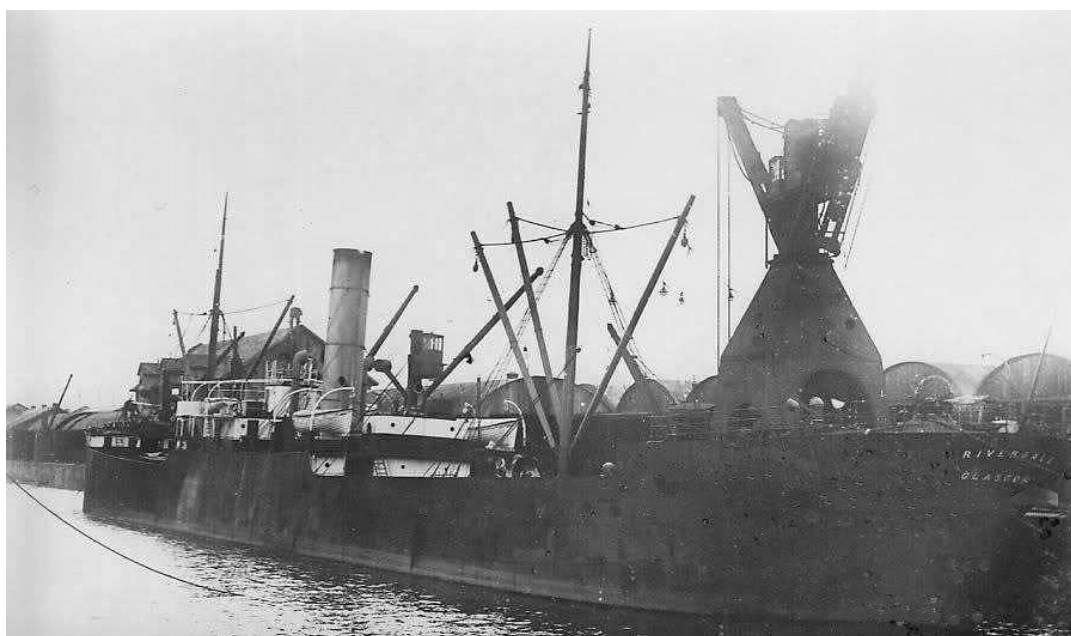


RIVERDALE

Adm. Service: 1917- 1918
Role: Collier Transport
Pennant No: Y 3.982 **Official No:** 111300 **Signal Letters:** RWKD
Tonnages: 4206 grt 2752 nrt 7200 dwt
Dimensions: 360.0 (p.p.) x 48.1 x 28.3 ft
Machinery: T 3 cyl 26" 42½" & 69½" x 45" by North Eastern Marine Engineering Co Ltd, Sunderland. 351 nhp. **Speed:** 9 knots. Single screw.

Background Data:

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



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Career Data:

11/09/1900	Launched by Sunderland Ship Building Co, South Dock, Sunderland as Yard Nr 205 named RIVERDALE for Riverdale Steamship Co Ltd (J Little & Co (Glasgow) Ltd, Managers) Glasgow.
10/1900	Completed
1914	Owners became Borderdale Shipping Co Ltd (same Managers) Glasgow.
1916	Sold to Plisson Steam Navigation Co Ltd, Cardiff name unchanged.
04/04/17 - 20/07/17	Requisitioned for service as a Collier,
21/07/17 - 03/12/17	Served as a Transport carrying rice from Burma
04/12/17 - 25/01/18	Served as a Collier
26/01/18 - 03/05/18	Served as a Transport carrying sugar from Cuba .
04/05/18 - 02/10/18	Served as a Transport carrying wheat from the Argentine
03/10/18 - 18 1920	Served as a Transport carrying wheat from Canada and then finally as a Collier Renamed NIVOSE by her owners.
1924	Sold to Societe Terrena Spedizioni e Traffica, Naples name unchanged
1925	Owners became Nivose Soc. Di Navigazione, Naples name unchanged.
16/04/29	Arrived Genoa for demolition by Italian breakers..