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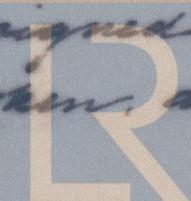
October 31 - 1900

George Little Simancash

the owners representative, survey the machinery of the steel screw steamer Silver Slip, of London, on the twenty fifth instant, and subsequent dates, while the vessel was lying in the channel dry dock, Cardiff, for the purpose of ascertaining the amount of damage stated to have been caused by colliding with the tug at Cardiff, on the sixteenth of May last, and through encountering very heavy weather and strong gales for several days during the month of June last, while on a voyage from Cardiff to Balak-Papuan; (from 23rd to 29th of June) and from the eighth, to the thirtieth of August last, while in a voyage from Pulo Gamber, to Sungonan for orders.

For particulars see log-book.

The whole of the machinery having been opened up, the undersigned found one propeller blade broken, and the lignum Vitæ



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s.s. Silverleaf.

in the sternbush, worn down. The white metal
in the G.P. M.C. and I.C. bottom end braces
broken. The joints of the circulating pump
value seats leaking, and spindle of the
main injection value damaged.

Recommended the broken propeller-
blade to be renewed, (and the one fitted at
Cape Town to be re-pointed). The lignum Vitae
to be renewed in the sternbush, the ends
of the bottom end braces to be remedied;
the value seats of the circulating pump
to be re-pointed, and a new spindle
be fitted for the main injection valve,
in order to place the machinery, in a
good, and efficient condition, as before
sustaining the damage in question.

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George Lisle Hindmarsh.



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