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ar Sir,

REPORTS ON THE STEAMERS "CABO ROCHE", "CASTILLO CAMPANARIO" AND "HABANA"

After a 21 days absence, surveying away from this port, I have
and yours of the 18th August, and, although those three Reports were
ready forwarded and at least one you have received, as I signed them,
should like to make it clear that the delay in despatching them was
pletely out of my possibilities for the following reasons:-

CABO ROCHE:- I took the survey from Mr. A. E. Scott at the end of a big
pair and to be able to complete the Report I had to make a last visit
the vessel on the 24th August.

CASTILLO CAMPANARIO:- This Report was delayed because the Temporary
veyor, then starting with us, had not yet his journal completed.

HABANA:- I also took the survey from Mr. A. E. Scott at the end of a very
damage repair, and, as explained in my letter of the 2nd September, it
been very difficult to find out all that was done to this vessel in a
iod of nearly four years.

However, I should add, that although in all the Reports in which
ave intervened exclusively I have, up to the present, been able to
ward them in due time, it has meant for me a great amount of extra
e work. Because since Mr. A. E. Scott left this port, so suddenly, I have
his Hull Surveys, the control and the writing of all the Machinery
veys that I had before and a lot more of Office Duties, which have
eatly increased since Mr. A. E. Scott left.

This apart from the very long absences from this port.

Notwithstanding all this extrawork that has come to me since Mr.
E. Scott left us, I am glad to do all I can to keep this Office going
these difficult circumstances.

I am, Dear Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Secretary,
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