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GEO. C. KENRICK & Co.

Casilla 495.

Valparaiso.

Valparaiso. 13th May 1938.

A. F. SMITH Esq.
Lloyds Surveyor.
PRESENTE.

Dear Sir:-

s.s. "HOPESTAR".

"The above vessel is at present discharging in Valparaiso and we estimate she will be finished on Tuesday or Wednesday.

According to the instructions received from London, it is necessary to survey certain damages said to have been made on the previous trip, and we shall be obliged therefore if you will keep in touch with the Master to carry out the survey. We understand that the damage is not of much importance.

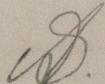
Please give us a corresponding certificate in due course."

Thanking you for your kind attention.

We are, dear Sir.

Yours faithfully,
p.p. Geo. C. Kenrick & Co.

Brian Blood.



LLOYDS please note that in case of my fee being questioned in this case I had to stand by on Saturday afternoon and Sunday to get at the various tank tops for inspection as they were being bared when either delivering or shifting cargo. The charter time being just about up, the Agents were doing all possible to get the ship despatched.

