

PORT.SYDNEY. N.S.W.19th July 1921.THIS IS TO CERTIFY thatA. C. HERON.

the undersigned Surveyor to this Society did at the request of
The Owners,

and in conjunction with C. W. Hay, representing the Queensland Insur. Co. survey the Steel Twin Screw Steamer "MARELLA" of London, 7372 Gross Registered Tons, for the purpose of ascertaining the nature and extent of the Damage, stated to have been sustained while working Engines, berthing at Wharf, Batavia, the vessels propellers fouled a submerged object on the 13th May 1921, while on a voyage from Sydney to Singapore.

It was noted in Log Book that Starboard Propeller shaft had been working warm during passage to Sydney, from Batavia.

Upon examination in Woolwich Dry Dock on the 16/6/21 and subsequent dates, the undersigned found, on Starboard Propeller all four bronze portable blades bent at outer ends, on Port Propeller one blade bent at outer end and leading edges of all four blades very slightly serrated.

RECOMMENDED that, the four blades on Starboard Propeller be taken off, sent to shop, straightened and put back, one on Port Propeller be taken off straightened and put back, and edges of all four blades be hand dressed.

Starboard Propeller Shaft be drawn inboard and examined. These Repairs now Recommended with a view to placing this vessels Machinery in as good a condition as it was in, before having sustained the Damage in question, and have been
seen satisfactorily completed.

(SGD) A. C. HERON.
SURVEYOR TO LLOYD'S REGISTER.

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