## **REFUGIO**

**Adm. Service:** 1916 - 1916 **Role:** Collier Transport

Pennant No: Y 3.1260 Official No: 121632 Signal Letters: HCRD

**Tonnages:** 2642 grt 1679 nrt 4450 dwt **Dimensions:** 313.0 (p.p.) x 45.0 x 20.5 ft

**Machinery:** T. 3 cyl 23" 38" & 61" x 39" by G. Clark Ltd, Sunderland. 255 nhp. **Speed:** 10

knots. Single screw.

## **Background Data**:

One of a group of additional ships requisitioned for Admiralty service during WW1.

#### **AWAITING PHOTO**

# **Career Data:**

17/05/05 Launched by Robert Thompson & Sons, Southwick, Sunderland as Yard Nr 235

named **REFUGIO** for Orders & Handford Steamship Co Ltd (Orders & Handford

Ltd, Managers) Newport, Mon.

06/05 Completed.

01/09/16 - Requisitioned for service as a Collier

01/10/16

12/05/17 Sunk by gunfire from **U-57** (Carl-Siegfried Ritter von Georg) in the North Atlantic

115 miles NW ½ W Tory Island in position 55.10 N 11.35 W on passage Ardrossan

to Huelva carrying coal with the loss of 1 life.

## **Notes:**

1 name is listed on the CWGC site