UNIT NUMBER: 43486

OCEAN NYMPH

AREA OF SERVICE:

LONDON-LABRADOR	(1863-1864)
LONDON-LABRADOR & LITTLE WHALE RIVER	(1865)
MARBLE ISLAND WHALING EXPEDITION	(1866)
LONDON-YORK FACTORY	(1867)
LONDON-ST. LAWRENCE	(1868-1869)
LONDON-YORK FACTORY	(1870, 1871)
LONDON-SAGUENAY	(1873)
LONDON-MOOSE	(1874)
LONDON-YORK FACTORY	(1875-1884)

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:
Barque

Construction:
Dimensions: 118.1 x 27.3 x 12.6 (forecastle 30')
Draft:
Number of passengers: Number of crew:
Plans:
Power:
Registered:
Speed:
Tonnage: 310 T.

HISTORY:

1862	D. Herd completed the purchase for the Hudson's Bay Company for £2,975, Curry Kellock & Co. from J.R. Wilson, Liverpool (A.10/52; A.1/75 fo. 67d)
1876	Recommended to be used for Churchill & York Factory (A.1/150 pp. 64, 70)
1880	Robert Bell was on board
1884	Offered for sale
1885, March	Sold to Richard Jarvis for £450 (A.1/152 p. 225; A.1/184 fo. 214)

MASTERS:

1863	John Tod, David Herd	
1864	John James	C.4
1865	Samuel Dawes	A.1/77, p. 112
1866-1867	James Taylor	C.4/1
1868	James Gaudin	C.4/1
1869-1870	George B. Galbraith	C.4/1
1873	Alexander Main	C.4/1
1874	H. Bishop/G.B. Galbraith	C.4/1
1875-1881	John McPherson	Lloyds 1878
1882-1884	John Hawes	

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C.7/109	Miscellaneous, 1863-1883	(2M138), (2M151)
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