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ed by Chief Ship Surveyor

Received from Chief Ship Surveyor

SEL'S NAME "A L L A N"

REPORT

Hbg. No. 2337

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, 24/5/52.)

This ship is over 52 years old.

A SPECIAL SURVEY (C) becomes due 7,53.

In reply to request for postponement until 7,54 of Special Survey (refer Helsingborg Surveyors' letter of 14.3.53) Owners informed that if General Examination held now, postponement for 12 months only would be granted, but if held about due date of Special Survey then postponement as desired might be approved.

The HELSINGBORG Surveyor reports (3,53), ship examined in drydock and the requirements of a General Examination, as above, largely complied with, with the exception of the examination of the 'tween decks and lower bunkers which were full of coal.

It is considered in a ship of this age that these bunker 'tween decks and lower bunkers should be examined and found or placed in efficient condition before a postponement of the Special Survey might be granted.

TO COMPLETE GENERAL EXAMINATION:-

'Tween decks and lower coal bunkers TO BE EXAMINED.

On account of wear and tear repairs effected to shell and deck plating, rudder and minor items.

The Surveyor recommends that due to the general condition of the shell plating (i.e. worn seams, butts and rivet heads) the Special Survey should only be postponed until 12,53, the condition of the shell plating be efficient until that time.

IT IS SUBMITTED record of docking 3,53 be assigned.

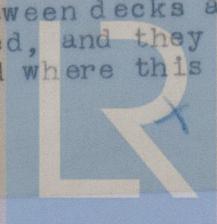
3,53 Lrk.

*See letter dated 29-5-53*

G.E. PART HELD.

NOTE:- SUBMITTED Owners, through HELSINGBORG Surveyors, be informed that to complete G.E. for postponement of Special Survey until 12,53 as recommended by the Helsingborg Surveyor, the 'tween decks and lower bunkers remain to be examined, and they should be requested to advise when and where this will be dealt with.

*[Handwritten signature and date 2-11-53]*



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