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Lloyd's Register of Shipping.



Port Kobe.

12th May, 1941.

This is to Certify *that I have*

Surveyed the Boiler and Machinery of the Steel Single Screw Steamer "KOTOHIRA MARU", 6101 tons gross, of Kobe, on account of damage stated to have been caused by the vessel bumping against the Government Coal pier at Muroran on the 11th April, 1941, whilst coming alongside, afterwards grounding and subsequently flooding in all holds, bunker and machinery space---

and that I have transmitted to the Committee of Lloyd's Register of Shipping, London, a Report stating that all recommendations made by me in connection therewith have been carried out to my satisfaction, and that I have

Recommended *that the record of Machinery Record be retained and Tail Shaft (GL) seen 5,41, subject to main engine M.P. cylinder slide valve casing being renewed before the end of September, 1941, and water end of ballast pump being renewed at the first opportunity, be made in the Register Book in the case of this vessel.*

J. A. ...

Engineer Surveyor to Lloyd's Register.

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