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# Lloyd's Register of Shipping.



Port SAN FRANCISCO,

21st April 1917.

**This is to Certify that I have**

*Surveyed the Steel Screw Steamer "BESSA", Union Iron Works*

*Company's Hull No.139, during construction,*

*and that I have transmitted to the Committee of Lloyd's Register of Shipping, London, a Report, stating that all repairs recommended by me have been completed to my satisfaction, and that I have Recommended that she be classed*

*\*100 A 1, Shelter Deck with Freeboard, 4-17 with notation of Longitudinal Framing,*

*being fit to carry dry and perishable cargo.*

(Signed)

ARNOLD BENNETT.

Surveyor to Lloyd's Register.

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