

POSTPONED SURVEYS.

Case of the Steel Barge "MOJARRA"

No. 51468 in Reg. Bk. _____ tons, Built 1934-3 mo.

Classed +A- Owners Lia Naviera "San Bristol" S.A.
Barge to be towed 3,34. (Operated by the Mexican Government.)
Bar. Pt. in bulk. Port of Registry Coahuila de Cos.
for Coastwise Service in the
Gulf of Mexico.

Survey Due Special Survey No. 1 due 3, 41.

In December 1941 the New York Surveyors wrote that Lloyd's Agent at Tampico was arranging with the Owners for the above survey to be held at the earliest convenient date.

Lloyd's Agent at Tampico informed the New York Surveyors on the 15th April last that it was the Owners' intention to have this vessel, and their other small craft, surveyed as opportunities for hauling out were available, but as the Owners had a large fleet of barges etc., and there were only two slipways in Tampico where they could be hauled out and repaired, it was impossible for the work to be done speedily in spite of the Owners' anxiety to deal with this matter. Lloyd's Agent added that he was sure the Owners were doing all they possibly could to get the surveys of their vessels up to date but under present conditions they were handicapped to some extent.

Lloyd's Agent at Tampico has now informed the New York Surveyors that he has received an assurance from the Owners that as soon as it is possible they will get to work on these barges but have been extremely busy on other important matters and the question has been complicated by it being very difficult to move the barges to Tampico under the conditions at present existing in the Gulf of Mexico.

Committee's Minute TUE 22 DEC 1942 Submitted for the Consideration of the Committee

Decision Deferred 22-12-42



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