/8	Abstract Cost Books - Progressive Costs	1912-20
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/76/1	Contract Cost Registers	1899-1912
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/76/2	Contract Cost Registers	1912-17
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/77/137	Managers' Progressive Cost Books	1911-14
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/82/14	Managers' Wages Progressive Cost Books	1904-38

Comparison of Costs and Estimates Books

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/86/5 1915

Contract Extras and Rebates

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/64/1 c1913-c18

Engine Particulars

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/92/45

Estimating Books

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/73/5 c1897-1914

Files - Particular Vessels

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/107/69	Correspondence with Cunard Steamship Company concerning tender for proposed new vessel: contract and agreement: notes on costs and instalments	1910-11
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/107/70	Correspondence, notes on meetings etc. with Cunard Steamship Company concerning construction and equipment etc	1911-1912
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/107/71	Acceptance of tender for reconditioning (1946): cabin plan and plan of third third class and tourist accommodation (1938)	1938-1946

General Calculation and Data Books for Proposed Ships

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/89/11 Speeds of water in feed pipes; propeller and boiler particulars; efficiency of engines; donkey boilers, stresses due to inertia of moving parts; particulars of paddle boats; main and auxiliary engines; ships with turbines or reciprocating engines c1877-c1934

Historical Notes

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/106/6	Descriptions of ships built at Clydebank	1853-1957
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/106/8	"Ships that made History": Notes and from the <i>Shipbuilding & Shipping Record</i>	

Historical Notes (continued)

- GUAS Ref: UCS 1/106/9 Sundry lists and statements of built at Clydebank 1910-70
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/106/11 "Famous Ships": Note on ships constructed at Clydebank

Illustrated Brochures

- GUAS Ref: UCS 1/115/1 Particulars of vessels in Cunard Fleet; design; dimensions and comparison with other vessels; construction, launch and trials; structural details, passenger accommodation and equipment; propelling machinery; works of the builders. (Reprinted from *Engineering*) 1914
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/115/2 Souvenir of launching: photographs from berth and preparation to entering the fitting-out basin 1913

Launch Invitation

- GUAS Ref: UCS 1/113/2

Plans

- GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/1 A Upper Promenade Deck, 1/16 scale (5 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/2 A Upper Promenade Deck, 1/8 scale (7 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/3 B Lower Promenade Deck, 1/16 scale (5 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/4 B Lower Promenade Deck, 1/8 scale (7 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/5 C Shelter Deck, 1/16 scale (5 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/6 C Shelter Deck, 1/8 scale (9 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/7 D Upper Deck, 1/16 scale (5 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/8 D Upper Deck, 1/8 scale (9 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/9 E Main Deck, 1/16 scale (5 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/10 E Main Deck, 1/8 scale (9 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/11 F Lower Deck, 1/16 scale (5 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/12 F Lower Deck, 1/8 scale (9 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/13 G Orlop Deck, 1/16 scale (5 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/14 G Orlop Deck, 1/8 scale (12 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/15 H Lower Orlop Deck, 1/8 scale (9 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/16 Boat Deck (5 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/17 Boat Deck (7 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/18 Tops of houses (7 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/19 Hold (9 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/20 Midship Section (3 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/21 Rigging (7 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/22 Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; A Upper Promenade Deck, Forward (7 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/23 Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; A Upper Promenade Deck, Aft (7 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/24 Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; B Lower Promenade Deck, Forward (9 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/25 Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; A Upper Promenade Deck, Aft (7 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/26 Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; C Shelter Deck, Forward (7 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/27 Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; C Shelter Deck, Aft (9 feet)
 GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/28 Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; D Upper Deck, Forward (9 feet)

Plans (continued)

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/29	Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; D Upper Deck, Aft (9 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/30	Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; E Main Deck, Forward (9 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/31	Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; E Main Deck, Aft (9 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/32	Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; F Lower Deck, Forward (7 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/33	Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; F Lower Deck, Aft (9 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/34	Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; G Orlop Deck, Forward (7 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/35	Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; G Orlop Deck, Aft (7 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/36	Condensed Water Service and Steam Heating System; Houses on Boat Deck (5 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/37	Arrangement of Service Tanks on Boat Deck, Aft; Top of Mid House and Top of Captain's and Officers' House for Condensed Water System (7 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/38	Body plan (3 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/39	Lines (9 feet)	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/110/409/40	Shell expansion (9 feet)	

Scroll Specification Books

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/90/1		1901-24
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Specification Books

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/91/4		1912
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Turbines Manufactured under Licence

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/105/2	Parson's	1904-46
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Wages Cost Books

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/83/1		
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Vessel Particulars

GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/9		
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/10		
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/11		
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/14	Speed trials	1894-1913
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/15		
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/16	Freeboard and tonnage	
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/17		
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/18		
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/40	Particulars of ships built by John Brown & Co Ltd	1852-1970
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/42	List of owners of vessels built at Clydebank (1 page)	1852-1960
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/44	Launch record: notebook in chronological order of vessels giving name, for whom built, by whom christened, when launched and delivered (1 page)	1852-1967
GUAS Ref: UCS 1/93/53	Sectional steel weights (3 pages)	