

Received by Chief Ship Surveyor

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VESSEL'S NAME "LA SALINA"

REPORT Aru.

No. 1528

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.)

This Tanker is over 25 years old.

A SPECIAL SURVEY (D) became due 2.52.

The record of "Laid Up- Surveys Overdue" appears in the Register Book (See Committee Minute 27.2.53).

The class is subject to set up bottom shell plate C.8 (p.s.) being dealt with by next Special Survey.

The NEW YORK Surveyors advised by cable received 14.3.53 sale of ship being negotiated with a view to her proceeding with cargo to Japan or Italy for demolition and requested information regarding extent of Survey required. In reply they were advised by cable 20.3.53 that provided structures and machinery were made efficient for voyages they could issue certificate as for Unclassed Ships - see also correspondence.

The ARUBA Surveyor now reports this tanker examined afloat and generally examined with a view to her proceeding to a Southern U.S. port to lay up.

Minor wear and tear repairs effected.

IT IS SUBMITTED no further ACTION need be taken pending receipt of further information regarding ship's ultimate disposal.

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✓ "Laid Up - Surveys Overdue"



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