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Floyd's Register of Shipping.



Port NEWCASTLE, N.S.W.,

5th. September, 1946

This is to Certify that

E. M. Hughes,

the undersigned Surveyor to this Society did at the request of MESSES HUDDART, PARKER LTD. AND WITH CONSENT OF THE OWNERS, survey the S. S. "KOORYONG" 2296 Gross Registered Tons, for the purpose of ascertaining the nature and extent of the Damage stated to have been sustained to the vessel by being fouled by the s.s. "Corio" at about 4.40 p.m. on the 29th. ultimo, "Kooyong" lying moored at Gray Street dolphins in this harbour at the time of the accident and "Corio" moving away after being doubled off.

UPON EXAMINATION, vessel afloat in Newcastle N.S.W. harbour on the 30th. ultimo and again today, the undersigned

FOUND

and

RECOMMENDED

On the Starboard side.

One 2" round iron stanchion from bridge deck to bridge bent and broken, and both bolts in upper palm sheared.

Take out, straighten, weld and put back, renew bolts and refasten.

One 6" x 3" channel stanchion buckled together with top bracket.

Crop as marked and renew.

One 3" x 1/2" flat iron stay bent.

Fair in place.

One 3' & one 4' length of wood rail split and broken.

Renew.

The foregoing was new Damage.

These recommendations were necessary in order to place the vessel in the same condition as she was in previous to sustaining the Damage, and have now been seen satisfactorily completed. The approx. cost of Repairs is £20.

E. M. Hughes

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