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304 CALIFORNIA STREET.

CABLE ADDRESS:
FREEBOARD,
SAN FRANCISCO.SAN FRANCISCO, July 11th 1896

Sir

Your favor of 10th June duly to hand and had my attention when I returned from New York, in connection therewith I beg to say that no survey was held on these vessels by me for several years -

Mr. Tardif was in Mexico and of ^{Alby} ~~April~~ & part of March and he then informed me on his return that sundry repairs has been made on the S.S. Mayatlan to the rigging, under his supervision, but he did not see the vessel on the Dry Dock. At same time the Altata returned Guaymas & was placed on Dry Dock ^{bottoms}. Mr. Tardif examined the vessel & found her in good order, but no further examination of any sort was made, Mr. Tardif I believe pointed out to them the desirability of having the proper survey made, but the Manager stated he had no instructions. Early in May a member of the firm of Cabrera & Roma, called on me in regard to the survey due on Mayatlan & Altata.

asking the requirements, and probable cost.
I give him a copy of the rules for No 1
S.S. and an approximate idea of expense,
since which I have not heard a word
from them.

The case stands at present, - that no
survey has been made on the Magattan
or Altata by any of the Societies Surveyors
for the survey due last year. nor has
any arrangements be made for any
survey, further than the above enquiry.

I am

A. G. Dyhurst Esqr
Secty Lloyd Reg
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Your obed servant
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Referred to the Chief Surveyor
and Chief Engineer Surveyor.

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Also for Mr. Hill to note

St. Anna plant in
communication with

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J.H.
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J.H.