

J. J. ALEXANDRE.

COMPONE TODA CLASE DE

Máquinas de Coser e Instrumentos Científicos.

CALLE DE DIANA N.º 20

Mazatlán, Sin., Mex.

Mazatlán, December 10<sup>th</sup> de 1897

Report on the Steamer *Mata* at Guaymas on  
slipway on the 4<sup>th</sup> of December 1897

After the bottom  
had been cleaned I overhauled the bottom, and found  
the keel plate abaft the engine about 30 feet long, the  
rivet heads partly gone, and some completely gone,  
also a split in the centre of keel plate about one foot  
long. The cause of damage done to keel plate has  
been for want of paint, not being able to get at  
them by not removing chocks on slipway when the  
vessel was painted.

I beg to state that all other parts  
of said vessel are in good order according to Lloyd's  
rules, having had a thorough overhauling of everything  
on board said vessel.

I remain Dear Sir  
Your most obedient Servant

To Mr C. Woolrich, Lloyd's Agent  
at Mazatlán.

J. J. Alexandre  
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Lloyds Agent at this port, do hereby  
certify that I authorized Mr J. J. Alexandre  
to proceed up, on board the Mexican Str.  
"Altata", to Guaymas, where she was  
placed on the Slipway, and her bottom  
thoroughly examined. The foregoing  
Report which he handed me on his  
return here, I believe to be fully reli-  
-able and worthy of all credit.

In witness of same, I hereunto affix  
my hand and Agency Seal at the port  
of Mazatlan, this 10.<sup>th</sup> day of December 1897.



*E. Woolrich*



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