

T.S.M.V. "CONGELLA"

Mr. Scullard, the Society's Senior Surveyor at Falmouth, has issued a Special Damage Report on account of damage stated to have been sustained through heavy weather. The report is arranged in two columns under the headings "Damage found" and "Recommendations made", but the Surveyor does not state specifically in the former column the damage that has been found.

It is usual in damage reports to state the nature of the damage, such as whether rivets are leaking or started, or in the case of other items whether the material is fractured or bent etc.

On page 3, paragraph 2 of the Report the Surveyor states that No.3 hold was found damaged, and he has recommended, among other items, the ceiling to be lifted on tank top and renewed as necessary, but there is no indication of the nature of the damage in this hold, and it is therefore not clear why it was necessary to renew the ceiling on the tank top.

It is submitted the Surveyor might be informed as above, and also be referred to the "Instructions to Surveyors" under the heading of "Damage Surveys and Reports".

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