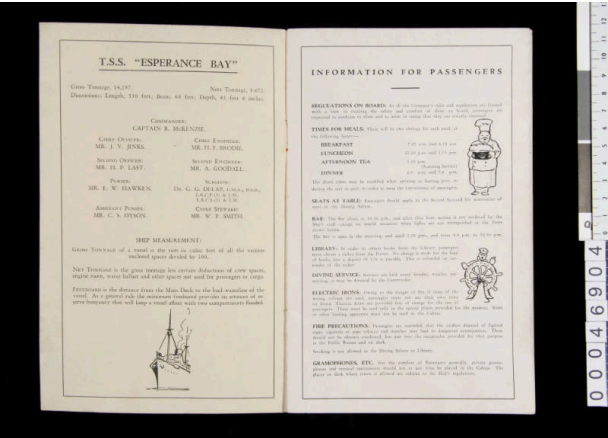


Basic Detail Report



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Title
Passenger list from TSS ESPERANCE BAY New Zealand
cruise

Date
1936

Primary Maker
Aberdeen and Commonwealth Line

Medium
Paper

Dimensions
Overall: 222 x 142 x 2 mm, 46.2 g

Name
Booklet

History
The Aberdeen & Commonwealth liner ESPERANCE BAY was originally built as HOBSONS BAY by Vickers, Barrow in 1921. It was renamed ESPERANCE BAY after the original ESPERANCE BAY was transferred to Shaw Savill in 1936 and renamed ARAWA. ESPERANCE BAY was converted to an armed merchant cruiser during World War II and used as a troopship. In 1947 it was refitted to accommodate 514 tourist class passengers and resumed service between the UK and Australia. It was scrapped at Faslane in 1955.