

POSTPONED SURVEYS.

Case of the Steel S.S. "HULLMAN"

No. 23/20 in Reg. Bk. 171/10 tons, Built 1914-5

Classed +100A1 +LMC Owners Les Chantiers Manseau, L^{te}.

For towing purposes 5.28 6.26 184.30

S.S. no 3-5.27 TS 4.28 Port of Registry

Survey Due Screwshaft Survey due 4,30.

Boiler Survey due 4,31.

2nd Special Survey No.1 due 5,31.

In view of a communication received in January last from the Montreal Surveyor stating that this vessel was laid up at Quebec for the Winter, but that she would be drydocked before the opening of navigation, the Committee deferred consideration of the case subject to the screwshaft survey being held without fail before the steamer resumed service.

On the 11th May the Montreal Surveyor forwarded a letter received by him from the new Owners in which they stated that the survey would be carried out as soon as the

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Decision

Deferred



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vessel returned from Halifax early in June and the Committee agreed to this proposal.

At the beginning of July the Montreal Surveyor stated he had written to the Owners several times regarding the survey, but had received no reply.

In the circumstances the Owners were informed that arrangements must be made for the screwshaft survey to be held without delay in order to entitle the vessel to retain her class, and they were asked to state what steps they proposed taking in the matter.

In reply the Owners write:-

"We wish to advise you that the "HULLMAN" is "presently hauled up on the ways at our Sorel Yards and "that under the supervision of the Canadian Government "Steamship Inspector, we shall make all the repairs and "alterations we must do to comply with Canadian Marine "Regulations".

"If you wish, we might mail you copies of the "Canadian Government Steamship Inspector's Certificates, "as this vessel is not likely to go outside of Canadian "Waters".

SUBMITTED THE OWNERS BE INFORMED BY CABLE THAT IF IT IS DESIRED TO RETAIN THE VESSEL'S CLASS WITH THIS SOCIETY IT WILL BE NECESSARY FOR ONE OF THE SOCIETY'S SURVEYORS TO CARRY OUT THE BOILER & SCREWSHAFT SURVEYS FORTHWITH AND FOR THE SPECIAL SURVEY TO BE HELD WITHIN THE YEAR OF GRACE.

THE MONTREAL SURVEYOR SHOULD BE ADVISED.

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