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TITLE.:- STEAMER ASHORE.

Picture.:- She was carrying coal from Newcastle - to Italy, 8,000 tons of it. During --

--a thick fog she struck a sandbank. Now, she lies on the --

--Channel bed, with not much hope of ever continuing her voyage. A gaping crack has --

--appeared across her deck and it is feared that her back is broken. Somebody's going --

--short of coal, if this cargo "goes West". It will be too bad if this happens, for 8,000 tons of coal represents a lot of hard work, --

--and quite a lot of big roaring fires. Hard luck !