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Dear Sirs,

JB/AB

Steamer "MARYSTON"

The Main Boiler Survey became due in September, 1959, and in reply to enquiry the Owners stated that the ship was laid up and was being converted to Diesel propulsion.

As there was no record here of the ship having been under survey in this connection they were asked for further information and reminded that the Special Survey becomes due at the end of next month.

In reply they stated as follows:-

"We thank you for your letter of the 13th April, and can advise you that the conversion of the "MARYSTON" will be completed under the jurisdiction of the Ministry of Transport Surveyors at Portsmouth. Should you so desire, we can give you duplicates of correspondence with that office as and when it takes place.

Should there be any variation of intent we shall also advise you."

Before replying to the Owners, as we are unable to trace any correspondence regarding conversion from steel to diesel machinery, I shall be glad to learn whether you have any remarks to offer on the case.

Yours faithfully,

The Surveyors,
SOUTHAMPTON.

Pro Clerk to the
Classification Committee.

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