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15th February, 1921.

Tuesday.

HUNTER, & WIGHAM RICHARDSON, LIMITED
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London Office - 21, Russell Square, W.C.1.
Branch Office - 4 Fenchurch Avenue E.C.3.

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Your Ref.

Messrs. Lloyds Register of Shipping,

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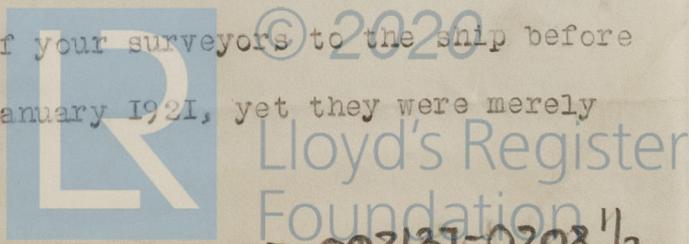


Dear Sirs,

No. 1155 : s.s. "Vanellus".

The hull of this steamer was built at our Southwick Yard, and an invoice has been rendered by your Sunderland office to that yard for the survey fees. This is based upon your new scale which we are informed dates from the 1st January 1921.

The steamer was practically completed in the year 1920. But for the joiners' strike she would certainly have been delivered to the owners in that year. We understand that the structural part of the work and the survey thereof were completed before the 31st December, and while there may have been one or two visits of your surveyors to the ship before she sailed on the 12th January 1921, yet they were merely



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associated with questions appertaining to certificates and the passing of decks &c., and we think that under the special circumstances your fees should be based upon the 1920 scale.

Our views have been put before your surveyor at Sunderland, who we understand agrees with what we have said above respecting the survey etc., but he has no authority to depart from his instructions regarding the scale of charges.

We trust that under the circumstances you will agree to the old scale being used for the hull of this steamer.

FOR Yours faithfully,
SWAN, HUNTER, & WIGHAM RICHARDSON, LTD.

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SECRETARY.

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Referred to the Chief ~~S~~ Surgeon.

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for Mr. Mayne
to note.

Submitted a copy of this letter be forwarded to
the Sunderland Surgeons for their remarks.

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