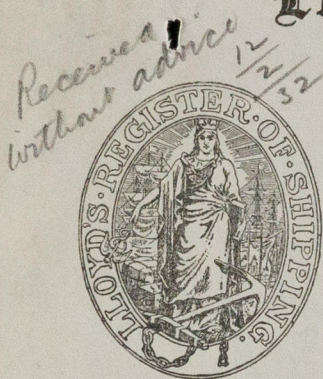


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Port PHILADELPHIA, PA.

21st October, 1931.

**This is to Certify** that

J.M. BUCHANAN

the undersigned Surveyor to this Society did at the request of on March 7th, 1931, and subsequent dates, survey the Italian Steam Tankship "ALABAMA" of Genoa, 7025 Tons Gross Register, of the Petroleum Soc. Anon. di Nav. of Genoa, relative to damages alleged to have been sustained by stormy weather on March 2nd, to 6th, 1931.

With reference to the slightly waved deck plates in the Shelter deck (or bridge deck).

These plates were noticed to be very slightly waved at a point approximately a little forward of the steering Engine House, but while there was this slight wave, there was no indication nor did I believe this to be of recent origin, therefore, I could not attribute same to the heavy weather on March 4th, 1931, and for this reason no recommendations were made to deal with same.

(Signed) J.M. Buchanan

Surveyor to Lloyd's Register  
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