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Port of MANCHESTER.

11th September 1940

REPORT ON MASTS, SPARS, AND RIGGING.

Dear Sirs,

Having, in accordance with your instructions,
 examined the Masts, Spars, Iron Work of same, and Rigging, of the
 (Name of Vessel) S.S. "EMPIRE BISON" ex "WEST CAWTHON"

the (Date of examination) August 30th 1940,

I have to report that I found masts, spars and ironwork of same,
 rigging and rigging screws in good order and condition with the
 exception of the following:-

All rigging screws to be freed.

Main tops to be repaired or renewed.

All shrouds to be reserved.

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