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VESSEL'S NAME "MIDDLETON" Rpt. Sws No. 22517

The remarks of the Chief Ship Surveyor are desired on this case for the consideration of the Classing Committee.

- ("The endorsement to contain a succinct summary of any repairs that have been required and to show the cause or causes of such repairs, and also to bring out clearly any exceptional features in connection with the case, so that the Classing Committee may have all the salient points presented in the endorsement."—Extract from Sub-Committee's Report, 24/5/92.)

The class is subject to permanent repairs to indented shell plates A.1 and 2 and B.2 (s.s.) being effected at the Owners' convenience (and to 45 fathoms of chain cable being supplied at the end of the present emergency).

The SWANSEA Surveyors report the vessel afloat and on account of damage due to scrap iron cargo, repairs and renewals effected to 'tween deck stanchions and minor repairs effected.

It is submitted the vessel is worthy to remain as classed without record of survey, subject as above.

As Now, Subject, etc.

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