NEREIDE   **AREA OF SERVICE:** LONDON-COLUMBIA (1833-1840)
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PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:
Brig

Construction:	Teak
Designer and builder:	Built in Kidderpore, 1821.
Dimensions:	
Draft:	
Number of passengers:	Number of crew:
Plans:	
Power:	
Registered:	
Speed:	
Tonnage:	253 46/94 tons.

Armed with 10 caronnades from the *Eagle* in 1836   (A.6/24, fos. 11d-12)

HISTORY:

1821	Built in Kidderpore (A.7/1, fo. 68d).
1833, 5 March	Bought by the Hudson's Bay Company for £3,650 for coasting trade (A.1/58, fo. 37; A.6/23, fo. 17d).
1833, 4 May	Left London, leak discovered, repaired at Spithead, Plymouth and again at Lisbon (A.6/22 fo. 28; A.6/23, fo. 48; B.223/b/10 fo. 22d)
1833, 28 July	Sailed from Lisbon (A.6/23, fo. 48).
1834, 23 April	Arrived at Fort Vancouver, sent home again (B.223/b/10, fo. 13).
1835, 28 May	Arrived back in London via Valparaiso and Copiapo (A.6/23, fo. 26d, 138, 138d).
1835	Sent back to coast for coasting trade.
1837, 15 May	Donald McLeod was sent to the Cadboro, and John Beasley discharged in Oahu
1837, 31 May	Strike on the ship involving John Blanchard, James Bonnelly, William Davis, John Jarvis, John Lucas, John Wilmore, Quinton Hooten, William Gray, Peter Nyholm confined in irons (Dick Wilson, p. 43)
1839-1841	Returned to London, sold to Joseph Somes, Ratcliffe, London (A.1/62; A.10/13).

MASTERS:

1833-1835	Lt. J.M. Langtry	A.6/23, fo.77d, 140-142d; B.239/k/2, p. 272; C.1/609
1835-1836	Robert Royal	A.6/24, fo. 11d-12, 14
1836-1838	David Home	Dick Wilson, p. 38
1838	Wm. H. McNeill	B.239/k/2, p. 163
1839-1840	Wm. Brotchie	C.1/610

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