

London

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The Honors survey the steam

trawler "Venture" (HMS Cochrane *Gore vessel
No 300) for the purpose of ascertaining the
extent of damage stated to have been
sustained by the vessel when being launched.

Upon examination of this vessel when
in Dry Dock at Grimsby, on April 12th 1905,
the undersigned found, on the port side in
way of the stowhold, one plate in B strake
the adjacent edges of A and C strakes, and one
floor out of place and caulking started.

Recommended - That the indented plate
in B strake be removed, faired and re-riveted.
The adjacent edges of A and C strakes be faired
in place; one floor be unriveted, faired and
re-riveted or lined up fair; the concrete
ballast and cement be removed as necessary
for effecting the repairs and be renewed; the
repairs be recoated and all be made good
in order



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in order to put the vessel in the same
condition as before the damage was
sustained.

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