

(**COPY** Translation).

S.S. "HOPESTAR".

Report of Survey following damage to Stb. Boiler.

A leak having developed in the left hand furnace of the stb. boiler, the vessel had to leave the convoy & put into Casablanca.

After drawing the fires & emptying the boiler, a crack running lengthwise was discovered in the lower part of the stb. furnace in the first undulation next to the flange connecting furnace to front plate.

Repairs.

Electric welding of cracks.

Watertightness test to 7 Kgs.

Conclusions.

The repairs having been carried out to my satisfaction, I am of opinion that the s.s. "HOPESTAR" is fit to resume her voyage, & to this effect is entitled to a seaworthiness certificate.

Casablanca, 16th July, 1943.

(s) Le. Marrec,
Surveyor appointed by L.A.



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