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Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

Port BELFAST

20th March 1941

This is to Certify *that I have*

Surveyed the S.S. "HOPESTAR" of NEWCASTLE of 5267 gross tons,
No. 7390.76047 in the Register Book, for damage stated to have been
caused by grounding on 6th December 1940 in Belfast Lough, and
in subsequent efforts to refloat, and by heavy weather from
2nd to 27th November 1940, whilst on a voyage from Buenos
Aires to the United Kingdom
and that I ~~have~~ transmitted to the Committee of Lloyd's
Register of Shipping, London, a Report, stating that all repairs
recommended by me have been completed to my satisfaction, and
that I ~~have~~ Recommended that she be retained as classed
without fresh record of survey, subject to efficient permanent
repairs being effected on arrival at a port in the United Kingdom
where the vessel is now proceeding, and to permanent repairs to port
side shell plating and bulkhead between Nos. 1 & 2 holds at first
convenient opportunity
being fit to ~~carry~~ proceed to United Kingdom for permanent
repairs, in ballast.

E. R. Edgar

Surveyor to Lloyd's Register.

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