

LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING

UNITED WITH THE BRITISH CORPORATION REGISTER



Port

KIEL

16th May, 1951

This is to Certify that

DAVID FERRIE

the undersigned Surveyor to this Society did at the request of

Messrs. The United Baltic Corporation, Ltd., Kiel-Holtenau, on behalf of Messrs. Cellati, Hankey & Co. Ltd., Hamburg, and with the consent of the owner attend on board the M.V. "SOMMER", 3926 gross tons of Helsingborg, as she lay on the floating dock at Messrs. Howaldtswerke Kiel on the 5th April, 1951 and on subsequent dates, without prejudice nor admitting liability for damage stated to have been sustained on 12th December 1949 by contact with the tanker "COXCOMB HILL".

For further particulars see log book.

FOUND:

RECOMMENDED:

Forecastle Deck Port Side

3 guard rail stanchions buckled.

To be removed, faired and refitted.

3 tier rails buckled for 15'-0".

To be part removed, faired and refitted and part faired in place.

Deck Plating

Stringer plates at aft end of fore-castle deck buckled.

To be part cropped and renewed. 4000x7000x12mm.

1 roller fairlead in way part released and afterwards rewelded.

Forecastle Sheerstrake

L. 3 plate set in and buckled.

To be renewed. 5000x1400x12 mm.

L. 2 plate set in.

To be faired in place.

Round moulding on Sheerstrake

buckled.

To be part cropped and renewed. 250mm @ 76 x 38 mm.

Bulwark Rising Plate Top Angle

buckled.

To be part cropped and renewed. 2500 @ 120x90x10 mm.

Framing

6 frames in way buckled of plating slightly buckled.

3 to be faired in place and 3 to be part cropped and renewed 900 @ 130x90x12 mm

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Beams

No. 3 beam from forecass bulkhead buckled.

1 to be part cropped for 400 mm and renewed.

No. 5 deep beam buckled at end.

To be cropped for 300 mm at end and renewed.

Beam Knees 4 buckled.

2 to be removed, faired and refitted
2 to be renewed.

Forecass Bulkhead plating at outboard end buckled.

To be part cropped and renewed.
600x600x8 mm.

In way of repairs 3 shelves in lamp room, 1 scupper pipe, electrical wiring to be removed for access and afterwards refitted.

Port Side in way of Repair Fore Bulkhead

Upper deck sheerstrake and stringer angle set over at top.

Sheer strake plate to be faired in stringer angle to be cropped, faired and refitted.

Bulwark plate in way set in with horizontal bracket and two stays buckled.

1800 mm @ 150x150 mm.
Underlined surveyor to this Society bid at the request of Bulwark plate to be faired in place horizontal bracket to be removed, faired and refitted. Stays to be part cropped at bottom and renewed.

Port Side in way Engine Room

Shell plate in 3rd strake below poop sheerstrake set in slightly.

To be faired in place.
Insulation in engine to be part removed for access and discharge pipe in way temporarily blanked off.

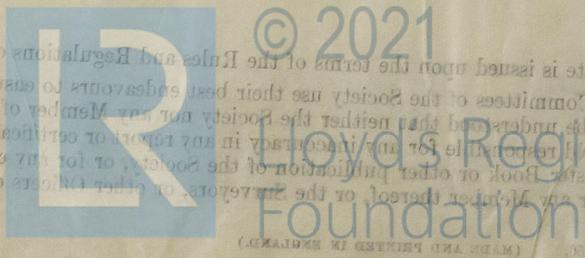
The foregoing recommendations were made with a view to having ship placed in the same condition as prior to the casualty, and all the recommendations with the exception of the indented shell plate on the port side, aft, in the engine room, have not been carried out by Messrs. Kier.

The cost of the permanent repairs including painting, grinding, etc., of 5,100,- Swedish Kr. is, in my opinion, fair and reasonable.

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Expenses 1. 0. 0

A/o rendered from London, 14/4/1951

David Thomas
Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping



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