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Shipadop profile of cargo mailer

A ship's profile on the Union-Castle cargo mailer *Southampton Castle* has been prepared and circulated by the British Ship Adoption Society, in co-operation with B&C. Fifteen hundred copies of the profile, in loose-leaf format, have been printed and most of them will go to member schools and other educational interests.

The profile is really a complete case study of the ship and its work, including pictures and dimensions, details of accommodation and equipment, stories of the Union-Castle mailships and of the Clan Line, and material about ports, manning, route and cargo. The loose-leaf format was chosen so that the material could be used flexibly by children using modern teaching methods. The Deciduous Fruit Board and the South African Tourist Corporation have contributed printed material and information; Dr. Barnardo's School for Girls, Wokingham, has contributed letters—it has a Shipadop link with *Southampton Castle*.

Designed by Norman Dick, the profile contains much material checked and researched by members of B&C staff, notably Anne Haines (fleet management, London). Copies are available to ship enthusiasts from the Seafarers Education Service, price £1.50 each.

Thanks from RNLI

Capt. F. H. Edwards, honorary secretary of the Falmouth Branch of RNLI, writes to thank Capt. N. F. Wray-Cook and members of the ship's company of *Rothsay Castle* for a donation of £26 toward the work of the Life-Boat Institution.

... also from Dr. Barnardo's

Mrs. H. C. Waterworth, secretary of the Southbourne and Boscombe Branch of Dr. Barnardo's, writes to thank the Senior Crew Members' Club of *SA Orange* for a donation of £30. The money is to go to the home for mentally retarded children, as requested. This is one of the donations made when various social clubs on board *SA Orange* wound up their accounts just before the vessel's withdrawal from service.

Plaque for a job well done

■ Capt. C. R. Kelso presenting the plaque of the Southampton Master Mariners Club (the *Cachalots*) to the chairman of the Edinburgh Castle Crew Social Club. The plaque is in appreciation to the crew of Edinburgh Castle for their efforts when the *Cachalots* annual luncheon was held on board Edinburgh Castle recently, at very short notice. From left to right: E. Talbot, staff commander; R. Stevenson, club chairman; Capt. C. R. Kelso; F. Henry, club secretary. See also mailships picture page. Picture: Transocean Photographic.



Fourth cadet unit goes to sea

■ Twelve cadets sailed aboard Clan Malcolm when she left London for South Africa on October 29. This was the fourth B&C cadet unit to sail in 1975 although the first aboard Clan Malcolm. Pictured with Capt. A. D. Terras and Training Officer Iain Cuthbertson are (from left): R. J. Bialoszewski, P. L. Seviour, K. B. Green, M. R. Scott, D. A. Jackson, K. G. Hoare, D. Harvey-Newsell, A. J. S. Brookes, H. W. Robertson, D. H. Edwards-Jones, N. S. Brown and C. M. Farrar. Picture: J. Whigham.

