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France £47500



F.M.C 1904 - 71ft - Traditional Stern Narrowbeam boat lying at Outlying Marina

France was built in 1904 by Fellows Morton & Clatyon at Saltley as a horse boat. The boat was converted to a motor boat in 1949. France went onto work for Thomas Clayton in 1951 carrying liquid cargo in tanks, then followed in 1962 a spell with Leonard Leigh in the Black Country at which time the tanks were removed. Following commercial use France worked as a camping boat for Warwickshire Fly Boat company and was a familiar sight on the system with her distinctive cabin conversion. France is now back in working trim carrying the livery of Leonard Leigh. In France's present ownership a thorough restoration has been completed by Roger Farrington, which has seen a new 15mm base plate, new steel cabin and the side repaired where necessary. In 2014 France had a full survey for insurance which should give her next owner piece of mind for many years to come.

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CONSTRUCTION

Width	6'10"	Draft	3'
Construction	Steel / Iron	Horse Power	53
Hull Builder	F.M.C	Fitted out by	Michael Pinnock
Steel Spec	15mm steel bottom / Iron sides	Cratch	Yes
Rear Cover	None	Side Doors	No

ENGINE

Engine Make	Bolinder	Engine Model	113 3 cylinder 53hp
Engine Hours		Engine Last Serviced	2014
Gearbox	PRM	Bowthruster	None
230v Landline	No	Inverter	No
Domestic Batteries	2	Battery Charger	No
Battery Management	No	No. Alternators	No
Generator	No	Solar Panels	0
		Stern Thruster	None

HEATING

Type of Heating	Solid Fuel Range	No. Radiators	0
Calorifier	No	Gas	No
Fresh Water Tank Type	Not Applicable	Fresh Water Tank Capacity	N/A
Fuel Tank Capacity		Insulation	Thinsulate
Waste Tank Capacity	N/A	Hot Water Via	Stove

CABIN

Cabin Lining	T&G	Trim	N/A
Flooring	Carpet	No. Berths	2

BEDROOM

Bed	Cross Double	Storage Under	Yes
Wardrobes	No	Overhead Lockers	Yes
Dressing Table	No		
Extras / Notes:			

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BATHROOM

Bath or Shower	None	Toilet Type	Cassette
Vanity Basin	No	Heated Towel Rail	No

Extras / Notes:

KITCHEN / GALLEY

Floor Units	No	Wall Units	No
Cooker Make	Solid fuel range	Fridge Make	No
Microwave	No	Washing Machine	No

Extras / Notes:

SALOON

Dinette	No Dinette	TV Cupboard	No
Bookshelves	No	Solid Fuel Stove	Yes
Seating	Yes		

Extras / Notes:

HISTORY

Time with Current Owner	3 yrs	No. Previous Owners	Two or more
Last Blacked	2014	Anodes Replaced	n/a
Boiler Last Serviced	N/A	BSC Expiry Date	26/03/16
CE Mark / RCD Status	Exempt		

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