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## H.M.S. HOOD IN DRY DOCK.

## FOR REPAIRS.

## Picture.

H.M.S. HOOD, sea giant now high and

- --dry an dock at Portsmouth, in collision with--
- -- the Renown one propeller became--
- -- imbedded in the hull of the colliding ship.

Many of the steel plates forming-

-her massive starboard quarter were damaged.

These are now being removed. The work has provided jobs--

- -- for every unemployed shipwright in Portsmouth. Welding by aceteline and electric power--
- -- gave us some shots which--
- -- look rather like Blackpool on a gala night.

On the ship the routine goes on as-

- --usual. Even in dry-dock the jolly old navy--
- --never sleeps, and the jolly old ratings murmur curses because of same.