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# Floyd's Register of Shipping.

CONFIDENTIAL.

High Close,

Wiltshire Road,

Wokingham, Berks.

10th September, 1940.

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To the Surveyors at FALMOUTH.

Vessel's Name **M.S. "PACIFIC COAST"**

No. in Reg. Bk. 80998

Gas. 65/40.

QUESTION.

This vessel was blown up in a North French port prior to the 1st May last.

She was a constructive total loss and the hulk has been towed to Falmouth and it is stated that she would be re-built, if possible.

As no further information has come to hand I shall be glad if you will kindly let me know whether this hulk is still at your port, and if so, whether any repairs are being effected to her.

*WJR*

ANSWER.

Date: *16th September 1940*

*The Owners state that the vessel is out of their hands, and in the hands of the Ministry of Shipping -*

*She is lying alongside the Coast Lines jetty here.*

*The Engines have been removed and the deck wreckage is being removed.*

*We understand that the Ministry of Shipping will probably use her as a coal hulk or block ship.*

This form is to be returned to the Secretary as soon as the information asked for has been filled in.



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