JAVA (1892)

Base data at 2 October 1892. Last amended November 2008 * indicates entries changed during P&O Group service.

Type Passenger/cargo liner

P&O Group service 1892-1910

P&O Group status Owned by parent company

Former name(s)

Registered owners, The Peninsular and Oriental Steam Navigation

managers and operators Company

Builders Caird & Co Ltd Yard Greenock

Country UK Yard number 270

Registry Greenock, UK

Official number 99783 Signal letters MSHC

Classification society Lloyd's Register

Gross tonnage 4,093 grt
Net tonnage 2,632 nrt
Deadweight 5,692 tons

 Length
 117.18m (384.6ft)

 Breadth
 13.74m (45.1ft)

 Depth
 8.50m (27.9ft)

 Draught
 7.782m (25ft 6½in)

Engines Triple-expansion steam engine

Engine builders Caird & Co Ltd Works Greenock Country UK

Power 3,000 ihp/2,600 ihp

Propulsion Single screw Speed 12 knots

Passenger capacity 30 first class

Cargo capacity 7,431 cubic metres (262,452 cubic feet)

Crew

Employment India and Far East 'intermediate' service

Career

07.07.1892: Launched. 15.09.1892: Registered.

02.10.1892: Left builders as Java for The Peninsular and Oriental Steam

Navigation Company at a cost of £72,104. Two sisters followed her from the same yard: *Manila* later in 1892, *Japan* in 1893. Java is a south-east Asian island, east of Sumatra, for many years forming part of the Netherlands East Indies but now part of Indonesia.

1900: Carried home casualties from the Boxer Rising in China.

07.1910: Sold to Goshi Kaisha Harada Shoko, Japan for £7,383/15/6d and

renamed Ume Maru.

1917: Sold to K Kawachi, Japan.
1918: Sold to Taiyo Kaiun KK, Japan.
1925: Sold to Takahashi Kozo, Japan.
1926: Sold to shipbreakers in Japan.

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