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VESSEL'S NAME "NORWAY MARU". Rpt. Yka. No. 6942.

The remarks of the Chief Ship Surveyor are desired on this case for the consideration of the Classing Committee.

("The endorsement to contain a succinct summary of any repairs that have been required and to show the cause or causes of such repairs, and also to bring out clearly any exceptional features in connection with the case, so that the Classing Committee may have all the salient points presented in the endorsement."—Extract from Sub-Committee's Report, 24/5/92.)

The class is subject to the sternframe E.W. 9,35, 10,36 and 11,37 and previously, being specially at the next dry docking.

The YOKOHAMA Surveyors report the vessel placed in dry dock, bottom coated, the 2nd Special Survey No.2, due 8,39 partly held, repairs to shell plating, peaks, deck, framing, bulkheads, bunkers etc., effected.

To complete the Survey the 'tween deck bunkers require to be examined and No.5 double bottom tank examined internally *and tested*.

Some wing brackets in Nos.1 & 2 holds require to be renewed, intermediate frames at deck in Nos.4 & 5 holds reinforced, some air pipes in No.5 hold, framing and plating in upper 'tween deck side bunkers and some E & B casing stiffening and struts, framing and deck plating in lower 'tween deck side bunkers to be renewed.

10 lengths of chain cable on board worn to Rule limit require to be renewed.

The Owners state the Survey and outstanding repairs will be completed at or before the next Annual Survey, presumably about 7,41. In the Surveyors' opinion, this merits favourable consideration.

The E.W. repairs as above, have been examined and found efficient.

The Surveyors recommend further examination of this item be now dispensed with.

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The year of grace ~~will~~ expired at the end of last month.

IT IS SUBMITTED action be deferred and for consideration whether an extension of 12 months could be agreed to, provided the worn chain cable be dealt with at the earliest possible opportunity.

It is also submitted for consideration whether in the special circumstances of this case a notation of Examined 7,40 should be assigned. } mo

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Spl { It should be pointed out to the Surveyors that the year of grace expired at the end of last month and that in cases where an extension beyond the year of grace is proposed, they should at once inform the Committee and seek their instructions.

It is concluded that in addition to the items stated to remain to complete the Survey double bottom tank No 5 requires to be tested but the Surveyors should state if this is so. se



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