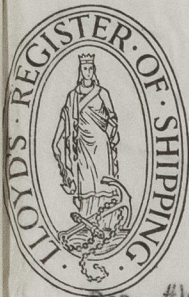


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Boa. #4795.

Port Balboa, Canal Zone

8th February, 1963.

This is to Certify that

C. H. HAMAN

the undersigned Surveyor to this Society did at the request of Continental Shipping Corp. Agents, Cristobal, Canal Zone, on behalf of the Owners - Daido Kaiun K. K., attend on board the steel, twin screw motor vessel -

"KOTIE MARU"

9096 tons gross of Kobe, Japan, for the purpose of ascertaining the nature and extent of damage stated to have been sustained during northbound transit of the Panama Canal on a voyage to East Coast South and North America from Japan.

For further particulars see vessel's Log Books.

On examining this ship whilst afloat in Gatun Lake, C. Z., on 8th February, 1963, the undersigned -

FOUND:

1. "H" and "G" strake shell plates in way of engine room between frames Nos. 80 and 81 (port side) slightly set in.
2. The frame bracket Nos. 79 and 80 (port side) slightly distorted.

RECOMMENDED

1. The set in shell plates to be faired in place.
2. The two affected brackets to be faired in place.

Further recommended that all necessary removals be replaced and where damage (in course of above repairs) be repaired or renewed as necessary.

The foregoing recommendations were made with a view to placing the vessel in the same good and efficient condition as before the alleged casualty occurred.

The damage being of a minor nature repairs can be effected at Owners' convenience.

C. H. Haman
Surveyor to Lloyd's Register.

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