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Lloyd's Register of Shipping.



Port NEW YORK

NOVEMBER 21, 1939

This is to Certify that

J. A. YOUNG

the undersigned Surveyor to this Society did at the request of the Owners' representative survey the steel screw steamer "ROTTERDAM" 24149 tons gross register of Rotterdam, for the purpose of ascertaining the nature and extent of damage stated to have been sustained when the port propeller presumably struck a submerged object on October 18th, 1939 while on a voyage from Rotterdam to New York, increased revolutions and considerable vibration being noted at that time, after which the revolutions were reduced on the Port engine for the remainder of the voyage.

For further particulars please see log books.

On October 28th, 1939, the vessel then lying on dry dock at Robins Dry Dock and Repair Co., Brooklyn, N. Y., the undersigned upon examination

FOUND

One blade of Port propeller broken off about 10" above the flange.

One propeller blade stud broken.

RECOMMENDED

Screw shaft to be drawn in for examination, and if found in good order, to be replaced and connected up ready to proceed to sea, broken propeller blade to be removed and renewed.

To be renewed, all other studs to be tried and hardened up as found necessary.

To facilitate repairs, spare blade was fitted at this time.

Necessary dry docking.

Fee \$60.00

Surveyor to Lloyd's Register of Shipping.

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