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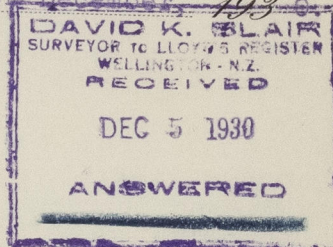
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TO THE MANAGER

The Anchor Shipping & Foundry Company, Ltd.

Port Nelson.

5th December, 1930

Mr. David K. Blair,
Lloyd's Register of Shipping,
G.P.O. Box 941,
WELLINGTON.



Dear Sir,

Your letter of 4th instant duly to hand.

In reply to your enquiry, we do not wish to
retain our steamer "Rata" in Lloyd's Classification.

We will endeavour to complete the record of
our fleet and forward same to Lloyd's, London, per next
outgoing English Mail.

Yours faithfully,

THE ANCHOR SHIPPING & FOUNDRY CO. Ltd.

William Rogers
MANAGER

David K. Blair

SURVEYOR TO LLOYD'S REGISTER
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