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## Amver awards for B & C ships

Seven ships in the B&C fleet have received AMVER awards (Automated Mutual Assistance Vessel Rescue) from the United States Coastguard. Capt. Keith Parker received the awards from Vice-Admiral William F. Rea, 3rd U.S. Coastguard Commander, Atlantic Area, at a reception held September 2 at the American Embassy, London.

The bulk carrier *King Alfred* won her fifth consecutive award and received a gold AMVER pennant. The other vessels to win awards were *Edinburgh Castle*, the bulk carriers *King James*, *King William* and *King Richard*, the pulpwood carrier *Nina Boswater*, and *Clan Ross*. Vessels winning the award for the first time get a blue pennant.



## Radio cadets go coasting

Five radio cadets joined Clan Matheson in July for a short coastal voyage. They were pictured with Capt. R. D. Lofts (far left) aboard the vessel—from left, G. J. Irvine, P. Rushworth, H. Jackson, S. McHugh, R. D. Price. At right: radio officer J. N. Wright. Picture: Stewart Bale.

## Reina's charitable spirit lives on

The charitable works of Reina del Mar personnel live on in Gibraltar. At a ceremony in July, held at St. Bernard's Hospital, Lady Grandy (wife of the Governor of Gibraltar and president of the Gibraltar League of Hospital Funds) presented the nurses' training school there with a microscopic projector, a gift from Reina del Mar crew and passengers. A further £200 raised on board the late *Union-Castle* cruise ship is going toward the cost of air-conditioning in the treatment room in the psychiatric unit. Left to right in the picture: Mrs. C. Barker; Mrs. M. Giraldi, medical department matron; Mrs. M. Stone; Miss F. Gonzalez; Lady Grandy; Aurelio Montegriffo, Gibraltar's Minister for Medical Services. Picture: C. Montegriffo.



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